

Alex. Russell. **THE BIG STORE** Alex. Russell.

Xmas Gift Suggestions Something Useful

Why not combine usefulness with Christmas generosity and give something from this list. Our stock of Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Fancy Collars, Belts, Silk for Waists, French Flannels for Waists, consists of everything that is new, and you'll find this an easy store to shop in, when you don't know what to buy.

GLOVES.
Yes a pair of Gloves would be appropriated and we are safe in saying that no better values are shown anywhere. Our great dollar and ten cent Kid Glove is fully guaranteed and will give considerably more than 110 cents worth of style and satisfaction. Other kinds are priced from 75c to \$1.40.

HANDKERCHIEFS.
Embroidered, Hemstitched, Lace and Plain Linen. These are priced from 5c to 50c.

BELTS.
Goods that cost little money, from 25c up to \$1.50, and a large assortment to choose from.

CUSHION TOPS, FANCY NECKWEAR, RIBBONS, ETC.

WAISTINGS.
Silk and French Flannel Waistings to sell at 50c upwards. The latest styles and colors.

GROCERIES.
Everything new and fresh in the Grocery line. New Currants and Raisins, New Peels, New Dates, New Figs, New Tomatoes, New Corn, New Peas, etc.

Don't forget we Handle the Happy Thought Range.

5000 LBS. TURKEY WANTED.
We want 5000 lbs. Turkey before Christmas. Highest prices paid for Produce. Come in and we will assist you in making selections.

ALEX. RUSSELL
The Big Store.

Flesherton.

The annual entertainment in the Rockvale school, over which Miss Stafford presided and will, we understand, continue in 1904, took place on Tuesday evening of last week and was well patronized. A varied and pleasing programme was rendered. Mr. Hoy's gramophone did good service and Mr. Hutchinson, teacher at Port Law, rendered valuable assistance. Mr. W. T. Pedlar occupied the chair in an entertaining manner.

The members of the Women's Institute here gave a fowl supper to a large company of their friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Price Teeter on Wednesday evening of last week when a very enjoyable social time was spent. After the very satisfying spread given by the ladies the chair was taken by the president Mrs. Robert Best, who discharged the duties efficiently. Rev. L. W. Thom was called on and for an hour interestingly entertained the company on his recent trip to the Pacific coast. Mrs. Wm. Stewart, vice-president, spoke briefly, Mrs. Harry Wood recited and a number of pleasing gramophone selections added to the evening's enjoyment.

Mr. John Flynn, whom we reported very low on Monday of last week lingered till Thursday when he fell asleep in death. The funeral took place to the public cemetery here on Saturday. Rev. Ivison Wilson, assisted by Rev. Mr. Thom, conducted the burial services. The deceased was 75 years of age and had been twice married. Of his first family Mrs. Mott, of Toronto, who was present at the funeral, survives him. Of his second family his widow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Parker near Wareham, six sons and two daughters survive him, the youngest child being about one year of age. Mrs. Flynn has the sympathy of the community in the trial and burden which it is hers to bear. Some very nice flowers were sent from Toronto.

Mr. Charles James, one of the earliest settlers in Artemesia township, but who has of late made his home with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Thorpe Wright, of Toronto Junction, died there on Friday night last after but a very brief illness. His remains were brought by Mr. Wright to this place on Saturday and interred in the family plot in the public cemetery. Rev. Wilson, of this place, officiating at the grave. The deceased who was 75 years of age, was unmarried. He was of a retiring disposition, a great reader and few, we are informed, better versed in the Scriptures than he. Rev. Wellwood, of Dundalk, and Charles Pickell, of Markdale, attended the funeral.

Division Court was held here on Friday last, Judge Morrison presiding. Boyd Bros., this place, v. s. Keeman Bros. Owen Sound, was a lengthy case occupying the most of the time of the court. The plaintiffs sold to the defendants a car of cedar which was refused by the latter's customer who claimed that the timber was not sound. The plaintiffs contended that the timber was good stock quite up to the quality they had agreed to supply. They, however, sold it to the C. P. R. company but for expenses, going to Toronto, reloading, etc., sued for \$68. Much evidence was given on both sides with the result that on counter claim by the defendants for loss, with their customers judgment was given them for \$20 and costs. Some other cases were disposed of but not of public interest.

On Thursday last Wm. McClung, of Ephrasia, was before magistrate VanDusen on a charge of assault laid by Geo. Smith of the same township. McClung pleaded guilty and was therefore fined \$1.00 and costs, in all \$9.10.

On October 8th last Wm. J. Talbott, of the east back line, had a young horse stolen from the pasture field. Later it was discovered by Mr. Talbott that a little before midnight of the same day a young man driving an animal answering the description, put up at the home of Mr. Broughton near Corbetton and had gone when that gentlemen got up early the next morning. Suspicion rested on one Duncan McIntosh, a young man whose home is a few miles east of Shelburne, but who has of late been at work at Minnis camp about four miles from Markdale. On Thursday night last Mr. Broughton accompanied Constable Whitten of this place, to the camp and there identified McIntosh as being the person who was at his place with the horse on the night in question. He was taken in charge by the constable and on Friday received his preliminary hearing before Magistrate VanDusen who committed him for trial and the constable accompanied him to Owen Sound that evening. McIntosh protests his innocence and says he can prove an alibi. He will be defended by Lucas, Wright & McArdle.

Mr. Samuel Boggs, who has been for some time in the employ of D. McTavish moved his family on Thursday last from Holland Centre to the old Keefe residence on Hill street.

Miss Maud Richardson of Toronto, who has been devoting her time to art during the past year gave her first exhibition on Thursday, Friday and Saturday last and we are pleased to learn was quite a success.

Miss Hattie Firth, of Toronto Junction, paid Mrs. VanDusen a short visit a few days ago.

Mr. Wm. Barnhouse paid friends in the city a short visit last week.

Misses Allie and Minnie Joy spent Sunday and Monday in Osprey as-

Ayer's

For hard colds, bronchitis, asthma, and coughs of all kinds, you cannot take anything better than Ayer's

Cherry Pectoral

Cherry Pectoral. Ask your own doctor if this is not so. He uses it. He understands why it soothes and heals.

"I had a terrible cough for weeks. Then I took Ayer's Cherry Pectoral and only one bottle completely cured me."

Mrs. J. B. DANFORTH, St. Joseph, Mich.
J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

Coughs, Colds

You will hasten recovery by taking one of Ayer's Pills at bedtime.

Millinery . . .

SATURDAY in Hats!

BARGAINS

THIS WEEK we are showing the greatest bargains in HATS. We have just opened out over fifty hats—new from the wholesale. We bought these hats cheap—and we are going to sell them at a great bargain on Saturday. We will show some of these hats in the window.

Ribbons, Collars, Belts.

All shades of Neck Ribbons and Fancy Collars and Belts.

Special Bargains Every Saturday

MISS DICK

McIntyre Block. — Durham, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Loucks, of Meaford, spent a couple of days last week with Mr. and Mrs. P. Loucks, Mr. Jas. Loucks and sister Gertie were also visitors over Sunday.

Mr. J. A. Felstead supplied the Presbyterian pulpits at Maxwell, Feversham and McIntyre on Sabbath last.

Miss Celia VanDusen, one of the brightest little girls in town, is very ill with a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

Hurry and Worry All Day.

And the worst of it is you are a little run down and have mighty little chance to catch up. Everything seems like a grindstone wearing down your nerves. You are irritable and get less sleep than is absolutely necessary. Better stop before things get worse. Your best plan is to use Ferrozone for a while and give your nerves and brain a chance to pick up. Ferrozone is the finest tonic a busy man can take. It makes new blood, nourishes the body, strengthens the nerves, improves the appetite and rehabilitates the whole system. Try Ferrozone. Price 50c.

Traverston.

Mr. Guy Williams had a handsome gray granite monument erected over his father's grave on Saturday last. It is a most commendable act on Guy's part.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Paylor lost their baby boy on Wednesday. It was one of the twins born to them about six weeks ago.

Mr. James Nelson drives a nobby new cutter and Johnny Greenwood, Jr., is getting ready for a winter's fun, as he has secured one too. Moreover, he has purchased a seed-drill to save his father's strong, right arm.

Zionites have decided to hold their Xmas tree on Xmas Eve. Great preparations are being made.

WANTED—SEVERAL PERSONS OF CHARACTER and good reputation in each state, one in this county required, to represent and advertise old established wealthy business house of solid financial standing. Salary \$21.00 weekly with expenses additional, all payable in cash direct every Wednesday from head offices. Horse and carriage furnished when necessary. References Enclose self-addressed envelope. Colonial, 522 Dearborn St., Chicago.

DR. GEO. S. BURT.
Late Assistant Roy. London Ophthalmic Hos. Eng., and to Golden Sq. Throat and Nose Hos.

Specialist: Eye, Ear, Throat and Nose EXCLUSIVELY
Will be at the Middaugh House 1st Wednesday of each month, from 12 to 4 p. m.

DR. BROWN
L. B. C. P., LONDON, ENG.

GRADULATE of London, New York and Chicago.
Diseases of Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.
Will be at Knapp House, Durham, the 2nd Saturday in each month. Hours—1-6 p. m.

Compare These:

WE MEAN our prices with the lowest in town or neighboring towns. The quality of the goods cannot be excelled, but still we have the cheaper goods if you want 'em.

7 lbs. AI Cooking Figs for	25c
3 lbs. Best Clean Currants for	25c
3 lbs. Best Raisins for	25c
2 lbs Seeded Raisins for	25c
6 bars Comfort Soap for	25c
6 lbs. Best Rice for	25c
6 lbs. Best Tapioca for	25c
6 lbs Best Sage for	25c
3 lbs. Valencia Seedless Raisins for	25c
3 lbs. Iceing Sugar for	25c
3 lbs. Royal Mixed Candy for	25c

Also Shelled Walnuts and Almonds.

Peanuts, per lb.	15c	Almonds, per lb.	15c
Walnuts, per lb.	15c	Filberts, per lb.	15c

Cro-se & Blackwell's Peels 20c per lb.

Then we have these in the

CHEAPER GOODS:

London Lemon Peel, per lb.	12c
London Orange Peel, per lb.	12c
5 lbs Nice Clean Candy for	25c

Also many other such snaps in Groceries.

Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Dried Apples & Feathers Wanted.

JORDAN'S

'Phone 27.

The People's Store!



What Shall the Gift Be

THAT'S the whole topic among the people at the present time. This question is easily solved the moment you enter this store. For the past few weeks we have been receiving large shipments of goods for our holiday trade, and to-day we have got together one of the finest displays that has ever been shown in Durham. Space will not permit of us telling you all the nice things we have for you, but note a few of the following lines which may help you to make a selection.

Handkerchiefs	Slippers
Gloves	Fancy Neckwear
Fancy Braces	Fancery
Fur Coats	Blouse Materials
Fur Gauntlets	Opera Shawls
Fur Caps	Mufflers
Boots and Shoes	Silk Mitts
Dress Goods	Table Linen

We now have Flour for Sale.

ROBERT BURNETT

J. M. Hunter Block. Opp. Chronicle Office.

No Place Like Home

To discuss articles of wear, and that is just where we want to place our clothing, where it can be examined and compared. We have the best at the lowest prices. To see our values in Overcoats is to be the possessor of one. Our special Men's \$8.00 and \$10.00 and Boys' \$5.00 and \$6.00 Coats are winners. Don't buy until you have inspected our stock.

AT CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEARS some small appreciated We bought a very large stock of Neckscarfs, Way's Mufflers, Gloves, Ties and Nobby Shirts, special for the holiday season, being the very newest and most select. THEY MAKE A NICE PRESENT FOR A FRIEND.

Neckscarfs at 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.50, \$2 and \$3.
Way's Mufflers at 35c, 50c and 75c.
Gloves at 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.50 and \$2.
Ties at 15c, 25c, 50c and 75c.

15% off. FOR THIS WEEK we are going to give 15% off our Underwear. We bought a big stock and must make room for other goods. Don't miss this chance.

How About that Boy

Did you take notice of the prices in this paper last week. Just look it up. We have a few suits left yet at the below cost price. Must be cleared out to make room for the famous "Lion Brand Boys' Clothing" which we expect in the next month.

HATS AND CAPS. Slater Invictus SHOES. Everything a man wears.

The Only Purely Men's Store in Durham.

Theobald

THE CLOTHIER.