

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

MEMORY OF SAVAGES.

Wonderful Feats of the Zulus in Conveying Verbal Messages.

The memory in savage or uncivilized peoples is often trained to a degree very surprising to those civilized men and women who have grown used to depending on the written much more than on the remembered word. The transmission of whole epics, like the "Iliad," by word of mouth no longer seems so incredible when you read of the feats of memory of which present day Zulus are capable.

These people, says Mr. Gibson in "The Story of the Zulus," have no writing and are accustomed to transmit messages and record events by memory alone. This they can do because their mental impressions are made especially distinct by reason of their acquired or inherited habit of giving undivided attention to the subject in hand.

Communications between the British authorities and the Zulu kings were almost invariably conducted by means of verbal messages carried by natives. A certain ultimatum addressed by the British to Cetewayo was conveyed to him, not upon paper, but in the brain cells of the messengers whom he had sent eighty miles to receive it from the British commissioners.

Although the document contained some 4,000 words and was accompanied by much comment on the state of things it was desired to remedy, the whole was repeated to Cetewayo with perfect accuracy.

MOVING PICTURES.

Why They Sometimes Show Wheels Turning the Wrong Way.

Every one must have noticed that in moving pictures the wheels of carriages or automobiles often seem to be turning backward instead of forward. One puzzled person wrote to the Scientific American asking why, and this is that paper's answer:

In taking a moving picture there are perhaps sixteen exposures made each second. If now the spokes of the wheel of a carriage move with a speed so that the spokes are in the same position at each exposure, that wheel will seem to stand still in the picture.

If the wheel is moving slower, then the spokes will be seen farther backward in the successive views, and the wheel will seem to turn backward, while it will seem to turn forward when the spokes move fast enough to occupy positions further forward in each exposure.

It is a matter of the interruption for the exposure and the motion of the wheel. If there are sixteen exposures and the wheel turns through the space between two spokes in one-sixteenth of a second the wheel would be in the same position at each successive exposure and so would not seem to move at all.

Gymnasium Training.

Every person who has received gymnasium training is aware of the fact that an exercise which calls for painful effort on the part of the beginner is often performed almost without any conscious effort at all after a certain amount of training has been received. Again, it is perfectly well known that brute strength alone does not make a gymnast and that even a simple exercise may offer great difficulty to a muscular and well developed individual who has not been trained in the gymnasium. The explanation for this is made in an article by Professor Dubois Raymond in Die Umshau, who points out that one of the essential functions of gymnasium work is not so much to build up muscle as to train nerves and nerve groups to work in proper unison and co-ordination.

Flags at Half Mast.

Ever since flags were used in war it has been the custom to have the flag of the superior or conquering nation above that of the inferior or vanquished. When an army found itself hopelessly beaten it hauled its flag down far enough for the flag of the victors to be placed above it on the same pole. This was a token not only of submission, but of respect. In those days when a famous soldier died flags were lowered out of respect to his memory. The custom long ago passed from purely military usage to public life of all kinds, the flag flying at half mast being a sign that the dead man was worthy of universal respect. The space left above it is for the flag of the great conqueror of all, the angel of death.

One Good Way.

"My wife," said Mr. Clarke, "sent \$2 in answer to an advertisement of a sure method of getting rid of superfluous fat."

"And what did she get for the money? Was the information what she wanted?" asked Mr. Simmons.

"Well, she got a reply telling her to sell it to the soap man."—Harper's Monthly.

He Guessed Right.

"Ah, me," exclaimed Mrs. Nagget, "my shopping was most unsatisfactory today!"

"Huh!" grunted Nagget. "Trying to get something for nothing, I suppose."

"Yes, dear. I was after a birthday gift for you."—Philadelphia Press.

Quite a Change.

Howell—Rowell doesn't speak to his wife. Powell—And I can remember when he thought it was worth \$1 to say a few words to her by long distance telephone.—Judge.

It is a fine thing to know when to let go. Many a man holds on too long. It is better to jump overboard than to go down with the sinking ship.

LANGUID
people are sick people. They lack vitality and relative power.
Scott's Emulsion
brings new life to each people—it gives vigor and vitality to mind and body. All Druggists.
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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
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Contains list of daily events at the Fair. Special rates and train service from all stations.

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we handle the well known brands of Flour such as
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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.

MR. 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 gasoline 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
Don't forget the date of South Grey Fall Fair—September 24th and 25th.

Large Sales Small Profits
McKECHNIE'S WEEKLY NEWS

The Old Reliable

STYLES of apparel change, customs change, new fads appear and disappear in the course of one revolving moon, but the Old Reliable

The Flannelette Blanket

made for comfort only, is always used, both by the person of ordinary means and by the millionaire. In it there is no style, Simply Comfort, Solid Comfort. To meet the requirements of the cool fall we bought a very large stock and will sell them at the following prices for one week

10-4 per pair \$1.00 11-4 per pair \$1.15 12-4 per pair \$1.45

The E. T. Corsets

All made in Canada by skilled Canadian work people, have a record, which few corsets have. The business of the firm depends on the satisfaction which the corsets give, in style, comfort, and durability, a sure guarantee that they will give you satisfaction, per pair.....50, 75 and 1.00

Ladies' Underskirts in the Newest Styles

Black Sateen.....50	each	Duchess Satin.....1.00	each
Black Sateen.....75	each	White Cotton.....69, 79	each
White Nainsook.....89 and 98c.			

Just received a stock of Fresh Groceries. A fine assortment of Boots and Shoes. The newest in Ladies' Fall and Winter Coats. A large stock of Men's Working Shirts. A full stock of the New Idea Patterns and Magazines on hand. Try McKechnie's Pure Soap, 8 bars for 25c.

The Highest Prices for Butter and Eggs.

G. & J. McKechnie

Departmental Store Durham

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and following days.
Our stock is all new and up-to-date and our prices reasonable.

MISS E. E. MOONEY
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It Grows Hair
Mrs. J. Harris, Wappella, Sask., writes, "I have found PARISIAN Sage to be the best scalp and hair tonic I have ever known. After using two bottles the itching and dandruff disappeared and my hair ceased to fall out."
PARISIAN Sage does not contain Sugar of Lead; a poison that often causes blood poison, and sometimes death. Ask your dealer if he can guarantee some other hair preparations not to contain Lead or Nitrate of Silver.
PARISIAN Sage is not a dye. Most dyes are dangerous. It is a hair nourisher, grower and beautifier and quickly banishes dandruff, stops hair from falling, and scalp itch. Large bottle 50 cents at Macfarlane & Co's and dealers everywhere.

If you knew of the real value of Chamberlain's Liniment for lame back, soreness of the muscles, sprains and rheumatic pains, you would never wish to be without it. For sale by all dealers.

ORCHARD.
Miss Lottie Bailey left last week for Spring Arbor, Mich., to resume her studies at High school.
Messrs. Jas. Mark and Ed. Hoy attended Toronto Exhibition last week.
Miss Emily Eddington returned to Toronto on Monday, to finish her course at Clark's Business College.
Mr. Albert Hoeflin left for Toronto on Monday morning, taking with him two little cousins, who have been holidaying at Mr. Jacob Hoeflin's here.
Miss Margaret Bailey, of Coldwater, Mich., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Paat.
Mr. Joe Ellis, of Saskatoon, has been renewing acquaintances in this neighborhood.
Mr. Fred Miller was home from Durham on Friday, to attend his uncle's funeral.
We extend to Adam Keller, sr., our sincere sympathy in his sudden and sad bereavement, the loss of his son, Edgar.
The farmers are feeling very grateful for the nice warm harvest weather we have had lately. We understand that Mr. James Hoeflin has disposed of his thrashing outfit.