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The Power of THE ALMIGHTY DOLLAR

If You are a Money Saver, This Means You

Banks pay 3 per cent. per annum on your savings. We pay you 5 per cent. on all the cash you spend here. Modern merchandising requires modern methods. The progressive merchant watches carefully the market on goods he sells and makes judicious selection, purchasing at the lowest possible prices and obtains a discount for cash entitled to a discount for cash purchases.

We are going to pay you interest on the cash you spend in our store at larger interest than paid by banks for your savings. The plan is simple:

We have installed a mechanical cashier built to our order by The National Cash Register Company, which issues for each cash purchase a printed receipt which shows the amount, the date and initial of clerk waiting upon you. This receipt is valuable, protects you against overcharge and is to be returned in case of error. For the return of \$10 worth we will give you 50 cents in merchandise free.

The Reason Why We are Following Out This Plan:

We have made this change after careful and deliberate consideration and are satisfied it will result beneficially both to our customers and ourselves. Under present conditions the customer who pays cash or pays his bill promptly has to make up for all who are slow to pay and those who never pay.

It also requires an elaborate system of bookkeeping which costs both time and money, frequent sending out of accounts using both stationery and stamps, and the tying up of a large sum of money which would enable us to carry a bigger and better stock of goods at lower prices.

We estimate we can save you 5 per cent. on your purchases over present prices—maybe more when we have the new system well tried out and know exactly what it will do.

It will be our aim to give customers the best quality, the best service and the best price possible, and we hope to receive the same kind consideration from the public as has been extended to this store since its establishment.

How The Plan Benefits You:

1. It prevents disputes.
 2. It prevents overcharging.
 3. It prevents mistakes in change.
 4. It stops mistakes in charge accounts.
 5. It insures a proper record for money paid on account.
 6. It protects children by giving them a printed receipt to bring home to you.
 7. It protects servants sent to our store. The receipt shows amount spent and where they spent it.
 8. It shows which clerk waited on you and, in case goods are exchanged or returned, proves the price paid and the date purchased.
 9. It tells you of special announcements we wish to make.
 10. It is a receipt for the money you spent.
- We ask your co-operation in this plan to protect your interests as well as our own, to the extent of seeing that you "Get a Receipt" from the cash register on every purchase and when paying money on account.

We Sell for Less - BECAUSE - We Buy for Less

The J. D. ABRAHAM COMPANY

Save your cash checks. If you destroy them you are throwing away real money.

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Large Sales Small Profits McKECHNIES' WEEKLY NEWS

Just Arrived

A select stock of Scotch Tweeds, in Women's and Men's Suitings, in the newest designs. Men's Suits made to order on short notice and a good fit guaranteed.

A large stock of Women's Suit ends, no two alike to choose from.

A new stock of Shoes and Rubbers, in the newest styles to suit the approaching cold, wet weather. We pay particular attention to have shoes made on easy fitting lasts, to ensure comfort and yet in the newest styles.

Fresh Groceries are Arriving Daily

REMINDERS

- Try McKechnie's Pure Soap, 8 cakes for 25c
- New stock of Star of India Tea 25c
- New stock of Light of Asia Tea 35c
- 8 lbs. Figs 25c
- White Crystal Sugar per 100 lbs. \$4.75

REMINDERS

- Fine Suits of Clothing made to order... \$17 to \$22
- 4 yds wide Linoleum, per yd. \$2.00
- A large stock of Rugs in the newest designs, on second floor.
- A good stock of Floor Oilcloth in different widths.

The highest prices for Butter, Eggs and Live Poultry. Live Poultry bought on all days except Saturday.

Poultry Prices Change Weekly

G. & J. McKechnie

Departmental Store Durham

BENTINCK COUNCIL.

Lamlash, Oct. 6. Pursuant to adjournment, council met on above date. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed.

Metcalfe-Brown-That Treasurer refund to F. Monk, \$4.00, being road work of lot 1, concession 7, Carried.

Fischer-Shewell-That Treasurer refund to J. Hoey \$4.00, being roadwork on lots 7 and 8, con. 13. Carried.

Brown-Fischer-That Treasurer refund to A. Morton, \$10, being road work on lot 2 of 16.-Carried.

Fischer-Shewell-That Elmwood Library be granted \$5.00.-Carried.

Shewell-Brown-That G. Turnbull be paid \$10 for three lambs killed by dogs.-Carried.

Brown-Shewell-That George Fischer refund \$7.10, being amt. overpaid on townline B. & S. Carried.

Brown-Metcalf-That F. Shewell be paid \$60.00 for work cutting Heft's Hill.-Carried.

Shewell-Fischer-That report of H. Metcalfe, re Durham Road Drain be accepted and paid.-Carried.

Fischer-Shewell-That H. Metcalfe pay to Treasurer \$6.30 received for tile and \$25. received from ratepayers who were benefited by drain.-Carried.

Fischer-Brown-That we authorize Treasurer to pay to Brant Treasurer on or before Jan. 1, 1914, the sum of \$256.00 being first payment on debentures of Elmwood school.-Carried.

Metcalfe-Fischer-That Treasurer upon order from Reeve issue a cheque payable to James Cope for erection of abutments to Hudson's bridge, providing work is passed by engineer.-Carried.

Shewell-Metcalf-That Clerk be paid 50 cents for postage on statute.-Carried.

Metcalfe-Brown-That Reeve, if he deems it necessary have one E. McFarlane taken to House of Refuge.-Carried.

Brown-Fischer-That Clerk inform G. T. R. roadmaster that planks should be laid at crossings in Township.-Carried.

Thomas Brigham and John Hopkins each ask \$100.00 for land necessary for deviation. We recommend this to be left over until 1914.

Metcalfe-Fischer-That report be accepted and receive be paid \$2.00 and Geo. Brown \$1.00 for services.-Carried.

Metcalfe-Brown-That the following accounts be paid.-Carried.

H. Brigham, lumber, Allan Park bridge 6.15

T. Brigham, rep'g bridge 60

R. Corlett, rep'g bridge on con. 2, W. G. R. 4.50

D. McDonald, rep'g bridge S. L. 25, con. 10 1.00

L. Dietz, erecting railing on hill, lot 3, con. 10 8.00

A. Wilson, letting and inspecting work 7.00

F. Prast, culvert tile 10.50

A. Hunt, 20 loads gravel 1.00

G. Schenk, 133 loads gravel 10.64

F. Wagner, 50 loads gravel 4.00

T. Scales, 41 loads gravel 4.10

Mrs. Schmidt, road to pit 2.00

Treas., Normandy culvert townline B. & N. 8.35

W. Hazlett rep'g culvert 2.00

H. Weidendorf fill'g wash-

MISS E. E. MOONEY Millinery Parlor

Our Stock of New Fall Millinery this Season is larger and better than ever. The Shapes are attractively different and the prices are very reasonable. Felt Shapes, Velours, Beavers, Made Hats and all newest Novelties are shown in our stock this season and we invite you to call at any time and see if we haven't just the Hat that suits you.

Miss E. E. Mooney

McIntyre Block One door west of Standard Bank

out..... 3.50
 G. Scholtzhauer draw'g tile... 3.50
 C. Weidendorf, rep'g grader... 25
 H. Metcalfe, com. 4.00
 W. Adamson, tile for drain on Durham R'd. 31.50
 F. Prast, tile for D. Rd. 14.40
 R. McKay work D. Rd. 67.91
 H. Metcalfe commission on drain on D. Road. 12.00
 H. McTavish, 48 yds gravel... 3.84
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 G. Noble, work on road lot 57 con 2, W. G. R. 4.50
 R. Lindsay, grading Rocky hill, half cost 23.50
 G. Brown, commission... 1.00
 J. Wade, grav'g S. L. 15. 8.50
 P. Tiffney lay'g culvert tile... 2.75
 G. Hastie, picking stone... 50
 D. Chark, picking stone... 3.00
 C. McIntyre, 32 lds gravel... 1.60
 W. Connor, tile, 7.50
 F. Shewell, gravelling 20 mile swamp. 26.05
 F. Shewell, cutting Heft's hill, special grant. 60.00
 F. Shewell, cutting Heft's hill part appropriation. 4.21
 F. Shewell, drawing tile. 1.00
 Shewell-Fisher-That we adjourn to meet Monday, Dec. 15 for transaction of general business. -J. H. Chittick, Clerk.

STORY OF A GREAT HYMN.

As Tennyson's nurse was sitting one day at his bedside, sharing to a degree the general anxiety about the patient, she said to him suddenly:

"You have written a great many poems, sir, but I have never heard anybody say that there is a hymn among them all. I wish, sir, you would write a hymn while you are lying on your sick bed. It might help and comfort many a

poor sufferer."

The next morning, when the nurse had taken her quiet place at the bedside, the poet handed her a scrap of paper, saying: "Here is the hymn you wished me to write."

She took it from his hands with expressions of grateful thanks. It proved to be "Crossing the Bar," the poem that was sung in Westminster Abbey at Tennyson's funeral, and which has touched so many hearts.

Crossing the Bar.

Sunset and evening star,
 And one clear call for me!
 And may there be no moaning of the bar
 When I put out to sea.

But such a tide as moving seems asleep,
 Too full for sound and foam,
 When that which drew from out the boundless deep
 Turns again home.

Twilight and evening bell,
 And after that the dark!
 And may there be no sadness of farewell
 When I embark.

For though from out that bourne of Time and Place
 The flood may bear me far,
 I hope to see my Pilot face to face
 When I have crossed the bar.
 -Alfred Tennyson.

RECOGNIZED HIM.

"I saw my boyhood chum to-day, the one that has become a millionaire."
 "Did he recognize you?"
 "I guess so, He turned a corner when he saw me coming."

NEWS AROUND

Historical council has given \$500 for park improvements.

The gate receipts at Markdale were \$525.

The services at St. Paul's church-remont will begin at 2:30 p.m. commencing next Sunday.

The Ladies' Guild of Trinity church are preparing for their annual bazaar, which they purpose holding early in December.

Wanted.—Good general servant to go to Burlington about 15th November. Apply to Mr. William Robertson. 10-23

Don't go shivering around the ether, but go to Grant's and buy Stanfield's unshrinkable underwear. It will keep you warm and save doctor's bills.

Thomas Stevenson, who has been in the drug business at Orangeville for 53 years, recently, after only a few days' illness.

Owing to recent changes in P. O. time table the outgoing mails over that road will close at the post-office here as follows: on the west at 11:50 a.m. and on the east at 2:30 p.m.

The contract for carrying mail along rural route No. 2, day of Aberdeen and Bent post offices has been let to John Pust, and service will commence November 1.

The town was again in darkness on Saturday and Sunday night as the electric light wires had broken out to let the town hall around the corner of George and Garafraza streets.

Postmasters have been instructed to hang up in the lobby of their offices a list of the names of the persons of the different routes starting from their offices for the information of the men and the public generally.

What about the west end of the Lambton street bridge, said a couple of weeks ago was being undermined. Opinion has since been confirmed by the opinions of others. It cost much to fix it now, for a little too long may cost into thousands of dollars.

The wet weather has done a great deal with the men who are engaged in the town hall. It will take some yet to put it in place. Still weather be favorable for four days, we hope to see the men are all ex they cannot work satisfactorily wet weather.

The new residence built by Mr. Wm. McFadden on Essex street, will have this week if nothing happens prevent progress. The table the different trades without interruption, the inside work. Mr. P. house on Garafraza street closed in and in a position finished.

On Sunday evening a interesting and instructive Japan was delivered by Holmes, a missionary, though Officially parently opposed to the masses of the people, their attention to the speaker's delight at the rapid inroads of the last thirty years, and he claimed, had been the seven years of work in the east. It is a clear and forceful is very optimistic of progress in the very.

The attendance was speaker received the attention of the education the whole addressed nearly an hour night he addressed League of the Met where he was listed large audience for meeting. Mrs. Hol children, both boys now visiting relatives. They all expect next summer.