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BREAD MIXERS.

We are always up-to-date with everything in our line. Our Bread Mixer is the most up-to-date article of the present date. It has been thoroughly tested by some reliable Durham women, and they abandoned the old style of bread making.

CHARCOAL IRONS.

The warm weather is fast approaching, and you will want a Charcoal Iron. We are selling them for \$1.00 each.

SCREEN DOORS.

Now is the time to buy Screen Doors and Window Screens. We have a large assortment and our prices are right.

LAWN MOWERS.

Just received our second shipment of High Wheel Lawn Mowers, Rakes, Hoes, Spades, Shovels, Grass Shears, etc.

WIRES.

We have an immense stock of Black Wire, Galvanized Wire, Double Twist Wire, Platted Wire, Barbed Wire, and the American Steel Wire Woven Fence.

SHEEP SHEARS.

See our stock of Sheep Shears and Agricultural Wrenches. Cheaper than ever.

CEMENT.

Prepared Plaster and Cement always on hand.

OILS.

Gasoline, Turpentine, Benzine, Coal Oil, Linseed Oil, Harness Oil and Fish Oil in abundance.

W. Black.

Pumps.

I BEG LEAVE TO INFORM MY CUSTOMERS and the public in general that I am prepared to furnish

NEW PUMPS AND REPAIRS, DRILL CURBS, RE-CURBS, & PRESSCURB WELLS. All orders taken at the old stand near McGowan's Mill will be promptly attended to.

ALL WORK GUARANTEED at "Live and let live" PRICES.

GEORGE WHITMORE.

Implement Agency!

BINDERS, Mowers, Rakes, Wilkinson Plows, Land Rollers, Diamond Smoothing Harrows, McGill Grinders, and Dowsell's Churns, Washers and Wringers, U. S. Cream Separators, and Cameron & Dunn Hay Forks

CUTTERS, SLEIGHS, ROBES and COATS.

Horses ALWAYS ON HAND FOR SALE.

Call and see the Ferguson SLOOP SLEIGH, Manufactured in Owen Sound, before buying.

JOHN CLARK

(McKinnon's old Stand)

DURHAM, — — ONTARIO.

WANTED—FAITHFUL PERSON TO call on retail trade and agents for manufacturing house having well established business; local territory; straight salary \$30 paid weekly and expense money advanced; previous experience unnecessary; position permanent; business successful. Enclose self-addressed envelope. Superintendent Travellers, 605 Monon Bldg., Chicago.

WANTED—FAITHFUL PERSON TO travel for well established house in a few counties, calling on retail merchants and agents for successful and profitable lines. Permanent engagement. Weekly cash salary of \$24 and all travelling expenses and hotel bills advanced each week. Experience not essential. Mention references and enclose self-addressed envelope. THE NATIONAL 322, Dearborn St. Chicago.

WANTED—SEVERAL INDUSTRIOUS persons in each state to travel for house established eleven years and with a large capital, to call upon merchants and agents for successful and profitable lines. Permanent engagement. Weekly cash salary of \$24 and all travelling expenses and hotel bills advanced each week. Experience not essential. Mention references and enclose self-addressed envelope. THE NATIONAL 322, Dearborn St. Chicago.

Mull Corners.

Those refreshing rains, and bright sunshine are causing rapid growth. John Cameron is at present sojourning here.

Donald McGillivray, of Elmwood, renewed old acquaintances here last week. Donald is quite hearty yet, and is just as staunch a "grit" as he was twenty-five years ago.

Robert Ewen is busily engaged drawing lath from Potter's mill to Durham, for George Sparling.

Fruit trees look quite promising at present.

We spoke some time ago about sheep-killing by dogs. Just as we expected, the dogs have been at work again, and Dan McLean had his flock worried. It is a down right shame, after the way sheep were killed last fall, for some people to act so careless about their dogs. A man should shoot every dog he sees on his place whether the sun is up or down.

Some are having rather bad luck with their Spring colts; perhaps the hard winter has a little to do with it.

Margaret Quinn has gone to Sullivan, to spend a few days with cousins there.

Mr. Stringer of Holland, passed through here on his way to Normanby, last week. He should know this township pretty well now, as he has gone over it quite often.

Robt. Twamley has some fine stockers on his farm at the corner here. He will make a snug little sum out of them before the summer is over.

The beefing will be starting shortly, and people will get fresh beef weekly. Much better for summer than salt pork.

There is some trouble in this neighborhood at present. Do not be surprised if you hear of one of the parties interested, being placed behind the bars before many days. We will not mention names, but one party deserves to be exposed and punished.

Miss Craig of Sullivan, is at present visiting her sister Mrs. Wm. Quinn, Messrs. Wm. Watt of Dornoch and David Fraser, spent the first part of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McCormack.

Advice from Andrew Carnegie.

Like most men who have won success, Andrew Carnegie has always laid great stress on the need of temperance principles for young men who wish to make their way in the world. Years ago, in an address given before the young men of Pittsburgh, he made the following statements, worth the attention of ambitious young men everywhere.

"I am not a temperance lecturer in disguise," said Mr. Carnegie, "but a man who knows and tells you what observation has proved to him, and I say to you that you are more likely to fail in your business career from acquiring the habit of drinking liquor than from any of the other temptations which are likely to assail you. You may yield to almost any other temptations and reform but from the insane thirst for liquor escape is almost impossible. I have known of but few exceptions to this rule."

On another occasion he stated that as an employer, he never wasted time upon any young man who drank liquor, no matter how exceptional his talents were; "the greater his talents the greater the disappointment must be."

A Farmer Cured of Rheumatism

"A man living on a farm near here came in a short time ago completely doubled up with rheumatism. I handed him a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and told him to use it freely and if not satisfied after using it he need not pay a cent for it," says C. P. Rayder, of Pattens Mills, N. Y. "A few days later he walked into the store as straight as a string and handed me a dollar saying, 'give me another bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I want it in the house all the time for it cured me.' For sale by H. Parker.

Money Found.

A SUM OF MONEY WAS HAND- ed in to this office, and will be returned to the owner on satisfactory proof being given, and expenses paid. An affidavit may be demanded before it is given up. Call at the CHRONICLE OFFICE.

To Our

ADVERTISERS.

PLEASE take Notice that all Copy for Change of Ads., to insure insertion in current week must be in early on Tuesday. Notice of intended change may be sent in before ten o'clock, but Copy must be in our office before noon, otherwise a charge from twenty-five cents up will be added for composition.

Tuesdays and Wednesdays are very busy days in our office, it will be to the interest of the advertiser as to our interest to get the "copy" in early, and changes coming late will be set up and charged for when we have time.

W. IRWIN, : : Proprietor.

Some Red Saunders Philosophy.

"Of all the worlds I ever broke into this one's the most curious," said Red Saunders, "and one of the curiosest things in it is that I think it's queer. Why should I, now? What puts it into our heads that affairs ought to go so and so when they never do anything of the sort? Take any book you read or any story a man tells you. It runs along about how Mr. Smith made up his mind to do this or that and proceeded to do it. And that never happened. What Mr. Smith calls making up his mind is, when you come down to bed rock, nothing more nor less than what Mr. Smith pleasantly calls his mind dodging to cover under pressure of circumstances. That's straight. Old Lady Luck comes for Mr. Smith's mind, swinging both hands. She gives it for a stem winder on the ear, lams it for keeps on the smeller, chugs it one in to its stummock, and Mr. Smith's mind breaks for cover; then Mr. Smith tells his wife that he's made up his mind—he, mind you! Wouldn't that stun you?"—McClure's.

Ancient Cooking School.

We of the twentieth century are inclined to think of cooking schools as belonging exclusively to our day and generation. Therefore it may be news to many people that as long ago as the reign of good Queen Anne a Mr. Kiddie had a school of cookery in Queen street, Cheapside, and another in Holborn. Here is his advertisement—the original is on good paper, with a neatly engraved border:

To All Young Ladies: At Edward Kiddie's pastry school, at Little Lincoln's Inn Fields, are taught all kinds of pastry and cookery, Dutch hollow works and butter works on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays, in the afternoon, and on the same days in the morning at his school in Norris street, St. James, Haymarket, and at his school at St. Martin's le Grand on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays, in the afternoons.

What Dutch hollow works may be none of the cooking schools of today seems to know, but they sound good.

The Fierce Caterpillar.

A more harmless, inoffensive creature does not crawl than the common garden caterpillar, yet this small worm will put up an appearance so fierce upon occasion as to frighten its enemies away. Soft and pulpy, with no defensive or offensive weapons, this destroyer of cabbages and lettuces will bluff itself into a veritable armored cruiser and frighten many more for milder insects into ungovernable flight. Its method of procedure is like this: Immediately anything approaches, the slow moving, fat caterpillar raises its hairy body, wags a formidable looking head and looks the essence of strength and defiance, so much so that it requires a bird of a particularly valiant disposition to attack it.

When Doctors Were Slaves.

Romans of means had physicians in their own houses. These men were slaves, for, odd as it seems, many Roman slaves were accomplished in literature, art and science. At one time the selling price of a slave doctor was about the equivalent of \$300 in our money.

After the time of Julius Caesar, who encouraged physicians, the art began to "lift its head" in Rome, and later men of character and position, though generally foreigners, entered the profession. Some of them accumulated large fortunes, and one made the equivalent of at least \$500,000 in a few years.

Sarcastic.

In a volume of memoirs it is told that on the first council day after Lord Derby's elevation to the premiership Greville showed his disapproval by not appearing in his place as clerk. Some busybody asked Lord Derby whether he had noticed Greville's absence, and Lord Derby replied, with a face of benevolent apology: "No, really! You know, I am the most inattentive fellow in the world about these things. I never notice, when I ring the bell, whether John or Thomas answers it."

Boon Island.

Probably Boon island would be but little known outside of New Hampshire, Maine and Massachusetts if it were not for the fact that the island is the terminal of the Cape Ann trial course. Perhaps it would be more proper to call the island the northern terminal, but at any rate Boon island gains a mention in this way every time a new battleship or cruiser is tried off this coast, as all those not built on the Pacific always are.

Artists and Poets.

Artists and poets are like stars—they belong to no land. A strictly national painter or a strictly national poet is bound to be parochial, a kind of village pump. And you may write inscriptions all over him and build monuments above him, but he remains a pump by a local spring.

His Ideal.

Editor—What do you mean by "a girl of rare intelligence and one who refused to take advantage of alleged advantages offered her?"

Critic—Simply this: She does not dance, sing or play, but she can sharpen a lead pencil, drive a nail and keep a secret.

Stretching Process.

"The doctor says I must take some massage treatment to limber up the muscles of my neck."

"Massage nothing! Come down to the theater at 5 o'clock and watch the matinee girls come out."

When a man knows how to give the baby a bath his wife doesn't know whether to rejoice because he is so smart or to weep because he is so little like a man.—New York Press.

Legs and Oratory.

In the "Souvenirs de Mme. Recamier" there is a pleasant description of a scene which took place during her exile at Lyons in 1813. Almost every cultivated or fashionable individual who passed through that city was sure to be attracted to her house. Talma, the tragedian, happened to be giving some representations in the Grand theater and was dining with Mme. Recamier when the bishop of Troyes, better known as the abbe of Boulogne, was announced. This celebrated preacher, though devoted to literature and familiar with the works of the great playwrights, had never seen a play performed.

After dinner Talma was persuaded to recite, to the intense gratification of the abbe, parts from his principal roles. In return Talma begged the ecclesiastic to repeat some passages of his sermons. When he had done so, "It is splendid, monseigneur, as far as this," exclaimed Talma, touching the chest of the preacher, "but the lower part of your body is deplorable! Clearly you have never bestowed a thought upon your legs!"

Stanley as a Fighter.

A thoroughly good man was Henry M. Stanley, whom I first met in the Ashanti expedition. No noise, no danger ruffled his nerve, and he looked as cool and self possessed as if he had been at "target practice." Time after time as I turned in his direction I saw him go down to a kneeling position to steady his rifle as he plied the most daring of the enemy with a never failing aim. It is nearly thirty years ago, and I can still see before me the close shut lips and determined expression of his manly face, which, when he looked in my direction, told plainly I had near me an Englishman in plain clothes whom no danger could appall. Had I felt inclined to run away the cool, firm, unflinching manliness of that face would have given me fresh courage. I had been previously somewhat prejudiced by others against him, but all such feelings were slain and buried at Amoafu.—Lord Wolseley's Recollections.

Irving Improved.

"Now tell me what you can about Ichabod Crane," said the teacher as she took up the "Legend of Sleepy Hollow." The little pupil described Ichabod's personal appearance and concluded with, "And he carried home the palm that belonged to the parson."

The teacher gasped. "What are you talking about?" she demanded.

"Well, it said so in the book, and I'll find it for you," said the pupil excitedly, and she turned the pages until she found a certain paragraph which she triumphantly pointed out. And the teacher read, "It was a matter of no little vanity to him on Sundays to take his station in front of the church gallery with a band of chosen singers, where in his own mind he completely carried away the palm from the parson."

Umbrellas and Religious Services.

Umbrellas have always been intimately associated with religious services in Catholic churches. They were introduced in the church services of the Byzantine church, are borne over the host in procession and form part of the pontifical regalia as well as that of a cardinal. It is quite likely that the cardinal's hat is derived from the umbrella.

In Italian heraldry a vermilion umbrella in a field argent signifies dominion. The Harleian manuscripts have at least one drawing of an Anglo-Saxon gentleman whose servant shades him with a sort of umbrella having a curved handle and evidently not meant to close.

The Tone of Machinery.

Engineers judge of the condition of their machinery by the tone it gives out while running. Every engine, whether stationary or locomotive, has a particular tone of its own. The engineer becomes accustomed to that, and any departure from it at once excites a suspicion that all is not right. The engineer may not know what is the matter. He may have no ear for music, but the change in the tone of his machine will be instantly perceptible, will be instantly recognized and will start him on an immediate investigation.

Electricity Among the Japanese.

The Japanese understood electricity as an attractive force, of which they were very secret. The Greeks and Romans also knew something of the magnet as an attractive force known to modern science as an electrical attraction, something like the loadstone of the Chinese. They are supposed to be ignorant of its popularity, though in their secret records there are mentions of sacred forces which none but God knew and must not be tampered with by man.

Proofs of Affection.

She—You don't know what it is to love.

He—I don't, eh? Haven't I been to every play, read every popular novel in the last six months, got into debt hopelessly and cut off my mustache, and all for your sake?

Reflex Intimidation.

Eleanor—I've refused Edgar five times.

Dorothy—Well? Eleanor—Here's a note saying he lends me this lovely diamond ring to wear until I accept him.

Now, Wasn't That Mean?

Mrs. J.—I wish you wouldn't snore so. Mr. J.—I have to, my dear; otherwise the other boarders would hear you.

One can stop when he ascends, but not when he descends.—Napoleon.

20 Per Cent.

Is a big discount. That's what we're going to give on our new stock of **Ready-to-wear Clothing**. Remember our stock is new and complete and it is only to **introduce our perfect fitting Clothing** that we offer this generous discount **For Ten Days Only**.

In our House Furnishing Department

We have many new and stylish Draperies, Coverings, etc.

New Cretonnes and Art Muslins.

New Art Sateens, (10 different patterns & shades.)

New Draperies and Silkolines.

One of our best offerings of the season is our line of beautiful **FANCY MUSLINS** in several shades, only **12½c per yard**.

OUR GINGHAMS, ZEPHYRS and COTTON VOILES are all marked just a little closer than most.

REMEMBER our large stock of NEW DRESS GOODS and SUITINGS.

FOR ONE WEEK MORE we will offer those NEW EMBROIDERIES, six inches wide, worth from 20c to 25c per yard, at 12½c per yard. Many patterns worth from 7c to 10c, for 5c per yard.

WE ARE SHOWING all the newest and daintiest patterns in LACES and INSERTIONS, ALL OVER LACES, RIBBONS and TRIMMINGS.

We are always pleased to show our New Goods whether you buy or not.

Highest Prices Paid for Butter and Eggs.

— THE CASH STORE. —

H.H. MOCKLER

There Are Places

Where the **STYLES** never change. But none us want to live there. The demand for the latest in Millinery is what we are constantly on the lookout for. Our Millinery Department is fully prepared to meet this demand—with a full stock of the very newest summer hats—both **Trimmed Shapes** and **Made-up Dress Hats**. Our millinery prices are without doubt the lowest seen anywhere.

Ladies' and Misses' Raincoats.

WE ARE SHOWING the largest range of the most stylish raincoats ever shown in Durham. Cravenette and Rubber lined. Prices **\$3 to \$10**

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Very large range of Boots and Shoes to select from—for men, women and children. **The best boots and shoes on the market—that's the kind we sell.** Shoes that will wear and will give you your money's worth.

JAS. IRELAND

REMEMBER THE PLACE — — LAIDLAW'S OLD STAND.