

THE PEOPLE'S STORE

The Store the People Talk About

DRY GOODS

WE HAVE still left a few Prints and Gingham to clear out at a low price. Call and see them and you will not go elsewhere as we have the Goods that will please you.

LADIES HOSE

LADIES' COTTON HOSE, 2 pair for only 25c. Also Lisle Hose, cashmere, either black or tan, that we do not wish to have left and will sell them at a REDUCED PRICE.

LADIES' GLOVES

NOW is the time to buy them before they are all gone. We have them in silk, long or short, lisle and cashmere.

SHOES

HOW about a new pair of Shoes. A nice tan or patent pump would be nice or a nice strap Oxford. In Men's Shoes we have tan or black. The Imperial Shoe is the Best on the Market.

SUMMER HATS

YOU will need a new hat for Summer. We have it—a nice straw or soft hat. We also have some nice caps that we do not wish to carry over, and will sell them at a REDUCED PRICE.

We Want Your Butter and Eggs.

Highest Price Paid for Wool.

Robert Burnett

RIBBON UPSET A STATE.

The Undecorated Minister Resigned and the Government Fell.
Many interesting side lights on a court and the unexpected trials and troubles incident to it from which republics are free are given in William Miller Collier's book of reminiscences of his days as minister to the Spanish court, "At the Court of His Catholic Majesty." That a government should fall as the result of a ribbon bestowed for a purely ceremonial purpose seems rather absurd, but, says Mr. Collier: "It is a historical fact that not many years ago a certain minister of the marine in one of the European countries resigned because the ruler of a foreign country, on the occasion of his visit to its capital, gave him a certain rank in a certain order and gave a higher rank to his colleague, the minister of war. The minister of marine contended that it was an insult to his country's navy and the fact that he received the rank which the rule required in such cases and that the minister of war had received a higher rank only because the lower rank had been given him previously made no difference to the aggrieved minister.
"In his opinion his own government in not demanding that the foreign government give him also the higher rank in this foreign order had permitted its navy to be insulted, and so he resigned, and the government fell. Thus does the fate of nations hang not on threads, but on ribbons."

FISH FEATHERS.

An Epicure's Dish and the Way to Trap the Makings.
The young man did not know what he wanted to eat. His appetite was poor. His palate must be tempted and tickled. He scanned the menu card again and again. Finally, with a sigh of resignation, he said to the waiter: "Bring me some fish feathers."
"Fish feathers!" exclaimed the astonished waiter.
"Yes; fish feathers! And I want 'em tonight, not next week!"
The waiter retired for a conference with the chef, the captain and the door manager.
"No such dish here," was his report. "There ain't any such thing. There never was such a dish in New York."
The young man arose and sighed again.
"That's what I've been told by every waiter in New York," he remarked sadly. "But if you will drop a line to the commissioner of fisheries in Washington he will correct your mistake, enlighten your ignorance, project a shaft of thought into that granite which grows above your shoulders."
He sighed a third time, stretched himself slowly and added:
"The commissioner will tell you that fish feathers are a delicacy. They are taken from flying fish. You catch flying fish with salt water on their tails." Then he went gloomily into the night.—Popular Magazine.

Swordsmanship Against a Tiger.
Sir James Outram, known as the Bayard of India, was a "mighty hunter" and an accomplished swordsman. He once performed the hazardous feat of killing a tiger with his sword and from the back of his horse. General Nicholson performed a similar feat. He rode round and round the tiger at a gallop, gradually narrowing the circle until at last he was near enough to deliver his blow. He had only the one blow and if he had failed would have been slain. The explanation of the feat is that the tiger does not spring upon the horseman during the circling process because he is watching his opportunity. As the circle draws closer and closer upon him he becomes bewildered by the strange maneuver, so unlike that of any hunter he has ever encountered.

India Rubber Tree Fruit.
The fruit of the india rubber tree is somewhat similar to that of the Ricinus communis, the castor oil plant, though somewhat larger. The seeds have a not disagreeable taste and yield a purplish oil. It is a fairly good substitute for linseed oil, though it dries less rapidly. Mixed with copal blue and turpentine, it makes a good varnish. The oil may also be used in the manufacture of soaps and lithographic inks. The seeds are somewhat like tiny chestnuts, although darker in color. The Indian girls are fond of wearing bracelets and necklets made of them.

A Funny Misprint.
One of the most ludicrous announcements that ever appeared perhaps was made by a London newspaper in the earlier half of the last century to the effect that Sir Robert Peel "and a party of friends were shooting peasants in Ireland." The words misprinted, of course, were "friends" and "peasants."

Cause For Gratitude.
Willie Green—You city kids ought to be thankful that your parents use gas stoves, especially during the hot summer. City Boy—Why? Willie Green—Well, you never heard tell of a boy splitting wood for a gas stove, did you?—Philadelphia Record.

A Reversed Program.
"The stage should depict society as it really exists," said the serious person.
"Yes," replied Miss Cayenne, "but it doesn't. On the contrary, society tries to imitate the songs, dances and dialect of the stage."—Washington Star.

A Changed Man.
Mrs. Knagg—You were a different man when I married you. Mr. Knagg—I sincerely hope so, for then I was a fool.—Boston Transcript.

AFTER ANY

sickness, Scott's Emulsion increases the appetite and builds strength rapidly. Its wonderful nourishment assists nature in restoring health. All Druggists.

Scott & Bowne, Toronto, Ont. 12-9

CHANGING VIEWS.

"I've pictured the man that I'll marry," she said.
When reaching her seventeenth year:
"There's only one kind that I ever will wed,
And he must a hero appear.
This man must be able and handsome and brave—
Apollo and Mars all in one—
And if I can't captivate such as I crave,
Why then, I assert, I'll have none."
"All men have their faults," she was heard to exclaim,
When reaching her twenty-fifth year.
"Of course, I am looking for merit and fame,
But much may be lacking, I fear,
I'd like to have dignity, courage and grace.
A man who is earnest and true,
Who's strong for the battle and swift for the race—
But half of these virtues will do."
She cut it down more in her thirtieth year.
Her smiles were for all that she met;
For she had decided, it seemed to be clear,
She wanted the man she could get.

A CREED.

Let me be a little kinder
Let me be a little blinder
To the faults of those about me,
Let me praise a little more;
Let me be, when I am weary,
Just a little bit more cheery,
Let me serve a little better
Those that I am striving for.
Let me be a little braver
When temptation bids me waver;
Let me strive a little harder
To be all that I should be;
Let me be a little meeker
With the brother that is weaker,
Let me think more of my neighbor
And a little less of me.
Let me be a little sweeter
Make my life a bit completer,
Just by doing what I should do
Every minute of the day;
Let me toil, without complaining
Not a humble task disdainng
Let me face the summons calmly
When death beckons me away.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

Canadian National Exhibition TORONTO

Return Rates from Durham \$3.00 DAILY

August 24 to September 7,

\$2.25

Aug. 27 to 29—Sept. 3 to 5

Through coach on all trains to and from Toronto.

All tickets good return until Sept. 10

ASK FOR OFFICIAL PROGRAMME Contains list of daily events at the Fair. Special rates and train service from all stations.

FARMERS

TAKE NOTICE

we handle the well known brands of Flour such as

- Five Roses
- Chesley Good Luck
- Milverton Three Jewel
- McGowan's Eclipse and Sovereign

WINDSOR SALT BRAN and SHORTS always kept in stock.

Goods delivered to all parts of the town on short notice.

MRS. A. BEGGS & SON

Hardware and Furniture

Buy your poultry netting from us and protect your garden from the hens.

A stitch in time saves nine. You will escape the flies by purchasing your window screens and doors early. Different styles to choose from, also all sizes of wire cloth in stock.

To have your lawn kept green and cut clean, you must have a fountain spray and lawn mower. Buy them from us, and get value for your money.

The Samson garden and field tools—no better tools made. Every article guaranteed.

Agents for National Portland Cement.

Now that house-cleaning time is here, you will want to buy or rent our Vacuum Cleaners. They save time and hard work.

Here is something for everyone who is going to paint his or her home inside or out. Use Brandram-Henderson English Paint, the purest and best paint sold. I challenge any person to dispute this fact.

Floor paints by the same makers have no equal. Floorglaze is our standard seller. China-lac for making old furniture look like new.

We have in stock the famous Blue Flame oil stove, two and three burners; also Boss gas-line stoves. Each stove is tested before leaving store.

FURNITURE

To have a comfortable night's rest, buy from us an Ostermoor mattress. Pillows at popular prices.

We have now in stock the latest styles in picture mouldings. Call and see our samples.

Coal Oil and Gasoline. All Goods Delivered. Cash for Eggs.

F. Lenahan & Co

SCHOOL OPENING



Central Drug Store

All School Books now in stock

School Supplies, all kinds, the largest stock and best prices

Buy your supplies here and save money.

The Central Drug Store :: Durham

MARKET REPORT

DURHAM, AUGUST 21 1911

Fall Wheat	80 to 81 00
Spring Wheat	1 00 to 1 00
Oats	50 to 50
Peas	90 to 1 25
Barley	65 to 85
Hay	10 00 to 10 00
Butter	22 to 22
Eggs	24 to 24
Potatoes, per bag	1 00 to 1 00
Dried Apples	7 to 7
Flour, per cwt.	2 50 to 3 00
Oatmeal, per sack	2 90 to 3 00
Chop, per cwt.	1 25 to 1 75
Live Hogs, per cwt.	8 25 to 8 25
Hides, per lb.	8 to 9
Sheepskins	30 to 50
Wool	20 to 20
Tallow	5 to 5
Lard	11 to 11
Turkeys	00 to 00
Geese	00 to 00
Ducks	00 to 00
Chickens	00 to 00

Large Sales Small Profits McKECHNIES' WEEKLY NEWS

New Teas

JUST ARRIVED, from the Balmy Island of Ceylon, with all the aroma for which the Tea, from that far-famed isle, is noted.

Light of Asia (black).....	35c	Fine (green).....	25c
Perfect (Green).....	35c	Choice (mixed).....	25c
Star of India (black).....	25c	Fine stock of SALADA in black, green and mixed	

The New Idea Fashions



The NEW IDEAS, in Fashions, tell all that can be told by illustrations of up-to-date Garments of every conceivable kind, for every conceivable occasion. We carry a complete stock of the New Idea Patterns Price 10 Cents Each.

The Quarterly Fashion Magazine 5c. each when a pattern is purchased. The Women's Magazine (monthly) 10c. The New Idea fashions free.

Dress Goods

Our stock of Dress Goods is very large, in the newest designs, and in the neatest patterns. We cordially invite you to have a look through.

Boots and Shoes

Notwithstanding the great advance in prices, we are still able to sell at the old prices. Our stock is composed of the newest in all lines.

HOME FURNISHINGS

A fine assortment of Rugs. A nice display of Wall Paper, Linoleum in 2 yards wide and 4 yards wide. Floor Oilcloth, Window Curtains in great profusion.

The Highest Prices for Butter and Eggs.

G. & J. McKechnie

Departmental Store Durham