

The Big Store

BARGAINS : : FOR : : SATURDAY

It was a corker—our bargain days of last two weeks. We had great expectations, but we surprised ourselves and the people too. Many had to leave, couldn't be waited upon, but on Saturday we will have better accommodation and better bargains. Everybody is invited—our visitors are welcomed, our patrons esteemed.

IF YOU ARE HUNGRY FOR BARGAINS you shall have 'em. We have held the first place in Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Ready-made Clothing, Gent's Furnishings, Groceries and Hardware—in fact in everything—and the trade we have won we mean to keep—and what's more—to increase. We never remember a time when goods of all kinds were so fine, good or cheap. We absolutely refuse to handle inferior goods. If you care a rap about economy we think the following bargains on SATURDAY will interest you but that's for you to say. Glance over these prices and see.

DRY GOODS

300 yds. Fancy Gingham, 10c and 12½c for	.08
50 yds. Black Dress Goods, 50c for	.35
75 yds. Colored Dress Goods, 50c for	.35
Dress Ends, 75c yd. for	.50
Skirt Ends, 75c yd. for	.50
Men's Ready-to-wear Suits, \$8 50 for	6.50

GROCERIES.

3 Packages McLaren Jellies for	.25
Red Cross Baking Powder, 10c for	.05
5 Packages 8c King Corn Starch for	.25
3 Bottles Trilby Shoe Polish, 10c each for	.25

To give the farmers a chance, as well as town people, we will give you 17 lbs. of Redpath's Granulated Sugar for \$1.00 from 2 to 3 p. m. No more than one dollar's worth to any one person.

All Bargains must be Cash or Produce.

Alex. Russell

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Edge Hill.

Mrs. C. Williams has been on the sick list for some time.

Miss Tena Firth goes to town this week to learn dressmaking.

Mr. Alex. Japp is paying his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edge, a short visit before entering upon his summer's duties on one of the large steamships at Owen Sound.

Richard Barker's sale last week was fairly well attended and prices were good. Dick leaves this week for the Northwest.

Wm. Ritchie sold a horse to Thos. Ritchie last week and replaced the one sold with a handsome three-year-old which he purchased from Mr. Orchard, Holstein. Mr. Ritchie has now a well matched heavy draught team.

The watch chain stolen some time ago from Mr. Geo. Staples by Morley McIntyre, was found last week by Master John Greenwood and returned to its owner. George was much pleased to get it and amply rewarded the lucky finder.

Mrs. Jas. McCracken and family removed from our neighborhood to town last week. Mrs. McCracken was a good neighbor and held in high respect. Our best wishes go with her to her new home.

Traverston.

The old March adage was shattered this year. It came in like a lamb, lived like a mild gazelle, and swan-like died. That information is for Chronicle readers in 'Sunny Alberta.'

At Spring Lake, Alberta, March 10th, to Mr. and Mrs. Will Banks, was given a bonnie wee girl. Will's old friends around here send hearty congratulations.

There's a jubilation in the neighborhood over the coming home of "Dick" Davis on Saturday from Al-iston. He has completed his smithy apprenticeship, but is going to run the home farm this season.

It was with sadness we read of the death of Mr. Alex. Dargavel. We have a happy remembrance of a glorious September day in 1887, when he and the writer raced horses for the rear end of a wedding procession. We always found him an open-hearted, generous-hearted companion. One by one the friends of bygone days are dropping off.

Having purchased a cosy residence in town, Mr. and Mrs. John McArthur of the 4th con., retired from the farm, last week. They were among the pioneers of that line and have ever proved to be neighbors upright, honest, obliging and hospi-

Ayer's

Your doctor will tell you that thin, pale, weak, nervous children become strong and well by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Small doses, for a few days.

Sarsaparilla

The change is very prompt and very marked. Ask your doctor why it is. He has our formula and will explain.

"When 12 years old, for many months no one thought I could live because of thin blood. But in a few weeks, Ayer's Sarsaparilla completely restored me to health."
Mrs. E. BUCKMINSTER, Vineland, N. J.

for
The Children

Biliousness, constipation prevent recovery. Cure these with Ayer's Pills.

able. They have made life a financial success and, now, in their sunset days are enabled to take life easier. Hugh has rented the homestead and purposes erecting a frame barn this summer, the contract for the framework being let to Mr. John Meagher.

Rheumatic Pains Quickly Cured

The excruciating pains characteristic of rheumatism and sciatica are quickly relieved by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm. The great pain relieving power of the liniment has been the surprise and delight of thousands of sufferers. The quick relief from pain which it affords is alone worth many times its cost. For sale at Parker's Drug Store.

FIRST SIGHT OF SNOW

Los Angeles, Cal., April 2—One of the heaviest storms of snow and hail in the history of the State swept over the orange belt Thursday, extending from Los Angeles on the west of the mountains east of Riverside and San Bernardino, and giving to Southern California its first real touch of winter after a season of unusually mild weather and abundant rainfall. Snow fell in such a quantity in Pomona that it was possible to make a "snow man"—the first ever seen in this city, which is in the very heart of the orange belts.

Children, hundreds of whom had never seen snow except on the tops of the distant mountains, revelled in it and no pedestrian was immune from bombardment with snowballs while the snow lasted.

Chas. Senande, while listening to a case in the Police Court, was detected by Officer Elliott expectorating on the floor of the hallway. Senande was taken before Magistrate Bartlett, and was fined \$5.50. This is the first conviction under the new bylaw forbidding spitting on the sidewalks or in public places.

"Mother, can we go to play with the other children?" "You may play with the little girls, Emily, but not with the boys; the little boys are too rough." "Well, mother, if we find a nice, smooth little boy, can we play with him?"—Life.

A GOOD MOTTO.

Upon the door I saw a sign: I cried, "A motto! And its mine!" A wiser thing I never saw— No Median or Persian law Should be more rigidly enforced Than this, from verbiage divorced; Its logic firm as any rock— "Push—don't knock."

'Twas simply meant to guide the hand Of those who wished to sit or stand Within the unassuming door This weight of sermmony that bore 'Twas never meant to teach or preach But just to place in easy reach The ear of him who dealt in stock— "Push—don't knock."

But what a guide for life was that— Stroug, philosophic and pat; How safe a chat for you and me While cruising o'er life's restless sea; Push, always push with goal in view Don't knock—avoid the the hammer screw, This will save you many a shock; "Push—don't knock."

When on that door I see the sign, I say, "Great motto, you rare mine!" No stronger sermon ever fell From human lips; no sage could tell The hothead youth nearly how To point always his vessel's prow There are no wiser words in stock— "Push—don't knock."

—Baltimore American.

HOUSE TO RENT.

FRONT PART OF DOUBLE House—five rooms—to rent. Terms reasonable. For further particulars apply to JAS. CARSON, Durham, or to M. O'DONNELL, 210 61st Ave. West Duluth, Minn.

Pretty . . Millinery

On our opening days last week "nice things" were said about our display which eclipsed all previous efforts. Said one enthusiast—"why, what a delightful display, it was really beyond my expectations to find such variety in Durham. Just the same pleasurable surprise was present when prices were quoted. The hundreds that visited our showrooms went away "wearing that satisfied smile." Our order book shows that the people of Durham and vicinity are bound to come here for stylish millinery. All the season's creations were on exhibition and as a result we had a "becoming hat" for everybody. So great has been the demand for our millinery that we have had to order more goods which means that our display is more elaborate now than on opening days. Come here for your millinery and your headgear will be correct.

MISS DICK

McIntyre Block. — Durham, Ont.

1878=1905

Our 27th Anniversary Sale

BOOMS MERRILY ALONG.

During the month of April we will give a discount of Ten per cent on all goods at

Gordon's

Watchmaker. Jeweller. Optician.

The shareholders of the Co. who have bought goods are well satisfied.

Drop in and see for yourself.

If you are going to buy a Windmill see our mill and prices before you buy.

We are not soliciting orders but we are ready to fill your order and save you money.

If you are not a shareholder it will pay you to become one at once.

Get our Binder Twine prices before going elsewhere.

Farmers' Manufacturing and Supply Co., Limited.

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.

ITEMS . . . to Remember

I. We are selling off our stock of Ready-mades at greatly reduced prices.

II. We have a bargain table of Boots, Shoes and Leggings at from 50 to 90 cents per pair.

III. We have a nice stock of brand new spring goods—just the articles that every practical house-keeper requires.

IV. We want 700 dozen Fresh Eggs per week. Bring them to us. We pay highest price in cash or trade.

C. McArthur

Hardware.

PAINTS.

"Not merely good, but the best that can be made." That is what is said of Sherwin-Williams Ready-mixed Paint. We have just received an immense shipment of this celebrated paint and our customers are carrying it away every day.

LOOK!

We are also well stocked with everything for house-cleaning, such as:

- GILLET'S LYE
- ALABASTINE
- ASBESTINE
- WHITING
- VARNISH STAIN
- CRACK FILLER
- FURNITURE POLISH
- PAINT BRUSHES
- VARNISH BRUSHES
- WHITEWASH BRUSHES
- SCRUB BRUSHES, ETC.

COAL OIL.

American and Canadian Coal Oil always in stock.

W. Black.

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The Chronicle

Local News Items

GATHERED DURING THE PAST WEEK
CHRONICLE READERS

TAKE YOUR foot measure and repairing to Peel's.

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

GET YOUR Saws gummed at Durham Foundry.

Ladies' don't buy your Spring until the 15th. Flairty is getting the very thing you want.

PASTURE TO LET.—On Lambton east. Apply on premises to Whitmore.—4pd

FOR SALE.—Massey-Harris Good as new. Has cut only eight acres.—John W. Lunney, Aberd.

THE Prices for new, upto spring footwear, are very moderate. Peel's.

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

UNTIL Saturday, April 15th, will the CHRONICLE for the balance of year, and the Toronto Daily News new subscribers, for \$1.40.

THE saw-mill that has been going some time in the rear of our has been taken to Glenelg to cut logs out there.

THE regular meeting of Ben Camp will be held on Friday evening April 14. A full attendance is requested, as arrangements for a demonstration on July 1 is under discussion.

A Royal Scarlet meeting will be held in Calder's Hall on Friday, April 14th, at 8 o'clock p. m. All members are requested to attend, as important business will be on hand.—J. W. Scribe.

We took a trip to Thornbury week and found the roads much better than we expected. Three weeks previously the snow was piled up as high as the fences in many places, and a great transformation in so short a time was quite a surprise. In only a few places is snow now to be found.

DURHAM Junior Epworth League Christian Endeavor purpose hold open meeting on the evening of Friday next, in the Methodist church. The Rev. Wray R. and Mrs. Wray (D. V.) will be present and take part in the program for the evening's entertainment which is being prepared by the Juniors. Silver collection.

GEORGE LAWRENCE is out of dollars anyway. On Friday afternoon last, he tells us, some one slipped behind the counter, opened a till and carried off a ten and a half and perhaps four or five one-dollar bills. Though considerable money was left, George says there is no doubt about the theft having been committed, as it was only a short time he missed the money that the dollar bill was put in the drawer.

THE forty-fourth annual meeting of the Ontario Educational Association will be held in the University Toronto building on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, April 25, 26, 27. Reduced rates on the railways were granted to trustees, teachers and others attending the convention. Becoming members of the Association at one first-class fare and one-third the round trip, if more than fifty railway certificates attend; first-class fare if three hundred or more holding railway certificates. These tickets are good from April 1st to May 1st.

In this issue will be found two communications regarding the re-organization of the Furniture Factory, one by "Worker," and the other "Ratepayers." Both, alike, endeavor in their best style to have a large vote for by-law, and both seem to feel the failure to carry will be a calamity to the town. A factory, recently closed down, and the citizens are exceedingly anxious to have an industry spring up in its place. Wherever you go it's the same story. The failure of an industry followed by the inevitable "dead-end" Clarksburg, to-day, is ready to induce to any concern the give employment to the people.

THE PEOPLE'S STORE

Your Spring Suit is Ready!

"REGENT" is the name of it.

A Man That Sees
A Good Thing . . .

And don't take advantage of it is lacking somewhere. At present a good many men are thinking seriously of their spring suit. Regent clothing will help them to a most satisfying solution of the question. There is no better clothes made in any custom tailor store in Canada than Regent clothing. They are stylish and the fit never wears out. All well dressed people insist on having Regent clothing. Drop in and have a look at the best clothing on earth.

Our clothing prices make new customers daily.



ROBERT BURNETT

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