

Mark your ballot for McKechnie and capable Government and frown down all corruption.

THE PEOPLE'S STORE
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Wishes its many friends and customers a Prosperous and Happy New Year
Dry Goods
Our Fur Goods
Robt. Burnett.
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Mr Wm Desell, of Oshawa, has been visiting friends here.
The Glenister family have had a nice visit from their friend, Miss Elizabeth Glenister, of Toronto.
PRICEVILLE
We were almost on the point of tendering our resignation as correspondent from this town but reconsidered the matter and so we have decided to continue for some time.

ROSS GOVERNMENT OPENING UP NEW ONTARIO.
ALWAYS CONSTRUCTION IN ONTARIO.
The Ross Government has always been in favor of the development of Ontario by railway construction. The Opposition has tried in every way to thwart this feature of the Government policy, but happily without avail.

The Big Store
Clearance Sale Continued For One Week More.
We sell the Goods, you take the Profits
When we tell you anything you can take us at our word. It wouldn't do us much good to spend the money we do in advertising if we didn't keep our word and the fact that the response to our advertising is gratifying is because we keep our word, do as we promise.
The following prices are as good as a raise of wages to you
Ladies' Mantles all below cost, from \$1.50 to 9.00
Ladies' Skirts 4.50 Skirts for 2.89
Wrapperettes 12c and 15c Wrapperettes 9c per yd
Prints 1 yard wide for 7c per yd
Men's Black Russian Dog Fur Coat for \$15.00

When you want "Something Better" Than you have been using, try the Stand-by Corset With Hese Supporters attached.
This Corset has double steels in the sides, which conform to every movement of the body, and thus prevent causes from breaking down at the sides.
McArthur's

YEUVIL.
Continued snow storms has made our side-roads impassible for the rest of the winter. A serious drawback to the comfort of the country folk.
This neighborhood realizes the benefits of the Telephone line lately built here. It is really a great saving of time and travel, as a great deal of local business is now done by phone.

BILLYDALE.
Born on December 30th to Mr and Mrs David Gordon, a daughter. Dave will be able to sing that little song of his to his heart's content, Hush-a-bye baby; baby don't cry.
Mr A Baird is lying very sick at present.
Mr Robt Douglas, of Durham, is engaged for the winter with Mr D McLean, of the mill.

ROSS GOVERNMENT AGAIN SHOWS ITS PROGRESSIVENESS IN UNDERTAKING THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE TEMISKAMING & NORTHERN ONTARIO RAILWAY.
The Bill passed through the Legislature provided for the construction, equipment and operation of the railway as a Government enterprise. A Commission of five able men, now composed of Robert Jaffray, chairman, and Messrs. Edward Gurney of Toronto, B. W. Folger of Kingston, F. E. Leonard of London, and M. J. O'Brien of Renfrew, was appointed, who were charged with the construction and operation of the railway.

A FEW GROCERY BARGAINS:
7 lbs RICE for .25c || 1 pkg McLaren's Jelly .8c
1 qt CATSUP for .15c || 1 can Pigs Feet .19c
Alex. Russell.
We pay the highest price for all produce, Cash or Trade, of any Durham. Ask your neighbor what she gets at the Big Store.
DORNOCH.
We had a pleasant chat with Mr Robert Watt, an old Dornoch boy, who is visiting his parents in the burg, after an absence of six years in Britain and the U. States.

CLEARING SALE Of Seasonable Dry Goods
In order to reduce our stock of Winter Goods we will sell for cash or its equivalent all Clothing, Furs, Felt Boots, Heavy Rubbers, Caps, &c., at a big reduction. This is a genuine Clearing Sale, so come and get the bargains; they are for you.
We Quote as Follows:
1 Goat Robe, large size, was \$9.00, now \$6.50
1 Man's Imitation Lamb Coat, was \$15.00, now \$12.00
4 Men's Heavy Frieze Coats, was \$7.00, now \$5.00
All Men's Suits that were \$8.00, now \$6.00
All others at equally low prices.
Ladies' Furs, new goods, \$7.00 to \$10.00, now \$5.00
Men's Foxed Lace Felt Boots, \$2.50, for \$1.50
Men's Black all Felt Laced Boots, \$2.00, for \$1.50
Men's Heavy Rubbers, best, laced, \$2.20, for \$1.00

HOPEVILLE.
The annual meeting of the Presbyterian church was held on Monday, 9th, and was fairly well attended. The Rev. Mr. Little, Moderator, attended and presided. Business went along very nicely, and the congregation is in good standing.
Parliamentary election goes along. Both Dr Jamieson and Mr John McKechnie were here on Tuesday, 10th, to have a meeting, but the Dr's friend at Dundalk had control of the bills and there had not been many put up. However, the weather was very stormy and but few came out. We hear it whispered that by some error two halls had been engaged and got ready for the meeting, but we did not have any meeting in either.

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VARNEY.
Mr George Petty arrived home from Souris, Man., looking well, and likes it so well that he intends to go back in the spring.
Richard Allan is home from Owen Sound for a week's holidays.
Mr Clark has a gang of men cutting wood and logs in Robert Petty's bush.
Robert Pettigrew drove up to James Morice's on Sunday.
Mr Edmonds visited at Mr Bogle's over Sunday.
Mrs Flood, from Shallow Lake, is the guest of her mother, Mrs Hillis, for a few weeks.
Samuel Hillis and his mother spent a week at Shallow Lake recently with their friends.
Frank Havens and Dave Allan are cutting wood for Joseph Lennox.
Mr Clark is putting in some wood for Mr Crawford and Miss McNice this week.
Miss Lizzie Hiscock was the guest of Wm Smith last week.
Mr and Mrs Gadd called on Mrs Allan one day last week.

Winter Millinery
We make special mention this week of the Big Millinery Sale. We have about 100 READY-TO-WEARS to sell at a great reduction. We will quote some prices:
Hats that were \$2.75 & \$3.00, now \$1.50
Hats that were \$1.50 & \$2.00, now \$1.00
These hats are very stylish and a good quality. Colors: Brown, Navy, Champagne and White. Made hats in Velvet and Plush at a bargain.
Miss I. Dick.
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Staff and Equipment.
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MISS L. A. FORBES, B. A., Classics and Moderns.
J. H. SMITH, B. A., Mathematics and Science.
Interested Students should enter at the beginning of the term if possible. Board can be obtained at reasonable rates. Durnam is a healthy and attractive town, making it a most desirable place for residence.
FEES: \$1 per month in advance.
Wm. Johnston - Jr., C. Ramago, Secretary, Chairman.

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