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CHAS RAMAGE,  
PRINTER AND PUBLISHER.

## New Goods for Spring

Are constantly arriving and are crowding us for room. That's one reason why we're giving such bargains in all lines of winter goods—genuine bargains on good goods.

## New Dress Goods

We wish to draw special attention to our Dress Goods Department. The latest fabrics are now in stock and the popular colors are well represented. Some of the favored goods are viole, crepe-de-chene, m-hairs, armures as well as the heavier Tweeds and Satings.

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## DAINTY EMBROIDERIES FOR SPRING

Fashion for 1905 favors very strongly the lovely new Embroideries. We are prepared with a large range in all widths, close and open patterns; also Insertions and Breadings.

Embroidery Edgings and Flouncings . . . . 5c to 40c yd.  
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## NEW ART SATEENS AND CRETUNNES

The sateens are in new and pretty patterns, suitable for quilts, cushions, &c, light and dark colors, 20 & 25c yd  
Cretounnes—in new colors,—all weights, from . . . . 10c yd up

## James Ireland.

### The Cash Store H. H. Mockler

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(Specially good)

We are overstocked in Ladies' and Misses' Underwear. Here goes:

- 10 doz Ladies' & Misses' Vests and Drawers, worth from 35 to 50c; Your choice while they last **29c**
- 2 doz only Ladies' Vests, worth 30c, each. **19c**
- 15 doz Ladies' & Children's Woollen Hosiery worth from 25c to 35c, selling for, per pair. **19c**
- 500 yds more of those mill ends of flannelette . . . . 25 per cent cheaper than regular prices
- 75 yds only black stripe Sateen, full yard wide, regular price 18c, selling for. **12½c**
- Beautiful new Plaid Dress Goods, . . . . regular price 35c, for, per yard. **25c**
- Heavy Plaid Flannel Shirting, regular price 30 cents, per yard. **22c**
- 16 pr only Lace Curtains, 3½ yds long, by 56 inches wide, reg price \$1.50, for, per pair. **89c**

These are only a few of our big snaps for the Stock-taking season. We can save money for you in many other lines. It's money, not goods, we want just now.

## H. H. MOCKLER.

## DOWN TOPICS

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WM. J. ADAMS,  
Dromore P. O. March 4, 1905.

**CLOSE TO SCHOOL.**—The omission of a few words in Geo. Ryan's Farm ad, last week, made his property appear 4 miles from school and P. O. Four miles from Durham was meant. See on last column this page, and if you want a good farm go and see it.

**SPRING TERM.**—The Spring term in the popular Elliott Business College, Toronto, opens on April 3rd. This school is thoroughly up to date and enjoys a splendid attendance. The principal, Mr. W. J. Elliott, will be pleased to send a catalogue to all intending to secure a business or shorthand education.

**PROPERTY FOR SALE.**—The undersigned offers for sale that very desirable store property on Garafra St., now occupied by James Ireland. Also the store and dwelling on Mill St., at present occupied by F. Seigner. These are first class business locations. Apply personally or by letter to  
WM. LAIDLAW, Proprietor.

**PARKER FARM SOLD.**—The Parker stock farm just west of the town limits has been sold to the Scarf Bros. with stock, grain and fixtures, just as it stands, for the price being something over \$5000. The Scarf Bros. already own an intelligent interest in stock, and with the Parker herd and new facilities will come still further to the front. We wish them great success in their venture.

The inspector for the Ontario Underwriter's Association visited the town Saturday afternoon and called out the fire brigade on a test. There was a quick response, only minute and a half elapsing from the time the alarm was rung until the firemen had all their connections made and a stream of water coming in from the post-office. The inspector pronounced the test very satisfactory. —Meadford Mirror.

**DEATH OF MRS. (DR.) MEARNS.**—Thursday last the sad news reached Durham that Mrs. Mearns, wife of the popular Mayor of Hanover, had died the night previous, after a long illness born with courage and resignation. Leaving besides the sorrowing husband one son to mourn her loss. Since the death of their widely lamented daughter, Nellie, last year, deceased was never strong and the eyes were dim, and when the separation has come it aroused a great sympathy for the mourners. The funeral was one of the largest ever seen in Hanover and was attended by many from outside points. Rev. Durham there were Messrs. J. P. Telford, J. H. Hunter, W. D. Mills, J. J. Smith, and Dr. Jamieson and son Brad. The Review extends its sympathy.

**THE LATE WM. WILDER.**—We hear from a reliable source that last week the above gentleman passed away and was buried on Saturday. His taking off was startlingly sudden. He was at the barn in the evening and came in not feeling well but retired about as usual. About 11 a. m. his wife discovered him breathing heavily and found that he was dying. The deceased was the last of a family of nine brothers who back in the 50's settled on land touching or near the lake in North Egremont, ever since known as "Wilder's Lake." At one time there was over one hundred persons of that name in the vicinity, and the early school registers of S. S. No. 12 showed almost half of that name in attendance. As pioneers they were well-known in town, and were good settlers but gradually they withdrew and generally to Muskoka, Kansas or Michigan or some other part where pioneer work was to be done. Mr. Wilder was well-known in town, and quite recently was doing business here and intended we believe to move to Michigan at an early date. We sympathize with his widow, five sons and five daughters, the younger ones of whom will miss his guiding hand. The farm has been sold to Mr. Andrews of the 10th con, and the family we hear are going to Michigan, where their eldest son, Squire is.

**A FINE CONCERT.**—Thursday evening last the Vocal-Piano concert, under the auspices of the Baptist church, was held in the Town Hall and was a refined and enjoyable entertainment. Mr. George Fox, of Walkerton, the famous violinist, was present and of course captivated the audience with his great skill. His manipulation of the bow to produce two parts in music at one and the same time is exceedingly clever and perfectly done. In common with a good many, however, we felt the charm of his performance most in the two popular lyrics, "Annie Laurie" and "Home, sweet home." One could almost fancy the words were falling from the bow, so expressively were they rendered. We have no doubt the more elaborate pieces to the trained ear exhibited similar excellences. Mrs. Newberry at the piano is a guarantee of excellence, now well-known, and the warmth of the applause was not less than at previous appearances. Mrs. A. W. H. Lander sang "Gypsy Maiden," and was warmly applauded for both in selection and performance she appeared to good advantage and was heartily enjoyed. Miss Crawford sang "For all Eternity," and yet the audience wanted her to sing longer, she being also encored. Miss C. is attaining a voice control and expression which enables her to rank high as a soloist. Dr. Brown, Holstein, sang several solos with his great power and effect.

**Your Label.**  
DEAR SUBSCRIBER: Is your label up-to-date? We have this week made all changes and if we have not done you justice let us know at once. If you are in arrears please remit us the amount due and oblige.  
THE PUBLISHER.

A pie and lox social is to be held in the school S. S. No. 1 Normanby on Friday March 17th ladies bringing boxes free. Admission 15 cents.

A FINE LETTER.—Those who know and those who don't know Mr. John Cameron, traveller for the McLean trade journals, will heartily appreciate his fine pen picture of Bermuda given in this issue. We have another for next week dealing with St. Lucia, equally good except that it is too short.

**PUSHING LAD.**—Mr. John Atkinson, son of Jas. Atkinson near town, went West last year like many another and writes home hopeful letters. He has taken up land, two quarter sections, near a railway junction, that soon is to be, and has been honored with the position of School Trustee in his neighborhood. Success, John.

**IMPROVING SLOWLY.**—The operation of removing pus from the lungs of Mr. Arthur Allan, which we mentioned last week, was successfully performed but the patient has been very low since. However, at latest accounts he is improving and we hope the worthy Principal and Mrs. Allan may soon have their anxiety removed.

**CHOIR CONCERT.**—A very successful choir concert was held in the Methodist Church on Tuesday evening. Rev. McColling occupied the chair. The full Methodist choir gave well rendered anthems at the opening and closing, while the remainder of the programme consisted of quartets by Messrs. Flarity, Glass, McKee and Masson, trios by Mr. Davidson and sisters of Mt. Forest, duets by Misses Ada and Bessie Brown solos by Rev. Mr. Masson and Miss Crawford. Choruses by young men of the choir, and all well rendered, making it one of the pleasantest concerts held for some time. Mr. Geo. Wright accompanied all in his usual able style and took part in one of the quartets.

**HYMENEAL.**—About eighty guests assembled in the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morrison, south of Varney, on Wednesday, Mar. 8th, at 5 o'clock p. m., to witness the marriage of their daughter, Ida, to Mr. Herbert Irvine, son near Grenfell, N. W. T. The bride looked her prettiest in a lovely gown of cream lace trimmed with cream lace and ribbon and wore a bridal veil fastened with a spray of orange blossoms. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Thos. Colling, pastor of Durham Methodist church. Miss Clara Irvine, sister of the groom, also of Grenfell, and Mr. Wm. Morrison, Jr., brother of the bride, attended the young couple. Numerous beautiful and useful were the presents which go to help furnish the new home on the distant prairie. Mr. Irvine is a prosperous young farmer in the West and second son of Mr. Richard Irvine, formerly well-known in Varney and Egremont. After all had been served from tables laden with choice delicacies the evening was spent in music, games and sociable conversation. Mr. and Mrs. Irvine and sister left for the West on Monday.

**Curling.**  
Walkerton curlers came over Thursday evening last and avenged their defeat at home last week. Durham curlers were a little off their usual form and so was the ice but our boys managed to pull out one ahead in one rink and were snowed under in the other. The scores were:  
DURHAM No 1 WALKERTON  
Jno McGowan E Cheswright  
W S Hunter J Spence  
J P Telford A Morrison  
T G Holt, skip, 20 A Collins, skip, 19  
No 2  
E Brooker R Leonard  
T G Lander H Leeson  
W Calder G H Lout  
Jas Ireland, sk. 7 R Richardson, sk. 27

**Grey and Bruce Mutual.**  
The annual meeting of this Insurance Society was held recently and reports presented showed the Society to be in good shape. The premiums anticipated for the year were \$4595 75, losses \$2238 88, all other expenses \$1782.04, the difference going to swell last year's balance on hand up to \$4063.85. There are 2362 policies in force, covering \$2,123,539 insurance. D. McDougall, Bentinck, is President, R. Richardson Vice-Pres., Duncan Campbell Manager, and Directors are John Standish, Adam Seemiller, Archie McCaug, Joe Picken, Louis Schilling, Wm. Marshall, Henry Batterman, John McMillan, Wm. Irvine, T. H. O'Neill, Fred Frook, Ephraim Fursman, Henry McNally.

**SALE REGISTER.**  
Thursday, March 16, 1905.—John McArthur, lot 2, N. D. R. Armentia, (1½ miles north of Pricerville) will sell by public auction, Farm Stock, Implements, &c. Some extra good cows. Sale at 1 o'clock. Terms 10 mos., 5 per cent cash in lieu of notes.  
D. McPHAIL, Auctioneer.  
Friday, March 24.—Chas. McKenzie Lot 10, Con. 18, Egremont, (1½ miles west of Dromore) will sell by Public Auction, Farm Stock and Implements, Terms, 12 months credit, 5 per cent discount for cash. Sale at 1 o'clock.  
D. McPHAIL, Auctioneer.  
Saturday, March 18.—C. McInnes Yeovil, will sell Thorough bred pedigree stock, grade cattle and a large number of pigs. Terms 10 mos credit, and 5 per cent off face of note for cash. Sale at 2 p. m.  
D. McPHAIL, Auctioneer.

**On Board Steamer Ocamo.**  
Mr John Cameron gives an interesting Description of Bermuda.  
February 14, 1905.

DEAR MR RAMAGE,—  
I mailed you a communication from Hamilton, Bermuda, and trust you have received it alright. After the exceedingly stormy voyage from Halifax I felt in a bad mood to write. However as you wanted me to do so I give you a short sketch of what transpired on my way to the British West India Islands. While in Hamilton, Bermuda, time did not permit.

On leaving Halifax my intentions were to continue my journey on board the Dahome steamer until I arrived at Demerara and on my return take in the islands, viz. St. Kitts, Antigua, Montserrat, Dominica, St. Lucia, Barbados, St. Vincent, Grenada, Tobago, Trinidad and Demerara. Demerara is the last port in this direction that the Pickford and Black steamer calls at.

There is only two weeks' service between Halifax, Bermuda, and the West Indies from Halifax, so in my coming off the steamer at Bermuda I had to remain there for two weeks before I could get another steamer for St. Kitts, the first port of call after leaving Bermuda.

The Ocamo steamer where I write does not call at all the islands that I have on my list but in her return she calls at all the islands I mentioned. In this way I will have an opportunity given me for business in them all. I was so glad that I was pleased with my visit to Bermuda both in business point of view and also delighted with its charming scenery. The island reminded me forcibly of our own Muskoka. I was informed that there are no less than 365 islands in the Bermuda group, equal to the number of days in our calendar year; there are even more than 365 counting the Rocky Ids but they count only those that trees grow upon. Their houses are mostly built of white stone which is quarried on the island and the roofs of their stores and dwellings are all painted white, looking very picturesque especially country dwellings. Soft green cedar-clad hills sloping gently down to the sea throw into relief and make the loveliest background for the pretty white villas dotted here and there and everywhere. Pretty too, is the little town of Hamilton, lying as it does on the slope of a hill. There are three large imposing hotels and smaller ones and fine public buildings, viz. Parliament Buildings and Post office. The Governor's residence is near the town, and within walking distance is Prospect where the officers of the Royal Artillery are quartered. The view from this point is panoramic.

Bermuda is English, the English Church being the strongest denomination on the island. The Presbyterian figures next in number. There are two Presbyterian churches; one of the ministers is a namesake, Dr. Cameron, settled here by the Home Mission Committee of the Free Church 18 months ago. Previous to his settlement here, he had charge of a congregation in Edinburgh. Good preacher, very good delivery.

Bermuda is 25 miles long and only 4 wide. Contains 12,000 acres, and 10,000 people. It lies south of the Gulf Stream and about 600 miles east of S. Carolina. There are besides Hamilton, 4 villages on the island, viz. St. George, St. David's Somerset and Ireland. St. George is 12 miles south of Hamilton and Somerset 12 miles west. I visited both of those villages and did a very good business. The roads are good, no northern blizzards penetrate here—ice and snow are things unknown. The average temperature from November to April is between 60 to 70, in summer it seldom registers more than 90 in the shade.

Wells are very few and the water supply for all purposes is rain water, which is caught in big tanks lined with cement which are attached to every house.

The staple products are the onion, potato and arrowroot. The farmers were busy weeding them. Field after field appears on driving along the road. The weedeaters are mostly all colored people.

Should the steamer arrive at Bermuda late in the afternoon, she must anchor at Grassy Bay, so numerous are the reefs and so narrow is the waterway, and not even with a pilot may she go up to Hamilton. Hamilton harbour is lovely. For form, grouping and exquisite coloring, it stands unrivalled. Small wonder tourists flock to the island: it so exactly meets the most normal conditions of the human race.

I may say before closing, two lady friends boarded the Ocamo to bid me goodbye, presenting me with a most lovely bouquet of flowers. They were so greatly admired by all our passengers that I gave them to our stewardess and asked her to be so good as to place them in a basket and put them on the saloon dining table which she graciously did, and they were still looking fresh 3 days after.

You will please excuse this lengthy epistle. You can clip the wings off it if you think it too long to insert in your valuable paper. We expect to get to our first port, St. Lucia, tomorrow morning, where I am posting this. It will take the steamer another week or we are landed at Demerara, then I will be in the neighborhood of 4,000 miles from Durham. Good-bye, Mr Ramage.

Yours Faithfully,  
J. CAMERON.

**Presbytery of Saugeen**  
The Saugeen Presbytery met on Tuesday of last week at Mount Forest in the chair. The venerable father of the Presbytery, the Rev. John Morrison has so far recovered from his recent illness as to be able to be present. An encouraging report in Sabbath School work was presented by Rev. D. L. Campbell and the more general review of Church Life and Work was given by Rev. M. C. Cameron. In connection with the latter the burning question of Education in the proposed new Provinces was introduced by a resolution regretting the enforcement of Separate Schools in the newly created Provinces and calling upon our representative to stand firmly on the principle of provincial rights.

Rev. W. Farquharson reported on behalf of the Home and Augustation committees as to the work in Midway and Aytton, and Cedarville and E-pin. In connection with the latter there is the prospect of Kingscote being separated from that group of stations and joined to Leventdale a station in the Orangeville Presbytery. The congregation of Mount Forest reported the completion of their manse and their raising their minister's salary to \$1200 and a match. Rev. M. C. Cameron got leave of absence from his congregation for six months. He intends to spend his vacation in the North West and in prospect of his departure was showered with good wishes from all his brethren. Presbytery adjourned to meet in Harrison on the 4th of July next.

**BORN**  
PETTIGREW.—In Durham, on the 11th inst., to Mr and Mrs H Pettigrew, a daughter.

**Last Chance for Niagara Camp.**  
Niagara Camp begins June 13th. As all lists must be sent in by May 1, those who intend going must apply at once, stating age, height, etc. There is room for a few more desirable men. Remember the improved conditions and increased pay. Apply to  
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Box 11, Durham P. O.  
G. RYAN, Prop.

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Lot 12, Con. 1, S. D. R., Glenelg, con- sisting of 50 acres, well watered, well fenced, and mostly seeded down, with comfortable house and stables, 1 mile from school, 3 from Bunnessan P. O. and four from Durham. An excellent pasture farm, or would suit anyone wishing to engage in small farming. Apply on the premises or by letter to  
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Also a lot of Silverware of the best makers, 43 Waltham Watches Ladies' and Men's Sizes, 103 Solid Gold Rings, Children's Ladies' and Men's. A lot of high class Jewellery, consisting of Chains, Lockets, Brooches, Bracelets, Charms, Cuff Links and Tie Pins.

We will also put 150 CLOCKS in this Sale, which we bought very cheap some time ago. Watch our Window.

## R. B. KEBLER and SONS

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