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The Big Store

The Slater Shoe for Men

"Praise the sea but keep on land." Admire window shoes — that's what they were made for. But keep on wearing the shoe you know to be "as good as it looks." — \$4.00, \$5.50. "The Slater Shoe"

It's easy to sacrifice quality and produce style in shoes. What you want is both quality and style at a fair price. The combination of quality and style at a moderate cost has made the Slater shoe famous all over Canada.

Goodbye World!

Happy Thought Range.

A range above all others. A prize winner wherever shown. A general favorite with the best housekeepers. A work of art and will last a lifetime. We can give you testimonials from a dozen or more of the ladies of Durham who use the Happy Thought Range.

GROCERIES FOR SATURDAY.

3 pkg. Chinese Starch, 25c. 4 pkg. King Corn Starch, 25c. 3 pkg. McLaren's Jelly, 25c.

Rush in your Butter and Eggs while prices are good.

Alex. Russell

THE BIG STORE

THE PEOPLE'S STORE

Spring Goods

DAILY ARRIVING HERE

The Choicest of the Choice--

This very inadequately describes the splendid qualities of one of the largest and most magnificent purchases of

Boots and Shoes

ever made in this County. Their equal is not to be seen elsewhere.



New Spring Hats.

The man or boy we can't fit and please with a spring hat will be hard to find. We have the very latest styles in either the Christy or the Soft Felt.

TRY US FOR FRESH GROCERIES.

ROBERT BURNETT
DURHAM — — — ONTARIO

Flesherton.

A pretty home wedding took place at five o'clock on Wednesday evening of last week at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. James Chard, fourth line, Artemesia, when their only daughter, Mary, was married to Mr. Alex. S. McMullen, son of Mr. David McMullen of this place. The bride's pastor, Rev. L. W. Thom performed the ceremony in the presence of about fifty guests. The handsome bride was given away by her father, and as the bridal party took their places beneath a prettily decorated arch of evergreens, Mrs. Thom played the wedding march. The bride, who was becomingly attired in a navy blue ladies' cloth skirt, and white tulle silk waist trimmed with ribbon, was attended by Miss Elizabeth McMullen, the groom's sister, who wore a ladies' navy blue cloth skirt and white silk waist trimmed with lace. Mr. Mark Peeter was groomsmen. After the ceremony a sumptuous wedding supper was served, and then till a late hour the evening was enjoyably spent with music etc. The bride was the recipient of a large number of valuable wedding presents that of the groom being a beautiful gold watch. Mr. McMullen having recently purchased the farm which has been the home of the bride, the young couple are settling thereon, and a wide circle of friends wish them much happiness and prosperity.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Stewart, of the west back line, on Thursday last, and we extend our congratulations.

Communion service was held in the Presbyterian church on Sabbath last. Rev. Geo. Ballantyne of Markdale, preached at the preparatory service on Friday. It was Mr. Ballantyne's first pulpit appearance here and his edifying sermon was very highly appreciated.

Miss Maud Richardson, art teacher in Alma Ladies' College, St. Thomas, has been for the second year successful in having a picture painted by her accepted by the Ontario Society of Artists, for their annual exhibition in Toronto, which was held during the past two weeks. Miss Richardson is to be congratulated upon this evidence of success in her art work as only pictures of special merit are given a place in this annual exhibition.

Mr. Alexander, Alexander, tailor, has sold his residence and two acre plot on Ellen street to Mr. J. Patton who takes possession at once. Mr. Patton has also bought from Mr. Sproule the vacant lot on the opposite corner. Mr. Alexander has removed to the residence and shop formerly occupied by him next door to the Medical Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Guest of Henderson, Maine, have the sympathy of their friends here on the loss of their little four months' old daughter Hazel Irene, who died on Thursday last. The parents arrived here with the body on Saturday and from Mrs. Henry Richardson's, the home of Mrs. Guest's mother, the funeral took place on Sunday to the public cemetery.

On Tuesday of last week, Mr. John Paul of Faversham, agent for the Massey-Harris company, had a large implement delivery from this point to farmers in Osprey. The teams and laden sleighs were photographed on the village square.

About thirty ladies and a few gentlemen were present at the meeting in the interests of the W. C. T. U., held in the Presbyterian church on Thursday afternoon last. Miss Doyle, President of the County, and Mrs. McLeod, President of the Owen Sd. branch addressed the meeting on the work of the society, after which organization was effected here with officers elected as follows: President Mrs. (Rev.) L. W. Thom; Vice-Pres. Mrs. Jos. Radley; Cor. Sec. Mrs. W. A. Armstrong; Rec. Sec. Mrs. N. C. Mansell; Treas. Miss Boggs.

The trustees of S. S. No. 8, east of the village, opened the tenders on Thursday last for their new brick building to be erected this summer. Mr. C. W. Bellamy, we learn secured the contract at \$1600. The furnace and other fittings will make the total cost about \$2500.

On the street on Friday evening last Stanley Thurston, foreman in the Advance office, ran against the teeth of a cross cut saw in the hands of Mr. C. W. Bellamy and received a nasty gash in the face. Dr. Carter stitched and dressed the wound.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Edge Hill.

Mr. George Ritchie sold a fine horse to Mr. Thos. Morrison for the sum of \$149.

Miss Tena Firth visited friends in Markdale for a few days last week. Don H. Firth was home from Markdale over Sunday. He was accompanied by his cousin, Hugh.

Mr. Chas. A. Goodave, of Acton, was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. D. Greenwood for a couple of weeks.

Miss Millie Mann of Grand Valley is visiting at Mr. Robt. Edge's.

The young people are having their share of parties this year. There have been two recently, one at Robt. Edge's, and the other at W. Ritchie's. Both went off well, all enjoying themselves. A snap shot of the latter was taken by Mr. Goodave.

Henry's Corners.

It is with deep regret we are called upon to record the death of one of our oldest settlers, in the person of Mr. Wm. Wilder, who died suddenly of heart failure on Tuesday about mid night. The deceased was born in the neighborhood of Simcoe county about 81 years ago, and leaves a wife and large family to mourn the loss of a loving husband and kind father, five daughters and three sons in Michigan and two at home. Owing to the suddenness of his demise, the family from a distance were unable to attend the funeral. He had recently sold his farm, and intended moving the family to Michigan. The interment took place on Friday, the 10th, to Wilder's cemetery, and was largely attended.

Mrs. Robert Henry of Robb visited her relatives around the Corners last week.

Miss Barbara Watt of Durham spent last week with her aunt, Mrs. Peter Reid.

We are pleased to see Mrs. Robt. Henry, who has been under the weather lately, is able to around.

Mrs. Will Clark of Varney visited her parent here last week.

Miss Agnes Hunter was the guest of her friend, Miss Jean Brown, of your town, part of last week.

Messrs. R. Reid and G. Swanson paid a flying visit to Southampton, the latter part of last week.

Your Cornerman was calling down the young Hunter from our burg for getting lost in a storm, but we would like to know what the for-Lorne lad from his district finds to attract his attention around our corners.

Mr. James M. Matthews of Proton visited his parents, and attended the wedding of his cousin, Miss Morrison to Mr. Irvine, of the west.

Mr. Wm. Brown gave a party to the youth and beauty of his parts on Friday last, dancing being the principal pastime. We judge they had a most enjoyable time, as they did not go home till morning.

A few of the lads and lassies from around the Corners spent a very enjoyable evening at Mr. David Hamilton's one night last week.

Mr. John Wilson, while on his way to Durham, was greatly alarmed by hearing a terrible noise in the base line, but upon investigation it proved to be Will Allan and Charlie Reid cutting logs. What J. W. would like to know is which was making the most noise, the falling of the trees, or the boys yelling.

How's This.

We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Chesney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taking internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Chain Lost.

A good silver watch chain, old style of many years ago. Stolen by Mortley McIntyre and said by him to have been lost between R. Bank's gate and Edge Hill. Chain belonged to grandfather and father of present owner, and is prized because of its age, etc. The finder will be rewarded on returning same to

GEO. STAPDES.

TENDERS WANTED.

To cut and pile 400,000 feet, more or less. Lumber mostly hard wood.

Also offers entertained on a good second hand Saw-mill, either Band or Circular. THE DURHAM FURNITURE CO., Limited.

Farmers' Manufacturing and Supply Co., Limited.

We have put up a sign. It means low prices to shareholders. The shares are going fast, and why not? You could not make a better investment. Look at the saving on the following.

CREAM SEPARATORS.

To shareholders \$45.00 to \$65.00. To others \$70.00 to \$110.00. Prices according to size.

SEWING MACHINES.

To shareholders \$18.70 to \$25.00. To others \$25.00 to \$35.00.

Our machines are not cheap grade machines but are first class in every respect. A guarantee goes with each machine.

THE FIRST CARLOAD OF

BUGGIES

is expected to arrive at an early date.

When in town call and see for yourself. You will find the Company's representative at the warerooms and he will be pleased to furnish any information desired.

The Farmers' Manufacturing & Supply Co., Limited

Ayer's

One dose of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral at bedtime prevents night coughs of children. No croup. No bronchitis. A

Cherry Pectoral

doctor's medicine for all affections of the throat, bronchial tubes, and lungs. Sold for over 60 years.

"I have used Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in my family for eight years. There is nothing equal to it for coughs and colds, especially for children." — Mrs. W. H. BAYNES, Shelby, Ala.

Prepared by J. C. AYER & CO., Lowell, Mass.

Keep the bowels open with one of Ayer's Pills at bedtime, just one.

Market Report.

DURHAM, Mar. 15, 1905.

Fall Wheat	95 to \$1 00
Spring Wheat	95 to 1 00
Oats	37 to 37
Peas	62 to 62
Barley	40 to 42
Hay	7 00 to 7 00
Butter	18 to 18
Eggs	18 to 18
Potatoes per bag	50 to 55
Apple	1 00 to 1 00
Flour per cwt.	2 75 to 3 00
Oatmeal per sack	2 40 to 2 40
Chop per cwt.	1 10 to 1 10
Live Hogs	5 30 to 5 30
Dressed Hogs per cwt.	6 50 to 7 00
Hides per lb.	5 1/2 to 5 1/2
Sheepskins	50 to 1 00
Wool	20 to 20
Lamb	7 to 75
Tallow	4 to 4 1/2
Lard	10 to 12

A Safe Cough Medicine for Children.

In buying a cough medicine for children never be arraid to buy Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. There is no danger from it and relief is always sure to follow. It is especially valuable for colds, croup and whooping cough. For sale at Parker's Drug Store.

Millinery

We have just returned from attending the openings at Detroit and Toronto and are now prepared to cater to the wants of the public in everything that is required for up-to date headgear.

MISS PORTER our head trimmer, is a lady of wide experience and comes to us highly recommended, having had several years' experiences in large city establishments.

Our entire staff is now busily engaged preparing for the Spring Opening which will eclipse all former ones, as our stock is the finest that money can procure. In the meantime all orders will be filled quickly and satisfactorily.

MISS DICK

McIntyre Block. — Durham, Ont.

GOOD POSITIONS.

The Mount Forest

Business College

Has placed all its graduates in good positions and has several good positions in view. Its courses are the most up-to-date and the best that can be obtained in Canada or the United States, and as its examination papers are read by a board of examiners specially appointed, its diplomas are an excellent recommendation in both these countries.

Good positions present themselves to every person, and young people with a business training are always in demand. We are now prepared to receive any young ladies and gentlemen who wish to accept good positions in April and May. All our students are taught separately at their own desks, and do their work independent of one another. In this way, they receive special attention in such subjects as are difficult to them, and are enabled to accomplish considerable in a short time. They may also, begin the course at any time.

Day and Evening Classes. Trial Lesson free. Visitors always welcome.

W. T. CLANCY, Prin.

Pretty as Pretty Sees

So with Many Eyes.

"My face is my fortune," said the pretty maid in the old English ballads. She had proper appreciation of the value of a fair face in the matrimonial market. Eyes make or mar many a face, the other features may be ever so comely, a pair of weak red, inflamed or twitching eyes will spoil all beauty. Properly adjusted glasses will cure most of these troubles. Our qualifications and equipment for eye examination are the most thorough and modern, our choice of frames and taste for fitting them is unexcelled.

A. Gordon

Watchmaker. Jeweller. Optician.

Hardware.

It is a common expression among our customers that they are delighted at being able to find so many articles they require in our establishment. . . .

SILVERWARE.

In Silverware we have the variety and it is no trouble to select a Wedding present.

SAP PAILS AND SPILES.

When you are getting ready for sugar making do not forget that we handle Sap Pails and Spiles

BREAD MIXERS.

No family should be without one of our Bread Mixers. Every person is delighted that has one.

SNOW SHOVELS.

We are giving away this week 1/2 lb Baking Powder with every 30c Snow Shovel

TRUNKS, ETC.

Our assortment of Trunks, Valises and Suit Cases are worthy of inspection.

RANGES.

Ask your neighbor about our Penn Esther Ranges. They are giving great satisfaction with either wood or coal

W. Black.

The Chronicle,

Local News Items

GATHERED DURING THE PAST WEEK FOR CHRONICLE READERS.

THE Ontario Legislature opens Wednesday.

GIRL WANTED.—Apply at the Middaugh House.
GET your Saws gunned at the Durham Foundry.

HOUSE and lot for sale.—Apply to Mrs. Thos. Fox.—tf

SHORT Wood for Sale.—Apply to James Marshall, Middaugh House.—tf

WERE it not for a few green badges worn by the boys, St. Patrick's Day in Durham might have passed unnoticed.

CUSTOM SAWING.—Robert Smith has purchased a portable mill, and is prepared to do custom sawing at the Durham Foundry.

THE Harrison Tribune is about the only paper on our exchange list that is ready to swallow the North-West Autonomy Bill in its entirety.

FOR SALE.—A splendid draught filly, rising three years, or a fine mare five years old, in foal. Apply to Geo. Ritchie, Edge Hill.

OUR CORNET CONCERTS correspondent stated recently that Mrs. Dennet had rented her farm. This turns out to be an error, though she would like to rent with the privilege of staying on the farm for another year.

MARKDALE council has voted an appropriation of \$150 for salaries of reeve and councilmen, \$25 for each councilman, and \$50 for reeve. The Standard says the action is causing more or less adverse criticism.

WE notice by the Toronto papers that Rev. Mr. Boone, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Colin McDougall, has resigned his charge as pastor of the Leamington Baptist church, to accept a pastorate in a Baptist church in Detroit.

WE regret to learn of the very serious illness, from pneumonia, of Mrs. Chas. Lawrence, of Hutton Hill. Mr. Lawrence himself is scarcely yet recovered from an attack of the same kind. Mrs. Lawrence was reported unconscious for four days, but a change for the better came Sunday, and we are pleased to learn she is on the mend.

OUR advertising patrons think we're hard when we refuse changes of advertisements later than Tuesday noon. Dundalk Herald says "copy for changes must be in not later than 6 p. m. on Mondays." The Herald is perfectly right in this, and since Monday is the dullest business day in Durham, there seems very little reason why they couldn't accommodate us by giving their changes at the same time.

In a letter to his mother, dated March 1st, Mr. R. J. Scott, of Great Bend, Saskatchewan, is loudly praising the western country. In part he says: "How are you for sleighing? Ours is all gone and we have beautiful warm weather. People were harrowing the last days of February. The country is still booming here. Last week there was a farm of 320 acres, with hardly any improvements, sold for \$6000.00. The train is at Baltimore, 8 miles from here. The town lots of Goodrich were put on the market at \$25 each."

THE Advertising Agencies have more cheek than a canal mule. We have just received an offer asking for six inches of set up matter every week, top of column next to reading matter and all the other conditions the Agency knows about to hold the printer down to hard pan. "Jo" him out of his space and have him turn out a paper that would one of a rag carpet on a sump fence. The munificent offer of \$9.00 net is what the generous Agency offers for the work for one whole year of fifty-two weeks, reserving to themselves, of course, the right to do any amount of kicking. Now, we need money bad enough, but it will be a long time before the pills take effect if the Agency waits for us to advertise the at such rates, and on such conditions. We have up our circulation to about 1500 and we don't propose to throw away our space to build up the business of a pill factory.