

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 Ginghams, 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 Tribby 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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Flesherton.

Messrs. Boyd, Hickling & Co's. millinery opening took place on Thursday and Friday last and was an interesting event of the week for the ladies of Flesherton and vicinity, who attended in large numbers and were highly pleased with the pretty creations in headwear prepared for their inspection. Entering the spacious show room, presided over by Miss Matheson, the visitor could see at a glance that the firm had this season secured an artist of fine taste and superior skill. Draping around the room was artistically hung and at each side of the large mirror at the rear, which was banked with flowers, etc., was suspended a very pretty hanging basket of flowers and foliage. A large cross of flowers was another pleasing feature of the decorations. An exceedingly picturesque hat was one rolling high in the front, made entirely of linen lace draped gracefully over the edge of the brim and falling in soft folds to the left shoulder, where it was caught with a brilliant buckle; it was finished with a wreath of forget-me-nots and pink rosbuds in the bandeau. A very pretty combination shewing the shaded effect so fashionable this spring was a plaque in brown satin straw with facing of tiny frills of pleated tulle in shades of brown and tuscany. The edge of the brim was shaded violets, also in brown, and masses of the same hung on the hair at the back. A large shaded brown feather was caught with a gilt buckle at the left side and hung over the back. A strikingly handsome hat of turban style was one rolling high at the back and left side, the brim composed of fancy straw and chiffon trimming in tuscany and white. The large flat crown was of tuscany shirred chiffon. It was trimmed with shaded ribbon in white and tuscany and finished with brilliant buckles. A very dainty picture hat was one of white shirred chiffon (in the Gainsborough shape) with white silk medallions on the underbrim and crown; two plumes fell gracefully over the left side, caught with a steel buckle. Another very fashionable shape was one with the fashionable "dipped" brim, and high crown of soft straw in the new burnt onion shade effectively trimmed with mahogany roses and knotted loops of burnt onion ribbon. Another pretty hat was one of the tricorne shape in campagne and green shaded ribbon and autumn foliage. A large variety of the newest flowers and a big stock of leading novelties in trimmings were shown.

Born—On the 2nd inst., to Mr. and Mrs. John E. Wright, of the west back line, a son.
Mrs. Marr, who lives with her daughter, Mrs. (Rev.) Wilson, had the misfortune to fall a few days ago

Ayer's

When the nerves are weak everything goes wrong. You are tired all the time, easily discouraged, nervous, and irritable. Your cheeks are

Sarsaparilla

pale and your blood is thin. Your doctor says you are threatened with a nervous breakdown. He orders this grand old family medicine.

"For more than 50 years I have used Ayer's Sarsaparilla in my family. It is a grand tonic at all times, and a wonderful medicine for impure blood."—D. C. HOLZ, West Haven, Conn. \$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

Weak Nerves

Keep the bowels regular with Ayer's Pills, just one pill each night.

and fracture a rib. The mishap was a trying one for the esteemed old lady, who celebrated her 81st birthday a few days ago.

Mr. George Cairns, of the back line, gave his foot a bad cut last week while chopping in the bush. Several stitches were inserted to close the wound.

On Saturday last there passed away at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. J. Hales, of this place, Mrs. Elizabeth Croft, relict of the late Mr. Charles Croft, of Osprey. On Monday afternoon a funeral service was conducted at the house by Revs. Iverson Wilson and H. E. Kemp, after which the cortege formed and the remains were conveyed to Maxwell and interred beside those of her husband in the Methodist cemetery there. The deceased was born 77 years ago in Lincolnshire, England, when at the age of 17 she was married to the late Mr. Croft. Five years later she came with her husband to Canada and lived two years at Pickering, then moved to Osprey township where she lived till two years ago. For about 50 years she was a faithful member of the Methodist church and was a very highly respected woman in the community where she long lived. The memory of a good and devoted mother will long be cherished by the members of her family who survived her as follows: Thomas, of Colingwood township; Joseph and Charles, of Osprey; Mrs. Cobber, in Manitoba; Mrs. Hales and Mrs. Gillespie, Flesherton, and Mrs. McKechnie, Markdale.

Mr. C. E. Tryon, painter and decorator, Priceville, has secured the contract of decorating the interior of the Presbyterian church. The job is to be done in May.

Mr. Joseph Clinton is removing to Mr. Alex Stewart's house on Durham street, vacated by Mr. and Mrs. A. Guest, who have moved to Markdale. Mr. Quigg is about to improve his residence vacated by Mr. Clinton.

At the morning service in the Methodist church on Sunday last Rev. Mr. Wilson gave a special address to the boys and girls of his congregation. At the evening service Mr. Alexander's "Glory" song, which has recently stirred old London, was rendered by a full choir.

The recently organized W. C. T. U. here, held their first public meeting in the Methodist church on Monday evening, when Mr. A. W. Beal, B. A., returned missionary from Japan and a leader in the White Cross movement, gave an interesting address. His address subject being "A Citizen and I."

Messrs. Mark Wilson and W. J. Boyd are shipping two cars of stock to the city this week and the former will accompany them.

Mrs. Scott Raff is announced to be here under the auspices of the Epworth League on the evening of the 21st inst.

Rev. J. S. I. Wilson goes to Shelburne on Sunday next and his pulpit is to be supplied by Rev. Mr. Rodwell of Markdale.

Reeve Boyd and Clerk Bellamy go to Toronto this week as representatives from Artesia Council to a convention which has for its aim the amending of the Act regarding civil responsibility of councils for damages on highways.

Mr. T. J. Sheppard, of Toronto Junction, was in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Moore were in Normanby on Sunday and Monday visiting the former's relatives.

Sore Throat and Coughs

A simple, effective and safe remedy for all throat irritations is found in **Cresolene Antiseptic Tablets**. They combine the germicidal value of Cresolene with the soothing properties of slippery elm and licorice. **10c. All Druggists.**

On Tuesday of last week while two of Mr. Samuel Tanson's little boys were playing together at their home in Exeter they got into a wrangle as boys will do and being no one was there to curb them, one of the little fellows allowed his temper to get the better of him. With knife in hand he made an onslaught on his little brother and in Jack the ripper style slashed him unmercifully about the face and neck. A physician was called and it required many stitches to close the painful and ugly wounds. —Worcester Star.

The Rush for Easter Millinery!

Order now—that's the lesson of appearances in our Millinery work-rooms. Don't delay a day longer than necessary. Already our milliners feel the pressure of work. What will it be when Easter gets closer? So order now without further delay. It is in your own interests, as well as ours, that we ask,

MISS DICK

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BOOMS MERRILY ALONG

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

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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.

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Farmers' Manufacturing and Supply Co., Limited.

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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.

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

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COMFORT, SUNLIGHT, SOAP CHIPS, LIFE BUOY, CASTLE, GLYCERINE, ETC.

Pearline, Borax, Washing Soda, also Brushes—Stove, Whitewash, Scrub, Daubs, etc.

Try our BULK PICKLES—mixed ready for table use—at 10c per pint. EXCELLENT Butter, Fresh Cheese, Dates, Prunes, Candy, etc. always on hand.

C. McArthur

Hardware.

Paints.

In the spring a wise man's fancy always turns to paint. We sell the best, "The Sherwin-Williams." A special paint for every purpose. Look at our window.

Garden Rakes.

Before getting ready for gardening see our stock of Rakes, Hoes, Spades, Spading Forks, Shovels and Barrows.

Horse Clippers.

Clip your horses before you start spring plowing, and you will be satisfied at the end of the season. Horse Clippers from 75c up.

Ranges.

No home is complete without one of our "Penn Esther" Ranges or "Family Cook" Stoves. Ask your neighbor about 'em.

Bird Cages.

Just received a fine assortment of Bird Cages.

Harness.

When in need of a set of harness of any description give us a call.

W. Black.

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Vote

Local News Items

GATHERED DURING THE PAST WEEK CHRONICLE READERS.

To-morrow is Good Friday.

Eggs will go down Sunday.

LADIES' Tan Hose at H. H. Mockler.

House and lot for sale.—Apply Mrs. Thos. Fox.—17

CLOVER and Grass Seed. Best at Geo. Lawrence's.—17

PASTURE TO LET.—On Lambton east. Apply on premises to Whitmore.—14pd

LARGE stock of White Linens, Linens, and Organies at 10c per to 30c, just in, at H. H. Mockler

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

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

THE brethren of Grey Lodge, I.O.O.F. will hold their annual Home' Tuesday night next in Lodge Room. Admission by ex

H. H. MOCKLER is handling Fisher & Co's celebrated brand Scotch Tweeds, for men's suits. buy your spring suit till you've them.

THE North-West Autonomy the work of parliament forced the people without asking their opinion. How long should the and independent electors' stand such measures?

THE C. P. R. Co. is scarcely out surveying parties just for the of it, and if this be the case, we reasonably expect some effort to be made to build a line in the near future. It is hardly likely any construction work will be done this summer ever.

Those interested in Commercial should read the change of advertisement from Mt. Forest Business in this weeks issue. The school doing well and has no difficulty placing graduates in good positions. A card to Mr. W. T. Clancy Principal, will bring a prompt reply to your enquiries.

THE "Wyoming Enterprise" the gall to copy from the columns of this paper last week and present the readers of his "rag" as a matter. We're crowded this and haven't got the room. Any way much too small to bother with. we can spare the time and space attend to him next week. So to say "He's cussed small paper darn few in a hill, and got the at that."

THE Lacrosse Club organized coming season on Tuesday night when the following officers were elected:—Hon. Pres., H. H. Farr; Vice Pres., Dr. Jamieson; P. Darling; 1st Vice Pres., R. McCr; 2nd Vice Pres., T. Livingston; J. Rose; Sec'y, H. H. Mockler; ager, E. D. McClocklin; Com. F. Leachan, W. D. Mills, T. G. Patrons—W. Calder, W. Laidl, McIntyre, Dr. Hutton; Patron Mrs. Dr. Jamieson, Mrs. D. J. Mrs. Alex. MacLachlan, Mrs. Kelly.

WE regret this week to the death of Mrs. Wm. Carson Eliza Sims, who died after a pro illness on Saturday morning at her home in Normanby. She was a young woman about thirty years of age, and married to a rowing husband about six years. Two little children are left to the loss of a kind and loving mother and grow up without the religious influence of a Christian mother. Besides her husband two children she leaves her agents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sims brothers, Thos. in Dakota, W. the old homestead, John and I. Durham, and three sisters, Mrs. Chapman of Mt. Forest, Mrs. Egremont, and Agnes at home. The funeral took place at Map Cemetery on Monday afternoon whither the remains were taken by her parents, brothers, sisters a large number of sorrowing and neighbors.

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 that 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.

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