

THOMPSON'S TALK ON TAILORING

The Foundation of a Garment

It is a well known fact in all construction work—a finished product can be no better than its raw material.

As in all other lines this applies to the making of clothes.

In the first place you must have good honest all-wool cloth to make a first class high grade garment.

That is why I am so particular in choosing my woollens from the best makers.

My eighteen years of experience in cutting and making garments as a practical tailor, enables me to detect the work of the "Shoddy Artist" at a glance.

That is the reason I take no chances when I guarantee my garments to give you absolute satisfaction.

P. J. Thompson,

"The Gents' Clothing and Furnishing House."

In Hockey Circles

Owen Sound 7, Markdale 4.

On Monday evening of this week the local hockey team were defeated at Owen Sound by the Orange and Greens of that town by the close score of 7-4. It was a great game, and some really fast hockey was played and brilliant work witnessed. The game was fast and probably the cleanest hockey played in Owen Sound for some time, there only being four penalties handed out, and half the local boys lobbed up a little sooner than they did it would have been a much closer score and no doubt would have pulled out a win. Everyone on the Markdale team played good clean hockey, with Kelly and young Harold Mercer a little in the limelight. This is Harold's first season in the game, and he is the youngest one of the best in the Northern League teams. Mr. J. Shea, of Palmerston, acted as referee, and he fulfilled his duties in a very capable manner. The teams lined up as follows:

Owen Sound goal: Fletcher; point: J. C. Mercer; R. Wells; c.point: G. F. Mercer; W. Fletcher; rover: W. Burnside; D. Hay; Falkingham; centre: P. Kelly; L. Loos; r.wing: H. Haskett; R. Craven; l.wing: H. Mercer.

The start was fast and interesting, both teams playing with vim. It was not long, however, before the O.S. boys commenced to demonstrate that they were wearing the horse-shoes, and ere two minutes had passed scored their first goal. This was followed by another in seven minutes, and at this stage of the game Markdale seemed to be playing in hard luck as they simply could not get going, and before twenty minutes had passed the score stood Owen Sound 4, Markdale zero. At this stage of the game Fred Mercer, our stellar defence man, was injured and had to retire, Loos being sent to the spectators' gallery to even up. This seemed to be the turning point, and until the end of the first period the play was all Markdale, and had it not been for the truly wonderful work of Racine Phillips, the O.S. goal-keeper, several tallies would have been registered against them, as the remainder of the bunch looked to be pretty nearly all in. Towards the end of the first half, Craven slipped another in, making the score 5-0 in favor of the County town.

In the opening stages of the second half, Markdale began to show their old-time form, and Kelly, in four minutes, on a lone rush, scored Markdale's first goal. However, for a few minutes the tide of battle turned and Falkingham scored Owen Sound's sixth goal in ten minutes. This was followed by another in a short time, making the score 7-1. Then something happened. With a score of seven to one starting them in the face the Markdallians went right after them and for the balance of the game it was a most shame they way they bamboozled the Owen Sound forwards; it was just a case of rush after rush by the Marks and three goals were scored in rapid succession. Markdale had found their pace, but it was a little late in the game and they could not overcome the big lead Owen Sound had piled up in the earlier stages. The Owen Sound goal keeper, Racine, can claim the major part of the credit for the victory. He is a real good boy and stopped many hot shots with arms, feet, head and stick. The locals, although beaten by 7-4, put up a good fight. They expect to run up a nice score against Warton here on the 31st inst.

School Team Wins.

On Saturday afternoon the hockey boys of the Markdale Public School went to Chatsworth and played a friendly game with the Public School team of that village. As Principal Bryson was unable to accompany the boys, Mr. Clark, of the High School, went in his stead. The game began about 2 o'clock with the following line-up: Chatsworth—Goal, Pritchard; point, B. Ritz; cover, H. Walker; rover, M. Sinclair; l.w., W. Bowes; r.w., G. Mahery; centre, C. Sudden. Markdale—Goal, R. McKennitt; point, D. Lucas; cover, M. Chapman; rover, L. McKennitt; l.w., O. Walden; r.w., L. Purvis; centre, L. Burnside. Every boy on both teams played like a little gentleman. There was no rough talk or rough play and

the best of spirit existed from start to finish. During the first half the home team had much the better of the play and the Markdale goal was in danger many times. Ritz and Bowes were particularly aggressive, but were able to net the puck but once, and the half ended 1-0 in favor of Chatsworth. It was during the second half that the Markdale boys woke up and netted a goal in about half a minute. This was repeated and it soon became evident that the tide had turned. Ritz could not get up the pace he set in the first half and the visitors had them almost at their mercy. Chatsworth would brace up at intervals but could not overtake their opponents. The final score was 8-4 in favor of Markdale. Harold Mercer, of Markdale, was referee and gave general satisfaction. It is expected that a return game will be arranged shortly and it is hoped that our boys will be able to use the Chatsworth team as well as they were used in Chatsworth. That is surely good sport. Play the game for the fun that is in it. Win if you can, fairly; if not, lose gracefully.

Dundalk Won.

The Dundalk Junior O.H.A. team came to Markdale on Wednesday of last week and crossed sticks with the local team. The teams were very evenly matched, but the Dundalk boys were more aggressive, and at half time the score stood 5-5. The Russell boys, of the Dundalk team, both received a bad smash on the face with the puck which laid them off for the rest of the game. Bushfield and Foster went off to even up. The second half developed into faster hockey, but the game was not nearly so fast as the one in Dundalk the week previous. In the second half Markdale secured 2 and Dundalk 3, making the final score 8-7. Penalties were not numerous and the teams showed a very friendly spirit throughout. Ernie Cook refereed. The line-up: Dundalk goal: Fletcher; point: McDonnell; c.point: H. Mercer; Lucas; rover: Bushfield; Runnie; centre: K. Haskett; V. Russell; l.wing: Foster; D. Russell; r.wing: Merriam. Markdale are still one goal in the lead, and go to Dundalk tonight (Thursday) for the last scheduled game of this district.

Annual Meeting.

Of the Walters Falls Agricultural Society—Large Attendance and Encouraging Reports. The annual meeting of the Walters Falls Agricultural Society was held on Friday, January 19th. Notwithstanding the storm and bad roads there was the largest attendance at the meeting that there has been for years. This was very encouraging to the Board of Directors. The President, in his address, thanked the Directors and all those who contributed to the welfare of the Society. It was with great pleasure that he could say that although they had had only one fine day in four years they had always paid 100 cents on the dollar, and they still had a nice little surplus on hand. The treasurer's report showed a balance of over \$120.00. The Society intend going into the Field Crop Competition, \$75.00 in prizes will be given. Election of officers resulted as follows: President—Samuel Marshall. 1st Vice-Pres.—John Reid. 2nd Vice-Pres.—John Sutherland. Directors—John Dixon, Jess. Patterson, Jas. Hammit, John Norton, Robt. King, Thos. Findlay, Russ Thom, Herb Eagle, Byron Carney. Sec'y-Treas.—F. E. Wickham. Auditors—Wm. Bonnell, Frank Olmstead. Messrs. John Reid and F. E. Wickham were appointed delegates to attend the Fair's Convention to be held in Toronto Feb. 1-8.

Mrs. A. R. Tabor, of Gridler, Mo., had been troubled with sick headache for about five years, when she began taking Chamberlain's Tablets. She had taken two bottles of them and they have cured her. Sick headache is caused by a disordered stomach for which these tablets are especially indicated. Try them, get well and stay well. Sold by all dealers.

Women's Institute.

The Women's Institute held their regular meeting in the Agricultural Office last Wednesday. The meeting was opened by the singing of "The Maple Leaf." The President, Mrs. W. L. McFarland, then asked for the minutes of last meeting, which were read by the secretary, Mrs. C. E. Armstrong. Mrs. H. D. Irwin was appointed new Vice-President, and other business was brought before the meeting. Very interesting and well-written papers were read by Mrs. R. L. Stephen on "Mental and Social Development," and by Miss W. Haskett on "Home Sewing and Needle Work." Light refreshments were served. There was a good attendance and a number of new members were added. The ladies will be glad to see the Institute still growing. They have accepted an invitation to visit the Vandeleur Women's Institute at the home of Mrs. H. D. McLoughry, on Feb. 22nd.

Died in House of Refuge.

Mr. David Olmstead, a resident of Meaford for many years, died in the House of Refuge here last week. Mr. Olmstead had been living in the Northwest and returned to Meaford to visit his old friends. His advanced years and consequent enfeebled constitution began to tell upon him soon after his arrival, and it was decided to send him to the House of Refuge, where he would be properly cared for. It was found, however, that his case required special treatment, and at the time of his death forms were being made out for the purpose of having him removed to the Home for Incurables at Toronto. His remains were interred in Markdale Public Cemetery.

Previous to going to the Northwest the deceased was for many years a resident of Meaford, where acted as agent for agricultural implements, at which occupation he was very successful, having the reputation at one time of being one of the best salesmen on the road. He served as Town Councillor for one year, during which time he rendered efficient service as member of the Fire, Light and Water Committee. He was also a member of the Loyal Orange Association.

Members of Grey County Council.

The County Council of Grey is in session in Owen Sound this week. The following are the members who comprise the council, which is made up of the Reeves and Deputy Reeves of the different municipalities: Artemesia—T. R. McKenzie, Don. Bentinek—Alex. Wilson, Henry McEalle. Collingwood—S. R. McKnight. John McLenan. Derby—John Leask. Kegrant—John Philp, John D. Roberts. Euphrasia—W. T. Ellis, R.A. Reine. Glenelg—Wm. Weir. Holland—Wm. Hampton, Robert Howey. Keppel—John Johnston. Normanby—Andrew Schenk, R.J. Shiel. Osprey—John Thomson, Irwin Morrison. Protov—Joseph Goodfellow. Sarawak—Joshua Larter. St. Vincent—R. Abercrombie, T. S. Cunningham. Sullivan—August Klages, Jos. Dobie. Sydenham—John Burns, Chas. P. Day. Owen Sound—J. H. Christie, John McQuaker, D. J. Kennedy, J. T. McInnis. Meaford—Robert Agnew. Durham—William Calder. Thornbury—Robert Best. Hanover—Dr. Mearns. Chatsworth—Wm. Breece, jr. Dundalk—S. Bell. Markdale—A. Jackson. Neustadt—D. Lippert. Shallow Lake—A. E. Cordingly.

A Great Convenience.

In 1906 the Methodists of this place erected a closed-in cement horse barn 130x58 feet for the use of the country portion of the congregation. This is kept open day and night and lighted until midnight by electricity. The patronage, however, has grown to such an extent as to frequently crowd out those for whom it was built, and the management have authorized Mr. Grainger, the caretaker, to collect a minimum fee of one dollar for the calendar year from those who wish to make use of the shed and are not contributors to the general Church funds of at least ten dollars a year.

Special Price In Single Harness

We are offering this week a Special Price on a few sets of Single Harness, which we want to clear out. Call and see them and save a couple of dollars if you intend buying in the near future.

Fur Coats

Our Fur Coats are going fast at the reduced price we advertised a couple of weeks ago. There are only two left which we are going to sell at a price below any sold as yet.

Mits and Blankets

We still have a good bunch of Mits to choose from at a low price. And our Blankets in every size can't be beat for quality or price.

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

A. J. McCullough.

CANADIAN PACIFIC TO WINNIPEG AND VANCOUVER. Daily Transcontinental Service via the All-Canadian Route. Standard and Tourist Sleepers. TO CHICAGO. Three trains daily. Excellent service. Making connections at Detroit for TORONTO and Chicago for CALIFORNIA and PACIFIC COAST PORTS. For reservations and information apply to John Caesar, Agent, Markdale.

Markdale Markets.

Table with market prices for various goods like Wheat, Flour, Butter, etc. Columns include item name and price per unit.

Toronto Markets.

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Standard Clubbing Rates

Table with clubbing rates for various publications like Weekly Mail, Weekly Globe, Christian Guardian, etc. Columns include publication name and rate.

Holland Pioneer Meets Tragic Fate.

Stephen Kingsbury Burned to Death in House Where He Lived Alone—Perished While Trying to Escape Through Window.

A tragic fate met Mr. Stephen Kingsbury, one of the pioneer residents of Holland, when he was burned to death in his own home one mile south of Chatsworth on Wednesday morning of last week. The circumstances are sad, and the fatality has cast a gloom over the neighborhood where he was held in high esteem. Mr. Kingsbury lived alone and it is thought that in lighting the fire Wednesday morning the house caught fire. Apparently the unfortunate man fell while trying to raise a window to escape, for his charred body was found beside the window, after the house was burned down. Mr. Kingsbury, who was seventy-seven years of age, was last seen between 9 and 10 o'clock the night before, when he was escorted home by two Charlton boys. After he had spent the evening at the Charlton home on a neighboring farm. He was in his usual health and spirits. The first to notice the house on fire was Messrs. Buchanan and Tribble, two neighbors, who were passing Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock. They broke in the window of the old man's bedroom and saw that he was not in bed. The house was so far gone that it was impossible to get into any part of it. It was not until several hours after when the flames had almost completely consumed the house, that a search of the ruins revealed his remains. The body was burned beyond recognition, the head and extremities being almost entirely burned off. Mr. Kingsbury, who was one of the early settlers of Holland township, had lived alone since the death of his wife eight years ago. On account of his advanced years he was feeble, but perfectly capable of attending to his household duties and to considerable work about the farm. The theory that the fire started from a spark from the stove when he was lighting the fire, seems to be the most likely, although there are some who are of the opinion that the old gentleman may have upset a lamp. Evidently Mr. Kingsbury tried to put out the fire and after seeing it was impossible tried to escape by way of the window. In his attempt to raise the window he was overcome by smoke. An inquest was held by the coroner, Dr. Bull, of Holland Centre, and death was pronounced to be "due to accidental causes." Mr. Kingsbury leaves a family of four daughters and one son. The

daughters are Mrs. Sam McFarlane and Mrs. Robt. Webster, of Chatsworth; Mrs. Bease, of Amherstburg, Ont.; and Mrs. Adam Tribble, of Honeywood, Ont., and his son is Mr. George Kingsbury, of North Battleford, Sask. The funeral took place on Friday afternoon to Chatsworth cemetery.

Walkerton Romance.

Seventeen years ago, Miss Hannah Bonalie, of Walkerton, Ont., and Mr. William Francis Rothwell, now of Prince Albert and at present engaged as commercial traveler with the brewing company of the town, were remarkably good friends, says the Saskatoon Capital. Mr. Rothwell was at that time following the profession of engineer and surveyor, and his duties took him abroad. For a number of years he was absent, his travels having led him to India, Egypt and South Africa. After a time, however, his love for the land of the Maple asserted itself, and he returned to Canada, and located in Prince Albert. Whether or not during his long absence, he had found time to give thought to the friend of his younger days, is not known, but that he did so is highly probable, as recent events will show. On New Year's Day, the Prince Albert boys, who were passing Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock. They broke in the window of the old man's bedroom and saw that he was not in bed. The house was so far gone that it was impossible to get into any part of it. It was not until several hours after when the flames had almost completely consumed the house, that a search of the ruins revealed his remains. The body was burned beyond recognition, the head and extremities being almost entirely burned off. Mr. Kingsbury, who was one of the early settlers of Holland township, had lived alone since the death of his wife eight years ago. On account of his advanced years he was feeble, but perfectly capable of attending to his household duties and to considerable work about the farm. The theory that the fire started from a spark from the stove when he was lighting the fire, seems to be the most likely, although there are some who are of the opinion that the old gentleman may have upset a lamp. Evidently Mr. Kingsbury tried to put out the fire and after seeing it was impossible tried to escape by way of the window. In his attempt to raise the window he was overcome by smoke. An inquest was held by the coroner, Dr. Bull, of Holland Centre, and death was pronounced to be "due to accidental causes." Mr. Kingsbury leaves a family of four daughters and one son. The

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