

THE PEOPLE'S STORE

The Store the People Talk About

That's what we want them to do. Every purchase made at this store causes the people to talk. The quality of our goods and the reasonable prices at which they are sold is good reason for them to talk.

Again, we buy all kinds of farm produce at the highest cash prices, and we pay the cash for it, too. This causes the people to do more talking about us. Then if they want goods we sell them what they want and get the money back. They buy here with the cash because they know they can get as good goods at as low a price and in many cases at lower prices than they can get them for elsewhere.

This is a good time to buy RUBBERS of all kinds as we have a lot left which we do not care to carry over. In fact we will not carry them over if reduced prices will move them.

Our READY-MADE CLOTHING is of the latest pattern and style, and the prices sell the goods. Get the habit of examining our clothing before buying, and we are sure you will not go elsewhere.

Call and see our COON COATS. Now is the time to get a bargain.

Highest Prices Paid for all Kinds of Farm Produce

BUTTER, EGGS AND FOWL WANTED

ROBERT BURNETT

ROYAL LOVE MATCHES.

Many Princes Have Renounced Their Ranks In Order to Wed.

The fact that the Archduke Ferdinand Karl of Austria, nephew of the Emperor of Austria and brother of the Archduke Franz Ferdinand Heir Presumptive to the throne, has renounced his rank in order to marry Bertha Czuber, a most beautiful woman whom he met at a ball in Prague some years ago, adds one more to the long list of princes who have obeyed the dictates of Cupid in defiance of the state rule that royalty shall only mate with royalty.

Eleven years ago the Archduke Franz himself decided to marry the woman he loved, the Countess Sophia Chotek, now known as Princess of Hohenberg, although by so doing he had to renounce the right of any children of the marriage to succeed to the thrones of Austria and Hungary. The late Archduke Henry married Leopoldine Hofman, a member of the company of the Karl Theatre in Vienna, although the marriage was forbidden by the Emperor, while in 1889 the Archduke John married an actress, Milly Stubel, in London. He renounced his rank, took the name of John Orth, and was last heard of serving as a sailor on board the Margerita, a ship that disappeared on a voyage from Buenos Ayres to Callao.

The death of the archduke has never been definitely established, and from time to time rumors have been circulated that he is still living. In fact, it is said that he is living on one of the South Sea Islands with his eccentric brother Louis, who spends practically his whole life on a small island in the Ionian Sea. This last theory is strongly held by the Archduke Leopold Ferdinand, another Austrian prince who married an actress and renounced his royal rights. The archduke is a naturalized Swiss citizen, and lives, or at any rate was living until a short time ago, at Lucerne under the name of Wolling.

Several German princes have married women of no rank. There was Prince Adalbert, who was commander-in-chief of the German navy at the time of the Franco-Prussian War, and who, in 1850, married Terese Elser, a well-known dancer. Then there was Prince Augustus of Prussia, whose morganatic wife was the popular player, Marit Arndt, afterwards created Baroness Prillwitz.

In Bavaria we have an instance of a royal prince having made two morganatic marriages. Prince Ludwig, the elder brother of the royal oculist, Duke Carl Theodor married first in 1859 an actress, Fraulien Mendel, who was created Baroness Wallersee, and, after her death in 1891, Fraulien Barth, who was given a patent of nobility under the style and title of Frau von Bartholf. He had, before marrying, also to resign his rights and patrimony to his younger brother. The eldest daughter of Duke Carl Theodor, Princess Sophia of Bavaria, made also a pure love-match by marrying the Count Toring-Jettenbach, a scion of an old Bavarian noble house, but not of royal blood.

Escaped From a Python.

There is no member of Dehrett who enjoys more good luck than Sir Claude Champion de Crespigny, who was an interested spectator at the Boxing Test in London the other day. He is credited with possessing more lives than the average cat.

In the matter of broken bones alone he holds a record. He had two leg bones fractured in a balloon accident; three arm bones while hunting; three ribs by a fall during a steeplechase, and another by a more prosaic cab accident, not to mention various fingers broken by boxing or from kicks by horses.

Sir Claude is one of the few men living who have survived the crossing of the North Sea in a balloon, or to tell the tale of their escape from the coils of a python. He is the only European who has ever swum the narrow gut of the First Cataract of the Nile.

He himself tells how he did it. "Some natives who were cruising about said that if any European ventured to attempt the feat he would most surely go under and never come up alive. I argued to myself that they had no better lungs than I had, so in I went. And I came up very much alive, too."

Compensation.

A certain young fellow received a government berth, for which he had to undergo a very strict examination.

One day a friend of his who had been noticing how little work he did to earn his salary tackled him.

"I say, Walter, my boy," he began, "you don't perform a great deal of labor, do you?"

"No, I don't have to."

"Aren't you expected to work?"

"Of course not," was the candid reply. "It takes so much hard work to get a job like this that the authorities haven't the nerve to ask a man to do anything more to earn his salary after he gets it."

Something Wrong.

An elocutionist was reciting Macaulay's "Battle of Ivry" at the village concert, and declaimed with intense military fervor the lines—

A thousand spears are striking deep,
A thousand spears in rest;
A thousand knights are pressing close behind—

when he was interrupted by a person in the gallery. "Hold hard, guv'nor!" he shouted. "Was them there knights one legged ones, cos there's only one spur apiece, yer know?" — London Standard.

Industrious Heirs.

"Those Bingleton heirs are doing wonders with the old place. They've spaded up the garden and rebuilt the house and put things in handsome shape."

"How does that happen?"

"Why, they had an idea the old man hid some money somewhere, and they've been digging and scraping and looking for it ever since he died. I'll bet the place is worth twice what it was."

"The old man was cute, wasn't he?"

EASTER MILLINERY

The best Millinery opening ever seen in this store was the general verdict of the crowds of interested visitors that have thronged our showrooms on opening day and every day since. Our business is built upon the solid rock of satisfaction, in true value—in style—in service—in courtesy. We keep a very large and exclusive stock of Millinery, any amount of beautiful trimmed hats to choose from. This accounts for our large and ever growing business. We invite you to call and see our display.

Miss Dick

FLESHERTON.

The Saskatoon, Sask., Daily Phoenix of the 20th, ult. reports extensive purchases of Pacific Coast Property in which Mr. Edgar E. Bellamy, formerly of this place, has a large interest. Referring to the investment the Phoenix says: "Mr. B. Chubb of this city, with E. E. Bellamy and E. M. Lawson of the Adanac Securities Corporation Limited returned on Monday from a business trip to the Pacific Coast. While there the two latter gentlemen purchased property in the original town site of Port Man to the value of \$100,000 and in company with Mr. Chubb and J. P. Murphy, of the Commercial Travellers Investment Company, made a further purchase of \$150,000 worth of business lots and trackage in the new C. P. R. terminal city of Coquitlam, thus making one of the largest real estate transactions for this spring on the coast."

The Millinery openings last week were again special attractions for the ladies who were out in large numbers to inspect the pretty creations for the season. The show rooms were artistically decorated and a fine display was made by the lady artists in charge. At Mr. Patterson's, Ceylon entertainment was given by the Swinton Park Orchestra.

In the absence of the pastor a student from Knox College preached in the Presbyterian church on Sunday.

In keeping with Passion week, special prayer services under the auspices of the league are being held in the Methodist Church each evening this week.

Election of officers in the Presbyterian Guild took place last week as follows: Hon. Pres., Rev. G.S. Milligan; Pres., Miss L. Thistlewaite; Vice Pres., Mrs. J.E. Marcellus; Sec. Miss M. McTavish; Treas., C. Stewart; Organist, Mrs. J. Blackburn; Devotional Com., Mrs. Marcellus, Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Smith, Miss Thistlewaite; Flower Com., Mrs. Radley, Rita Buskin, Ed. Loucks, Geo. Stewart; Social Com., Mrs. Goldhawk, Mrs. Blackburn, Miss Bell, G. Cairns, Roy Thistlewaite.

The Presbyterian choir were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Thistlewaite on Wednesday evening last, and a pleasant time was spent. Mr. Chas. Stewart gave the choir an enjoyable drive out.

Mr. Jas. Chard underwent a successful operation at his home here last week, when Drs. McWilliams and Carter removed a tumor from his foot.

Mr. Dave Mathewson has given up farming and left last week to take a position in a hardware store at Neepawa, Man. Mr. Fred Mathewson has moved to his brother's farm.

Mr. Frank Collinson left Tuesday for Unity, Sask., with a car load of stock and other settlers' effects.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. P. Quigg, and Mrs. Corbett spent a very pleasant day last week at the home of Mr. Mark Stewart, by whom the visitors were given an enjoyable sleigh ride.

Dundalk and Flesherton hockey teams played another match here last week, which was won by the home team 5 to 4.

Mr. W. Loucks returned to Porcupine last week. His sister, Miss Vera, accompanied him to Toronto to visit friends.

Mr. W.J. Henderson visited his sister at Dundalk on Saturday.

Mr. Wm. Sharp paid his daughter a short visit at Meaford a few days ago.

Miss Tena Henderson is visiting in Dundalk.

Mr. Jas. Hemphill of Toronto formerly of Ceylon, underwent an operation for appendicitis on Thursday last, and though very weak is reported improving. Mr. Hemphill is in Grace Hospital.

Born.—At West Toronto, Saturday March 30th, to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bentham, a daughter.

Messrs. Wilson & McClocklin butchers, have dissolved partnership, and the business will be continued by the former. Mr. McClocklin is yet undecided where he may locate.

We extend our sincere sympathy to the editor of the Chronicle on the bereavement met with by the death of his beloved sister.

Hardware and Furniture

STOVES STOVES STOVES

Now is the time of the year for persons intending purchasing stoves to examine our stock of Ranges, Cook Stoves and Heaters of different descriptions, to suit any home, at the right price.

The Pandora Range has no equal for economy and durability. The best baking Range sold. Fully guaranteed by McClary's.

See our line of Heaters, Base Burners, Belle Oaks and Tortoise Air-tight Coal and Wood Savers.

Stove Pipes, Elbows, Dampers, Coal Hods, Ash Sifters, etc.

We are the house for FURNITURE

We desire to call the attention of our friends to the additions we have made to our Furniture Line.

As we are now handling the Durham Furniture we are in a position to save you \$ on all their lines, as we don't have to pay freight. I will prove this by you calling.

F. Lenahan and Company

New Spring Goods Have Arrived

Our Stock of New Spring Goods has arrived and are now on our shelves for your inspection. Our stock comprises

Men's Tailored Suits, extra well made.

Men's Pants all sizes.

Ladies' Suits, Skirts, and Ladies' Wear

Our prices are the lowest in town, and we ask you to call and be convinced.

Butter and Eggs, Wool, Hides, Live Poultry, and all kinds of Farm Produce taken as Cash.

Be sure and give us a call. You will save money by dealing here.

M. GLASER

(First door south Burnet's Bakery)
GARAFRAXA ST. DURHAM

"Jexall Remedies"

Fully guaranteed at Macfarlane's.

BORN.

WHITEFORD.—In Normanby, on March 24th, to Mr. and Mrs. John Whiteford, a son.

Large Sales

Small Profits

McKECHNIES' WEEKLY NEWS

Spring Goods

Are continually arriving, in the newest designs and in the neatest patterns, and to make room for them we are giving special bargains in heavy goods. We prefer to sell at less than cost, rather than carry goods over.

House-Cleaning Bargains

See our display of House Furnishings, on the second floor, composed of Wall Paper, Rugs, Floor Oil Cloth, Linoleums, and Window Curtains, in the most approved designs, everything to suit the season.

Boots and Shoes

We have just received a fine stock of Men's Working Shoes to suit the sloppy season, not too heavy and yet sufficiently heavy for the season.

Groceries

Fresh Groceries are continually arriving, the best to be gotten.

Men's Clothing

We have a fine stock to select from, in the newest cuts. We have a fine stock of Tweeds, and can have a suit made to order in a week, and a good fit guaranteed.

The highest prices for butter and eggs.

G. & J. McKechnie

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