BORN.

WENHAM—In Acton, on Wednesday, 6th May to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wenham, B. T. H. a son.

WANSBOROUGH—At Cowsons Corners, on Sunday, 10th May, to Mr and Mrs. R. H. Wansborough, a daughter.

MARRIED.

FORBES—AKINS—At the residence of the bride's parents, on Wednesday, 20th May, by Rev Thomas Asp, John R. Forbes, Acton, to Sarah, daughter of Hugh Akins, Nassagaweya.

CAVES—FEATHERSTON—At the residence of the bride's father, on Tuesday May 12th, by Rev. J. Tibb of Streetsville, Harry Caves of Clarkson, to Hubbina, third daughter of Joseph Featherston, Esq.

DIED.

KELLY—In Milton, on Friday, May 8th, Mr. E. H. Kelly, aged 42 years.

REID—In Esquesing, on Sunday, May 10th, Robert Reid, aged 91 years.

BARBER—In Georgetown, on Monday, 18th May, the infant son of Fred W. Barber.

KELLY—In Milton, on Thursday, May 7th, Nellie, daughter of Mr. E. H. Kelly, aged 5 years and 3 months.

WALLACE—At her residence, Portland, Oregon, on Sunday, May 10th, Susan Beckwith, relict of the late John Wallace, sen., of Milton, in the 73rd year of her age.

The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, MAY 21, 1896.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The Emperor of Germany has given great offence to the clerical party by declaring that clergymen have no right to interfere in politics.

It is reported that in thirty-four constituencies the Conservative candidates have pledged themselves to vote against Remedial Legislation if anyone ventures to introduce it again.

The Registry Act of 1894 is amended in various respects. The office is to close for registration of instruments at 1 p.m. on Saturdays during long vacation. Municipalities are to receive a larger proportion than heretofore of the excess of fees beyond those now stipulated for.

Newfoundland advices are that the French are fitting out an unusually large fleet of fishing vessels for the Newfoundland Banks and Treaty Coast, and it is expected that 1896 will reveal a keener competition from that quarter than has been seen since 1890.

At Sir Charles Tupper's big demonstration at Montreal last week Hon. Mr. Taillon assured the country that the Remedial Bill would be reintroduced and carried through Parliament if it took from fall to spring to do it, a statement that was cheered in the most enthusiastic manner.

Those fellows who six years ago were "just waiting to see if the tariff would be sustained" before investing hundreds of millions in this country's industries are heard from again. Queer, how they always bob up before elections and are never heard from afterwards!—Hamilton *Times*.

The split between the Irish party and the Liberals over the Education bill, which gave the Government such a large majority, has resulted in the English Nonconformists declaring that they will not support the Irish in their demand for Home Rule as they are evidently under the control of the priests.

The law has been amended concerning burials so that a certificate must be obtained from the Municipal Clerk in which the death occurs by the friends of the deceased for presentation to the caretaker of the cemetery before interment. A caretaker is liable to a heavy fine if he buries a body without one.

A Halifax paper announces that the scheme of coast defence which is being prepared for submission to the Canadian Government estimates that three fast cruisers, with quick firing guns, would be necessary on the Atlantic to cover the Gulf of St. Lawrence and coast waters of Nova Scotia and the Bay of Fundy.

A provision of the amended Municipal Act states that no council can pass any accounts, make any contracts, or appoint or dismiss anyone from office after December 31st, of the year for which they were elected, and the newly elected council is to take office on the second Monday, instead of the third Monday in January.

John D. Detweiler some time ago put a lien on a house for Robert Fallis, a farmer near Guelph, to recover his pay for tin smithing done on the house. Mr. Justice Street made an order sustaining this lien, and on Monday the Divisional Court upheld his order dismissing an appeal by Fallis, on the ground that "an agreement or contract is not an essential foundation to a valid lien." So the lien holds good. This is an important and interesting decision for mechanics.

In order to be able to give the readers of the *Champion* definite information as to the prospects of there being a third party candidate in the field in the coming election in Halton a representative of this paper interviewed George Hume this morning. Mr. Hume gave the *Champion* authority to announce that he had decided on allowing himself to be nominated as a McCarthyite candidate, and that his address to the electors would be published next week.—Milton *Champion*.

In Henry Clews' banking circular of May 16, reference is made to overproduction of manufactured goods in the States, "especially where modern improvements have greatly stimulated output." Small stocks are carried by retailers and jobbers, who refuse to be caught with large supplies in a falling market. The results, says Mr. Clews, are the manufactured goods are frequently accumulating at first hands, necessitating combinations of various sorts to sustain values and regulate production.

China is just now giving the world some striking proofs of her financial stability. The payment of $60,000,000 of her war indemnity to Japan and the prompt settlement of claims for damages suffered by American citizens in the riotous outbreaks a few months ago show that the resources of the Chinese people are fully equal to the heavy burden which an unsuccessful conflict has imposed upon them. In so far as it helps the great industrial development which is sure to follow the return of peace, China may yet come to appreciate her costly struggle with Japan as a veritable blessing in disguise.

—Attend the Fresh Rose Shoe Sale at W. McLaren & Co's., Guelph, on Sat., May 23. Beautiful Roses given free with Shoes.

Georgetown Races next Monday. The leading horses will be there. Also bicycle races. Lacrosse match, Excelsiors v. Ætnas, 10 a. m. Half fare on R.R.—*Adv.*

—Marriage Licenses. Private office, no witnesses required. H. P. Moore, issuer, FREE PRESS office, Acton.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

News Items Supplied by Correspondents and Exchanges.

MILTON.

The Ladies' Aid of Knox Church, Milton, will give a garden party on the spacious grounds of Mrs. Steven Elliot, 3rd line, Esquesing, on Tuesday evening, 26th inst.

Mr. Jos. W. Bowes is building a fine new residence on Main street, nearly opposite the Methodist Church.

A number of our Sunday School workers will attend the S. S. Convention at Ashgrove next Monday.

Milton Base Ball Club will play their first league match at Acton on the 6th June.

The interest in political matters grows warmer day by day.

ERIN.

The township Sunday School convention will be held at Hillsburg on Tuesday, the 16th June.

Mr. Wm. Chisholm now guides the course of the street watering cart. He does his work well.

Trout fishing continues to be a favorite sport. The city anglers who patronize the fish hatchery ponds pay well for their success.

White, the cattle buyer, pays as much as $3000 a week sometimes for stock hereabouts.

An invitation has been received by the Erin B. Y. P. U. to attend a rally of the young people to be held in Cheltenham, Friday, May 22nd.

The Erin Lacrosse team have made arrangements to play with the Glenwilliams team on the 25th in the Stanley Park grounds.

Young Bros., of the 10th line, have purchased the Hurd farm lot 24, from W. Hunter.

Rev. J. W. Kitching, of Victoria College, Toronto, visited friends in Erin village and vicinity last week.

The induction of Rev. D. I. Campbell into the pastorate of Hillsnafad Presbyterian church takes place on Tuesday evening, 9th June.

Stanley Park will be opened for the season next Monday.

ASHGROVE.

Most of the farmers in this vicinity have finished seeding and have begun planting corn.

Mr. Thompson and Mr. Wright have sold their fat cattle to Mr. Featherson, of Milton.

Mr. Richard Dick intends building a silo in the near future for the better preservation of his corn.

Mr. S. L. Tell and Mr. Facey, of Victoria University, Toronto, passed through on their wheels Thursday, on their way home.

Mrs. Menzies, of Alton, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mr. Will Alexander has begun work at Palmero with Mr. Haggerty, of Hamilton.

Mr. Gage and the Misses Gage spent Sunday with Miss A. Graham.

A number of our young people attended the anniversary services in Norval on Sunday.

Miss A. Brownridge has been spending a week with her grandparents in Brampton.

Mr. Barber, Principal of Brampton Public School, preached in this place on Sunday.

Miss A. Carrique, of Georgetown, was the guest of Miss M. Nixon over Sunday.

Mr. F. W. Thompson, of Victoria University has returned home for vacation.

GEORGETOWN

The town assessment, just completed, aggregates $342,405.

Dressing and bath rooms are being built by the lacrosse club at the park.

The Council has planted 300 maple trees in the park and about the town.

A long and honorable life was ended last week, when Robert Reid, of Esquesing, was called to his reward. Mr. Reid was born in the county of Antrim, Ireland, in the year 1815. In 1831 he came to Canada, and the first nine years of his life in this country he spent at Streetsville. In 1840 he came to Esquesing, and settled on the farm, then covered with pine forest, on which he died.

Rodgers & Black, the new livery men, had a horse and buggy stolen last week. The man, McKay, who stole the horse and rig, was caught in Toronto. Mr. Rodgers went down Wednesday morning to bring him back to Georgetown. There was a reward of $25 for McKay's capture for stealing in Erin. He was brought before the Magistrate and pleaded "guilty" to stealing the horse and buggy, and taking it to Toronto. He was sentenced to one year in the Central Prison.

Three well-known manufacturers stood upon a Liberal platform here on Friday night and declared that the National Policy had been a failure. They were Mr. John R. Barber, the papermaker, Mr. William Paterson, the biscuit manufacturer, and Mr. John Waldie, the lumberman. The meeting was largely attended. Messrs. Waldie and Paterson made rousing speeches.

Mrs. A. D. Thomson has gone to the hospital at Toronto for treatment. We hope it will not be long before she is able to return home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Barber have had another sore affliction in the death of their infant boy, which occurred Monday. Only a few weeks ago Mrs. Barber buried her mother.

Dr. W. J. Roe has been removed to the Toronto General Hospital for treatment, where it is expected an operation will be necessary to effect a permanent cure.

Mr. J. Fraser Evans, B.A., lecturer on elocution at Knox College, Toronto, will give an elocutionary recital in the town hall on Friday evening, under the auspices of the Presbyterian Mutual Improvement Society. He will be assisted by Mrs. Fred Thompson, Miss Nellie McLeod, and Mr. Frank J. Barber. Mr. Evans is a son of Mr. John Evans of this place.

Mrs. Wm. Bowman, of Georgetown, gave a recital in the parlors of the W. C. T. U., Toronto. It was a pronounced success. The Rev. D. A. Moir, B.D., acted as chairman. The proceeds went in aid of the "Shelter Home" work of the W. C. T. U.

"The Reign of Queen Victoria," will be the subject in the Methodist Church next Sunday evening. The music will be special.

Alfred Day, Secretary of Provincial S. S. Association, preached in Norval last Sunday.

A garden party will be held at the residence of Wm. Bowman, Esq., on June 2nd.

The Rev. D. A. Moir was in Toronto over Sunday.

The Rev. H. S. Magee, formerly of Georgetown, is agent for the "Globe Standard Dictionary" department, Toronto.

G. H. Kennedy, Esq., ably filled the pulpits of Terra Cotta and Glen Williams last Sunday.

KNATCHBULL.

A large audience listened to Mr. D. Henderson, the Conservative candidate, in the hall here last Thursday evening. Those present were principally farmers and Mr. Henderson addressed them for three hours. He touched on the leading questions before the country, explained his position on the school question, and took considerable pains to impress upon the farmers the benefits he considered accrued to them from the protection of the products of the farm. At the conclusion of his address he answered a number of questions put by leading farmers. Mr. Hugh Akins occupied the chair.

ROCKWOOD.

The first political meeting of the campaign was held here Friday evening, under the chairmanship of Mr. H. Hortop, Everton, who admirably discharged the duties of that office. The chief issues of the campaign were presented to the meeting by Messrs. Kloepfer, Raymond, Torrance, Bartlett and Downey in the Conservative interests, and on the Reform side by Mr. H. Guthrie, in a speech of nearly an hour's duration.

The "At Home" in Gladstone Hall was quite a success financially, and a very enjoyable evening was spent.

Some of our Reformers took in the Conservative rally in Guelph on Monday night.

EVERTON.

Mrs. Charles Worthington and William Blair, of Aberfoyle, are visiting Mr. Wm. McEachern.

Mr. Robert Talbot lost a valuable horse last week. It got kicked and its leg was thereby broken.

Mr. McMillan and Mrs. Churcher, of Guelph, spent Sunday with Mr. Richard Smallhorn.

Mrs. Lavina Sanderson, of Guelph, is visiting Mr. John Currie.

Mr. Samuel Congdon has gone to take charge of the Shiloh sawmill.

Quite a number from here attended the political meeting in Rockwood Friday night.

The Conservatives will hold a meeting here on Friday evening. H. J. Spence, of Palmerston, Col. Macdonald and R. L. Torrance will be the speakers.

GUELPH.

Messrs. Laidlaw and Anderson, collectors for the Guelph Central Exhibition have already received upwards of $500 in subscriptions towards the prize list.

The Opera House was crowded on Monday night with an enthusiastic audience who listened to the speeches of Mr. George E. Foster, Minister of Finance, and Lieut. Col. Tisdale, Minister of Militia, with much interest.

A meeting of the Guelph Fat Stock Club directors was held on Saturday. There was a good attendance. Mr. H. Wright, President, in the chair. The chairman explained that the meeting was held to see what steps should be taken towards making propositions to the Executive for the holding of the Provincial Fat Stock Show in Guelph this year. A motion was passed that Messrs. Duff and Hobson be a committee to wait on the Executive for that purpose. The committee was empowered to offer the same terms as in former years, but to use their judgment in the matter of a liberal offer, if necessary. President Mills, O. A. C., J. I. Hobson and J. M. Duff were appointed a committee to raise money for the expense of the winter show.

CREWSONS CORNERS

The farmers in this vicinity are busy preparing their land for their root crops.

The wind storm on Sunday did not do any damage in this vicinity beyond raising a big dust.

The rains last week were much appreciated by the farmers and will help the grain and hay crops very much.

There will be no weekly prayer meeting here this week.

Mr. Alex Cripps finished cutting silos last week. He cut in three weeks about three hundred squares of shingles. He started building operations on the new bark sheds of the Beardmore Tanning Co., of Acton, on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cann visited friends in East Luther last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kentner and family, of Ballinafad, spent Sunday at Mr. Jas. Anderson's.

Miss Mary Crewson, of Eramosa, visited her home here this week.

Miss Maggie Anderson, of Rockwood, spent a day or so here this week.

Miss C. Bilton, of the Scotch Block, was home this week.

EDITOR'S TABLE

The May issue of that bright monthly, the *Endeavor Herald*, is full of the brightness and gladness of springtime. Amongst articles worthy of note are: "The Ministry of Nature," by Rev. J. VanWyck; "Spring Musings," by J. S. C.; "My Wheel and I," by Rev. O. C. S. Wallace, Chancellor of McMaster University, Toronto; "The Flower Committee," by E. A. Hardy, B.A.; "Outdoor Work," by Rev. William Patterson; and a touching short story by Louisa Marsh Morrison. There are original poems by Amy Parkinson and S. J. Duncan Clark. In addition there are Editorials, Notes on the C. E. Prayer Meeting Topics by the Editor, Junior Department, Missionary Department, News from Societies, Book Reviews, etc., etc. Some beautiful engravings illustrate the issue. The *Herald* is a model of typographical neatness and is very ably edited. (Toronto: Endeavor Herald Co.)

Under the caption "Great Occasions of 1896," the *Review of Reviews* for May massES the preliminary announcements of more than sixty great conventions and other noteworthy gatherings of the coming six months at home and abroad. In many features this prospectus offers a remarkable exhibit of the varied activities of modern humankind, intellectual, moral, and physical. The Review's enterprise in gathering, digesting, and presenting this vast range of useful and interesting information is to be commended.

Readers of *The Chautauquan* will be interested in the frontispiece of the May number, which is a lifelike portrait of General Maximo Gomez, the Cuban revolutionary leader, who is also mentioned at some length in the particularly bright and *apropos* article on "Cuba, Our Neighbor in the Sea," contributed by Francis H. Gaborne. Miss E. F. Andrews' piquant yet scholarly papers on current English which have appeared in recent issues are attracting widespread notice, and deservedly so. That on "Linguistic Parvenus," in the May number, treats of an interesting phase of language making.

The trial of Lapointe, who killed Peter Moore and seriously wounded several others at Brockville last March, was begun in Brockville yesterday before Chief Justice Meredith. The defence is on the plea of insanity.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

An Epitome of the World's Doings During the Week.

The Royal Society, meeting in Ottawa, has decided to erect a monument to Cabot.

Mr. Wm. Rumsteen, of Dart, fell beneath the train at Highgate, on Saturday and his left leg was severed below the knee.

It is estimated that about two hundred lives were lost in the cyclone in Texas on Friday.

Harry Holston, the Hamilton youth who burned himself on Sunday, has died from his injuries.

Mr. O. F. Batsford, draughtsman, of Queen street west, took his life by shooting himself last week.

On the sixteenth ballot Chaplain C. C. McCabe was elected Bishop by the M. E. Conference at Cleveland.

Mr. Wm. Worrell, an employee of the biscuit works at Brantford, dropped dead from heart disease on Monday.

Mr. John McKinley was killed in Talley & Co's. tannery at Collingwood by being caught in the shafting, on Tuesday.

It is reported that the leaders of the Josemaberg Reform Committee have been sentenced to fifteen years' imprisonment.

Cable despatches announce that Chief Justice Meredith and Lieutenant Governor Chapleau will be knighted on the Queen's Birthday.

Two men named James Merner and Wm. Kennedy, were drowned in the harbour at Port Burwell, Ont., while bathing on Sunday.

At Washington a fire swept a whole block of commercial buildings, opposite the Smithsonian Institution. Four firemen were crushed to death by falling walls.

Michael Horn and Mark Tompkins, convicted of waylaying and robbing Tuckett's cashier in Hamilton, were each sentenced to twelve years in the penitentiary.

Michael Brennan, now under sentence of death for the murder of J. A. Strathy, of Barrie, has been granted a new trial on the ground of misdirection to the jury by Chief Justice Armour.

At the Electric Exhibition in New York on Saturday night, Mr. Chauncey Depew sent a message, which passed over fifteen thousand miles of wires and the reply was received in four minutes.

John Sweeney, of 69 Mitchell avenue, Toronto, while under the influence of liquor Monday afternoon struck his wife over the head with an axe inflicting a terrible wound from which she cannot recover.

The corner stone of the new Roman Catholic Church at Goderich was laid by Bishop O'Connor, assisted by several prominent members of the church, in the presence of a large crowd on Sunday.

On Saturday morning the dwelling of Mr. Michael Harvey about a quarter of a mile north of Blackwater, Ont., was burned to the ground with all its contents. Two girls aged six and eleven were burned to death.

It is stated that during the coronation celebrations the Czar intends dispensing most liberal pardons to prisoners and commutation of sentences. It is also announced that he will grant a large measure of religious liberty.

TO ABOLISH THE LORDS

The Radical Members of the Imperial House Have Just Issued a Manifesto

LONDON, May 19.—A manifesto signed by Henry Labouchere and 18 other Radical members of the House of Commons has been issued. It announces the formation in the House of an advanced Radical section, which devote itself to promoting radicalism among the voters of the country, primarily centering its efforts on the abolition of the House of Lords and generally to make Parliament a democratic body.

A BLAZE AT FLORADALE

LONDON, May 18.—A fire started this afternoon in Eby's saw and planing mill, Floradale, destroying the mill, as well as a large quantity of lumber in the yard. The fire rapidly spread to adjoining buildings and there was great danger of the whole village being destroyed. Elmira was telephoned for assistance, and as quickly as possible the fire engine and about 50 men responded to the call, and rendered great service in preventing the fire from spreading to other buildings. Actual loss not yet known.

Hood's Cured After Others Failed

Scrofula in the Neck Bunches All Gone Now.

Sangerville, Maine.

C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:

Gentlemen—I feel that I cannot say enough in favor of Hood's Sarsaparilla. For five years I have been troubled with scrofula in my neck and blood. Several kinds of medicines which I tried did not do me any good, and when I commenced to take Hood's Sarsaparilla there were large bunches on my neck so sore that I could not bear the slightest touch. When I had taken one bottle of this medicine, the sores on my neck had healed, and before I had finished the second the bunches had entirely disappeared. BLANCHE ATWOOD, Sangerville, Maine.

N. B. If you decide to take Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to buy any other.

Hood's Pills cure constipation by restoring the peristaltic action of the alimentary canal.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

A NEW FACE...

IN AN OLD PLACE.

Having purchased the stock and good will of Mr. H. Holmes I would respectfully announce to all former customers and the public generally that I have commenced business at his old stand on Main street where will be found a complete stock of first class BEEF, MUTTON, LAMB, Fresh and Salt HAMS, SAUSAGES and POULTRY in season.

Prices as low as are possibly consistent with first rate quality.

Prompt Delivery. Fat Stock Wanted.

E. B. COLLINS.

A NEW LEASE OF LIFE.

HOW A CUMBERLAND CO., N. S., MAN OBTAINED IT.

A Sufferer From Acute Dyspepsia and a Complication of Troubles Following an Attack of La Grippe—He was Forced to Quit Business and Was Hopelessly Discouraged When Help Came.

From the Amherst, N.S., Gazette.

Maple Leaf Tucker, who lives about two miles from Lorneport, is one of the best known men in that section. He is engaged in business as a lobster packer, and dealer in flour and salt, and in addition has a fine farm. During the past three years Mr. Tucker has been an almost constant invalid, being the victim of a complication of troubles following a severe attack of la grippe. Recently he has been restored to his old time health and having learned that he gave the entire credit to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, concerning which so much has been said through the press, a Reporter interviewed him in the matter, and was cheerfully given his story for publication. Mr. Tucker said: "About four years ago I had a severe attack of la grippe, which

left me in a fearful condition. I had for a number of years before this attack been a sufferer from dyspepsia, but following the la grippe it took more acute form, and to add to my distress my liver appeared not to perform its usual functions, and my heart troubled me greatly, and there were as well other complications which baffled the skill of four doctors whom I successively called in, in the hope of regaining my health. From the knees down my legs were as cold as ice, my bowels would bloat and I suffered great pain. My case went from bad to worse despite the medical treatment I was undergoing and at last I got so bad I was forced to give up business. I could hardly eat anything, got but little sleep at night and as you will readily understand my condition became one of despair. My father urged me several times to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial, but I was so discouraged that I had no further faith left in any medicine. However, more to please him than from any hope of beneficial results, I began the use of Pink Pills. The first beneficial effects I found was the warmth and natural feeling began to return to my limbs, my bowels moved to a oint, and with the continued use of the pills my appetite returned. I slept soundly at night, and the action of my heart again became normal. I continued taking the Pink Pills until I had used fifteen boxes, and I have not felt better in years than I do now. I did some particularly hard work last fall, and was able to stand it with a strength and vigor which surprised me. I consider Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, not only a wonderful medicine, but also in the light of what any other treatment cost, the least expensive medicine in the world, and I strongly recommend Pink Pills to all in need of a medicine."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills act directly on the blood and nerves, building them anew and thus driving disease from the system. There is no trouble due to either of these causes which Pink Pills will not cure, and in hundreds of cases they have restored patients to health after all other remedies had failed. Ask for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and take nothing else. The genuine are always enclosed in boxes the wrapper around which bears the full trade mark, "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People." May be had from all dealers, or sent post paid on receipt of 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50, by addressing the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

LIMEHOUSE

Mr. James Mann, of Guelph, is visiting his friends at Limehouse.

Our boys who have been away to Buffalo have returned to their homes. They say there is no better place than Limehouse.

Mr. R. Wheeler has gone to Sarnia to work for his old employer, Mr. John Newton.

Mr. R. J. Edmunston preached in the Methodist Church last Sunday evening. His sermon was well thought out and very creditably delivered. Mr. Edmunston is always an acceptable supply here.

KEEP YOUR WATCH POCKET CLEAN

[illegible] in and out. It has a tendency to pull and dust in the bottom, and throw it yourself if you were not mean enough to blow up your watchmaker for your watch stopping.

But perhaps your watch has a fast proof case. Well, maybe it has, but I have not seen one yet that a careless man could not fill with dirt enough to stop in a month or so. One way the dust gets in is by you allowing the stem of the watch to get turned to the bottom of the pocket and then the dust gets under the crown and then when you wind it it falls down through the stem into the watch.

A very good way to stop this is to have a large buttonhole put in the bottom of the pocket, and your money pocket, but your watch pocket, in which nothing but the watch should be kept, and then the dirt will fall down through. Also wear a rather heavy chain so as to keep the stem of the case uppermost.

Now, don't go and tell Pringle, the jeweller of Guelph, that I told you this because if you act on any of the above advice he will lose considerable work and he likes work. However, should you need any repairing in the jewellery line, Pringle is a most careful and experienced workman and examines carefully all the work done by his assistants, who work right beside him, one constantly on clocks, one always on jewellery, and three on watches. Pringle gives all that care and experience can give to show decidedly interesting price items which will satisfy our old customers and will surprise all others.

Killed by Kindness.

Perhaps you have heard of such things, but you never knew of them, and never will. If you will let us we will be awfully kind to you and it will do you no harm. We will sell you goods absolutely warranted in every particular, no harm in that. We will return your money if the goods are not satisfactory in every respect. We will save you something in the price. Do you object?

"If you could take every Clothing store in Guelph and place it side by side we'd tell right out of every ten of you, provided you know as much about Clothing, Trimmings and Work manship as we give you credit for."

Many men imagine themselves hard to fit, their tailors told them so. Our suits of Ready made would probably change that notion.

Men's Blue Serge Suit $4.50

All Wool Halifax Suit $5.00

This Suit is absolutely All Wool, and is worth $1.00 more than any $6.00 Halifax Tweed Suit on Wyndham Street.

About 40 Suits Hopsack, regular $6.75, to be cleared at $5.00

All Wool Grey Tweed $6.00

Brown Cheviot Suit $6.50

Will compare with any $10.00 Suit in the trade.

See our Men's Straw Boater at ..... 25c.

J. D. Williamson & Co.

Wyndham and Macdonnell Streets. GUELPH

MAMMOTH HOUSE

Walker, McBean & Co.

GEORGETOWN.

LOW PRICES

Form the loadstone that draws custom to our store, and good values given for the same, make our patrons our friends. With every article in stock you will find uniform system of price that is always in favor of the buyer.

We do not give goods away, but we buy close and sell close and share profits accordingly, which is why we secure what every energetic merchant is after, the bulk of business. In offerings for the present season we are particularly enabled to show decidedly interesting price items which will satisfy our old customers and will surprise all others.

Millinery

Our new Spring Millinery is here, strongly admired, if the orders we are booking is any criterion. This will be a great season for millinery. It may be that our price for millinery is so much lower than Toronto prices is the reason for the quantity we are selling.

Dress Goods

This Department has created the greatest interest between here and Toronto for high class imported Dress Goods.

No two dresses alike.

Costume of German Tweed for $[illegible]

Costume of German Tweed for $2.45

Costume of Silk Mixture with print, [illegible] or $3.50

Costume of French Silk and Wool for $[illegible]

Costume of Sicilian Silk and Wool for $9.00

Trimmings and buttons to match all dresses.

We can suit the most fastidious in Dress Goods. You will find the finest selection of dress Goods to be seen in the west at

WALKER, McBEAN & CO.'S

Prints

In spite of the cold weather our sales for prints are melting away like the snow when the sun is shining on it.

Cream's fast color prints 5c and in other places for 11 1-2 and 12.

Cream's 32 1-2c Prints at 12 1-2 worth 15c.

Colored Cotton Crepons at 15, 17 and 20c in all colors.

Tailoring Department.

Our Tailoring Department is forging ahead, all hands busy. Twelve orders received from Toronto last week and others will follow in a few days. They are finding out they can save a few dollars on a suit of fine clothing at Walker, McBean & Co's.

Tweed suits for $10.00 very special

" " 11.50 worth $14.00

" " 12.75 " 15.50

" " 13.50 " 16.25

" " 14.50 " 17.00

Fine Scotch Suitings for $18.00 worth [illegible]

Pants

$3.50 pants just as good as any $5.00 pants you may select here.

SPRING OVERCOATS

Gentlemen, we can tell you we can do better than ever before. We have saved money by getting from us. Why not you? We can get out first class style and trimmed with the best of trimmings, from $14.00 to $25.00.

BICYCLE SUITS.

There is no pleasure going out for a spin on the bike unless you have a bicycle suit. We can make you one of serge or Tweed for from $5.50 to $10.00.

Standard Patterns for May to Hand

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The Great One Price Cash Store.

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Are frequently lost by the buyer of an imported wheel, which being damaged, the agent cannot repair, and the unfortunate owner is obliged to fight it out with the manufacturer 3000 miles from home. All this

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Acton, May 1st, 1896.

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