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Highest price for BUTTER and EGGS in exchange for the best quality of goods at bottom prices.

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700 Acres Shrubs, Roses, Vines and Seed Potatoes.

We have the largest assortment and employ the very latest and most improved methods for propagating. All stock carefully packed under our personal supervision and all new varieties tested at our trial farms before being catalogued. These are the only testing orchards connected with any Nursery in the Dominion.

### Agents Wanted to Represent Us.

Special attention given to Park, Cemetery and Boulevard orders. Estimates furnished for supplying entire orchards.

Why buy of foreign concerns or of middlemen when you can purchase as cheaply from us and get better value.

Our stock is Canadian grown and acclimated. Catalogue (English or French) free on application.

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FONTHILL NURSERIES THE LEADING CANADIAN TREE MEN.

## JUDICIAL NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Fitzgerald V Quirk,

PURSUANT TO THE JUDGMENT of the High Court of Justice in the matter of the estate of Ellen Quirk late of the Township of Glenelg in the County of Grey, deceased, and in an action brought by the said Fitzgerald against the said Quirk et al the creditors including those having any specific or general lien or encumbrance on the estate or any undivided share thereof of Ellen Quirk late of the Township of Glenelg in the County of Grey, deceased, who died on or about the month of October in the year 1887 are on or before the

FIRST DAY OF MAY, 1897,

to send by post prepaid to Messrs. Coffee & Buckingham of the City of Guelph, Solicitors, their surnames, addresses and descriptions, with full particulars of their claims in the statement of their accounts and the nature of the security, if any, held by them or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said judgment.

Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before me at my Chambers, Douglas Street in the City of Guelph on the fifth day of May 1897 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for the adjudication of the claims.

Dated this 7th day of April, A. D. 1897. (Signed) A. M. MCKINNON Local Master. Coffee & Buckingham, Plaintiffs Solicitors.

## The HIVE OF INDUSTRY

at present in Durham, is the establishment formerly owned by Mr. E. Kilmer.

Shipments of Goods arriving every day.

See our stock of

## Fishing Tackle

We have a very large stock of Silverware, purchased from some of the best manufacturers known.

A very large stock of

## Mixed and Dry Paints Varnishes, Oils, Alabastine and Brushes,

See our stock of

## Farm and Garden Tools

Tinware in Abundance.

A large stock of building hardware.

An assortment of Blacksmith furnishings.

## WM. BLACK

W. E. Buchan in his old stand.

## Money to Loan.

Interest 5, 5½ and 6 per cent. according to security. Easy terms of repayment. On monthly instalment plan, if desired. C. A. BATSON, Barrister.

Calder Block.

Lower Town.

## Farm for Sale or to Rent.

LOT NO 7, CON. 3, TOWNSHIP of Egremont County of Grey, containing 100 acres, within 5 miles of Town of Durham, good roads and market.

The soil is of a gravelly nature, well adapted for stock and grain raising. 60 acres clear of stumps, balance pasture, is watered by a creek, good frame house with stone cellar, large new frame and stone bank barn and stables, frame drive house, shed, henery and hog pen.

The property will be sold on exceptionally favorable terms. Small cash payment with balance on easy annual instalments. Interest at 5% or will rent for a term on satisfactory arrangements for a sale.

Apply to

JAMES P. HUNTER, Merchant, Lower Town, Durham.

March 31st, 1897.

## Bull for Service.

A THOROUGHBRED HEREFORD Bull for Service at lot 68, con. 3, Bentinck. PICKEN BROS. 3m.

March 23rd.

## Bull for Service.

THE THOROUGHBRED DURHAM Bull "Duke of Carrick," (registered pedigree) will stand for service at lot 35, con 3 E. G. R. Glenelg.

Terms: One dollar, to be paid not later than that the 15th day of Feb. 1897.

WM. RITCHIE. 5m.

April, 20th 1897.

## TO RENT.

BEING LOT 22 IN THE 2nd CON- cession, Township of Glenelg, E. G. R. 75 acres, 50 acres under cultivation, good rough-cast house, small orchard, well watered and convenient to church and school.

For further particulars apply to W. N. McDONALD, Lot 19, Con 2, Glenelg.

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Mr. C. Donnelly, wholesale liquor dealer, Alliston, Ont., was troubled for years with Itching Piles. He was persuaded by James McGarvey, Alliston, livery man, to use Chase's Ointment, which he did, and was cured, had no return of them and highly recommends this Ointment as a sovereign cure for Piles.

25 cents cures Catarrhal Headache  
" " Incipient Catarrh  
" " Hay Fever  
" " Catarrhal Deafness  
" " Cold in the head in 10m  
" " Foul Breath caused by Catarrh.

25 cents secures Chase's Catarrh Cure with perfect blower enclosed in each box. Sold by all dealers.

We believe that the newspapers of this county are almost unanimous in waging war against the large departmental stores, nevertheless these are the places in Toronto about which the great crowds are to be seen, many of them no doubt imagining they are getting big value for their money. No doubt they get snaps in some cases yet to any sane man it must be evident that profits must come in somewhere. It is well known fact that some articles are sold at less than wholesale prices for such. For our part we never feel safe in buying from such concerns, a class of goods of which we do not know the value. Our small towns are suffering by these gigantic concerns, and he who sends his money away is building up the great centres at the expense of his own town, satisfied perhaps that by his apparent gain he has improved his own financial condition. The end will soon come and reaction will tell disastrously on himself and his neighbors. Patronize home, is a motto, we should one and all follow.

# And Still They Come

Jaunty New Goods And Buyers for them.

The Extraordinary at other stores is only the Ordinary here.

More people came last Bargain Day than we could serve. They were good natured though. How could they be otherwise, they got what they came for and more, too. More for their money than they dreamed of. Bring your Butter and Eggs next Tuesday, or any other day and see what you shall see. Greater Bargains than ever.

Everything New and Handsome in the Boot and Shoe Dep't.



This Dongola Kid, Stylish, Turned Boot worth \$3.00 Tuesday.



In Calf or Ox Blood Very New



In Patent Leather or Calf, Reg \$2.00, Tuesday \$1.50 pr.

up to date, Reg \$5.00, Tuesday \$3.40 a pair.

Spring Footwear to be comfortable in, to be satisfied with, and at prices to make the people Talk and buy.

## More of McMaster's Prints, etc.

Extra thick and heavy Maleskin, reg 25c, Tuesday 15c yd.

Colored Bordered Handkerchiefs, reg 5c, Tuesday 15c a yd.

Men's Heavy Bicycle Sweaters, reg \$1.00 Tuesday 50c each.

All Bicycle repairs kept in Stock.

No. 40 and 70, new best Black Linen Thread, special, Tuesday only, at 3½c each.

Best Messina Lemons 14c doz. 50c Lace Curtains, Tuesday See our new French Organdi Muslin Blouse effects, very chic.

# J. A. HUNTER,

DEPT STORE,

DURHAM.

## FLESHERTON.

After nearly 89 years of earthly life Mr. Joseph Strain, Sr., passed into the life that's lived within the pearly gates on Saturday afternoon and on Monday that which was mortal was followed by a large concourse of friends and tenderly laid alongside his beloved partner who shared his joys and sorrows for 58 years ago and who preceded him 8 years ago, aged 80. A memorial service was held in the Methodist church when his pastor, Rev. Mr. Fallis, of Dun- dalk, preached an appropriate and beautiful sermon from Rev. 14:13, "Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord," etc. Mr. Strain was born in Co. Monaghan, Ireland, in 1809 and came to Canada in 1849 settling for a year at Markham at the end of which time he moved to Ar- temesia and settled on the Toronto line 4½ miles east of this place when amid the toils of this new country he made for himself a home and spent his declining days highly esteemed by all who knew him for he was a good neighbor, kind at heart and on the escutcheon of whose life was no blemish. He was converted 66 years ago and joined the Methodist church remaining since a loyal and consistent member of the same. Often he has been heard to say, "I have had my ups and downs but never ins and outs." For many years he labored faithfully as a class leader and local preacher and also did a large amount of colporture work by which he be- came well and widely known scatter- ing the seeds of the truth through- out this county. He now rests from his labor and his works do follow him. Out of a family of ten only one death occurred therefore three sons and five daughters survive him among them being Mr. Wm. Strain, one of the most highly esteemed one of this place and Mrs. Wm. Armstrong, of Markdale, who is also held in highest esteem.

Mr. H. A. Sydie, who has been

## VARNEY.

Mr. Hugh Rose, of your town, was running the shop for Adam Little one day last week and a jolly, good fellow is Hugh.

There is a rumor afloat that the Corner man is about to do the same as the Lake View man did a month or so ago. We wish him success just the same whether we get thanks or not.

We noticed last week in the Lake View items Brother McMeeken thank- ing THE CHRONICLE and Review men for wishing him success in his new life. We don't see why he did not include us too for we wished him success twice and got no thanks.

Mr. Editor, we would like to know which is most sinful, (1) to beg milk of your neighbors or to chew tobacco which you have paid for or (2) steal eggs from under a setting hen and trade them for chewing gum.

The young man who escorted his best girl home last Thursday night and on his way back entered one of the neighbor's cellars had better be careful as he is known and may get caught.

James Watson & Sons are working the Bob Watson farm instead of Liman & McClocklin as stated last week. Their ranch will consist of 370 acres this year.

Back-Ache, Face-Ache, Sciatic Pains, Neuralgic Pains, Pain in the Side, etc. Promptly Relieved and Cured by

## The "D. & L." Menthol Plaster

Having used your D. & L. Menthol Plaster for severe pain in the back and limbs, I unhesitatingly recommend it as a safe, sure and rapid remedy in fact, they act like magic.—A. LAPOINTE, Elizabethtown, Ont.

Price 25c.

DAVIS & LAWRENCE CO., LTD. Proprietors, MONTREAL.

## NOTICE OF SALE.

WHERE STRAYED UPON THE premises of Mrs. Murdoch, lot 8 in the 1st con. of the Township of Glenelg, County of Grey, one bay horse about eight years, four white feet and a white star on face. The said horse will be sold by Public Auction on Saturday the 8th day of May, 1897, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon unless sooner redeemed by the owner and first paying all charges and expenses incidental thereto.

Durham, April 28th, 1897. ELLIOTT & ELLIOTT, James Carson, Esq., Auctioneer.

## ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

The undersigned Administrator of the Elizabeth Vickers Estate will receive offers for the following parcels of real estate, viz:— PARCEL No. 1.—Lots 9 and 10 east side of Queen Street in the Town of Durham, containing one half acre more or less, on the premises are a frame dwelling; well fenced and good well with pump. PARCEL No. 2.—Parcel of land in the Township of Egremont composed of a portion of Division No 2 and 3 of lot No. 3 in the first concession of said Township containing ten acres more or less, situated in the Village of Varney. The above premises are well watered. PARCEL No. 3.—Being composed of the first division of lot No. 3 in the first con. of the Township of Normanby containing one half acre more or less, situated in the Village of Varney, on the premises are a good dwelling house, good orchard and out buildings. Dated at Port Elgin this 27th day of April A. D. 1897. Apply to D. P. CAMPBELL, Administrator.

Safe blowers are putting in good work lately. Tweed, Orangeville Smithville and Oakville are the losers. From the latter place \$700 was taken Tuesday. A minister's horse was then stolen and the thieves drove to Toronto.

The powers are preparing to take a hand in stopping the war. There is talk in Greece of the assassination of King George.