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Have you seen our Linnen Towels. They are nice ones. About a Dozen Ladies Jack-ets left. You know what that means?

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Cash Store, Lower Town. S. T. ORCHARD, Licensed Auctioneer. Agent for Farm Implements and Machinery.

Noxon's Binders, Mowers, Drills, Spring Tooth Harrows, best in the market. Guards, Sections, etc., for all kinds of machines. Pianos, Organs and Sewing Machines. Money to loan on farm property at lowest rates.

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A Full Supply of CUTTERS and SLEIGHS at Prices that will surprise you. Variety of STOVES - Cooking Stoves, Box Stoves and Coal Stoves. ROBES of all descriptions. ROOT PULPERS, &c., &c.

I carry the Largest Stock of SEWING MACHINES and ORGANS in Town and all away down in price.

Money to Loan at 5 and 5 1/2 per cent. on Good Security. INSURANCE Promptly Attended to. Issuer of Marriage Licenses. Lower Town Implement Warerooms. W. CALDER, Agent.

BORN. EDWARDS - In Glenelg on Tuesday the 1st inst., to Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Edwards a daughter. WRIGHT - At Henfryn on Friday, Feb. 4th, to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wright, a son. KERR - In Egremont, near Varney, on Tuesday, Feb. 1st, to Mr. and Mrs. John Kerr, a daughter. DIED. COOPER - In Hamilton on Jan. 22nd, at her mother's residence, in the 20th year of her age, Frankie, only daughter of the late W. H. and Mary Cooper.

For Sale - A Portland Cutter; good as new. Chas. McArthur, Merchant, Upper Town.

A Conservative Convention

will be called to CHOOSE A CANDIDATE but it is already decided that H. H. MILLER, the Hanover Conveyancer,

offers for sale 100 farms, and other properties for sale or exchange at rock bottom prices, among them: The "Teasdale" Farm - Lot 30, Con. 2, W. G. R., Bentinck, 100 acres. The "Hall" Farm - 1st and 2nd Divisions Lot 1, W. G. R., Bentinck, 100 acres. Lots 2 and 3, Con. 13, Glenelg, 200 acres.

He is Lending Money, at 5 per cent., easy terms, costs light. PROPERTIES of all kinds sold or exchanged. NOTES and ACCOUNTS collected on commission.

DEEDS, MORTGAGES and other writings carefully prepared. ALL BUSINESS promptly attended to in the quietest and most confidential manner. address H. H. MILLER, Lock Box 28, Hanover

Money to Loan.

I HAVE been instructed to receive application for loans on good farm properties at 5% interest, payable half yearly or yearly as desired. Reasonable terms of repayment to suit borrowers. Apply to G. LEFROY McCAUL, Barrister, Upper Town, Durham. Oct. 4th, 6m

For Service

A PEDIGREED BERKSHIRE BOAR at Lot 15, Con. 2, Egremont. Bred at the Model Farm. S. T. ORCHARD. Nov. 17th, 1f.

BERKSHIRE BOAR, ROYAL B. GEORGE, registered pedigree, bred by W. J. Shephardson, Walters Falls, Ont. Second owner, A. and J. Sealey, Bunessan, Ont. Terms, two for \$100. CHAS. GRAY, Jr., Lot 3, con. 2, Egremont. Nov. 16. 3m

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A FEW GOOD MEN FOR CANNASSING ON YEARLY SALARIES. THE LINCOTT COMPANY, TORONTO.

Strayed.

CAME TO THE PREMISES OF John Morrison, Lot 32, Con. 3, N. D. R. Glenelg, on or about the 20th of August last, One Ewe. The owner may have her by proving property and paying expenses. JOHN MORRISON, Bunessan P. O. Jan. 21st, 1898.

For Sale or To Rent.

BEING LOT No. 19, Con. 2, GLENELG, containing 100 acres, about 70 acres cleared, 9 acres fall wheat sown; seven miles from Durham; convenient to Church and School; Frame House; Eramo Stable; Log Barn; Well Watered; Small Orchard. Will rent or sell on easy terms to the right man. For further particulars, apply on the premises to W. N. McDONALD, Rocky, Saugeen P. O. Jan. 27th, 1f

For Sale

THE EDGE PROPERTY. In the Town of Durham, County of Grey, including a valuable water power, brick dwelling and many elegant building lots will be sold in one or more lots. Also lot No. 60, con. 2, W. G. R., Township of Bentinck, 100 acres, adjoining Town plot, Durham. Mortgages taken for part purchase money. Apply to JAMES EDGE, Edge Hill, P. C. Oct. 2nd.

AROUND TOWN.

Mister Editor, I did not get in my budget last week, as that thaw I predicted last week got frozen up, when it was 20" below zero, or buried in a six foot snow drift, on the road between here and Pricerville, the morning the stage was late. I think I promised to let you know about the roads and weather, and perhaps you'd like to know what they're going to be like beforehand. It will be pretty stormy all along until about the last of the month, when it will become fierce, but with the roads pretty well tramped and broken, but on or about 10 o'clock p. m. on the 1st of March, the thermometer will suddenly drop in "two places" and get down about two or three hundred below zero.

Talking about cold weather makes me think of the proverb of turkeys roosting higher the colder it gets. I guess Sandy Hopkinn must have some turkey about him, for I'll blowed if he wasn't roosting on top of the Orange Hall one cold morning last week just after daylight.

Say Mister, I've got a good scheme and there's "millions in it." I'm going to borrow Jones', what do you call it?, clattering machine, and take it to some of the many political meetings where Mayors and ex-Mayors, Editors and ex Editors, and other ex big guns, are fired with political enthusiasm, turn the "machine" backwards, and wind some of the speeches into it as literary curiosities, to entertain the little boys, now going to school, when they grow up. Probably you've heard it said that "every boy is born a poet," but most of them get the poetry knocked out of them by their dad, with a bed slat before they grew up. When I wakened up the other morning I caught my boy working off the following, and I'll leave it to you whether I'll apply the usual remedy.

IT'S TIME FOR A CHANGE.

When politics are on the bum, And the Grit "hive" is on the hum, And school books cost too big a sum, It's time for a change.

When Yanks can "hook" away or logs, And feed their men on Yankee hogs, And leave our mill dams to the frogs, It's time for a change.

When "hogs" are fed on party pap, So Jack or Jim may have a snap, And dead or alive don't matter a rap, It's time for a change.

When "Reform" is only a misnomer, And from the truth each Grit's a roamer, And Whitney is the true reformer, It's time for a change.

When surpluses on paper show, And revenue is on the "go," And our big pile is only blow, It's time for a change.

When farmers rise up in their might Bound that the truth shall see the light And want to leave the party tight, It's time for a change.

When Inspectors hotel-men inspect To see their politics are correct, While their duty they neglect, It's time for a change.

When men are picked for purses long, And "fixing" votes is nothing wrong, So long's their "pull" is good and strong - It's time for a change.

But as methinks I hear your readers saying, "It's time for a change" or a rest, I'll quit. Yours, -FAIX.

SCHOOL REPORTS.

Report of S. S. No. 6, Bentinck, for January. III class - Vida Burns, Lizzie McDougall. Jr. III class - Lizzie Foster, Johnny Livingston. II class - C. C. McDougall, Johnny Crozier, Andy McDougall, Dan McDougall. Pt. II class - Johnny Clark, Lizzie McDougall, Mary McKechnie. I class - Cyril Burns, Violet Forster. AGGIE H. CLARK, Teacher.

S. S. No. 2, B. & G. Names in order of merit: - Sr 4th. - Duncan McGillivray, Susie Campbell. Jr. 4th. - Malcolm McKechnie, Harry Snider. 3rd. Cl. - Peter McGillivray, Dan McKechnie, Willie Newell. Sr. 2nd. Cl. - Annie McGillivray, Agnes Vessie, Rosie Ewen. Jr. 2nd Class, - Tena Newell, Alfred McKechnie, Willie McKechnie and Aggie McEwen aeq. Sr. 1st - Frank Collinson, Ella Edge, Minnie Vessie. Jr. 1st. - Neil McGillivray, John Newell, Elias Edge. - Cassie Fletcher, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 11, Bentinck, for month of January: Sr. IV - Laura Hutton, Lizzie Campbell, Campbell Milligan. Jr. IV - Winnie Hopkins, Tis Hopkins, Charlotte Webber, Annie Potty. Sr. III - Maggie Alexander, Wellington Hutton, Albert Noble, Arthur Webber, Maggie Aldred. Sr. II - Lily Hopkins, Alice Lawrence, George Hutton, Alfred Ashley, Thomas Milligan. Sr. Pt. II - Thomas Morton, Bella Potty, Douglas Mountain. Jr. Pt. II - Bertie Downs, Selina, Hopkins, Elsie Potty. Sr. I - Flo Cuffe, Herbert McNally. Average attendance 44. Miss E. PATTERSON, Teacher.

DURHAM: - Sr. 5th - Alma Hughes, Lexie Anderson, Harry Kress, Walter McOrie, May Hopkins. Jr. 5th -

Maude Whelan, Walter Willis, Joseph Moore, Jessie Munro, Nellie Sibley. Sr. 4th. - Annie Lawrence. Wesley Hunt, Cassie McDonald, Dora Davidson, Frazer Patterson. Jr. 4th - Wm. Brown Shirley McIntyre, Maggie Hutton, Kate Cameron, R. Kelly, Sr. 3rd - Nellie Watt, Edith Grant, Grace Barclay, Vina Kress, Rosina Nester. Jr. 3rd - Archie Thompson, Susie McClocklin, Nora Knapp, Homar Hind, Bessie McKay. Sr. 2nd - Florence Saunders, Murray Smith, Violet Willis, Annie McKay, Willie Saunders. Jr. 2nd - Maggie Grant, George Bottelle, Arthur Allan, Hugh Nester, Laura Milligan. Jr. 2nd, (Miss Gunn's Room) - John McKinnon, Jane Kilmer, Annie Thompson, Robt. Stinson, Everard McKinnon and Arthur Knisley, aeq. Sr. pt 2nd. - Jean Crawford, Myrtle McDonald and Carman Aljoe aeq., Alister Saunders, Essie Laidlaw, Winnie Lauder. Jr. pt 2nd - Hazel Caldwell, Allan Robertson and John McLean aeq., Lizzie Cameron Beatrice McCracken and Percy Volter aeq., Rita Irwin. Part 2nd (Miss Anderson's room) - Archie Davidson, Alfred McClocklin, Bertie Townsend, Geo. Lloyd, Fred Smith. Sr. 1st - Marion Gunn, L. Kinnee and Lyn Grant aeq. Intermediate: - Effie Hunter, Willie Campbell, Jun. A. - Irene Leavens, Cecil Wolfe. Jun. B. - R. Thompson, H. Guthrie. Av. attendance - 297.

TRAVERSTON.

February can do it! Miss Lottie McNally returned to Grand Rapids, Michigan, on Monday after spending a merry month at the old home here.

It seems incredibly early, but several affirm that they have repeatedly seen a lively swallow out this way of late.

We doubt if ever there was such a rush of business in Traverston as at present. The sawlogs are pouring in and the flour mill is kept humming. A Goodfellow and his right hand man, Harry Ridley, have their hands full these days. Mr. Wright and Jim Davis are running the saw mill. Mr. and Mrs. G. Timmins are regaining their old time vigor.

Miss Sue Greenwood returned last Wednesday from a three weeks' visit to friends at Molesworth and Teeswater.

Mr. Henry Moffat is a busy man this winter. He is preparing to build a barn next summer. The contract is already let to Ben Sharp, who has a monopoly of such work in west

Glenelg. His reputation as a mechanic needs no propping. Neighbor McNally is getting to be quite a master at swopping horses. A sleighload drove over from Paisley last week to visit relations in the neighborhood. It consisted of Mr. and Mrs. N. Reid and their two daughters, of Manitoba, Mr. and Mrs. R. Reid and Charlie Reid who is on the lookout for an Ontario girl to take back with him to the North West in the Spring.

Dr. Jamieson will poll a heavy vote in this part of the township.

A wee bit lassie arrived at our shanty on the 1st inst. and as she inherits specially good qualities guess we'll keep her.

Master John Cook is home from Markdale at present not being in good health.

They say the elephant is a "gray old spark." He tried to kiss the maid in the dark; He blew out the light and made a grab, But she drew a knife and gave him a jab, 't that he belled out loud And in poured the crowd!

General Debility and Loss of Flesh

Scott's Emulsion has been the standard remedy for nearly a quarter of a century. Physicians readily admit that they obtain results from it that they cannot get from any other flesh-forming food. There are many other preparations on the market that pretend to do what

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does, but they fail to perform it. The pure Norwegian Cod-liver Oil made into a delightful cream, skillfully blended with the Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda, which

are such valuable tonics, makes this preparation an ideal one and checks the wasting tendency, and the patient almost immediately commences to put on flesh and gain a strength which compensates them.

Be sure you get SCOTT'S Emulsion. See that the man and fish are on the wrapper. 50c. and \$1.00, all druggists. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, Toronto.

Third Week OF MOCKLER'S Clearing Sale. SURPRISES IN UNDERWEAR. We've done well with underwear this year. So well that we are quite contented that you should take the balance at cost. At our regular prices these goods were the best value we ever had. At Cost they're a snap for you. For Cash or Value. Men's Drawers only, were 40c. a pair, - 30c. Men's Shirts and Drawers, our famous 50c. line, three kinds, 43c. or per suit 85c. Men's Shirts and Drawers, fancy striped Merino underwear, regular 90c. - 70c. Men's Shirts and Drawers, best quality, Scotch knit, Price \$1.00, for 75c. Boys' Lamb's-wool Shirts and Drawers, 3 sizes, were 40, 45 & 50c., Now 30, 35 & 40c. Don't lose sight of the fact that if you want an OVERCOAT you can save money on it by buying NOW. H. W. MOCKLER.

LOCAL Election March The markets Jamieson for Nominations Dog skin mi office. -Try J. A. Lower Town. The Hon. A. large meetings day, Wednesday Epworth League next. Topic son. All are WANTED - La tailoring. App The Chronicle Mr. Alex. Fl Bentinck, lost Sunday by infl -Everything at the New J. A. says he is Mr. Arch L put in a hand Williams make Mr. S. T. Orch EPIDEMIC Pa packages. The mediate relief Sold only at PA AUCTION SA N. D. R., B Feb. 24th, '98, H. MacKay au The Reform just over this body guard, into the hands Times must following, lay from Mr. S. T. ger, Miss M Jos. Tucker, Mr. W. J. A who has been parents here months return his prairie ho a resident for A parlor church will be Varney, on Sleighs will be who wish to program. Ad The family Scott is again at the Knapp have so much little trotter, showing a p season, SPECIAL NO oatmeal and sale cheap. No. 1 Lbra cheap. A earliest conve Upper Town. How hard it ton. For y each month Day and whet to sell or m crowd finds it days. Last the Almanac would scarce ber of cattle seed six or se The Vitasec I. O. O. F. ga here on Mond week. The well attended was the first Durham it wa who were p picture scene stationary v were life li electrophone, of late that th but it filled t The manager day a corer which was effect to the scene was a h hibition, but i and we'll not Montreal Fir al life, was r had to be rep