

The Big Store

J. A. HUNTER.



Dresses for the Dressy!

AGAIN we beg to call your kind attention to our very heavy and well chosen stock of Dress Goods, in Suit Ends and Skirt Ends. Our sales in this department since last Saturday have eclipsed any previous record by a HALF. The goods are just what is wanted, and it is no trouble to sell them. The prices are very reasonable. Then again we carry a full line of Trimmings to match.

We want every woman in the county to call and see this large stock of Dress Goods, no matter whether you buy or not, you may tell some one else about them. This store has the very first place as a Dress Goods House, and we are bound to hold that reputation. Fashion Plates supplied free each month.

FURS!!

Look in and see our New Stock. See North Window this week.

Buy Early and Get the Very Best.

Boots & Shoes

We have the Agency for the **Empress Shoe**, finest and best ladies' shoe in Canada. Our new stock will be in this week. Every pair has price and name stamped on the sole.



The Cote Boot for Men is the best of its kind in the Dominion. We have them. See our Cote Long Boot, Double Sole, Rubberine Leather (waterproof), Interfering Pad—It's a corker.

The Cote Short Boot, made same leather as above, Large Eyelets, at \$3.50 is worth buying.

Cash for Butter and Eggs!

Try our Famous 25c TEA Black or Japan.

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VANDELUER

Mr. Eldon Brodie raised his straw barn 40x40 a short time ago. When finished he will have about the best out building around here. He is having it roofed with steel shingles. His father and Mr. James Wood are doing the work.

Mrs. J. M. Davis returned home from Sault Ste Marie last week.

Messrs. Ephraim and Eldon Brodie paid a visit last week to Brampton and Scarborough friends.

Mr. Jas. Brown and his son, John, visited Uxbridge friends last week.

Miss Tilla Buchanan has been visiting Milton friends during the last two weeks.

A goodly number from around here took in Toronto's big fair last week.

DR. A. W. CHASE'S CATARRH CURE ... 25c.

Is sent direct to the diseased parts by the Improved Blower. Heals the mucus, clears the air passages, stops droppings in the throat and permanently cures Catarrh and Hay Fever. Blower free. All dealers, or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Toronto and Buffalo.

Nervous and Debilitated.

Almost a Victim of Nervous Prostration—Was Restored to Health and Strength by Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

Mrs. D. W. Cronsberry, 168 Richmond street west, Toronto, Ont., states:— "My daughter, who sews in a white goods manufactory, got completely run down by the steady confinement and close attention required at her work. Her nerves were so exhausted, and she was so weak and debilitated, that she had to give up work entirely, and was almost a victim of nervous prostration.

"Hearing of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, she began to use it, and was benefited from the very first. It proved an excellent remedy in restoring her to health and strength. After having used four boxes she is now at work again, healthy and happy, and attributes her recovery to the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food."

As a blood builder and nerve restorative, Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is of inestimable value. It makes the blood red, the nerves strong, and the whole system healthy and vigorous. 50c a box—at all dealers, or Edmansson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

FLESHERTON.

On Friday last Sandy McDonald, who lives near Priceville, was summoned before Magistrate VanDusen, here on charge of assault preferred by Duncan Sinclair, of Flesherton Station, at which place the offence was committed; but through the mediation of friends the complainant withdrew the charge by the defendant paying the costs incurred which amounted to \$7.45.

A heavy thunderstorm which was rather trying upon the nerves of some of the timid ones passed over this place early on Thursday morning last. Mr. Thomas McArthur's barn, near Flesherton Station, was struck and though not fired was, we understand, considerably damaged. To the east of this place four or five miles the storm is reported to have raged with terrible violence but fortunately no serious damage was done.

Communion Service was held in the Presbyterian Church on Sabbath last, Rev. J. A. Matheson, of Priceville, preached at the preparatory service on Friday.

Rev. Mr. Varley, of Priceville, preached morning and evening in the Methodist church on Sabbath. Principal Slaughter, of this place, supplied Mr. Varley's pulpit in Priceville.

Rev. L. W. Thom conducted Harvest Home Services in the Methodist church at Inistioge on Sunday evening and on Monday evening the Presbyterian choir, of this place, entertained at the annual tea in the same place. The Misses Joy and Mr. Frank Cole gave the choir valuable assistance.

Pastor J. B. Grimshaw and Mr. Jeremiah Thompson represented the Baptist Church here at a Council meeting of the Church at Meaford on Tuesday when a young pastor was ordained and inducted into that charge. Mrs. Grimshaw and little daughter accompanied Mr. Grimshaw.

Mrs. J. W. Armstrong is having the exterior of her handsome residence repainted including the roof which heretofore had not been done.

Mrs. John Galbraith, who was recently bereft of her husband, has moved to Owen Sound to reside. Her son Bernie, who lives in Owen Sound came down on Saturday and accompanied her thither on Monday.

Mr. A. S. VanDusen lost a valuable collie dog last week. Mr. VanDusen set poison for rats, but unfortunately the animal got the dose.

In common with other factories the dry weather affected the supply of cream to the creamery here and operations were temporarily suspended a short time ago. Mr. Wilson has disposed of the last few weeks' make at 1 1/2 cents and operations will not be resumed this season. We understand the factory was enjoying a successful season up to the time of closing.

ROCKY SAUGEEN.

Messrs. Grierson and McKinnon completed their contract of repairing the bridge over the Rocky river last week. In order to exonerate themselves from any blame, the contractors desire to refer to an article in the Chatsworth News of last week in which is given an account of some parties who drove onto the bridge, undergoing repairs, without any warning of the danger to which they were exposed, and censuring the contractors for their negligence in not providing danger signals. The contractors wish to say that from the day they commenced operations until they finished that at fifty yds. from each end of the bridge, they had heavy timbers placed as a protection for the public, and when any person took these obstructions down and drove upon the bridge they were going so at their own risk, so that the "miraculous" escape was due to their own actions and not the carelessness of contractors. The law may call for more than was provided, but there was no stipulation in the contract that a temporary bridge or red lights were to be furnished for the safety of the public.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Strain have de-

WITHOUT A DOCTOR'S EXAMINATION.

You can find out if the kidneys are clogged, deranged and diseased. Have your backache or a weak, lame back? Do you have pain or difficulty in urinating or a too frequent desire to urinate? Are their deposits like brick dust in the urine after it has stood for 24 hours? If you have any of these symptoms not a moment should be lost in obtaining Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, the world's greatest kidney cure. One pill a dose, 25 cents a box.

The threatened coal strike among the miners of Pennsylvania is not likely to occur as negotiations for a settlement are in progress and the miners are ordered to continue work.

Hugh John McDonald, is the Conservative nominee to run against Sifton. He will resign his position as Premier of Manitoba as soon as the writs for the Dominion Elections are issued.

A cablegram to Ottawa reports that the Strathconas lost heavily in the fighting near Badfontein. Six non-commissioned officers and men of Lord Strathcona's horse reported missing, were killed.

DO YOU FEAR HEART FAILURE?

No death comes so suddenly and unexpectedly as that caused by heart failure, but the trouble had its beginning months or perhaps years before when the blood became thin and watery and the nerves exhausted. Gradually the waste has become more rapid than the process of repair, the tissues of the heart have become diseased and finally some over exertion or nervous shock has caused the beating to cease and life to depart. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food prevents heart failure and all similar diseases by creating new, rich blood and nerve force, and building up the system.

PRICEVILLE.

In your issue of Aug. 16th a letter referring to sidewalk repairs on back streets, municipal grant, etc., appeared. Since that time we have heard quite an amount of criticism on the said communication, and the pathmasters claim that they could do nothing else than what they did as they were situated. As we are not personally interested in the matter, having neither had sidewalks built nor roads gravelled for our own benefit, we should like very much for the public benefit and information, to see some explanation of the situation given by some of the pathmasters as from what we have, they or one of them at least, thinks he was hit too hard. However, let it be as it may we must agree with "Fair Play" to this extent that some of the front Street sidewalks are in any thing but a safe condition. If some unfortunate individual should break a leg or arm through falling amongst these ruins, it may possibly result in another law suit for damages, of which this township has had enough in the past. Some new planks well nailed down in the most dangerous places would come cheaper in the long run than paying law costs etc.

Mr. Jas. Watson, who has been visiting here for some time, left for his home in Cheboygan, Mich., last Thursday, taking in the Toronto Exhibition on the way.

Mrs. Wm. Watson, Sr., left for Cheboygan, Mich., last Thursday. We are informed she intends to make her home there in the future.

Mr. George Rutherford visited Priceville last Saturday on Insurance business.

If the oil and gas men, who are boring in Arden and Osprey, had waited a short time till the politicians got started on their tours, they could have struck lots of gas at far less cost.

BORN.

MCMEIKEN—In Egremont, on Tuesday, Sept. 4th, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert McMeiken, a daughter.

BELL—In Glenelg, on Sunday, Sept. 9, to Mr. and Mrs. John M. Bell, a daughter.

DIED.

BEATON—In Glenelg, on Sep. 10th, 1900, Mrs. Arch. Beaton, aged 57 years.

FREEL—In Durham, on Friday Sept. 7th, Dr. E. J. Freel, aged 46 years.

MACKENZIE—In Omaha, Neb., on Friday Sept. 7, Josephine Gun, beloved wife of Mr. W. R. Mackenzie, of Portland, Oregon, eldest daughter of Dr. Gun, of Durham.

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ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Vollet, deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1887, Chapter 129, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of Elizabeth Vollet, deceased, who died on or about the 13th day of May, 1897, are required on or before the 16th day of September, A. D. 1900, to send by post, prepaid, or to deliver to Messrs. McKay & Sampson, Barristers, Owen Sound, solicitors for Aaron Vollet, the administrator of the said deceased, their Christian names, surnames and addresses, with full particulars of their claims and the nature of all securities, if any, held by them.

And further, take notice that after such last mentioned date, the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and that the said administrator will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, to any person whose claim notice shall not have been received by him at the time of such distribution.

Dated the 21st day of August, A.D., 1900.

MACKAY & SAMPSON
Solicitors for the Administrator

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Matter of the Estate of Hugh Riddell of the Township of Bentinck in the County of Grey, Farmer, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN PURSUANT to Section 38 of Chapter 129, R. S. O., 1897, that all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said Hugh Riddell, deceased, who died on or about the nineteenth day of May, 1900, are required to send by post, prepaid, or to deliver to James Riddell, Benton, or to John Riddell, Kinghurst, the Executors of the estate of the said Hugh Riddell, deceased, or to the undersigned C. J. Mickle, Chesley, on or before the 12th of October, 1900, their Christian and surnames and addresses with full particulars in writing of their claims, and statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them duly verified by statutory declaration.

And take notice that after the said 12th day of October, 1900, said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and the said Executors will not be liable for said assets, or any part thereof, to any person or persons whose claim notice shall not have been received by them or their solicitor at the time of such distribution.

Dated September 6th, 1900.

C. J. MICKLE, Chesley,
Solicitor for the above named Executors.

CATTLE ESTRAY.

Strayed from Watson's lot, near Varney, on or about the first day of August, three head of two year old steers, one black and two red, marked with two strokes on right hip of each. Any person giving information that will lead to their recovery will be suitably rewarded.

R. BRUNT, Durham P. O.
Sept. 10, 1900. 4 pd.

CAME ASTRAY.

Came to the premises of the undersigned, lot 42, con. 2, E. G. R., Glenelg, about Aug. 1, one ewe and lamb. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take them away.

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Edge Hill.

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