

The J. D. Abraham Co.

THE PEOPLE'S STORE

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"You Pay Less Here"

COME TO THE WHITE GOODS SALE

EMBROIDERY FLOUNCINGS

27 inch Swiss Flouncings, in all the new patterns, 7 different pieces to select from. Very special value 50c.
48 inch Swiss Flouncing and Skirting, an extra fine quality and dainty patterns. Eleven patterns at 65 cents. Four patterns at \$1.25.
These are all worth more money. We want you to compare them with others you have seen at the same price.

EMBROIDERY AND INSERTIONS

We have just Sixty-nine pieces of Embroidery Edgings and Insertions, in dainty Swiss patterns, all widths 5c to 15c.

ALLOVER EMBROIDERY

Seven patterns in Swiss Allovers, sold everywhere at \$1.25.
We have marked this lot for quick sale at only \$1.00.

Sale of Lace & Insertion

We have to offer this week a special Sale of Laces, all widths from one to four inches wide.
These are nearly all marked 10 cents per yard, but just to make it interesting we have made one price of the lot
Four Cents (4c) Four Cents about Thirty different patterns. If you are looking for Lace for less money than you ever saw it before don't miss this opportunity.

Scotch Linoleum 50c

We have just opened a very attractive pattern in Scotch Linoleum. Four yards wide, best quality 50c

WINDOW SHADES The best Oil Opaque Shades **40 cents**

\$1.25 White Skirts for 99 cents

Two, three and some four rows of Insertion and Lace.

White Lawn Blouses 1.25, 1.50, 1.75, 2.00
Short or long Sleeves, some with low neck, some with collars, button front or back.

Underwaists 25c 50c Drawers 50c Gowns, Special 99c and \$1.25

Long White Silk Gloves Special \$1.00
Long White Silk Lace Gloves 75c
Long White Silk Lisle Gloves 35c
Long White Suede Gloves 50c

Floor Oilcloth 1 1/2 and 2 Yards Wide
Splendid Patterns per yard 30 cents
Stair Oilcloth, special 15 cents

Ladies' Seamless Cotton Hose 2 Pairs for 25c
All Sizes 8 to 10

Every Day Prices on Groceries

- Redpath Gran. Sugar, per 100 \$4.75
- Canned Corn, best Quaker brand 3 for25
- Canned Beans, Quaker, 3 for25
- Canned Peas, Quaker, 2 for25
- Canned Tomatoes, Quaker, 2 for25
- Comfort Soap, 6 bars for25
- Sunlight Soap, 6 bars for25
- 3 pound pkgs. Seeded Raisins for25
- 3 pkgs. Handy Ammonia25
- 3 pounds Valencia Raisins for25
- 3 pounds Currants for25
- 5 pounds 30c Green Japan Tea 1.00
- 5 pounds 30c Black Ceylon Tea 1.00
- 3 tins Old Dutch Cleanser25
- 3 tins Handy Ammonia25
- 3 tins Gillett's Lye for25
- 3 tins Comfort Lye for25
- 2 cans Silver Moon Rod Salmon for25
- 5 tins Penant Salmon25
- All Plug Tobaccos 3 for25
- Ivory Gloss Starch 3 for25
- Best Cornstarch 3 for25
- Fresh 15c Jam-Jams, 3 pounds for25
- Pound tins Baking Powder 2 for25
- All Extracts 3 for25
- Fresh Dates 3 for25

The J. D. Abraham Company Successors to Robert Burnett

Wool Wanted

We sell for less BECAUSE we buy for less

Wool Wanted

Large Sales

Small Profits

McKECHNIES' WEEKLY NEWS

JUST ARRIVED

A select stock of Rugs and Mats, in the newest designs, in the neatest oriental shades and in a large range of sizes. We cordially invite you to have a look through them, on the second floor.

A fine stock of Scotch Ginghams, all neat patterns and fast colors. **10c and 15c per yard.**

A nice stock of Boots and Shoes in the newest styles, made on easy fitting lasts. See the Men's working shoes at **\$1.75**. A large stock of Linoleums in the neatest patterns. Ten patterns to choose from, 4 yards wide at **\$2. per yard.**

A pretty stock of Wall Paper made by the celebrated Canadian firm Stauntons. Rich in appearance, though not too costly and in up-to-date designs.

A large stock of Ceylon Tea, fresh from the Balmly Island of Ceylon, with all the aroma for which the Tea from that far famed Isle is famous. Star of India 25c, Light of Asia 35c, Fine 35c.

Fresh Groceries are continually arriving.

The Highest Prices for Butter and Eggs

G. & J. McKechnie

Departmental Store Durham

Medical Fees in Bygone Days.
At the beginning of the eighteenth century the usual fees to physicians and surgeons in England were "to a graduate in physick, his due is about 10 shillings, though he commonly expects or demands 20 shillings. Those that are only licensed physicians, their due is no more than 6s. 8d., though they commonly demand 10 shillings."
"A surgeon's fee is 12 pence a mile, be his journey near or far, 10 groats to set a bone broke or out of joint and for letting blood a shilling; the cutting or amputation of any limb is £5, but there is no settled fee for the cure." The system of regulating the fee according to the pocket of the patient is almost as old as history.—Westminster Gazette.

The Old Bedlam.
Bethlehem (pronounced Bedlam), the London lunatic asylum, was originally founded in 1247 as a priory, but is spoken of as a hospital for lunatics in 1472, and when the church was despoiled it was granted to the city of London as such an asylum. At one time the wretched inmates were exhibited to the public like so many wild beasts, as Pepys notes in his diary and Hogarth shows in one of his sketches. Patients that were harmless or half cured were given badges and released to beg on the streets. Edgar in "King Lear" impersonates one of these wandering Tom-o'-Bedlams.

Man's Dual Nature.
The professorial mind for all its acuteness is liable to occasional lapses, like less highly trained intellects. One amusing case in point is reported in the Philadelphia Public Ledger:
A certain professor was struggling to make the point that both parents have an equal influence upon a child.
"For," he continued gravely, "a man is as much the son of his father as he is the daughter of his mother."
Law and Poetry.
A lawyer can put 1,000 words together and make them worth \$1,000. That's legal ability.
A poet can put 1,000 words together and make them worth fifteen plunks, payable on publication. That's poetry.—Washington Herald.

Corrected.
The Doctor—But, my dear sir, you must masticate your food. What were your teeth given you for? The sufferer (calmly)—They weren't given me. I bought 'em.—London Sketch.

A Chinese Oath.
"In China the oath of brotherhood is taken by breaking a cup."
"If that worked in this country our cook would be sealed to us for life."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

What It Was.
Gusher—Everybody is crazy about this house. Busher—What is it—a swell hotel? Gusher—No. It's a private lunatic asylum.—Chaparral.

A Millinery Display

This week we will show some of the very newest styles in trimmed and untrimmed hats, for Spring and Summer, and invite you to our Millinery Parlors to try them on.

We have plenty to choose from in every imaginable Size, Shape and Style that is fashionable.

Mushroom Shapes, Boat Shape, Sailor Shapes and Napoleon Shapes are all represented here.

Come early in the week and get the first choice.

MISS E. E. MOONEY
McIntyre Block, Lambton Street Durham, Ontario
(One door West of Standard Bank)

GOLD MEDAL FLOUR

is a peerless family Flour. The Mills where Gold Medal is made are of the finest on the Continent and in buying GOLD MEDAL FLOUR, you get the best that Good Wheat, Good Milling and Good Sense can produce.

NORTH WEST GEM, is a pure, high patent Manitoba Flour, for those accustomed to strong Flours. The results from North West Gem are equal to any of the high priced Flours, but you can buy a bag of North West Gem for less money than you have been paying for Flours of this class.

Bran, Shorts, Middlings, and Feed of all kinds, always in stock. Cracked Corn, Buckwheat, Wheat and Oats for hens. Call at the Mills and let us show you how you can save money by buying from us.

Let us do your Chopping; we know how.

THE HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR WOOL.

Fred J. Welsh : Durham

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NEWS ARCH

at your calling cards printed Chronicle office.
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Wanted.—Girls to learn dressmaking. Apply at the Chronicle office.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. Burnett, of Hamilton, born here as Ella Robertson, is seriously ill in the hospital. Editor Widmeyer, of the Advance, was in town Saturday with Mr. Doersam, Commercial Hotel, and the Chronicle a brief call.

All accounts due to the estate of Thomas McGrath, payable at the store, and unsettled by June 1st, or they will be placed in other hands for collection. This is the last notice McGrath, Durham.

The services in the Presbytery last Sunday were conducted by Rev. Mr. Matheson of Riceville. We regret to learn that Mr. Farquharson is not gaining strength very rapidly and will be able for some time to discharge of his regular work.

Three children were badly hurt in Toronto on Sunday by a dog supposed to have hydrophobia. The dog was subsequently killed and the head sent to Dr. Analyst, Dr. Amyot, for examination. The children are under medical treatment.

The merchants of the town decided to keep the store on Saturday, May 24th, in lieu thereof Mayor Black as that Monday, May 26th, observed as a public holiday when all stores will be closed. Country readers will remember that business will all be open on Saturday, closed on Monday.

Miss May Glass, who is engaged as stenographer and typist at the Furniture Store, has resigned her position to go to Calgary, where she has secured a lucrative position. This will help to relieve the loneliness experienced in a strange place. We wish her success.

Sometimes you meet a pig who will tell you with a snort, that it doesn't do to pay to raise hogs the present prices. We the opinion that hog raising is one of the best departments in connection with the business, and a short time sufficient evidence from not far away to convince we were about right. That he bought 22 you \$50, and after fattening received \$477.45 for the says it pays and pay don't know how long but those accustomed hogs will be able to show how old they should the price named.

On Friday afternoon belonging to James Glenelg, was standing Black's hardware store Dunbar, who was goods, was standing. For some reason the off on a slow walk, bar caught the high horse, and call stop. Suddenly the and ran at a furious Garafraza street, dling an electric light front of The Chron wagon was brought stop. The neck-ye en, all four tugs, the whiffletrees, a stripped from both being liberated from the horses didn't stop and ran into the the foundry, which easily caught. It harness was not way easily or the wagon were app and the damage was easily remed