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Call and see how cheap you can get a good suit. Children's 22 to 37 inch. Boys' 33, 34, 35. Men's 35 to 42 inch.

At GRANT'S

DURHAM CHRONICLE.

Boots, Shoes.

We have a number small sizes in Ladies' Oxfords and Boots, laced or buttoned, 2 1/2, 3, 3 1/2, 4. All at wholesale prices.

At GRANT'S

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\$1.00 Per Year.

LOCAL NEWS.

CASH for wool at J. A. Hunter's.

CASH for eggs and butter at The Big Store.

THE I. O. O. F. here voted \$10.00 towards the relief of brethren suffering from the Ottawa-Hull fire.

THE Priceville tannery had a narrow escape from fire last week. See Priceville Correspondence.

MR. THOS. GADD, of Foxwarren, Man., says he misses THE CHRONICLE when it doesn't reach him in time.

LUCAS, Wright & Batson—Barristers etc. at Mildaugh House every Monday 10 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. conveying—money to loan, etc.

SOME get hurt when we ask them to pay up. They have our sympathy if it hurts any more than it does for us to lie out of our money.

SEE the beautiful new silk blouses at J. A. Hunter's. You can have one made in 4 days, just the same. Let us have your order.

MESSRS. Brunt, Wilson and Nedigar shipped a car load of cattle and a car load of hogs from this Station on Monday last.

MR. J. G. WILSON'S Horse Bills showing route to be taken by Gascon this season have just been issued from this office.

THE Farm implement manufacturers have agreed not to exhibit any of their machines at the Toronto Exhibition or Fall Fairs this year.

THE Furniture Factory is now obliged to work over time to catch up with the orders. Considerable goods were shipped last week.

It is estimated that 50,000,000 of the World's inhabitants die every year. This is about 90 a minute or three every two seconds.

LAST NOTICE.—All parties indebted to Wm. Laidlaw please call and settle at once by cash or note as accounts are being placed in other hands for collection.

We regret that Mr. Thos. Milligan is still far from well, but now that he is able to be driven out we hope the balmy air of spring will soon restore him to his accustomed health.

WOOL

WANTED

AT

The Big Store

Year after year goes on, and still we are here to pay you Cash or Trade for Wool. Mushroom buyers come into town for season—offer Shoddy Goods and high prices—and next season they are gone. Sell to the old reliable firm where you get honest weight and honest prices.

Bring Your Wool

to the store, and sell in early market.

J. A. Hunter, The Big Store.

TRY our 25c. tea.—S. Scott.

CASH for wool, at A. S. Hunter's.

HIGHEST price paid for wool in cash or trade, at S. Scott's.

THE Big Store means J. A. Hunter's.

DR. BIRD'S office is now in the Calder Block, over the Medical Hall.

J. A. HUNTER pays cash for wool, butter and eggs.

THE Sun will be eclipsed next Monday morning, May 28th, the greatest obscuration occurring about 9 o'clock.

CLINTON still hangs fire on the Granolithic sidewalk question, and an indignation meeting is talked of if the Council doesn't get a move on.

WE go to press too early to give any particulars about the Empire Day demonstration, taking place by the school children, teachers and parents, this (Wednesday) afternoon.

THE latest attack on the Bible is made by a Minneapolis man, who alleges that it says altogether too much about St. Paul, and nothing that he can find about Minneapolis.

MAYOR LAIDLAW has plans and specifications out and is now engaged in the erection of what will be a handsome residence on Mill street, near the school.

THE Thorbury Herald has entered its eighth year and is a bright, healthy lump of a boy, newsy in matter, neat in general make up and liberally patronized by the advertising public.

THE Committee appointed to promote the Cement industry met Monday night, and decided to place themselves in communication with a number of promoters before making application for the charter.

THE following local ad. appears in one of our exchanges, and is certainly a wonderful mixture for a business man to dish up to his customers. It says:—"This week—Oranges and Lemons, Hams, Insect Powder, Cream Silk Gloves, White Spot Muslin, Ladies Vests in all prices from 5c. up, etc.

Those who get their sheep worried needn't call any more to see our dog. He's too innocent to tackle a job like that. The last man that looked at him went away without suspicion. He's a yellow dog, (we don't mean the man) with a very abbreviated continuation, considerable voice and the next best to a wooden dog, which we admit is the most profitable general purpose dog for a town. Our local cotem will say this is "ad nauseum," but he doesn't know everything, and besides all the people don't know Latin.

WE are in receipt of a uniquely designed soldiers' memorial card of Co. H., 19th U. S. Infantry, now engaged in the Philippines. Around the outer edge are a number of War pictures, soldiers, guns, parting scenes, etc. Half tone portraits are also given of Generals Merritt, Otis, McArthur, King, Hale, Funston, Lawton, Miller, Wheaton, Overstone and the world known Admiral Dewey. The names of all the officers and members of the Co. are printed in the centre with a record of the events since they left Camp Meade "Pa.", on the 17th of July last. The card was issued Feb'y. 22nd, and up to that date only two deaths are recorded. Frank Irwin, son of Ye Editor, whose name appears amongst the full privates sent it to us. He's neither a cook nor a corporal yet. The parcel left Cebu March 19th and reached us Monday being a little over two months on the way.

A Kansas paper is responsible for the following:—"A man who was too economical to take this paper sent his little boy to borrow the copy taken by his neighbor. In his haste a boy ran over a \$4 stand of bees, and in 10 minutes looked like a warty summer squash. His cries reached his father, who ran to his assistance, and failing to notice the barbed wire fence, ran into that breaking that down, cutting a handful of flesh from his anatomy and ruining a \$4 pair of pants. The old cow took advantage of the gap in the fence and got into the cornfield and killed herself eating green corn. Hearing the racket the wife ran, upsetting a four gallon churn full of rich cream into a basket of kittens, drowning the whole flock. In the hurry she dropped a \$7 pair of false teeth. The baby, left alone, crawled through the cream into the parlor, ruining a brand new \$20 carpet. During the excitement the oldest daughter ran away with the hired man, the dog broke up 11 setting hens and the calves got out and chewed the tails off four fine shirts.

CASH for eggs, at A. S. Hunter's.

COURTS OF REVISION—Glenelg on Saturday next, Durham on Monday. See ads.

WOOLLEN yarn, blankets and tweeds always on hand at right prices, at S. Scott's.

HAVE you a De Laval Cream Separator. If not you shouldn't sleep till you get one from Frank Livingston, Agent, Durham. Try one for a week.

AN interesting obituary notice of Mr. Timothy Ryan, whose death occurred last week, is given by our Traverton correspondent. The single remark "Tim was bound to pay his debts," made by one of our business men, expresses a great deal.

DIVISION COURT was held here on Tuesday last, Judge Creaser presiding. The docket was small and unimportant, showing as the judge told us that we have very little litigation. The case between Burnett and the town was again opened up, but judgment was reserved.

THE School Board is helping to inculcate patriotism in the rising generation, having purchased a handsome new Union Jack flag to be used on the school house on public holidays and other appropriate occasions. It is 7 1/2 by 15 feet, a genuine article and a beauty. We would like to see every school similarly provided.

MR. C. P. MOORE, the cloth agent, is still in the neighborhood doing business amongst the farmers. In a few days more his license will expire and then we'll see his smiling face no more, unless some of those who have been doing business with him renew his license out of the generosity of their hearts.

A MEETING of the Liberal Conservative Association of South Grey will be held here on Saturday, June 9th, to select a candidate to contest the constituency at the coming Dominion Election. All Conservatives, whether delegates or not, are cordially invited to be present. A number of good speakers are expected.

THROUGH the liberality of our enterprising Mr. J. H. Hunter, of the Big Store, school children rejoiced on Empire Day in being each the sole possessor of a good sized Union Jack flag mounted on a hardwood stick. Three hundred of them were donated by Mr. H. to the school, and waving in the hands of three hundred happy little children, who know where the patriotic influence may end?

AN Excursion to Guelph and the Model Farm, under the auspices of the South Grey Farmers' Institute, is now being extensively advertised for June 12th, and we have no doubt the event will be largely patronized. The rates, though a little higher than last year, are exceedingly low, the return trip costing only \$1.15 for adults from Durham, Varney, Holstein, Hanover and Neustadt, \$1.10 from Ayton and Alfeldt and \$1.05 from Mt. Forest. Children 55 and 60c. See Bills.

A little incident worth publishing took place Tuesday in connection with the Burnett case against the town. A certain lady was summoned to give evidence in behalf of the town, but before leaving home she demanded a dollar for attendance and absolutely refused to go without it. As soon, however, as the money was paid she handed it over to Mayor Laidlaw to apply on charity specifying to whom it was to be given. We commend the action, and the public can readily see that the demand was not actuated by greed.

THE new McIntyre block is under way. The old store is moved out on the street and the excavation for the new building is being made with considerable speed by Mr. Mitchell, who has the contract. The new block which is a completion of the store now occupied by J. A. Hunter and the Standard Bank, will have a frontage of Garafraxa street of 53 ft., and extending back on Lambton street a depth of 126 feet. It will be divided into six stores three opening on Garafraxa street and three on Lambton street. Part of the second flat will be fitted for a dwelling for Mr. M. and family. We have not yet learned what will be done with the remainder, nor has it yet been decided so far as we know. This addition will add much to the appearance of the town and Mr. McIntyre is deserving of credit for the enterprise he shows in spending his money for the benefit of the town. The contract is not yet let, but plans and specifications are ready.

BORN.

MILLIGAN—In Beathick, on Tuesday, May 15, to Mr. and Mrs. John A. Milligan, a daughter.



QUEEN VICTORIA.

May She Defend Our Laws.

No. 4 Company.

Will leave for Niagara June 12th. Will drill Saturday evenings, May 26th and June 2nd. Recruits wanted. CAPT. O. M. SNIDER, Co. No. 4, 31st Bat.

Important to Farmers.

On the inside of this issue will be seen an important article on Binder Twine, and a general prospectus of the new Binder Twine industry about to be established at Walkerton. This is something that every farmer is interested in, and with a Board of Directors whom they know and a joint stock company made up of themselves, it seems almost incredible to think of the opportunity being allowed to slip. Application may be made for any number of ten dollar shares by returning the Coupon properly filled to this office in the enclosed envelope.

Slow and Rough Too.

MR. W. H. ARROWSMITH, of Pomona, asks Flaneur in last week's Mail and Empire for the remainder of the following skit, on the Old Narrow Gauge Railway, running from Toronto to Owen Sound. Persons who travelled over the road then will bear testimony that the lines contain as much truth as poetry:—

I had a dream the other night,
When everything was still;
I dreamt I saw the narrow gauge
A-creeper round a hill.
A tea-kettle steamed on in front,
With a wheelbarrow in tow,
While the passengers got out and walked,
'Twas so infernal slow.

Tommy The Barber.

Bows to the Public, and is prepared to sell at right prices.
Razors guaranteed satisfactory or money refunded.
A full stock of hair and face toilets.
Our dandruff remedies are working wonders. Don't fail to try them if you are in need.
If your hair is falling out give us a call and try our remedies.
A full line of cigars and pipes always on hand.
Smoke "Tommy the Barber" cigars.

Weather Bulletin.

For week ending May 19th, 1900.
TEMPERATURE.
May 13 Max. 54 Min. 80
" 14 " 69 " 75
" 15 " 63 " 75
" 16 " 49 " 62
" 17 " 49 " 62
" 18 " 43 " 59
" 19 " 35 " 60
Rainfall for week, 0.3. Hours of sunshine, 24.2. General direction of the wind, easterly and northerly.

Says It Isn't Taffy.

AN appreciative reader of THE CHRONICLE in the Western States, nearly takes the wind out of us in a congratulatory letter we received Tuesday. We never count on doing more than our duty, and if our efforts in doing so are appreciated, and subscriptions paid up, we feel highly gratified. Please pardon us for giving a sentence or two from the letter referred to. He says:—"I take pleasure in saying that I, for one at a distance, quite approve of your latest enterprise in the way of newspaper photographic work. Leaving all flattery aside, you deserve credit for the smart and dapper appearance of THE CHRONICLE to-day in comparison with the day you became proprietor and Editor. As you know, these remarks are given unsolicited and there can be no object in my giving vent to them, did I not mean what I say, etc."

We appreciate your remarks, dear reader, but you seem to be putting it on too thick for a modest editor to live through it. However, since there's no taffy about it we'll survive.

PERSONAL.

MR. J. S. WILSON, of Louise, was in town Tuesday.

MISS Emma McLean, of Toronto, formerly of THE CHRONICLE Staff, is visiting at the parental home.

MRS. Sutherland, who has been residing in Stratford some time, has again taken up her abode in Durham.

MISS Mary and Aggie Calder, of Calderwood, were guests of their brother, Mr. Calder, over Sunday.

COUNTY Attorney McKay, of Owen Sound, attended the Division Court here Tuesday.

MR. Geo. Dixon, of Farewell, spent a few days visiting friends in town and Edge Hill.

MISS Susie McKinnon went on a wheeling trip to Harriston, and will be present at her cousin's wedding on the 23rd here.

MR. Ireland, Merchant Tailor of Williamsford, was in town Saturday to visit his brother, Mr. Jas. Ireland, of Ireland & Co. here.

MISS Carrie Williams, of Aberdeen, has returned home after spending two or three pleasant weeks among friends near Shelburne.

MRS. J. H. Noble, of Minnesota, and Miss Melinda Grady, of Scarborough, are visiting their mother, Mrs. Isaac Crittenden, and other friends around Varney.

EDITOR Mitchell and Mr. P. Linn, of Hanover, were in town on Thursday last, and gave us a brief call. Brer Mitchell thinks our new press is capable of doing the very finest class of work if properly handled. We are always pleased to have him call and give us a few pointers.

Hits and Misses.

When some people talk of being buried in thought, the idea of a very shallow grave bobs up before the mind.

Street corner cackling may advertise a fakir, but printers' ink is the proper thing for a legitimate business man.

Raising a building with jack screws is a slow way of getting to heaven.

To hear a man talk about his honesty doesn't prove that he's not waiting for a chance to do you up.

The cloth man is so fond of the truth that he threatened to bounce Charlie if he found him out in a lie.

When a man is Sunday School Superintendent and brags about carrying the whole church on his shoulders, he hasn't any time left to be strictly honest in worldly affairs.

The wise men and women go to the East this week. The Teachers' Convention is in Flesherton.

It's foolish to try to collect taxes on a China dog.

A good witness should put on a very pious look when giving evidence.

For a young man with lots of gab, the lightning rod business ought to furnish a good opening. There hasn't been one round for some time.

TO SAVE HER CHILD

From frightful disfigurement Mrs. Nanie Galleger, of La Grange, Ga., applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve to great sores on her head and face, and writes its quick cure exceeded all her hopes. It works wonders in Sores, Bruises, Skin Eruptions, Cuts, Burns, Scalds, and Piles. 25c. Cure guaranteed by all druggists.

J. D. McNab,

Ontario Land Surveyor, Civil and Drainage Engineer.

Offices: Wingham and Wiarton.

ENGINEER for Howick, Wingham, &c.

PATENTS GUARANTEED

Our fee returned if we fail. Any one sending sketch and description of any invention will promptly receive our opinion free concerning the patentability of same. "How to Obtain a Patent" sent upon request. Patents secured through us advertised for sale at our expense. Patents taken out through us receive special notice, without charge, in THE PATENT RECORD, an illustrated and widely circulated journal, consulted by Manufacturers and Investors. Send for sample copy FREE. Address, VICTOR J. EVANS & CO. (Patent Attorneys,) Evans Building, WASHINGTON, D. C.

Notwithstanding

The inconvenience our customers were put to while we were moving they stood by the Busy Store, and we are heartily thankful to them. The move is at last an accomplished fact and our new quarters are much more comfortable than expected. Come in and see us.

This Week We Opened

Summer Corsets, — at 35c and 50c.
Ladies' Summer Vests, at 5c to 25c.
Ladies' Taffeta & Silk Gloves, at 25c to 50c.

Gentlemen who see our Tweeds, Hats and Underwear are always pleased.

LADIES driving into town will find any member of the firm willing to find tying places for their horses.

J. & J. HUNTER

The Busy Store on The Busy Corner.

Great reductions in Millinery and Dress Goods will be given

DURING SALE.

See our very large stock of Ready-Made Clothing

DURING SALE.

Mammoth Moving Sale

Our immense stock in every department must be reduced to one-half before moving, and as we are fully aware that this can only be done by selling goods at a very small margin, we have decided to slaughter our stock. This is a chance of a life-time, and don't fail to take advantage of it.

Butter & Eggs

BRING ALONG your Butter & Eggs for which the Highest Market Price will Always be Paid.

S. F. MORLOCK

CASH AND ONE PRICE.

CALDER'S BLOCK, — — — DURHAM, ONT.

Save money by buying your Boots and Shoes here

DURING SALE.

Great reductions in Blouse Silk Lengths now going on here

DURING SALE.