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For the next two weeks we are clearing two lines of our regular \$12, \$12.50 and \$13.00 Overcoats at \$10. These garments are all well tailored, with good trimmings, from high grade cloths. We have them in three different styles and all sizes. Remember the price **Only \$10.** It will pay you to see this line.

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'The Gents' Clothing and Furnishing House.'

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Of the well-known Pember Hair Store, Toronto, is coming to the Revere House, Markdale On **MONDAY, JANUARY 22nd, 1912.**



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Lost in Dundalk.

The Junior O.H.A. team journeyed to Dundalk on Friday night last and played the junior team there in one of the fastest and cleanest hockey matches ever played in Dundalk. The first half was fought as if life depended upon the result, and at half time the score was 1-1. The second half was also very even, but the good work of McArthur at cover point for Dundalk told, and they secured three more goals in succession. The tide changed however, and the speedy rushes of Harold Mercer resulted in Markdale securing another goal, and the game ended with Dundalk in the lead, the final score being Dundalk 4, Markdale 2. The teams played six men a side, owing to an accident which befel Fred Mercer in an intermediate game at Chesley in which he was disabled. Markdale is still in the lead in number of goals scored, and have a good chance to win the district. The two teams come together to-night (Wednesday) in the Mark-

dale rink, in the third game in the double schedule. Ernie Cook, of Toronto, was referee, and gave the best of satisfaction. He allowed nothing but clean hockey throughout. The line-up: Dundalk goal Fletcher Phillips goal point Roberts McDonnell c. point Levi McArthur c. point Merriam Rundle centre Merriam V. Russell l. wing Mercer D. Russell r. wing Bushfield. Any amount of money to lend on mortgage security at the lowest rate on interest. Expenses low. No fines. Properties valued personally. No waiting for convenience of inspectors. W. L. Young, Markdale, Appraiser for Canada Permanent Loan Company. Persons troubled with partial paralysis are often very much benefited by massaging the affected parts thoroughly when applying Chamberlain's Liniment. This liniment also removes rheumatic pains. For sale by all dealers.

Conservatives Meet.

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Proton. The following were elected: President—N. L. Curry, Rocklyn. Vice-Pres.—T. D. Carscadden, Clarksburg. Secretary—W. Turner, Markdale. Treas.—W. J. Shortill, Markdale. Auditors—C. W. Rutledge and William Lucas. Vice-Presidents for the different municipalities in the riding were appointed as follows: Euphrasia—Jas. Erskine, Beaverdale. Osprey—Jos. W. Gamey, Maxwell. Artemesia—H. D. McLoughry, Markdale. Thornbury—Thos. Lowe, Thornbury. Collingwood—William Shaw, Clarksburg. Dundalk—S. Bell, Dundalk. Markdale—Wm. Gibson, Markdale. Chatsworth—Wm. Breese, Chatsworth. Proton—Ab. Sherson, Proton Station. Holland—And. Gillespie, Berkeley. Sullivan—Jas. A. Thomason, Marmion. Mr. J. H. Devitt, member for West Durham, in a concise address, expressed his pleasure at being present. He thought the Conservatives should congratulate themselves on the victory which was at the present time perching on their banners. He thought the good legislation and wise administration of the Whitney Government during the past seven years had considerable influence in changing the tide of battle in the recent Dominion election. Mr. C. R. McKeown, M.P.P. for Dufferin, was the speaker of the day, and in his opening remarks said that he had solved the question why the Hon. T. S. Sproule and Hon. I. B. Lucas had such an easy time in being elected in East Grey when they had such an energetic band of workers behind them as those present to-day who had gone to so much inconvenience and travelled over such bad roads in order to be present at the annual meeting. He thought the riding of East and Centre Grey should feel very proud to have such worthy representatives as Hon. Dr. Sproule and Hon. I. B. Lucas. Referring to the Whitney Government he said they had been criticized a great deal in the past for spending so much money, but he said they intended going on spending money as long as it was for the best interests of the Province of Ontario. Our revenue has doubled, the succession duty had nearly doubled, larger grants were expected from the Dominion Government, and altogether the Province was on the high way of prosperity. He referred to the great work being done by the University of Toronto, an institution which has a greater number of students than any other educational institution in the world. Regarding the bi-lingual question he believed it was not a question between Protestants and Roman Catholics. It was a national issue and great care would have to be exercised by the Government in dealing with it. He thought that there was nothing that would so lift up our nationality as the language that we speak, and if we wish to preserve our nationality we must insist that the great language of the people of Ontario shall be the English language. He emphasized the statement that the Whitney Government handles bigger and greater schemes than any other administration in Ontario had done, referring particularly to the Hydro-Electric project, on the success or failure of which depended the very life of the Government. It has, however, proven a magnificent success. Hon. W. J. Hanna's scheme of Prison Reform by the establishment of the Prison Farm at Guelph and the great work it is doing, was also referred to in complimentary terms. On motion of Dr. Campbell, seconded by Hon. I. B. Lucas a hearty vote of thanks was tendered Mr. McKeown for his attendance at the convention, and for his able and edifying address. Hon. I. B. Lucas was given a cordial reception when he arose to address the convention. Owing to the fact that a number of the delegates were anxious to get away as early as possible, Mr. Lucas' remarks were necessarily much abridged. Regarding the bi-lingual question he believed this to be a serious matter and one that required thoughtful consideration, not a subject for passionate speeches. It was significant, he said, that the French voting element failed to support the Borden Government. We must not accentuate the feeling that it is a question between Catholics and Protestants. In this Province the

one man who could be depended upon to bring the matter to a satisfactory conclusion was Sir James Whitney. It is, however, a serious and dangerous political question, and must be looked squarely in the face. He thanked the delegates and members present for the magnificent support given him at the recent election, and assured them that he would do his utmost to further the interests of his constituents and also of the people of the grand old Province of Ontario. Short addresses were also given by Mr. M. K. Richardson, ex-M.P., of Flesherton, and Mr. Jos. Ferguson, of Osprey. Resolutions expressing confidence in and loyalty to Rt. Hon. R. L. Borden and the members for the riding, were carried amid much enthusiasm.

NOTES.

There must have been some Orangemen among the delegates, judging by the frequency with which a number of them addressed the chairman as "Worshipful Sir." Mr. Moore, of Osprey, is a red-hot Tory. He made an eight-mile trip on snow-shoes to Flesherton station and arrived by noon train to attend the convention. Mr. McKeown, the clever young member for Dufferin, was in his best form, and gave a telling speech. Mr. Richardson, of Flesherton, presented the serious side of political life, and his remarks were right to the point. Mr. Ferguson, the Osprey veteran, who is ever ready with a joke, declared, when rising to his feet, that Mr. McKeown had given the very speech that he himself had intended giving, so that he would have to be excused.

No wonder East Grey Tories are enthusiastic when one of their representatives is the First Com-moner in the Dominion, and the other a prominent member of the Provincial Cabinet. Thus quoth one of the speakers, and this remark was loudly applauded by the audience.

Mr. S. J. Halbert is never quite so happy as when attending a Conservative rally. He was kept busy distributing smiles and meal tickets to the assembled delegates at the close of the convention.

VANDELEUR

(Special To The Standard.) Miss Tillie Buchanan spent the weekend with friends at Wodehouse. Messrs. M. and P. Beard went to Owen Sound on Saturday last to visit their father, Mr. Marshall Beard, sr., who is ill. Quite a number from here attended divine service in Ebenezer Church on Sunday last to hear the Rev. Dr. Caldwell, a former pastor of the church here. The Dr. who was a general favorite in this neighborhood, especially with the young people, spent Monday renewing old acquaintances in this place. Mr. Dave and Misses Mina and May Graham visited friends in Riverdale the first of the week. About thirty jolly members of the Sons of Temperance drove over to Eugenia on Friday of last week and spent a pleasant evening with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Platt and family, returning home in the wee sma' hours of the morning. The evening was spent in games and other amusements. Mr. and Mrs. Platt proved a charming host and hostess, and the Sons will not forget for a long time their pleasant evening on the East Mountain.

Mr. J. I. Graham is this week attending the Farmers' Institute meetings throughout Centre Grey. A number from here spent a pleasant time skating on the rink at Kimberley on Saturday last. The Women's Institute meet in the hall on Thursday of this week. The weather of the past two weeks has been very severe. Commencing the Wednesday after Christmas, the storm continued almost without a pause until Wednesday of last week. Roads were in a bad shape, and on Thursday a large number of men were out putting them in good condition, in which state we hope they will remain the remainder of the winter.

PROMPTNESS APPRECIATED.

Kimberley, Nov. 17, '11. Mr. Thompson Allen, Chief Ranger Court Kimberley No. 559, C.O.F. Please accept my sincere thanks and extend the same to your Court for the prompt payment of \$1,000 on the death of my late son, Joseph H. Carruthers. May the Order ever prosper is the wish of your sincere friend, Mrs. Thos. Carruthers.

Mrs. W. W. Stevens.

At Hamiota, Man., on January 1st, 1912, Mary Ann Wright, relict of the late Wm. W. Stevens, and sister of Mrs. G. Stoddart, of Markdale, departed this life. Deceased was born near where Mono Road village now stands, on April 11th, 1834. When quite young she moved with her parents to Toronto which was then "Muddy York," where she was married to the late William Weir Stevens. In 1869 they moved to Markdale which was then "Cornabuss," where they resided on the farm now owned by Speaker Sproule. Some 17 years ago they moved West to join their family. On June 29, 1903, they celebrated their Golden Wedding on "Hardscrabble Farm" near Hamiota. Her husband predeceased her six years. In religion she was a Methodist, having been a member for over sixty years. The funeral service was conducted by Revs. McKinney and Young. Miss Aggie Munshaw touchingly rendered a solo, "The Sands of Time are Sinking." She leaves to mourn her departure besides many friends, two sons, two daughters, and twelve grand-children. The sons and daughters are W. J. at Hamiota; Rev. F. G. at Fisher River; Mrs. Bradford at Arroyo River, and Mrs. McLoughry at Moosomin, Sask. The casket was covered with flowers, among them being a cross from the Masonic Order, an anchor from the I.O.O.F., and a wreath from the C.O.F. The pallbearers were six members of the I.O.O.F. who were also Masons.

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Scarcely Noticeable.

On the 21st of December last, the shortest day of 1911, the sun was above the horizon for 8 hours and there was daylight for only 8 hours 53 minutes. On Sunday, Dec. 31st, there was daylight for only eight hours and 58 minutes. So that in nine days' time daylight increased only three minutes, or about one-third of a minute each day. After New Year's, however, the days lengthen much faster. The question may sometimes arise as to why the weather is not colder on the shortest day, when the sun's rays are striking the earth slant-wise, or hottest about the 21st of June, when the sun's rays are most direct. Everyone knows we often have our hottest weather in July and August, and correspondingly our coldest in January and February. Theoretically the coldest day ought to come on the shortest, but, owing to the ability of the atmosphere, to retain the heat from summer, it takes some time for it to become cooled off. This causes the colder weather to come a little later in the season.

All Furs reduced from 30 to 50 per cent this month. McFarland & Co.

When you want a reliable medicine for a cough or cold take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It can always be depended upon and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all dealers.

BABY'S HAND FROZEN.

Milk in Bottle in Bed With Child Also Frozen. Hespler, Ont., Jan. 14. — Baby Feaks, about one year old, was put to bed as usual, given a bottle with milk, and when found in the morning the milk in the bottle was frozen; also one of the baby's hands, which got from under the covering somehow.

For Cramps.

A piece of old-fashioned candle wax, when placed around the leg in the gutter placed near to the skin will prevent or cure cramp in the calf of the leg to the foot. I have proved this by personal experience. I believe this would prove effective in preventing swimming cramp. Those liable to cramp while in the water would be wise to try it. Cotton batting wrapped around the body from the armpits downward saved the life of a man suffering agony from painters' cramp. It gave instant relief.

Having a Hard Time.

"Here I've been running for years," said the hall clock "and I haven't moved an inch. I wouldn't mind that so much, but ever evening about 8.30 the young lady of the family turns me back because she says I'm too fast, and then in the morning the old man comes along and grumbles because I'm too slow."

Dangerous.

"Why don't you praise that sausage more?" demanded the grocer. "That sausage is all right." "It doesn't pay to praise sausage too highly," retorted the new clerk "it might wag its tail."

Deep Jake.

The Miss Havvy's dimple is awfully deep, isn't it? Looks like a giraffe's.

— Perhaps that's what gives her such a bored expression.

Special Price

In Single Harness We are offering this week a Special Price on a few sets of harness which we have just turned out. Call and see the quality and save a couple of dollars if you intend to buy in the near future.

Fur Coats

Our Fur Coats are going at a Special Price. We are offering a few sets of fur coats which are only a few dollars above any sold at the present time.

Mitts and Blankets

We still have a good number of Mitts and Blankets to choose from at a low price. And our Blankets are of a size, can't be beat for quality or price.

Alf. McCullough

Give us a chance and we will prove to you that we're these articles cheap.

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TO WINNIPEG AND VANCOUVER

Daily Transcontinental Service via the Canadian Route Standard and Tourist Sleepers.

To CHICAGO Three trains daily. Excellent service. Making connections at Detroit for TORONTO and CHICAGO for OAKLAND and PORTLAND.

For reservations and information apply JOHN CAEY, Agent, Markdale.

Markdale Markets.

(Corrected each Wednesday)	
Fall Wheat	82
Spring Wheat	82
Peas	1 00
Oats	44
Butter	22
Butter, col.	22
Eggs	23
Beef	20
Pork	5 50
Hides	8 00
Geese, per	10
Ducks	10
Chickens	7
Fowl	7
Turkey	7
Hay	2 00
Apples, dried, per lb.	7
Flour, per	4 40
Flour, Mar. 100	50
Bran, per	25
Shorts, per	15
Chop Oats, per wt.	35
Sheep, Sim.	65
Wool, washed	8
Wool, unwashed	2

Toronto Markets.

Corrected each Wednesday	
Wheat	85
Barley	50
Oats	50
Peas	1 00
Export, choice	60
do medium	57
do light	42
do bulk	40
Butcher, heavy, choice	45
Butcher, medium	45
Feeders, heavy	45
do bulk	35
Milk cows, choice each	50
Common and medium	26
Springers, each	40
Sheep, ewe	30
do bulk	20
Lambs	50
Hogs, 100	60
do fed and watered	60
Calves	40
No. 1 Hides	40
No. 2 Hides	30
No. 3 Hides	20
Potatoes, per bag	1 35

Standard Clubbing Rates

Standard	1 00
Weekly Mail	50
Weekly Globe	50
Christian Guardian	50
Daily World	1 00
Family Herald	1 00
Weekly Times	1 00
Weekly Sentinel	1 00
Toronto Sun	1 00
Farmer's Advocate	1 00
Daily News	1 00
Daily Star	1 00
The Canadian Farmer	1 00
The Catholic Register	1 00

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LOCAL and GENERAL

Francis Fish Company Monday, Feb. 20th for the auspices of C.O.F. 1912. (Cremore Council passed a motion to prohibit smoking in the Council Chamber while the Council is in session. The date of the ten meeting in connection with the Presbyterian Church has been changed from Feb. 14 to Feb. 20th. The regular monthly meeting of the W.C.T.U. will be held at the home of Mrs. A. Murdoch, Tuesday, Jan. 30th, at 3 p.m. Rev. Mr. Phelan will give the annual address on the 9th Council meeting next Monday's Day evening in the Presbyterian Church. John writes that he holds a record in college for heavy lifting, ain't that fine? "Sure," said dad. "He can come home and try it on the mortgage." At a special meeting of Markdale Council, Messrs. J. E. Watson and W. S. Chalmers were appointed municipal auditors, and A. J. Watson auditor for the Furniture company. Mr. W. E. Brady, of Euphrasia, is building a quantity of heavy fine elm logs to Armstrong, a heavy one (the recently favored) netting him between forty and fifty dollars. Our staff reporters will kindly let us know when they need material. This is the time of the year when people have time to read and will appreciate all the news from your section. The reserved seat plan for "Wings and Left Home" may be seen at Stephenson's jewelry store. The city purchasers get the choice of seats. Seats on sale commencing at 6 o'clock Friday of this week. If you would not care to miss one best entertainment of the season don't fail to see the Markdale Dramatic Club in "Why Sam? or Home" at Murphy Hall, Thursday, Feb. 1st. James Richardson & Son have a car of feed grain from the Grand elevator at Owen Sound at Markdale station on Friday for inspection. Mr. L. W. F. is authorized to sell same at \$1.00 per ton. Mr. Will Stevens, of Hamiota, in remarks, when renewing the Standard, "I know my Standard, but no appearing in the Standard, but the items of swing years ago are quite interesting.

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