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\$17.00	Bedroom Suits now at	\$14.00
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\$14.00	"	\$12.50
\$13.00	"	\$12.00
\$12.00	"	\$10.00
\$10.50	"	\$9.50

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Iron and brass beds from \$3.75 to \$10

Diners, common chairs, bedsteads and washstands.

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A large stock of fancy Rockers. A big discount on Parlor Tables, Easels, Jardiniere Stands, Hall Cabinets, Pictures and Music Racks.

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Shewell & Lenahan Durham, Ont.

Offerings Of Great Interest in Millinery & Mantles

For the Next 30 Days.

Our important millinery novelties, and trimmed hats must go at half price and less. These are high class goods and are of the latest styles that we have had this season. They have reached the time limit and must be sold, 33 Ladies' trimmed Ready-to-wear Hats, latest styles, that were marked at \$2.50 to \$7.50 each at half price and less, no two alike. Your choice of 35 Sailor and Walking Hats at 25 cents each, also 253 Fancy Birds, Feathers, Wings, Breasts, etc. All must be sold. Now is your chance to buy a good Hat for little money.

WOMEN'S JACKETS

We have about 30 garments left, chiefly between lengths not three quarters nor yet can they be called "Short Jackets," fashion approves the styles, and which ever you choose may be reckoned as strictly within the present vogue. Here are the details:—Women's Jackets made in Germany, of Beaver, Curl and Freize cloths box semi and tight fitting back, fancy and plain silk and serge, lined, bishop and bell sleeves, collars of velvet and plain, some jackets finished with strappings and silk stitching, others, collars, cuffs and around bottom of coat silk stitching; well finished, smart dressy garments in black and colors all are going at a great discount.

S. F. Morlock.

CASH and ONE PRICE

HOPEVILLE.

The Municipal Election is talked about now very freely. We understand that all the present Council are going to run again, although we heard some report of James Corbett the reeve giving up the job on account of ill health, etc., he being absent at several meetings lately. As for new men we hear the names of four who when asked if they are running will say that they are thinking about it and it is likely all or some of them will be in the field. They are as follows:—

Mr Joseph McArdle, who has been an old Councillor and official of the township for years is likely to run for reeve but said when asked that he had not fully made up his mind yet. Mr Mc-

Ardle has been considerable through the township this summer and he says his friends are working for him hard and new friends coming to him promising support if it is considered that he will be a candidate and a strong one at that. He was beat last year by one vote, he and his friend, the over confident.

Mr John A. Cooper has been in the council some few years, but was beat last year. He got the assenting of the township this year, and he considers he has the boy all O. K. now. He is a good farmer, lives near Ventry and takes an interest in school business.

Mr Wm Hastie lives in the south of Proton, he moving here a few years ago, coming from Egremont township. He is an intelligent man in the prime

of life, having run once before, but being then a new man suffered defeat. Knowing ones say he will win this time. Mr Joseph Bowler a man well up in years has lived in the east side of Proton all his days was born on the farm he now owns, it being first taken up by his father, the late Wm Bowler one of the first on the old survey. Mr Wm Bowler was first returning officer Proton had, being appointed by proclamation to organize Proton into a municipality, he was afterwards for many years an official of the township and always was noted for his honesty; his son Joseph is an intelligent man. This is his first time to run.

The Proton boys who went to the North West harvest from here have returned home some time ago. They were from 10th con. McArthur, McLean and McWilliams and Parslow from the 14th with others. They report plenty of work, good wages and everything went well with them but they are just like the majority of the Proton boys they did not 'bum,' they struck out into the country and they knew how to work, and come home well pleased.

Joseph McArdle took a trip to Markdale, partly on business and partly to see his son Isaiah.

Mr William McMurdo has moved into his new brick house, where he enjoys comfort with his wife and family. It is of large size and solid brick, the best in Proton. Mr McMurdo commenced on these two lots when he was a young man, without any clearing. He had to chop and clear it all built his little log buildings just as he felt able, and raised a large family. Now he has his 200 acre farm nearly all cleared, well fenced, in a high state of cultivation and can take it more easy. He and his family were always very friendly with their neighbors and friends who called on them and used them very hospitably, and we think he will be more so now as we expect he will be more about the house now taking his comfort in his old days.

Mrs Scarlett of the hotel is fitting up the hotel very stylish, she is getting a number of new fancy stoves for the several rooms. When she hears of any new design of a stove she tries to get one.

BUNESSAN

Mr. Donald McKinnon and son Dan have been busy for the last couple of weeks cutting wood in Egremont

Miss May Wilson of Toronto is visiting at her uncle's, Postmaster Grey's, at present.

Mr. Dave Brown, who has been ill in Priceville, with Pleurisy for some time, returned to his home here, a few days ago. We hope Dave may soon be alright again.

Mr. D. McInnes who has been in Mt. Forest for some time receiving treatment from an eye specialist returned home a few days ago with his eye greatly improved.

We are pleased to hear Miss Maggie Denton, who has been laid up with a sore knee for some time, is able to be around again.

Mr. and Mrs. George Patterson and daughter of Ardenia visited at Mr. John Beaton's on Sunday last and took in the service at Glenelg Centre, it being Mr. McGregor's farewell. Mr. McG. preached an excellent sermon from Math. 12 to a large audience. The five years Mr. McGregor was amongst us, he made many friends and the good wishes of the people follow him wherever he may go.

Mrs. W. L. Dixon of Dromore, visited her brother Mr. George Binnie on Sunday last.

Mr. D. McCormick had a wood-see one day last week and got a lot of wood cut and split.

Messrs John McKinnon and Alex. Fletcher visited Bunessan friends one day last week.

EDGE HILL

Mr Jas. McCracken and sister Mary, visited at their uncle's Mr. Jas. McMeekin last week.

A number from around here attended a farewell party down at W. J. Ector's for their teacher Mr Sharpe who left last Thursday for his home in Belleville.

Miss Carrie Greenwood, of Zion, was the guest of friends around here last week.

Miss Valerie Edge, visited her aunt Mrs. W. Searle, of Aberdeen last week.

Mr John Williams, of Aberdeen, passed through our burg last Saturday.

Sorry to hear of Miss Kate Ector being ill again.

Mr George Staples, sr., visited friends near Wiider's Lake last Sunday, accompanied by a friend.

Mr Fred Staples, of town, spent Sunday at the old homestead, and looking as if town life agreed with him.

Mr and Mrs Joseph Atkinson, visited friends on the South Line, last week.

Mr Jno Collier was home from cement last week.

Miss McCracken, teacher, spent Sunday at her home in Aberdeen.

Mr. Jas. Allen intends having his sale on December the 18th.

VICKERS.

Mr Pomeroy is being assisted in the revival meetings this week by Rev. Wray B. Smith and Rev. Mr Stephen Piper.

Mr and Mrs Henry Ray, attended the funeral of their brother-in-law Mr Robt Marshall.

Mr George Nette is seriously ill with inflammation of the lungs. We hope to hear of his speedy recovery.

Mr W. K. Reid visited friends around here last week. He is still unable to walk without crutches.

We regret to hear of the sudden death of the infant daughter of Mr and Mrs Jno. Murrich, on Saturday the 7th inst., at the age of 4 weeks. The funeral services were conducted by the Rev Mr Pomeroy, the remains being interred in Hanover cemetery. We extend sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Sunday Social Functions.

The King, versus "The Upper Ten." The following paragraphs from an excellent article in "The Acadian Recorder" of Halifax, N. S. of recent issue discussing the growing practice of holding suppers and other social functions on Sunday, will be read with interest:

"This is indulged in by those even who profess to be good church goers, who frequent our places of worship with becoming regularity. We were sorry for instance, that on a recent royal occasion it seemed wise to some to have a dinner party on Sunday evening to the Duke of York. We are sure the visitors would not have been offended had this public violation of the Christian Sunday not been proposed. In fact it is by no means a function of royalty to violate the one Day of Rest that all should enjoy, for an English paper remarks "that King Edward has stumped society by placing the ban on Sunday entertainments of every sort. The news came out as a result of his declining to leave Scotland for London on Sunday. It is said he will not encourage Sunday dinner parties at restaurants or other diversions."

We know what a patent influence for good Her Majesty, the late Queen, had on society, and we are glad to see Her Royal Son following in the same path, and even branching out for himself as well. We would advise those folks in Halifax who of late have been starting "the fashion" by giving Sunday evening suppers that they "follow the King." What is the use of Board of Trade or other organizations trying to make arrangements so that the steamers will not leave Halifax on Sunday, if devotees to fashion break the laws that the community is endeavoring to keep sacred? This law, written or unwritten, it matters not, is that all employees shall have one day of rest from toil. We try to give it to our laborers, which is recognized as right, and we learn with great satisfaction that the Allan steamers are to sail from Halifax on Mondays during the coming winter, instead of on Sundays as first proposed.

But while the male workers are to get their rest, the maids at work in the kitchen must be kept busy all day preparing for Sunday evening suppers, that are not, we much fear, permeated with the spirit of the Sabbath Day. Horace Greeley said once that "the liberty of rest for each demands the law of rest for all." But the liberty of rest for each cannot be secured when in increasing proportions our Sunday our Sunday evening are being used as we have stated. We hope the practice to which we have called attention will now grow. We trust it will abate, but it will only cease when the Christian conscience, which is strong enough to dominate all avenues of society in this city, discontemplates such practices as are growing too rapidly to be looked on as a matter of course. It is a practice that our ministers can well afford to denounce in earnest and strong tones without fear or favor. Indeed we have been surprised that the pulpit has not spoken out on this matter with greater fearlessness than it has in the past. Meantime, we would tender to one and all the advice to "Follow the King" in this respect as they do in others, and they cannot be far wrong." J. G. SHEARER.

Jake Kress.

Lower Town Durham

FOR FURNITURE

The Best Quality cheaper than ever.

Undertaking PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO. JAKE KRESS

Live Stock Market Toronto.

TORONTO Dec. 6.—Today's receipts were 57 loads, including 1,700 hogs, 818 sheep and lambs, 644 cattle, 20 calves, and a few milch cows.

The only absolute change in the market today was that lambs were ten to fifteen cents higher in other respects market was a repetition of the market yesterday.

The export trade continues quiet; the range of price is from 4 1/2 to 4 3/4 per lb. Supply and demand are both light, and the quality of the cattle generally inferior.

There was a fair trade in butcher cattle, and prices are maintained. Good to choice stuff sold at from 3 1/2 to 4 1/2 per lb; secondary and inferior grades are weak.

There is no quotable change in stockers feeders, or light and heavy bulls.

Milch cows and calves are also unchanged. Good veal calves are asked for. Lambs today were firmer on a light supply. Prices ranged from 3 to 3 1/2 per lb. Hogs are not quotably changed, but are weaker, and lower prices may be expected. The best price for "singers" is 6 1/2 per lb; thick fat and light hogs are worth 5 1/2 per lb.

CANADIAN CARRIAGE CO. BROCKVILLE.

The finest and largest stock of Cutters ever to be seen at one time can now be seen at our show room. Our special day is on Saturdays, give us a call, a few cooking stoves cheap and also a free trial if necessary of our Top Draft "Queen Heaters" always kept on hand. Fire Insurance attended to promptly. Farmers' Insurance a speciality.

Show Rooms West of Middaugh House, Lambton St. JNO. LIVINGSTONE.

XMAS IN 2 WEEKS!

Now is the time to select your presents!

Fancy Goods

We are offering ALBUMS—Celluloid and Leather, TOILET SETS, Gentlemen's Companions in Leather, Handkerchief and Glove Sets, Fancy Photo Frames—(Celluloid). Also a few Gold-Lacquered Frames, Ladies' Workboxes and Writing Sets.

Music

Violins and Accordions Mouth Organs & Flutes

Lamps

Parlor Lamps, \$1 to \$4 Other Lamps very cheap

Games

Crokinole, Fort, Parchesi, and a dozen others.

Pipes

Case and Briar, Tobacco pouches & Cigar Holders

PERFUMES

10c to \$2.00 a bottle. All the best odors by the best perfumers. Bulk Perfumes, Seeley Lantier & Roger and Gallet, always in stock. What is a more acceptable present than a good Hair Brush? We have one of the finest and best-assorted stocks in town to choose from.

At PARKERS'

NEW HARDWARE STORE

T. E. SEIGNER

Dealer in STOVES FURNACES, TINWARE HARDWARE, PAINTS, OILS, &c., begs to announce to the public of Durham and vicinity that he will in a few weeks open out business in the above lines on Mill St., just east of MacFarlane's Drug Store and hopes to merit a share of public patronage.

T. E. SEIGNER.

DURHAM MARKETS.

Flour.....	1 75	2 20
Oatmeal.....	2 75	3 00
Wheat.....	64	66
Peas.....	73	75
Barley.....	45	55
Oats.....	40	48
Lambs.....	3 25	3 50
Dressed Hogs, per cwt	6 75	6 75
Hogs, Live weight.....	5 30	5 60
Butter, Fresh roll per lb	14	15
Butter, Tub.....	14	15
Eggs.....	16	16
Hides, per cwt.....	5 00	5 00
Calfskins, per lb.....	7	8
Sheepskins.....	25	40
Tallow rendered per lb	4	5
Lard, per lb.....	12	12
Java.....	8 00	10 00
Beef, per cwt.....	5 00	6 00
Wood.....	1 50	2 00
Turkeys.....	8	9
Potatoes, per bag.....	40	50
Brans.....	1 00	1 00
Shorts.....	1 10	1 10

HARDWARE

STORM DOORS

You can't doubt it. It is straight existing evidence. Our weather strips and storm door springs are the comforts that every person should enjoy.

CARPET SWEEPERS

Do not wear your good carpets out with coarse brooms while you can secure a good carpet sweeper so cheap.

CURLING BROOMS

Just to hand a large shipment of curling brooms. Every curler should examine them.

HORSE BLANKETS

Horse blankets have been selling so rapidly that we have been compelled to renew our stock which is now very choice.

HARNESS DEPT.

You may buy a new cutter, but it will be necessary to secure a set of harness to make your outfit complete.

SNAPS! SNAPS!

Hockey skates.....	35c.
Horse clippers.....	75c.
Chopping axes.....	55c.
Meat cutters.....	\$1.25
Raisin seeders.....	50c.
Full string bells.....	35c.
Butchers' knives.....	\$1.00
Odd knives.....	35c.
Sugar shells.....	35c.

5 Gallons Coal Oil, 90c.

W. BLACK.