

Wishing You All

A HAPPY NEW YEAR

The Down Town Shoe Store

J. S. McLRAITH

Go to E. A. ROWE'S for Oysters

Oyster Stews, Fried Oysters, Lunches, Etc.

Also Christie Brown's PLUM PUDDING for sale for Christmas Dinner.

We have a large assortment of Candy and Bon Bons for the Christmas Trade.

CALL AND SEE US BEFORE BUYING ELSEWHERE

E. A. ROWE : Confectioner and Grocer

Great Mid-Winter Clean Up

McGrath's Shoe Announcement

Here's a chance worth taking advantage of. Never in the history of Durham has there been such a shoe offer as we are giving in the next two weeks.

Mr. Reader, it will pay you to read every item in this advertisement.

WONDER HOW WE DO IT

Well, we have a \$3,000 stock of all kinds of footwear that we must have cleared out in the next two weeks, and in order to do so we will almost have to give it away.

TWO WEEKS' SALE

Buy now, as you will never get such an offer again.

LADIES' AND GENTS' HOCKEY SHOES

- 20 pair of ladies celebrated Mik-Mak Hockey Shoes in black calf, \$2.50 for \$1.75.
24 pair of mens' Mik-Mak Hockey Shoes in black and tan calf, \$3.50 for \$2.75.
12 pair of boys' Mik-Mak Hockey Shoes \$2.50 for \$1.75.
12 pair boys' Hockey Shoes, black and tan trimmings, regular \$2.25 for 1.50.
12 pair misses' Black Hockey Shoes \$2.00 for 1.25.
Ladies' Fur-trimmed Felt Slippers \$1.25 for 75c.
Ladies' All-Felt Slippers 75c. for 35c.
Ladies' Carpet Slippers 65c. for 35c.
Ladies' Leather-fox Feet Shoes \$2.25 for 1.35.
Ladies' Patent Button Shoes, high heel, short vamp, regular \$4.00 for 3.40.
Ladies' Gun Metal Calf Button Shoes, high heel, Goodyear welt, short vamp \$4.00 for 3.50.
Ladies' Kid in button and blucher style, \$3.50 for 2.75.
Men's Felt Blucher \$3.00 for 2.15.
Leather-fox Felt Blucher \$3.75 for 2.75.
Leather-fox Felt Blucher \$2.75 for 2.00.
Patent Colt Blucher in black and button, \$5.00 for 4.15.
Box Calf Blucher \$4.50 for 3.75.
Gun Metal Calf Blucher \$5.00 for 4.00.

RUBBER FOOTWEAR.—We have a full stock of all kinds of Rubbers on hand for Ladies, Men, Boys, Misses and Children at the lowest prices in town.

If you want honest footwear here's the place to get it at about 25 per cent lower than any other dealer in town.

TERMS—CASH.

Come to the Big Shoe Store THOS. McGRATH Near the Bridge

AUCTION SALE

ON SATURDAY, FEB. 3rd, at 2 o'clock, in the afternoon, we are going to give a large Auction Sale where you can buy goods at your own price.

All the goods must be cleared in a short time, as we are leaving town. Men's and Boys' Suits and Overcoats, Men's and Ladies' Fur Coats and Fur-Lined Coats, Ladies' and Misses' cloth and pony coats, Men's Sheepskin Lined Coats, Odd Pants, Suitings, Tweeds and Worsteds, Men's and Ladies' Underwear and Sweater Coats, Ladies Muffs and Ruffs. In fact everything that is carried in a General Dry Goods Store.

To Be Sold at Levine's Store THE OLD ALEX. RUSSELL STAND

Robt. Brigham Auctioneer

THE SECRET of PAUL FARLEY

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"Miss Fleming is beautiful," he answered, sniffing at the pouch, "the most beautiful woman I have yet seen. Is this tobacco mild?"

"A mild Virginia, as mild as chopped lettuce leaves," he rejoined in a slow disjointed way, as if he had something more important in his mind that required consideration.

Paul filled his pipe, and looked up to find the Squire's eyes fixed on him with an expression in them he had never seen before. He colored, tried to light the pipe, fidgetted, and laughed a little.

"Of course I admire Miss Hargrave immensely, but I'm afraid I am not a marrying man," he said, hastily throwing away the match with a hand that trembled slightly, "anyhow I couldn't contemplate matrimony for many years to come. I expect by the time my prospects allow me to dwell on such a luxury as a wife Miss Hargrave and a. the ladies in this neighborhood will have long been settled in establishments of their own."

"You know your own business best, naturally," Felix said, the same penetrating gaze in his eyes, "and having got your knowledge, so to speak, at your fingers' ends, if we are to be intimate friends, you must also get with it wisdom, understanding and discretion."

Paul looked at the eight-day clock, glanced at his boots, and then slowly raised his brilliant eyes to the squire's face.

"I should be a fool to pretend I did not comprehend your meaning," he said at last, laying aside the pipe and stroking the back of his head. "You are rightly anxious to safeguard your sister's interests. I have openly said I have no intention whatever of marrying. Neither do I purpose marrying myself with a long, indefinite engagement. Of course, I know as well as you that the difficulty with women is their feelings are apt to get interested sooner than ours, and instances have occurred where a woman has staked her happiness on a chance kiss, a careless whisper, even a look, and wasted the best years of her life, hoping against hope. On that score and that alone is there any responsibility attached to my coming to and fro. From the little you know of me, from what you have heard, and especially from the Hargrave episode, you must judge as to whether I am sufficiently circumspect, whether I come up to your standard as an honorable man and a gentleman. This is my first visit to the Manor House, and you must decide, Mr. Fleming, whether I am to repeat it."

Felix took the neglected pipe from the chimney-piece, looked at it with a half smile, inserted his penknife into the bowl and knocked the tobacco out on the palm of his hand.

"The thing won't draw plugged like that," he said, refilling it.

"Thank you," Paul said, receiving the pipe and looking expectantly at his smiling meditative face.

"Look here, Farley," he said, after a moment's deliberation and passing the matches, "my sister Agnes is not a woman to give herself away unsought, and as to you, I shall trust you; trust you implicitly. For the first time in my life I've taken an odd erotic kind of liking to one of my own sex, and—well, there—I mean to let myself go! Rather comical though, isn't it?"

Paul smiled and compared his watch with the antique clock.

"The liking is mutual," he said, holding out his hand to say good-night. "I should have been in a bad way had you decided against me."

"Upon my soul, I couldn't do it, Farley," he laughed, refusing the proffered hand. "I'm going to walk back with you and do a bit of snoozing. Hunter wants to know whether you've struck the name of Jervois in the book."

To be continued.

CATARRH CANNOT BE CURED.

with local applications, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood, or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it, you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in the country for many years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, price 75c. Take Halls Family Pills for constipation.

BURNS WAS INSPIRED WITH DIVINE SPIRIT.

More than two hundred and fifty Scotsmen gathered Thursday evening to honor the memory of Scotland's greatest poet—Robert Burns—on the one hundred and fifty-third anniversary of his death.

"Is mere genius capable of such a portrayal of human life—this great factor even in the determination of destiny," asked Rev. A. L. Gergie, speaking of the poet's work. "None can judge the beauties of a picture until they see the dark background. Burns' contemporaries stood too near to realize the great comprehensive outline of the poet's worth, and of his nature. How can his ever-increasing influence be accounted for? Burns was born, not made; God made him and endow-

TWENTY YEARS.

Makes a great difference in most women. They are troubled with "nerves"—they suffer from backache, headache, sleeplessness, a sensation of irritability or twitching, hot flashes, dizzy spells, or many other symptoms of female weakness. The local disorder and inflammation should be treated with Dr. Pierce's Lotion Tablets and the irregularity and weakness of the female system corrected and strengthened with Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. The strain upon the young woman or the woman of middle age—upon the nerve and blood forming structures—may be too great for her strength. This is the time to take this restorative tonic and strength-giving nerve and regulator. For over forty years sold by druggists for woman's peculiar weaknesses and distressing ailments. The one remedy so perfect in composition and so good in curative effects as to warrant its makers in printing its every ingredient on its outside wrapper. The one remedy which absolutely contains neither alcohol nor injurious or habit-forming drugs.



Mrs. Scott.

Following letter selected at random from a large number of similar ones and cited merely to illustrate these remarks:

"In the winter of 1908, I became greatly run down and irregular," writes Mrs. HENRY SCOTT, of Swan Creek, Mich., Route 1, Box 48. "I slowly but surely grew worse, and, at last, resolved to apply to the doctors for help. The doctor said I had inflammation, enlargement and irritation. I was in bed eleven weeks and got no better. The doctor said I would have to have an operation, but to that I would not listen. My husband purchased two bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. When I started to take this remedy I could not walk across the floor, but after I had taken three bottles I could feel myself gaining, so I dropped the doctor and took Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Only for it I think I would have been dead—I really believe it saved my life. I feel better now than in twenty years."

HELPFUL HINTS ON HAIR HEALTH

Scalp and Hair Troubles Generally Caused by Carelessness.

Dandruff is a contagious disease caused by a microbe which also produces baldness. Never use a comb or brush belonging to some one else. No matter how cleanly the owner may be, these articles may be infected with microbes which will infect your scalp. It is far easier to catch hair microbes than it is to get rid of them, and a single stroke of an infected comb or brush may well lead to baldness. Never try on anybody else's hat. Many a hat-band is a resting place for microbes.

If you happen to be troubled with dandruff, itching scalp, falling hair or baldness we have a remedy which we believe will completely relieve these troubles. We are so sure of this that we offer it to you with the understanding that it will cost you nothing for the trial if it does not produce the results we claim. This remedy is called Rexall "93" Hair Tonic. We honestly believe it to be the most scientific remedy for scalp hair troubles, and we know of nothing else that equals it for effectiveness, because of the results it has produced in thousands of cases.

Rexall "93" Hair Tonic is devised to banish dandruff, restore natural color when its loss has been brought about by disease, and make the hair naturally silky, soft and glossy. It does this because it stimulates the hair follicles, destroys the germ matter, and brings about a free, healthy circulation of blood, which nourishes the hair roots, causing them to tighten and grow new hair. We want everybody who has any trouble with hair or scalp to know that we think that Rexall "93" Hair Tonic is the best hair tonic and restorative in existence, and no one should scoff at or doubt this statement until they have put our claims to a fair test, with the understanding that they pay us nothing for the remedy if it does not give full and complete satisfaction in every particular. Two sizes, 50c. and \$1.00. Remember, you can obtain Rexall Remedies in Durham only at our store—The Rexall Store, Macfarlane & Co.

FORESTRY PRESS BULLETIN.

The reported consumption of lumber for boxes and shooks in Canada during 1910 was over one hundred and fifty-eight million feet, valued at \$2,273,000.00. These statistics have been compiled by the Forestry Branch of the Department of the Interior from reports received from one hundred and two box factories, over one-half of which are in Quebec. Seventy million feet of lumber, or forty-five per cent. of the total was used in Quebec. Ontario used sixty million feet, or thirty-eight per cent. of the total, and the remainder was used in the provinces of New Brunswick, British Columbia, Manitoba and Nova Scotia. Pine, the chief species used in Ontario, formed forty-five per cent. of the total box lumber and cost only \$13.93 per thousand. This comparatively low price for pine, indicates that with this more than with any other species, mill waste and cull lumber is being used in the manufacture of boxes. Spruce in 1910 was used in every province in which boxes were made, and formed forty-one per cent. of the total. The cost was \$13.83 per thousand, or twenty-eight cents more than the average mill run price, so that manufacturers using spruce demand the finest quality. The remaining 14 per cent. of the total was comprised of fourteen other woods, of which hemlock, basswood and balsam were the chief. The most expensive box-wood used was a million and a half feet of Douglas fir at \$23 per thousand, in British Columbia. Balsam fir used in the three eastern provinces was the cheapest box-wood reported in 1910 at \$8.94 per thousand.

Mr. Land Hunter Look Here

H. H. MILLER The Hanover Conveyancer OFFERS

325 ACRES close to Proton Station brick dwelling, fine large out-buildings windmill etc.; hay, 2 tons to acre, only \$5,500. Knocks the sunshine off Alberta bargains.

538 ACRES near Proton Station and Saugeen Junction, fine brick residence, splendid barns, splendid soil, good water orchard etc. Will sell less than \$25 an acre. A bargain surely.

A HARDWARE and Tinsmith Business, Grey County, post office in connection. Less than \$10,000 will buy 40 acres of land store and dwelling, barn, other frame dwelling and \$4,600 stock.

GENERAL COUNTRY STORE five miles from Durham; very cheap.

Large number of cheap farm properties Money to Lend at Low Rates. Lands bought and sold. Debts collected. All kinds of writings drawn.

No man who does business with H. H. Miller is ever satisfied to go elsewhere. Our methods seem to please.

"Always Prompt. — Never Negligent." H. H. MILLER - Opposite The Red House, Hanover.

THE People's Mills



A small or large bag of a fine grain, white, nutritious flour, is sold as our brand. Have you ever tried it? Get your grocer to give you our brand next time and see the superior baking qualities it possesses. Better and more wholesome, because of a secret process that we put the wheat through. Don't forget.

ECLIPSE

A blend of Manitoba and Ontario wheat and is a strictly first class family flour

SOVEREIGN

Our pure Manitoba flour, made from No. 1 Manitoba wheat cannot be beat for either cakes or domestic use

PASTRY FLOUR

is made from selected winter whe and is a superior article for making pastry, etc.

Special Reduction on Flour in 5 and 10 Bg. Lots. Goods delivered anywhere in town.

Chopping Done Every Day

All up-to-date flour and feed and grocers keep our flour for sale. your grocer does not keep it come to the mill and we will use you right. Call us up by telephone No. 8. All kinds of Grain bought at Market Price.

John McGowan

and. It is a wood, light in color, tasteless, fairly strong, and its use in the manufacture of boxes should be encouraged.

NO REASON FOR DOUBT

A Statement of Facts Backed by a Strong Guarantee.

We guarantee complete relief to all sufferers from constipation, or, in every case where we fail, we will supply the medicine free. Rexall Orderlies are a gentle, effective, dependable, and safe bowel regulator, strengthener and tonic. They aim to reestablish nature's functions in a quiet, easy way. They do not cause inconvenience, griping or nausea. They are so pleasant to take, and work so easily that they may be taken by any one at any time. They thoroughly tone up the whole system to healthy activity.

Rexall Orderlies are unsurpassable and ideal for the use of children, old folks, and delicate persons. We cannot too highly recommend them to all sufferers from any form of constipation and its attendant evils. Three sizes, 10c., 25c. and 50c. Remember, you can obtain Rexall Remedies in this community only at our store—The Rexall Store, Macfarlane & Co.

The public spirited citizens of Clarksburg, a local option village, have erected a commodious driving shed at a total cost of \$17,477 of which \$645 has been subscribed, leaving \$17,247 yet to raise. The building is said to be warm, fire-proof, electric lighted and free to everybody.