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From our collection you can make a satisfactory selection without exceeding the amount you proposed paying, and the distinctive style and superior quality will greatly add to your appreciation of them.

Mens Cloth Coats with Fur Collars
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Our Staples are the kind that call for your attention.

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GENERAL MERCHANT

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Large Sales Small Profits
McKECHNIES' WEEKLY NEWS

Sandy and His Whiskey

Doctor—"I hope you are carefully following my instructions Sandy, pills three times a day and a drop of whiskey at bed time."
Sandy—"Well Sir I may be a bit behind with the pills but I'm about six weeks in front with the whiskey."

Our aim is to have new seasonable and fashionable goods, six weeks too soon for the season.

Lumbermen's Rubbers

One-buckle Lion Brand.....	\$1.75
One-buckle Snag-proof.....	\$2.00
3-lace, low, for leggings.....	\$2.35
Lumber King, solid heel.....	\$2.40
3-lace solid heel.....	\$2.50
12 inch top, snag-proof.....	\$3.75
Men's plain overs.....	.85
Men's high heel.....	\$1.00
Men's rolled sole.....	\$1.15
Boys' 1-buckle.....	\$1.35
Youth's 1-buckle.....	\$1.13

Blankets

10-4 Flannelette.....	\$1.00
11-4 Flannelette.....	\$1.15
12-4 Flannelette.....	\$1.45
All-wool, 60x80.....	\$3.50
All-wool, 64x84.....	\$4.75
All-wool, 64x84.....	\$5.50

Men's Shoes

Good Bluch.....	\$1.75
Heavy Sateen calf.....	\$2.25
English kip.....	\$3.25
Heavy chrome.....	\$3.25
Dongola Bluch.....	\$1.75
Box calf.....	\$2.50
Box calf, extra.....	\$3.00
Wide dongola Bluch.....	\$3.50
Gun metal.....	\$4.25
Patent Bluch.....	\$4.00

Women's Shoes

Felt bals.....	\$1.50
Glove grain.....	\$1.75
Flannel lined.....	\$1.75
Calfskin, heavy.....	\$2.15
Dongola Bluch.....	\$2.25
Dongola, button.....	\$2.50

Fresh Groceries are Continually Arriving

The Highest Prices for Produce

G. & J. McKechnie

Departmental Store Durham

CHRISTMAS APPEAL TO THE PEOPLE OF ONTARIO FOR THE HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN

Dear Mr. Editor:—

It would take more space than you can spare to tell of the good work done by the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, for the sick and deformed children of this Province. Let me, in a few words, tell you of the steady growth of this Hospital.

In the year 1875 there were only six cots and beds, one nurse, 44 in-patients and 67 out-patients. In 1912 there were 250 cots and beds, 64 nurses, 1,294 in-patients and 17,362 out-patients.

During the 37 years of the Hospital's existence, 19,370 in-patients have been admitted, and 133,724 out-patients have been treated, a total of 153,094, or an average of 4,138 per year. Of the 19,370 in-patients, 5,439 were from places outside of Toronto, 9,644 of the total in-patients were cured, and 5,711 were improved. This is a great record.

Of the 1,294 in-patients last year, 841 came from 218 places outside of Toronto, so that the Hospital is not a local, but a Provincial Institution.

In the Orthopedic Department in 37 years, nearly 700 boys and girls have been treated for clubfeet, and about 600 were corrected. Half of these came from places outside of Toronto, so surely we have a fair claim for help from the people of this Province.

The Corporation of Toronto grants \$25,000, not only for the city children, but towards the maintenance of all patients in the Hospital, and the citizens of Toronto donate an average of \$15,000 annually to the funds of the Hospital.

Will you, kind reader, think of what your money will do? It helps to restore health and strength, and gives sound limbs and straight feet to crippled boys and girls.

Remember that your pocket-book must be the Hospital's friend, if the Hospital is to be the children's friend.

Remember that Christmas calls you to open the purse of your kindness to the Hospital, so that the Hospital may open the heart of its help to the children.

Remember that your money can help the Hospital build a bridge over which the feet of little children may travel on the journey from sorrow to joy, from sickness to health—aye, from death to life.

Please send a dollar, or more if you can spare it, to Douglas Davidson, the Secretary-Treasurer of the Hospital, or J. Ross Robertson, Chairman of the Trustees, Toronto.

WHAT HE DESERVES.

The man who thinks that he is it, Who's sure that he's a brand new hit.

With people great and people small,

Who's certain that he knows it all—Yes, all these is, and maybe more—Is truly a tremendous bore.

He is a man, I say, whom you'll Avoid as you'd a tricky mule.

He's always round with his advice And certain he is cutting ice.

He puts it out in easy reach And says that it is sure a peach And bound to help you while you wait.

As certain and as sure as fate, Just ask him. He will do the rest Or bust the buttons off his vest.

He's brimming full of arguments That look to you like thirty cents, But he is sure that they are right And hand them out in sheer delight.

It's bound to be just what you need, This bloomin' bunk that is his creed.

He showers it round as thick as hail Comes riding on an August gale.

When he is ready to begin, We ought to take the fellow in, Tie to his head a silken bag, So when his tongue begins to wag The heated air will soon or late The pretty little bag inflate, And then the trusty silk balloon Will bear him upward to the moon.

When you have a bilious attack give Chamberlain's Tablets a trial. They are excellent. For sale by all dealers.

ONE IDEA.

"What are these society people we hear about?" asked Mrs. Corn-tassel.

"I dunno," replied the farmer, "but as near as I can make out, they're jes' folks that make a regular habit of wearing their Sunday clothes every day."

One sure way to lose your friends is to become a chronic kicker.

If it's gossip, ten chances to one it isn't true.

A first class pessimist takes it as a personal injury if any one has any good humor on tap.

The smaller a girl's foot is the more interest she takes in stylish footwear.

If a man thought he was in love, it was about as pleasant a dream as he could have, anyway.

Every penny you send goes to help.

Send along your mite, however humble, to Mr. W. J. GAGE, Chairman of the Executive Committee; or to Mr. R. DUNBAR, Sec. Treas., 347 King West, Toronto.

FREE TO BOYS—BOY'S WATCH FREE.

A "Railroad King" Watch, stem wind, stem set, and guaranteed for one year, given free to any boy who will sell 30 sets of Xmas Cards at 10 cents a set.

Send us your name and we will send you the cards to sell. When sold, send us the money and we will send you the watch with all the charges prepaid.

HOMER-WARREN CO., Dept 166, Toronto.

THE HOME DRESSMAKER.

When you buy gingham or other thin material for a house dress, buy an extra half yard with which to make simple and dainty dust caps to match the dresses. Finish them with an inexpensive lace edge.

To lengthen a child's dress open the shoulder seam and insert a strip of material like that used for the waist. This gives the needed space in the arm holes and around the neck. It leaves any trimming that may be on the dress untouched. Yet the dress is lengthened, and the gathers on the skirt are in the proper place.

Removable buttons are excellent in wash dresses. Buy wooden button moulds with a centre hole. Insert a brass paper fastener in the hole. Cover the button with cloth. A small hole may then be made in the garment where the button is to be placed. Push the prongs of the fastener into the hole and flatten out. This holds the button securely. To wash the dress the buttons are easily removed and washed separately.

The hardest wear on a waist comes under the arms. Protect this part of the waist with a strip of oiled silk. There will be less likelihood of the unsightly holes. The most fashionable dressmakers include this among their tricks of the trade.

A Des Moines man had an attack of muscular rheumatism in his shoulder. A friend advised him to go to Hot Springs. That meant an expense of \$150 or more. He sought for a quicker and cheaper way to cure it and found it in Chamberlain's Liniment. Three days after the first application of this liniment he was well. For sale by all dealers.

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You Want Choice Christmas Goods VISIT Our First Annual Christmas Sale

Now Going On 20 per cent. discount off all FANCY GOODS

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Close clipped prices till Dec 15. Come early and secure a bargain

The Central Drug Store :: Durham

A WINNING FIGHT

Telling of the progress made in combating the terrible 20th century plague—Consumption.

Notwithstanding the enormous increase in population in Canada in the past few years, it is more than gratifying to be able to record that the fight which the National Sanitarium Association are putting up against the "white plague"—consumption—is proving a winning one.

Prior to 1896 deaths from Consumption were on the increase every year. In 1910, despite the greater number of citizens, the figures in Ontario alone showed a decrease of 1118 over those of ten years ago. Isn't this splendid testimony to the noble work going on?

Maybe you haven't a father, mother, sister or dear friend of your own afflicted, but wouldn't it feel good to help some poor soul in the throes of the dread disease to get back into the wage-earning class—to return cured to wife and loved ones?

Our proud boast is that no needy Consumptive has ever been refused admittance to our Free Institutions at Weston and Muskoka because of poverty. But the good work cannot expand without your kindly sympathy and material help.

The need is urgent. If you are blessed with that greatest of all blessings, good health, think of your needy suffering brother and sister.

Send along your mite, however humble, to Mr. W. J. GAGE, Chairman of the Executive Committee; or to Mr. R. DUNBAR, Sec. Treas., 347 King West, Toronto.

Every penny you send goes to help.

FREE TO GIRLS. FIRST PRIZE DOLL.

A Beautiful French Dressed Doll, 15 inches tall, with real eyelashes and eyes that open and shut, given free to any girl who will sell 30 sets of Xmas Cards at 10 cents a set. Send us your name and we will send you the cards to sell. When sold, send us the money and we will send you the doll with all the charges prepaid.

HOMER-WARREN CO., Dept. 166, Toronto.

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.

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General Change of Time

October 27th, 1912. E. A. HAY, Station Agent R. McFarlane, Town Agent.

CREDIT AUCTION SALE

of Young Cattle.

The undersigned Auctioneer has received instructions to sell by Public Auction at the Hahn House Stables, Durham, on

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1912 at 1:30 p.m., the following

8 head 2-year-old steers, 4 head 2-year-old heifers, 2 head yearling steers, 4 head yearling heifers.

TERMS: Six months' credit on approved joint notes, 4 per cent. per annum. off for cash in lieu of notes.

DANIEL McAULIFFE, Prop., ROBT. BRIGHAM, Auctioneer.