

AT THE BIG STORE

Our Mid-Summer Sale

Every Summer we find ourselves with a few Odds and Ends, or what we call "left overs." We cannot tell you of them all at once, but we can tell you that they've got to be sold at any price as we will not carry over Goods. Our stock must be always kept fresh.

For Men and Boys	For Ladies and Girls
Men's and Boys' Straw Hats 25c to 50c for..... 10c	300 yards Fancy Dress Muslin worth 15c to 17c, your choice at 10c
Men's and Boys' Suits at less than wholesale prices - 10 Boys' Tweed Suits, regularly sold at \$2.00 & \$2.50, your choice for \$1.50	30 Fancy Cushion Tops worth 45c to 50c for..... 30c
12 Men's Tweed Suits, the kind you pay \$6.50 and \$7.50, your choice for..... \$4.50	25 only, White Alhambra Quilts worth \$1.00, your choice for... 50c

Straw Hats and Sailors

50 Ladies' and Girls Ready-to-wear Straw Hats and Sailors, the kind you pay 40c to 75c for, your choice 19c. This is your chance to get a school Hat for your girl at a small price.

Binder Twine and Machine Oil

This is Headquarters for Twine and Oils. Just come and ask our prices we will surprise you.

Cash or Trade Paid for Produce.

ALEX. RUSSELL

THE BIG STORE.

MIDSUMMER

CLEARING SALE

We're always ready to cut prices in two if conditions warrant it. That means we never allow goods to grow old - always sell for less rather than attempt to carry things over from one season to another.

AUGUST used to be a dull month, but we maintain the stimulating busy days by crowding prices down and goods out all over the Store. We can't afford to rest on our oars because it is midsummer. It's a time for bargains and you will get the benefit of such reductions as these.

DRY GOODS

Our Stock of Muslins, Ginghams and Lawns reduced from 20 to 50 per cent to clear.
Cottons, art goods, linens, draperies, prints and satens all reduced to cost prices.
Sheetings, Bed-spreads and Curtains away down in price.

BOOTS & SHOES

Odd lines in Men's Women's and Children's Shoes at half price. Big reductions in all lines.
Men's Running Shoes, 50c.

LADIES' AND MEN'S FURNISHINGS

Ladies' Corsets - We are clearing our entire stock of these goods.
Ladies' Waterproofs, Waists and Wrappers before wholesale price. A big stock of Ladies' Hosiery must be cleared at a sacrifice.
Men's Summer Suits, Hats & Shirts Neckwear & Hosiery selling below cost

GROCERIES

Big Bargains in Teas.
Cuts in Package Goods.
Baking Powders & Breakfast Foods

We do some things for the sake of your goodwill. The whole conduct of business here is based on enlarging your good opinion of the Store and bringing you twice as often. We sell cheapest just now in order to clear out the balance of Summer Goods, and we're not not so anxious after profit but we can afford to surprise you with better values than you expect.

H. H. MOCKLER

TOPICS OF THE WEEK

King Edward and his Queen are winning Irish hearts every day, and the loyal reception given them everywhere is gratifying the whole empire. At the visit to Maymooth college, "God Save the King" was played, said to be the first time in its history. Both the royalties are visiting the slums as well as the wealthy parts and the visit promises to result in lasting good.

And, Carnegie says the States would retaliate by closing her ports to Canadian shippers, should Britain grant a colonial preference. This might not be a bad thing to do. She raised her tariff and Canadians developed a British trade, much to their satisfaction. Closing her ports will help to develop Canadian ones.

The Conservatives will have 33 seats out of 40 in the new Manitoba House. Mr Greenway, the liberal leader, is reported to be retiring.

An Ottawa correspondent writing to the Globe refers to silly yarns about Liberal cabinet dissensions appearing just now in the Conservative press. These tactics must be prompted by the belief that a general election is near, and remembering how successful they proved when used against themselves in 1896 are endeavoring to profit by the same practice. The situation is different however: the dissensions then were tangible affairs "which nobody can deny," and now, though Mr Blair has left the ministry it is with reiterated expressions of personal good will and harmony on all subjects but the railway. The "silly yarns" are that Sifton is intriguing against Mr Blair, a number more were after Mr Fielding. Mr Peterson was shaking his fist under the prime minister's nose, and that Messrs. Sifton and Fisher actually came to blows!! The liberal party is still happy in its leaders and especially in its leadership.

A Labor candidate at an election in England has just defeated a supporter of Chamberlain, where the issue was the latter's fiscal policy.

The agreement between the government and the Grand Trunk Pacific Ry. is to be given to the House by Premier Laurier on Thursday.

The late Pope was buried on Saturday amid impressive ceremonies and surroundings. The conclave to elect his successor meets July 31st, or Aug. 1, and may take 10 or 12 days to it.

The Alaskan Boundary Commission is expected to meet in London on September 16. It is to be hoped some amicable and honorable way will be found to settle the dispute, so that never afterwards either side may have a lurking feeling of injustice, such as was, and is felt by Canadians over the Ashburton and other treaties.

Russia and Japan are keeping the diplomats of the nations guessing and watching for war. Every day's delay is making Russia stronger in Manchuria from which she evidently has no intention of retiring, in spite of promises to Britain and other nations Japan keeps her finger on Korea and would be pleased if Russia would give her a plausible excuse for striking. Meanwhile Britain is feeling comfortable over the new friendly feeling with France, for if the latter country should not help Russia, a very unlikely contingency just now, Britain would be able to keep out of it. The Russian minister to Korea has objected to a Japanese telegraph line, but Japan refuses to move it.

The late Chief Justice Armour of the Supreme Court, who died in England, was buried in Cobourg this week. It is reported that Mr. A. B. Aylesworth, one of the most eminent lawyers in Canada, is to be his successor both in the Supreme court and on the Alaskan Boundary tribunal.

On Wednesday of last week a Scotch reunion took place at the home of Malcolm McDonald, near Priceville. Angus Kennedy sen., of Manitoulin, who has been visiting his son, Alex here, is 83 years old, and Mr. McDonald, now 76, were schoolmates and neighbors in old Scotland. They attended each other's weddings half a century ago near Fergus, Ont. They meet now after a number of years' separation, and it is no wonder they made the evening of the occasion of merriment. The bagpipes played by Hector McDonald and Mr. Acheson, and the organ played by Miss Emma McLean, produced the music, which touched the gentlemen right to the toes, and they danced the Highland Fling and other reels, with all the vim and enthusiasm of days that are gone. A very happy social evening was spent by others who were present, including Mr and Mrs Alex Kennedy. Many reminiscences of the past were recalled between the two old friends. Mr Kennedy sen who is a mechanical genius, made the first set of bagpipes used by Mr McDonald Sr., in the old country. - Dundalk Herald.

PAYING THE PRICE OF HAPPINESS.
"In the quest of happiness, in the attitude which we take toward the world, these it behooves us to mind: It is the things we have. It is willingness to pay the price of our happiness that gauges our real earnestness to have it. And it is not true that any other person's idea of happiness is 'all wrong' because it is not your idea or mine."
These are the concluding paragraphs of a paper by Miss Clara E. Laughlin, in the August Delineator, on the quest of happiness - a subject about which philosophers have busied themselves for some thousands of years, but a solution of which, adequate to all, none has been able to provide. Miss Laughlin does not offer any universal panacea but some wholesome advice that may be taken to heart by many who are engaged in the pursuit of happiness.

CRAWFORD.

Alex McLean has sold his team of horses for \$280. He intends to leave for the West in a few days.

Misses Flora and Kate McDonald have returned to Hamilton after spending a month's holidays with their parents.

W J Smith bought a bunder from S McClement, of Elmwood.

Messrs S Boyd and J Camp, of Chesley, were visiting at Milne's on Sunday.

Miss Sarah McDonald is spending her holidays at home.

J Teasdale has invested in a new Massey-Harris binder.

Archie McDougall bought a deering mower from Joo Clark, of Durham.

Angus McKinnon, of Hanover, spent Sunday at home.

Miss Flora Stuart is visiting at Livingston's.

Mr and Mrs D McDonald, of Dornoch, were visiting at McDonald's on Sunday.

Geo Fischer has his new threshing engine in shape for work this fall.

Miss Randell, of Owen Sound, is visiting at Green's.

HOPEVILLE.

At the old Grey Boys' excursion from Toronto to Owen Sound on the 18th, Mr D C McArrie, now of Toronto, and one of the party took in the excursion, and on returning got off at Markdale to see his brother I W McArrie. They then drove here to stay over Sunday with their parents.

Some loyalists went to Markdale on 18th and report a large and orderly gathering.

We saw in the REVIEW of last week two advertisements offering rewards for evidence that would convict parties for despoiling property. We have a similar case here. Joseph McArrie is offering a reward of \$10.00 to parties that will give such evidence as will convict the guilty party or parties, who broke into a vacant house of his and broke eleven panes of window glass and other injuries. Two boys in the village have acknowledged that they threw stones at the windows and were seen by two men, but appeared to be afraid to tell. If they are brought into the witness box it will come out. This is getting one of the worst places around for boys. They are allowed to run loose like wild animals, and too often their elders encourage wild frolics by seeming to enjoy them. Look at the Orange Hall, the window is broken and in the congregational church in our village two of the nice gothic windows has a pane broken in each. A few days ago one of our village women went out into her garden and there were three boys up in an apple tree pulling off the apples and throwing them on the ground. She told them to come down and go away. They came down and gathered armfuls of stones and pelted them at the women. The boys belong to respectable families, but are not showing the training one should expect. We have six good churches here within four miles of our village, of five different denominations and this is the state of affairs. Surely Christianity is going back instead of improving in our neighborhood.

As we write, our farmers here are about half done haying. Some will be through in a week of good weather and reports are that the crop is better than was expected.

Contractor W J Glenister, has finished the brickwork of a fine residence for Jos Goodfellow, councillor, and he, Mr Glenister, is now building near Yeovil.

Promotions S. S. No. 10. Glenelg and Egremont, Jan. 1st to July 1st, 1903. 4th class to 5th (Entrance): John L. McKinnon 743; Bertha Hooper 705; Bertha McIntyre 629. 3rd to 4th - Mary J. McQuig. 2nd to 3rd - John McEachern, Charlie McDonald, Isaac Hooper. Part 2nd to Class 2nd - Nellie Sullivan, Kate McCuig, Jos A Dixon. Part 1st to Part 2nd - Eddie Sullivan, Annie McDonald, Roy McDermid, Charlie McKinnon, Jos Burnett, Cassie Sullivan, Sam Cherry, John Cherry. Total promotions for the half year 18. Average attendance 25. Wm. L. DIXON, teacher.

GLENELG COUNCIL.

The council met July 11th, pursuant to adjournment. All the members present. The reveue in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed. Communications read as follows: - From J G Hamilton M. D., account for services as medical health officer; from Lones, Wright and McArdie, legal advice re Lynch deviation; from Jas Bell and R J Torry, accounts for services in small pox cases; and several accounts for gravel.

Commissioners Sullivan, Kerney and Arrowmuth reported on expenditures of portions of ward appropriations.

That the following amounts be paid for work performed in ward No. 2: - Neil McKinnon, grading at 40 sideroad, \$9; Neil McKinnon, filling at lot 47, con 2, 4.75; Neil McPhail, grading at 40 sideroad, 12.00; Jno Stonehouse, repairing washout at lot 80, con 1, 8.50; Jno Pierson, gravelling townline G & A. 1/2 cost, 4.52; Jno McMillan, jr., rep. of bridge, lot 81, con 2, 5.00; John McMillan jr., rep bridge, lot 48, con 3, 5.00; John McMillan, gravelling townline G & A. 1/2 cost, 2.50; Alex McQuarrie, repairing breakwater lot 41, con 2, 13.00; Joseph Neil, work on bridge, lot 18, con 5, 5.00; Angus Black, rilling bridge, lot 84, con 2, 34.75; W Bilings, ditching on townline G & A. 1.90; Dmson Sinclair, culvert at lot 52, con 3, 5.00; John J Black, rep bridge, lot 82, con 2, 35.00; Peter Neil, rep bridge at lot 10, con 4, 1.00; Geo Hignat, gravelling townline G & E., 1/2 cost, 9.60; Robt Sherrwood, gravilling townline, G & E., 1/2 cost, 3.80; total \$111.27.

Kerney - Arrowmuth - That charges for the toll wing amounts expended in ward No. 4: Jas McNally, work at lot 5, con 8, \$21.50; Jas McNally, culvert at lot 6, con 7, 7.75; D McKenzie, grading lot 15, con 3, 16.65; Geo Henderson, rep. of bridge, lot 1, con 1, 4.25; M Wilson, bru-shing at lot 9, con 12, 8.75; N Livingston, culvert at lot 8, con 11, 5.00; W McNally, culvert at lot 5, con 11, 6.75; Geo Leitch, gravelling townline G & H, 1/2 cost 13.50; D Morrison, rep. of bridge at lot 2, con 2, 5.00; John McNally, grading at lot 15, con 2, 13.20; D Robertson, grading at lot 15, con 2, 3.40; total \$101.25.

GREAT BARGAINS!!

WE LEAD! Therefore we are in a position to give our customers better bargains than can be found elsewhere.

THIS WEEK we are selling what every woman requires, CHARCOAL IRONS at the small sum of \$1.

ANOTHER SHIPMENT of that celebrated McCormick Binder Twine just to hand. Have you enough.

CALL EARLY and get a bargain in Iron Beds. Cheaper than the cheapest. WE HAVE the Assortment in Harvest Mitts and Gloves, ranging in price from 15 cts upwards.

ONLY A FEW 25 ct Scythes left in stock.

OUR RED BIRD Grain Cradle is the Leader.

BLACK'S Special Machine Oil is what every farmer requires.

BUY SOME Eureka Fly Oil and keep your cattle right.

W. BLACK

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Our trade in that line is increasing every day. There can be only two reasons, viz: That we have the QUALITY to show and The PRICE that cannot be beat.

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If you haven't seen our Stock, don't buy until we have shown you what we can do.

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OUR GROCERIES are bought from the most reliable wholesalers in Canada and we guarantee every article.

We carry nothing but the best in

Teas, Sugars, Spices, Canned Meats and Fruits.

Our Fountains, Fruits, Ices, &c., invite and are at your Service

JORDAN & BURNETT

Arrowmuth - Kerney - That the following amounts be paid for work performed in ward No. 3: - Geo Leitch, rep. of bridge, at lot 15, con 10, \$1.00; Malcolm Wilson, rep. of bridge at lot 10, con 11, 10.00; Hal Wilson, brushing at lot 10, con 12, 4.90; M Wilson, extra on bridge at lot 10, con 11, 1.00; Patrick Connelly, cutting at lot 2, con 8, \$15.00; John Quillman, gravelling at lot 15, con 8, \$3.60; Patrick Connelly, grading and gravelling, lot 100, con 3, 14.25; total \$49.75.

Kerney - Sullivan - That the account of the "Municipal World" for Collectors' Rolls and stationary amounting to \$5.21 be paid. Carried.

Davis - Sullivan - That D McLachlin be refunded \$5.11, said amount having been charged as in arrears in error for parts of lots 53 & 53, con 1, S D R. Car.

Davis - Kerney - That the following amounts be paid for gravel: Wm Vasey \$3.90, Wm Young 3.12, A Lindsay 1.80; D McNab, 4.68, Alex Ellison 5.00, Wm Britton 3.50, John Fallaise 4.90, D McArthur 7.00, J Firth 4.00, A Ector 2.76, Robt Edge 2.40, Jas Malone 1.20, John

McArthur 5.00, Thos Jack 4.00, Wm Greenwood 4.00, Thos Morrow 4.50, Joo McPherson 3.00, Thos Nichol 3.65, Rich Haley 6.60, Chas Tibbutt 5.90, total \$5.81. Carried.

Davis - Arrowmuth - That the treasurer be paid \$1.15 for Bank Commission and postage, Jas Bell \$12.00 for 6 days attendance on small pox patients, J J Torry \$1.30, telephones, postage and services re small pox and Dr Huton \$8 for prof. services re small pox. Carried.

Arrowmuth - Sullivan - That Commission on expenditures - Geo Arrowmuth \$6.00, W T Kerney 4.00, Pat Sullivan 10.00 and Thos Davis 8.00. Carried.

Arrowmuth - Davis - That the treasurer accept \$4.00 refund per John McKenzie on expenditures for Ward No 4 for 1902. Carried.

Kerney - Davis - That a further appropriation of \$100.00 be made to each ward to improve the roads. Carried.

The council adjourned to meet August 5, at 10 a. m. J. S. BLACK, Clerk.