

# The Big Store

Our Whole Store is brimful of new goods. "New Goods" is the key-note of the store's entire activity. "New Goods" in the Mantle Room, new Skirts, new Dress Goods, new Corsets, etc. All the goods in which Dame Fashion sets a finger are waiting eager, tip-toe for you to come and see.

## New Mantles JUST ARRIVED.

We assume the responsibility of providing the JACKET needs for the Ladies of Durham and surrounding country. We anticipate every possible demand. Our styles set the pace for the district. Fashion's latest decrees are given correct expression in our Jacket display. Prices range from \$9.00 to \$15.00. We have still a few bargains left in Jackets from \$1.75 upwards.

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NEW OVERCOATS for MEN and YOUTHS. We have them in different styles and shades from \$5.00 to \$12.00.

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Here is where we really can boast, for you all know what a good reputation the SLATER SHOE has. It's the best—that's enough. The "Empress Shoe" is the ONLY Shoe for ladies. Easy fitting, pliable, no squeak, and wearing qualities of the best.

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# ALEX. RUSSELL

Successor to J. A. Hunter.

### THE PRIZE LIST.

(Continued from page 7.)

POLLED ANGUS.	
Bull, and age..H. Brigham, 1st and 2nd.	Cow..H. Brigham 1st and 2nd.
JERSEY.	
Bull, any age..Joseph Hoffarth.	Cow..Joseph Hoffarth.
GRADE CATTLE.	
Best milk cow..Jos. Hoffarth, D. Edge, Thos. Ritchie	Heifer, 2-year-old..A. Park, John Eckhardt.
Heifer, 1-year-old..J. & J. Hunter, W. Herd.	Heifer calf..D. Edge, J. & J. Hunter.
Steers, pair 2-year-old..wm. Smith w. Herd, wm. Sneath.	Steers, pair 1-year-old..wm. Smith w. Herd.
Fat animal..John Cornish, A. S. Hunter, W. A. Livingston.	Calf fed on Bibbys Cream Equivalent..Dan Elger.
SHEEP, OXFORD DOWNS.	
Ram, 2 shears..M. Willis, wm. Willis.	Ram, shearling..John Fairbairn, w. Willis.
Ram lamb..w. Willis, M. Willis.	Ewes, pair aged..H. Brigham, M. Willis.
Ewes, pair shearing..John Fairbairn, M. Willis.	Pair ewe lambs..M. Willis, H. Brigham.
SHROPSHIRE.	
Ram, two shears..H. Brigham, w. A. Livingston.	Ram, shearling..w. Willis, w. A. Livingston.
Ram lamb..H. Brigham, w. A. Livingston.	Pair aged ewes..H. Brigham, w. Willis.
Pair shearing ewes..wm. Willis, H. Brigham.	Pair ewe lambs..H. Brigham, w. A. Livingston.
LEICESTER.	
Ram, shearling..w. Herd, Alex. Muir.	Ram lamb..A. Muir, w. Herd.
Pair aged ewes..wm. Herd, 1st and 2nd.	Shearling ewes..A. Muir, w. Herd.
Pair ewe lambs..w. Herd, A. Muir.	
COTSWOLDS.	
Ram, two shears..A. Muir.	Ram, shearling..A. Muir 1st and 2nd.
Ram lamb..A. Muir 1st and 2nd.	

  

GLENMONT.	
Hill, and Eccles and his laddie Dan. Are thrashing again on the same old plan.	They can fill a silo or thresh a stack. They're a happy, jolly looking pack. Dixon's corn they cut up fine, To feed all the stock in the winter time;
With a pump that's new and a duster too.	They can live on apples and Irish stew.
They can play all night and work all day.	Oh we'll be sorry when they go away.
Mr. and Mrs. Angus McKelvie from Tamiascum, were visiting at his brother Dave's for a few days last week.	Miss Mary Halfpenny, who for some time has been residing near Mt. Forest, came home last week to remain for some time.
Mr. Wm. Stephenson returned last week from visiting his sister, Mrs. Riddell, near Killenburgh.	The funeral of the late Wm. Hooper, of Artemesia, took place on Saturday and was attended by a large number of friends and relatives. His remains were laid to rest in Ebenezer cemetery. The funeral service being conducted by Rev. F. Farley. Mr. Hooper was a brother of Messrs. James, Henry and Abraham Hooper, of this place.
Mrs. Susan Tucker, relic of Mr. Benjamin Tucker, passed peacefully away on Tuesday morning, 16th inst. after eight weeks' illness. It was miraculous how she lived for the forty days and forty nights without food. Mrs. Tucker and her husband came to Egremont thirty-two years ago from near Woodstock. They spent only two or three nights in their new home when Mr. Tucker was suddenly killed by the falling of a tree at the age of forty-six years. She was left with a large family and her struggles can be more easily imagined than described. But in the midst of all she lived a consistent Christian life and her liberality was almost excessive. Like Goldsmith's village preacher "Even her failings leaned to virtue's side." She entered her protest against the folly of expensive funerals by directing that her remains should be carried to the grave by a neighbor's carriage in the good old fashioned way. She had reached the age of four score years. And tho' gone from us she leaves a blessing behind.	"A good fight fought, And a good life lived True and noble mind."

Pair aged ewes..A. Muir 1st and 2nd.  
Pair shearing ewes..A. Muir 1st and 2nd.  
Pair ewe lambs..A. Muir 1st and 2nd.  
Fat sheep..A. Muir.

SWINE, BERKSHIRE OR OTHER BLACK BREED.

Boar, any age..R. Britton, Jos. Sharp.  
Breeding sow..R. Britton, Jos. Sharp 2nd 3rd.  
Pair spring pigs dropped in 1902..R. Bretton 1st and 2nd, Jos. Sharp.

YORKSHIRE OR OTHER WHITE BREED.

Boar, any age..Joseph Sharp.  
Breeding sow..Joseph Sharp, R. Edge 2nd and 3rd.  
Pair spring pigs dropped in 1902..H. McDonald.

TAMWORTH OR OTHER RED BREED.

Boar, any age..R. Matthews.  
Pair spring pigs..wm. Smith, R. Matthews 2nd and 3rd.

JUDGES.

Fine arts..N. W. Campbell, Joseph Brown.  
Ladies' work..Mrs. Yeomans, Mrs. Hampton, Mrs. J. Burgess  
Grain..W. T. Petrie, Ad. Robertson.  
Dairy..C. L. Grant, H. W. Mockler.  
Field roots and vegetables..J. H. Davidson, James Burt.  
Fruit and flowers..L. H. Yeomans, C. Firth, ..Lewis.  
Sheep..Jas. Swanston, R. Gowanlock, Thos. Geddes.  
Horses..W. H. Hauck, R. H. Fortune, Val. Kerchner, W. McLuhan, W. D. Mills.  
Cattle..John Brown, R. Oliver, John Nichol.  
Poultry..Harry Wright.  
Swine..John Cornish, Geo. Hepburn, John Corlett.

### Women and Jewels.

Jewels, candy, flowers, man—that is the order of a woman's preferences. Jewels form a magnet of mighty power to the average woman. Even that greatest of all jewels, health, is often ruined in the strenuous efforts to make or save the money to purchase them. If a woman will risk her health to get a coveted gem, then let her fortify herself against the insidious consequences of coughs, colds and bronchial affections by the regular use of Dr. Boschee's German Syrup. It will promptly arrest consumption in its early stages and heal the affected lungs and bronchial tubes and drive the dread disease from the system. It is not a cure-all but it is a certain cure for coughs, colds and all bronchial troubles. You can get this reliable remedy at Darlings Drug Store.

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"For two years I suffered terribly from dyspepsia, with great depression, and was always feeling poorly. I then tried Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and in one week I was a new man."—John McDonald, Philadelphia, Pa.

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### BUNESSAN.

Mrs. M. McMillen, W. J. Young and D. H. Brown were in Toronto during the Exhibition week.  
Thos Binnie has gone to Guelph to take a course in the Agricultural College there  
Mr. Wm. Bell visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Bell for a few days previous to his marriage to Miss Hattie Wiggins, of Durham, on September 17th.  
Inspector Campbell called at the School last week and expressed pleasure with the improvements recently made.  
Mr. D. McCoskrey, of Toronto, visited friends here from Saturday to Tuesday. He also concluded the sale of his 50 acre farm to Sam Langril, of Bentinck.  
Sergeant Walter McDonald and Corporals Joe Firth and Archie McComb are away to Niagara this week and next to extend their knowledge of drill, and lay in a supply of peaches, etc.  
Harvest is at last ended and the threshers anxiously expected.

### TOP CLIFF.

Mr. Editor.—Since harvesting is done and only a few threshings to attend, we can breathe a bit, and while in this attitude we shall avail ourselves of the opportunity of sending a few items to THE CHRONICLE of what has transpired during the last few weeks.

It was with much difficulty that the harvest was garnered on account of so much wet weather. However, the grain was all secured in safety, although in some instances hard to do.

The steam threshers are now busy at work in all directions. So that it is a matter of fact with the farmer to jump out of the pot for another leap into the frying-pan, for really to follow after a steam thresher is harder and dirtier work than to be busy in the harvest field.

Some predict now that we are going to have a dry October after so long a spell of rainy weather. A great deal of potatoes have been taken up during the last week as an experiment to prevent further decay. In some instances there will be only about 34th of a crop left, and in most cases it is the largest that's rotting away.

The grain crops have turned out well, although oats in general are light in weight. Peas are below the average. However, some have very fair crops. Neil McCannel threshed his crop of fifteen acres of peas one day last week (Manitoba style) with the engine set in one corner of the field and the threshing part near the barn, and teams enough to keep it going. On some fifty loads he has upwards of 300 bushels which may be considered a good crop for this year.

The most of the farmers are putting in fall wheat yet, although it seems rather late in the season to do so.

The trustees of our school have offered an advance in the salary of our teacher, W. L. Dixon, Esq., for the coming year. Whether he will accept it or not is not decided, but we hope he will.

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Messrs. McCoskrey, of Toronto brothers of Mrs. Malcolm McLunes, are visiting the latter this week.  
Mr. McAlister, of Dunroon, and daughters are visiting at Mr. Thos. Nichol's this week.  
Mr. Duncan McAulley, of Vancouver, is visiting his mother, Mrs. McAulley, of Priceville during the past week.

The contract for repairing the Presbyterian church spire, Priceville, is completed and reflects much credit to the contractors, Chas. Watson & Bros.  
Commissioner McArthur was attending on duty at Owen Sound last week and took in the exhibition there at the same time.  
Communications are weekly received between Top Cliff and Irish Lake. Hence, the necessity of establishing a post office at Top Cliff ought to engage the attention of our authorities in the near future so as to afford ample opportunity to those engaged in correspondence of more love than an ordinary nature to do so more frequently, &c., agus mar sin sios.

### CORNER CONCERNS.

A little verse suggested to us some time ago we can use this week without being at all personal, as about half a dozen of the names hinted at are trying to win fair ones in this part. Here it is:  
Where there's a Will there's always a way,  
To win a lassie as bright as day,  
They look so pert and dress so gay,  
Whenever they make a call.  
Mr. Jas. Matthews is slowly recovering from an attack of inflammatory rheumatism which necessitated his taking things easy.  
The Rev. Mr. Franklin, of Owen Sound, proved a very genial fellow as well as a thoughtful, earnest preacher on his visit here on the 14th. The Rev. Mr. Henderson, of Wiarton, is announced to preach a Thanksgiving sermon on the 28th.  
The Nichol homestead has its old time ring of mirth. The daughters are all home at present, Misses Susie and Aggie, of Toronto, and Mrs. Penny, of Albany. The latter was joined by her husband a week ago and will remain for a short holiday.  
Some while at the Toronto Exhibition attended the Organization of the Farmers' Association which is to take the place of the Patrons and complete some odd jobs they undertook to do, but dissolved before they were completed. As rural farmers got much of the confiding innocence rubbed off of them in passing through the P. of I., they will be shrewder members of the new organization and those in the front ranks no doubt learned a thing or two that will serve them well.  
County Commissioner Allan was in Owen Sound last week to further consider a site for the Poor House.  
The machinery is fast being placed in position on the Neil Gow (as the big boat is called) and it will soon be ready to dance on the sparkling waters of the far famed lake.  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lennox crossed over from the Toronto Exhibition to Niagara Falls and experienced more pleasure than they have done since their honeymoon. Mr. Lorn Allan also took the same trip.  
Few from this part attended either the Durham or Flesher's meetings for opening the prohibition campaign although this is a noted temperance township. They enter the fight in a heartless way with a leader like the Hon. G. W. Ross, President of the great Temperance Alliance whose actions in the best interests of the Temperance cause has been about as false as they have been to the best interests of the Province in financial affairs. It is expected the same justice he experienced at the polls last May will be extended considerably.  
The horse advertised by R. Hillis belonged to C. W. Hartman, Banker, of Clarksburg. Lost animals have to stray into very secluded places if a description of them inserted in the Chronicle will not discover their whereabouts.  
As potatoes on deep rich soil are commencing to rot badly. Egremont will suffer severely. Guelph and Bentinck, we presume, will be more fortunate.  
Mr. J. Wilson has been at work with his steam thresher. Grain is turning out well, but oats, as predicted, are light in weight.  
Many from this part attended the funeral of the late Wm. Cameron on Sunday. We often partook of his hospitality in social events and wished to pay a last tribute of respect to him. He was born in Glasgow, Scotland, in the year 1824, and at seven years of age emigrated to Lower Canada where he remained until he reached manhood and wedded his faithful life partner who pre-deceased him some eight years ago together they settled on the farm south of Varney (on which they died) some forty years ago and endured the hardships of pioneer life. Being fond of travel he took a couple of lengthy trips through Alaska, British Columbia and other places, being of a lively, cheerful disposition it is only in the last two years that he seemed to yield to the frailties of old age. He was a Conservative in politics and of the Presbyterian persuasion, consequently Rev. Mr. Campbell conducted the services in the home and at the grave side in Maplewood cemetery where he lies at rest all that is mortal of a father, friend and neighbor. Only two of his children, Douglas of Holstein, and Mrs. Breber of Mt. Forest, were able to be present at the funeral, the other six reside in the Northwest and United States.

An English paper records the recent marriage near Cornwall, of Miss Jane Week to Thomas Day, and adds:  
A Day is gained.  
A Week is lost—  
But time cannot complain;  
For soon there will  
Be Days enough  
To make a Week again.

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Mr. H. H. Miller says the Ries Farm, as I have seen, through newspaper advertisements. Last week I bought the Donald McCob at Bunessan, the buyer being brought into business through a little ad in the Chronicle. Sam saw the ad and Mr. McCoskrey in Toronto spot cash for the farm at sale was soon effected, and paid over and both felt Miller is now advertising Stewart Farm in Bentinck chances are it will not find a purchaser. Our Calder, who is a great ad chronicler advertises in the "McKee Farm" in the elg which must be sold sixty days.

We had a call Friday Mrs. McArthur, of Priceville returning from a seven weeks duration word of the accident, On the 11th day of August, Mrs. Wm. Herd, met with a run-which terminated her next day, at the age of years. The deceased was years a native of this living between here and from the year 1840, and knew all the hardships life. Mrs. McArthur's trip home as soon as word of the accident, arrival of the spark of life mortal tenement of life accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Young's daughter, also Miss Nina Henderson, grand-daughter of the

### Retiring FROM Business

As I am giving up business and have leased the People's Mills for a term of years, all Accounts owing me must be settled up by Cash, Note or Wheat not later than October 4th, 1902.

ALSO PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that any flour or other owing on Grists must be taken out of the mill by that date.

I have a good team of horses, a double wagon and a heavy set of working harness which will be sold at a bargain.

### R. MCGOWAN.

### FALL FAIRS.

Collingwood.....Sept. 25-26  
Meaford.....Sept. 25-26  
Flesherton.....Sept. 30-Oct. 1  
Hanover.....Sept. 30-Oct. 1  
Priceville.....Oct. 14-15  
Markdale.....Oct. 9-10

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### The Chronicle

Local News It

GATHERED DURING THE PAST WEEK FROM CHRONICLE READERS.

Men's plow boots at Grant  
WEAR Peel's handmade  
Men's pyjamas and night  
from 75c. up.—H. W. Mockler

REMEMBER our kid gloves,  
and black.—C. L. Grant.

A FEW pieces of those 25c  
suits left—they will only  
few days longer.—H. W. Mo

MR. JOHN CORNISH, of Ork  
good success at the Neusta  
having obtained six first pr  
a diploma for the best herd

HARVEST Home services at  
Oct. 5; Festival Tuesday,  
Admission to Festival 25c.  
Rev. Mr. Magwood, of Arth  
Mr. Farquharson, of Durham  
H. Miller, of Hanover, will  
short addresses.

ALL parties interested in  
organization of Curling, Sk  
Hockey Clubs for the coming  
are invited to attend a me  
the Foresters' Hall on Frid  
ing, the 3rd of October, at  
sharp. A full attendance r  
W. CALDER, Secretary.

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TOBACCO CO., LIMITED.

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men to all parts of the coun  
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While, in company with  
visiting the Western Fair  
boyhood home, he dropped  
London Hardware Compan  
and before leaving he be  
bulk of the stock that wa  
from the fire of July 22, an  
in a position to give his cus  
Durham great Bargains.  
should be proud of such an  
merchant.—London Advert

We missed reporting sev  
last week owing to press a  
getting out the prize list  
things in connection with  
Show. Even some of the  
tell us we omitted to give  
it for prizes they receive  
not deny the possibility of  
pressure of making an omis  
the fault is hardly to be  
door, nor should the secre  
Association or his able an  
assistant be made to share  
if blame exists. The vo  
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