


# THE BIG STORE

## J. A. HUNTER.

### Velvet Ribbons

Are greatly used on all kinds of dresses, especially with light summer goods, our stock is complete in the different widths in both COTTON and SATIN BLACK qualities.

TAFFETA RIBBONS are also very popular for neck wear. We carry a large range of ribbons and our prices are very reasonable.



### Clothing Talk

We have good reason to think that the public fully understand the unity that exists between our advertising and our goods. We make strong statements when the facts warrant, but we never allow the desire for such statements to create imaginative facts.

The world wags on three things:  
**DOING  
UNDOING  
PRETENDING**

We commenced doing the clothing business in Durham several years ago as it should be done and changed many of its methods, especially advertising. Our success has been a brilliant one because discriminating men and women have been the judges preferring merchandise of character linked with true economy to showiness and cheapness.

**The Adv'tg of The Big Store has always been and is limited to exact facts.**

### Boys' Clothing

Our boys' clothing is all made by the Lion Brand people. You have often heard us speak of them. Come in and see them, that's half the sale, once you see them you are sure to try.

### Men's Pants

Then our men's Heavy Blue and Drab Overalls, Double knees, Double seat, Extra Pockets, at \$1.00 is a dandy.

**CASH FOR BUTTER & EGGS.**

# J. A. Hunter.

RURAL PLAIN.

Life is one continued round of pleasure on the plain recently, for with having to hustle to save our hay between showers and scuffle and weed our corn and roots, besides taking in an occasional social, or a wedding we have to believe that after all life is worth living.

The recent rains have greatly added to our prospects for this season's crop and none but the chronic kicker is heard to complain.

Alfred Ball, who first beheld the light at what is generally known as Ball's Corner and whose father still lives on the old farm left home and friends several years ago to seek his fortune in a foreign clime. He chose the western states as the field in which to operate and ere long centered in Jerome, Arizona. Some rumor says that some fortune he smiled kindly on Alf that success attended his labors and and he is a large man owner in that place at present. He also secured possession of a treasure just by saying will you be mine and he has returned recently to the old corner and has brought evidence of the productiveness of his property, to verify the report.

Mr Anthony Moyer, the reputed ditcher, and more commonly known as Tony is at present operating with two other men in John Diebel's beaver meadow. This marsh has never been drained, but if tiles and ditches will make it fit for cultivation, John says he'll have it so and if tiles and ditches are all he wants: Tony says he can put them there.

Quite a number from the Plain attended the social given in aid of St John's Church, Aytou, on Wednesday 3rd and report it to have been a very pleasant gathering. The school grounds were brilliantly illuminated with all manner of lamps and torches and the visitor need not leave the grounds to satisfy the craving of either hunger or thirst. You will find among the number and noticed that everybody wore a smile and good clothes. M K Richardson M P was present and delivered a nice little flattering address to the people of Normanby.

We noticed in a recent issue of the Aytou Advance that among the distinguished visitors from a distance at the Aytou picnic was the Rural Plain scribe to the Review. We certainly felt highly elated at being ranked in with clergy-men and candidates for Parliamentary honors. Take a cigar on me ye Ed of the Advance.

Now they're standing at the altar; Beating hearts dot vows renew; They are pledged to love and cherish; Each one swears they will be true.

Another of those exceedingly happy events, which drives away all sorrow and dull care not only from the contracting parties, but also from the whole neighborhood for the time being, occurred on Monday, 8th inst, when a gay young party of Rural lads and lassies alighted from their vehicles in front of St Peter's Church, Aytou. Truth-seeker happened to be on hand although not mingling with the happy throng and soon gleaned the information that the bride and groom on the occasion is James Tone, a well-to-do young farmer and that he is about to consummate the promises and vows which he has formerly made to Miss Jane Lynch, a well-to-do farmer's daughter. Now they are marching up the aisle together, while the organ pealed an air in harmonious accord with the voices of the village church choir under the leadership of Miss Teresa Madigan. The Rev Father Owens is the officiating clergyman and he has securely tied the knot. A description of the bride's costume is unnecessary suffice it to say that she looked charming as also did her sister Johannah, who acted as bridesmaid. The groom has chosen his cousin Pat Doyle to be at his side lest he should weaken in any way and Pat sees that there is no noise in the knot which might slip in the future. Soon they are homeward bound to the home of the bride's father Mr Michael Lynch, where all kinds of good eating and drinking await them and after the cravings of hunger and thirst are fully satiated, then the sweet sound of music is heard floating on the evening air, yet that same tune "Haste to the wedding" which touched the depths of our fathers souls is as sweet to-day as half a century ago. On, on through the midnight hours did Hugbie Ball contentedly manipulate the bow and the music produced there by re-echoed out in the mid-night air and ever and anon the writer could distinguish the voice of Billy Golden as he nattered Cheshire tack and swing. Now they are off in a Rush Folk or the Gaitie Shotisel, or gliding through the giddy waltz, while others peeped in and looked at the secluded corner and are at the old, old caper. But oh the sed awakening, old Sol has not been at the wedding and is as punctual as usual. The grey dawn has appeared and they must disperse. Felicitations are once more extended to the young couple, gallant swains lay in wait for fair companions to escort them home and work, cruel work, again stares the revellers in the face. Call again Mr Cupid.

TRUTHSEEKER.

BALSAM VALLEY

Arrived too late for last week. It is a long time since a budget appeared from Balsam Valley and we have decided that the correspondent has given up altogether so we hope the correspondent will not be offended by me writing this budget.

Dry weather and no rain has been the cry for some time and crops were suffering greatly, but the recent rains have given things a promising look.

Haying has not commenced in this vicinity yet. Of course we are always a little slow around here.

Mr Chas Ferguson has the stonework completed for his barn. Mr Joe Eccles, the contractor deserves credit for the excellent work he has done. Of course Jim Boaks was chief man at the corners.

A very quiet wedding took place on 19th one day last week when Janet Ferguson and Colin McLean were united in marriage. They now take up their abode near Priceville. We wish the much respected couple every happiness

through life.

Mr Joseph Campbell has commenced to build his house and he has the famous Joe Eccles as builder, not forgetting Jim as corner man. Anyone wanting a good job and done up in short order will do well and save money by securing Joe Eccles.

Mr Lauchlan McDougall accompanied by his wife and family paid a short visit at D McIntyre's last week.

Mr J McQueen, of Boothville, paid a short visit to the valley the other evening.

A new kind of stovepipes arrived at Boothville on Saturday night.

Mrs Fedder, of Woodbridge, and Mrs North, of Toronto, visited at Mrs J McDonald's last week.

You may be expecting a large number from here to your town on the 12th.

We heard of a big time at Flesherston on the 1st where everybody saw the large elephant eating peanuts.

J McDougall, of Brownville, was on a business trip to the Valley last week.

A number from this part took in the strawberry festival at Dromore last week and they seem well pleased with the entertainment.

A number of road jobs are in progress at present and they were much needed. The jobs are in good hands and the Commissioner will have no trouble in passing them.

Priceville.

The sun poured down its heat on Sunday last and was considered the hottest day yet. The most of people are busy at their hay. Crop is fairly good. Fall wheat is turning to a golden color and will be fit for cutting about the 25th inst if not sooner. Its affected a little by rust. Spring crops will be short on account of so much dry weather. Rain is much needed again to cheer the thirsty soil. Potato bugs and grasshoppers are numerous. Turnips in some instances are going to be a failure, pastures are getting dry and scorched with the heat of the sun.

Mr Colin McLean bought the old Joe Ansum farm, near this town, lately from Mr Cook, who only bought it last winter. It seems this part of the country did not suit Mr Cook and gave the place away, crop and all for \$50 more than he paid for it himself. Mr Cook must be the loser. He is going back to his ain country, down the country somewhere.

John McKinnon, of Eholt, B. C., is spending a while with his father Mr Arch McKinnon, south line, Glenelg. Mr McKinnon is in the mercantile business there and is doing well.

John McArthur, of this place, left for the old country last week.

Misses McCannel, of Top Cliff, are spending their holidays for a while with friends at Stayner and elsewhere in that vicinity.

Rev Mr Matheson will be leaving for his holidays on August 1st. Rev Mr Connelly will occupy his pulpit during his absence.

The trustees of our school in this place we understand has accepted the application of a Mr McGill to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr Blackstone. We are pleased to have Miss Gertie McLeod back again with us.

A number from our neighborhood celebrated the 12th at Durham on Friday last.

As we intimated in a recent correspondence, the picnic under the auspices of the A. O. U. W., Lodge 140 of this place came off on Wednesday 10th July at Sullivan's grove was quite a success. Mr Nixon, of Toronto, a Grand Lodge Officer, was present and gave an excellent address on the good of the order. The committee spared no time in making everything an up-to-date affair and all seemed to enjoy themselves in a becoming manner. The good people of Pomona and vicinity cannot be excelled in any part of the country by way of assisting in providing for such gatherings baskets full of palatable eatables and other necessaries required to make it a success. We have received the following note from the Master Workmen and Recorder asking us kindly to have it placed amongst our items this week. "The picnic committee of Priceville Lodge 140 wish to extend to all those who so kindly assisted them by provisions and help, a hearty vote of thanks for their kindness, also to the proprietor of the beautiful grove, Mr Sullivan, for his liberality in allowing them the use of his grounds."

Signed on behalf of committee, James F Boyle, M. W. W G Watson, Recorder.

Games of different kinds was indulged in towards evening and the following is the prize list.

Throwing the stone 1st E J Sullivan, 2nd Alex McDonald.

Running jump, Thos McDougall, Geo Campbell.

Standing jump, Geo Campbell, Thos McDougall.

Running, hop step, &c, Geo Campbell, Robert Anderson.

Bicycle Race, Jas Turner, Hugh McArthur.

Boys' foot race, Ned Whitaker, John McDonald, Mal McRea.

All went home highly pleased with the day's amusements. About 300 people were present on the occasion, but we are sorry to say that the members of the Lodge did not turn out as they ought to.

MORTGAGE SALE OF FARM PROPERTY

Under and by virtue of the Power of Sale, contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage which will be produced at the time of Sale, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction by Hugh MacKay, Esq., Auctioneer at the Knapp House, in Town of Durham, on **Wednesday, August 7th, 1901,** at the hour of 2 O'clock, p. m., the following lands and premises:—

The west half of Lot No. fifty in the second Concession east of the Garafraxa Road in the Township of Glenelg, in the County of Grey, containing by admeasurement fifty acres be the same more or less.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% of the purchase money at the time of Sale, and the balance within thirty days thereafter without interest: or if the purchaser so desire, 10 per cent at the time of sale, and the balance to be arranged according to the terms and conditions then to be made known. For further terms and particulars, apply to

J. P. TELFORD, Durham, Vendor's Solicitor. Dated 5th July, A. D., 1901.

TOWN OF DURHAM.

Public Notice. Take notice that a By-law of the Corporation of the Town of Durham will be passed at the expiration of one month from the date hereof for the purpose of closing certain streets or highways, in the Town of Durham, which streets are as follows: Elm street on the east side of Garafraxa street, and that portion of Albert street lying south of South street, and extending south therefrom to a point on Albert street situate five chains south of Elm street.

WM. A. ANDERSON, Clerk, Durham. Dated this 14th day of June A. D. 1901.

JUST OUT! A New Map of the COUNTY of GREY

At very considerable expense, the undersigned has prepared and had Lithographed a complete map of the County of Grey, showing Towns, Villages, Churches, Rural Schools, Rivers and Streams, &c. The map is in size about 5 by 6 feet, is well Lithographed, and shows the Townships in distinctive colors.

It will be mailed express prepaid, to any address, on receipt of price, \$5: or on application from any responsible party, will be sent for inspection. A call solicited from Trustees in and near the town.

Dated Durham June 17 '01 J. P. TELFORD, Barrister, Durham.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that By-law No. 402 of the Town of Durham a by-law for the better sanitary condition of the Town and closing up of all pit closets will come into force and take effect on the 1st day of July next.

Printed copies of this By-law may be obtained at the Clerk's office and every ratepayer of the Town is requested to call and make himself acquainted with the provisions of the by-law.

Heavy penalties for the infringement of this By-law are prescribed and will be strictly enforced.

WM. A. ANDERSON, Clerk, Durham, May 27th, 1901.

NOTICE.

Any persons fishing on the property of the Durham Fishing Club will be prosecuted. Five dollars reward will be paid to any person furnishing such information as will lead to a conviction.

J. KELLY, Pres. THOS. A. HARRIS, Secy.

New Grocery Store.

The undersigned has opened out in his new building in Lower Town, (next door to C. McKinnon) full lines of FLOUR, FEED, GROCERIES, &c.

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CORNER STON Graham's Dorn on the qui live th day they will their history b appropriate cere of their fine ne sheet posters w office this week Dr. Socorroville stone, that us will be there platform at the service would b Horsey, N. Grey, S. Grey, Richard and McFarland did tea at 6. M admission to all