

ABRAHAM FAIR AND SQUARE

THURSDAY FRIDAY and SATURDAY

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The Last Three Days of Abraham's Nine Day Sale will be a Hummer

These are the last three days of the Greatest Sale ever attempted in Durham. It takes more than stormy weather to keep the people at home when we put on a sale like this. This Big Store has been crowded with eager buyers, all day and every day since the Big Sale opened and the end is not yet. For the last three days we have planned to give greater bargains than ever. We intend to keep the kettle boiling right up to the very last hour on Saturday. It may be years before you'll have an opportunity like this again. Hundreds of Special Bargains that have not been advertised in the posters, will be offered.

This has been the Greatest Sale ever held in Durham. It closes on Saturday with the Biggest Bunch of Bargains ever offered

People from the North, East, South and West have driven many miles to attend this Big Sale and the last three days will eclipse all others. Come with the crowd and get your share

THE J. D. ABRAHAM CO. The Store that Sets the Pace

Many have come from Elmwood, Louise, Hanover, Neustadt, Ayton, Holstein, Varney, Priceville, Dornoch, Williamsford and many other places, and all of them have gone away happy.

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SOUTH BEND

A gaze on a wintry prospect dear, As the pathway flakes come down, And higher and higher the drifts are piled... That cover the earth so brown. No sign of life in the white expanse As the sky like a dome of lead. The wind moans through the leafless trees.

We received a letter from Mrs W. F. Leflar, dated Calgary, Alta., January 27th, in which she says her mother, Mrs. Hunt, had been very ill, but was better. The weather was very mild until the 18th of January, when a cold snap arrived, but although very cold the sun shone brightly every day.

FOR SALE

Cotton Seed Meal Pumps Oil Cake Gasoline Engines Molasses Meal Fattine Meal James Myers Christie Block, Holstein

HOLSTEIN

LEADER

Golden Wedding

Joyful Re-union at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hunt's to Celebrate their Fiftieth Anniversary.

One of those interesting events, a golden wedding, ever beautiful like the angels, because they are so rare, took place in Holstein on Tuesday, Feb. 10, when relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hunt assembled at their home to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the marriage of these well-known and respected couple.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Gertie Hay, of Mount Forest, was the guest of the Misses Manany for a few days.

Miss Hazel Thompson, of Listowel, was a guest at the home of Mr and Mrs C. Drumm from Friday till Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. Ferguson left on Monday afternoon to spend a few days in Toronto.

Mrs John Brown and daughter, Miss Lizzie, left on Tuesday to visit in the city.

Ice cutting commenced on the mill pond Tuesday noon and the creamery company are the first to lay in a supply. The ice this season is said to be a fine sample.

Mrs Burns, of Portage La Prairie, who has been spending some months visiting among the McCrackens and the Rev. Mr. Hiltz officiating. For fifty golden and luminous years they have been residents of the township of Egremont, aging as Father Time rolled off the years, but ever remaining young in spirit as they saw grow up to manhood and womanhood, their family of four sons and four daughters. One son died when but a youth.

At the celebration all the children except Mrs. Deakon, of Manchester N. H., were present. The guests were as follows: the four sons, Chas., George and Orme Hunt and their wives and children from Egremont township and Winfield and wife and children from Belwood; the daughters, Mrs. Collins, Toronto, Mrs. Tynhill, Egremont, Mrs. O. M. Seim, Hepworth and their husbands and children; Robt. Davis, a brother of Mrs. Hunt's, from Syracuse; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hunt, Normanby, a brother and sister respectively of the groom and bride; Mr. and Mrs. Eliza Halliday from Gleneden and Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Pettigrew, Holstein. There were sixteen grandchildren at the event. Those who could not be present sent telegrams of congratulations.

After a splendid repast of good things at the dinner and tea on Tuesday, when a three-storey wedding cake was also a feature, the friends assembled to spend the evening socially. Music, games, songs, recitations and speeches were in vogue and the hours sped on the merry wings of time. Gifts for Mr. and Mrs. Hunt were a pleasing feature, taking place during a lull in the evening's programme. In behalf of the brothers and sisters, a purse of gold and address were presented and read by Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hunt, while a son and purse of gold was given to the parents by the children. Mr. Winfield Hunt reading the address. Numerous other valuable gifts were also contributed.

No. 10, EGREMONT 5th class-Lillie Hamilton, Clinton Bunston. Sr 4th-Bessie Drimble, Thelma Brown, Gurle McArthur, Gladys Lamont. Sr 3rd-Ruby Philip, Angus McDougall, Annie Nicholson, Gordon Long, Jr 3rd-Douglas Melnick, Earl Bunston, Colin McArthur, Murray McGillivray, Hazel Campbell, Sr 2nd-Alex Henderson, Norman Drimble, Murray Long. Sr P. 2nd-Wilford Bunston, Mary Drimble and Donald McArthur eq., Melvin Long Jr P. 2nd-Hazel Nelson, Lillie McDougall, Bob Henderson and Alex Nelson eq. Jr 1st-Evelyn Hamilton. Average attendance 20. E. WILSON, Teacher.

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Mrs Dr. J. L. Wilson left Monday for Palmerston, where she will reside for some time.

Rev. Mr Aiken, who preached in Durham on Sunday, is visiting his relatives in this vicinity.

With commendable enterprise, the trustees of the village are going ahead and fixing the street lights and these will probably be in readiness by the week end.

Anniversary services in connection with the Methodist church are being held here on Sunday, when the Rev. C. T. Bennett of Harriston, will preach. A tea meeting will be held on Monday night.

While Rev. Mr. James was officiating at the Legge funeral on Sunday afternoon, it was impossible for him to keep his appointment at Yeovil, so Mrs James demonstrated her ability to rise to such an emergency and occupied the pulpit there with acceptance.

Rev. Dr. Marsh braved the storm on Sunday and with shovel in cutter, went to Dromore and Knox, Normanby, where he declared the pulpits vacant. He has arranged to have Rev. Mr. Peckover, of Toronto, preach at these appointments next Sunday. The Holstein and Fairbairn pulpits were fully filled by Mr Mulligan, of Peterboro.

Friends of Mr and Mrs Gordon Legge will sympathize with them in the death of their little two-year-old daughter, Henrietta Viola, on Friday, after a brief illness. Inflammation of the bowels is said to have been the cause of her death. Everything that care and medical attendance could do for the little sufferer was done, but to no avail. Working with the two local doctors was Dr. Groves, of Fergus who was brought here to operate, but he decided it was useless to do so. The funeral was held to Mount Forest cemetery on Sunday afternoon and was well attended. Rev. W. E. S. James officiating.

Contrary to what may have been general belief and varying from a common custom of evangelistic services, there was no effort towards making any conversions in a direct manner, in the series of meetings just held. The leaders did not resort to this method, feeling that if there were to be fruits to their labors, they would come naturally and in their proper time and place. The services finished on Sunday night and despite the storm there was a large attendance. It was also the best service of the kind ever held in Holstein and a great deal of credit is given to the young ladies' choir, for the part they took in organizing and seeing it through. Following a song service, a selection entitled "Jesus Bids us Shine" was sung by seven little girls and later a quartette of ladies, Mrs. Nicholson, Mrs. Hershay, Misses E. Hunter and E. Brown, favored with a splendid number. Both Revs' James and Mulligan took part in the reading and devotional exercises, while the latter also sang beautifully. Dr. Marsh preached a powerful sermon and was followed by a duet by Mrs. Nicholson and Miss Brown. A murmur song by the choir closed the service, the best of the series.

Yeovil and Orchard budgets and Dromore school reports arrived this Wednesday afternoon as we were going to press, too late we regret for this week. Drifted rural routes probably caused their delay in transit.



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Mr and Mrs. Walter Morrison, who on Thursday last, celebrated Fifty Years of married life.

On Feb. 5th Mr and Mrs Walter Morrison, of Holstein, celebrated their golden wedding, only the immediate relatives being invited. Mrs. Alex Hamilton and Miss Jennie Morrison were the only members of their family present. Five of the guests of fifty years ago were among the company, Mr and Mrs Adam Brown, (who celebrated their golden wedding two years ago), Mr S. Shier, Cedarville and Miss Lobbie and Alex Hamilton, children then. Tea was served at 7 o'clock, to which all did ample justice. A program was then prepared. Mr Wm. Groat acting as chairman and each one replying heartily as their names were called. Mr Morrison addressed the company with a hearty welcome, compared the times of fifty years ago with the present. Mr Adam Brown gave a recitation. Mrs Brown in her usual clear sweet voice, gave the said Scotch songs. Mr and Mrs Ad-

am Morrison, Mrs Bert Stonehouse and Miss Jean Brown sang solos, duets, trios, quartettes (Lisan and Scotch), to the delight of the company. Speeches were given by D. Allan and W. Jordan, instrumental by Harvey Groat, recitations by Sadie and Lloyd Hamilton, humorous Scotch readings by Mrs Groat. Mr Morrison also added to the evening's amusement by singing a parody on "John Anderson, my Jo." A dainty lunch was then passed, after which all joined in singing one of Mr Morrison's favorite hymns, "O God of Bethel," also "O God be with you till we meet again." All left for home then, pleased to have been present at such a rare event. The Review senior editor adds his congratulations to the worthy couple on reaching this milestone. It's a 'car yow now since 'Watty' and the editor first knew "Elshinford."

THISTLE TOP VALLEY

We have had one of our annual three day storms, which makes the roads heavy for a while.

Quite a number attended the box social in Dromore on Friday night and report prizes for boxes good, a sleighload going from this neighborhood.

Calder McArthur spent Sunday in Arran visiting his cousins.

Mr and Mrs Morrison, old pioneers of this neighborhood, celebrated their golden wedding on Thursday. A number in this vicinity attended the special meetings in Holstein last week.

Walter Horschberg delivered some fine cattle in Holstein on Saturday for a good price.

Wm. Groat went to Durham Tuesday.

Mr McArthur returned from his County Council duties.

Mr Mulligan gave a fine sermon at Fairbairn on Sunday.

Miss Sophia Freeman, of Mt. Forest, visited at J. Rice's last week.

The Misses Rice visited in Holstein on Sunday.

Quite a number attended the Grange meeting in Yeovil on Thursday night, several joining. A meeting will be held this week to organize.

As going to post, we understand John Rice lost part of his thumb in the turnip slicer.

MARRIED.

POWELL-McGAW-At the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. J. F. Dingman, on Feb. 4th, Miss Jean Victoria, daughter of Mr and Mrs Arch. McGaw, Egremont tp., to Mr James Wesley Powell, of Avonlea, Sask.

Valuable Farm Property for Sale

Comprising 200 acres, being lot 21, con. 17, and lot 20, con. 15, Egremont. Well situated, half a mile east of Dromore. On the first mentioned lot are a good brick house, bank barn and stables. Place is all cleared and in a good state of cultivation excepting 15 acres, 25 acres fine hardwood bush. On this place is also a first class drilled well. On second lot is a good bank barn with stables; this place is all fine cultivated land excepting about 25 acres bush and pasture.

Property will be sold separately or together to suit purchaser. Apply on premises or through Holstein P. O. R. R. No. 2. to DAVID L. CHRISTIE

SHILOH

Taylor & Co. Dromore. Mens' & Ladies' Fur Coats. So late in the season we are going to clear out our stock at prices that you can't afford to miss. Men's Calf Skin Coat regular \$32 for \$22.00. Men's Wallaby Coat regular \$45 for \$37.00. Ladies' Fur Lined Coat, regular \$42 for \$31.00. Sents' and Ladies' Cloth Coats at Bargain Prices. Leather Coats, Men's, at 4.75, regular 6.50. Drill Coats, Men's at 1.50, regular 2.50. Whipcord coats, men's, at 3.00, regular 4.25. Mens', Boys', and Ladies' Sweaters at reduced prices. Mens' & Boys' Heavy Rubbers to clear the stock we have reduced them so that there won't be any left. Specials: Wooden Candy Pails, 4 for 25c. Chaff Baskets for 50c. Shovel Shovels 35c. TAYLOR & CO. Dromore.

VOL. XXXVII, N. COOK WANTED At once Apply at Mrs David James' ... Good frame barn for sale, size 40x60, with 10 foot posts. Apply Wm Egan, R. R. No. 1, Durham. Dr. Brown, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, will be at Hahn Hotel, Durham, Feb. 21. Hours 12 to 8 p.m. Eye-treated and glasses supplied. Thirteen members of the snowshoe club took a tramp to Priceville, a distance of 10 miles, on Friday afternoon and returned on the evening C. P. R. train. PLACED BIBLES IN HOTELS.—A representative of The Globe's, a commercial travellers' association, was in town recently and placed Bibles in the bedrooms of the various hotels in town. This society has carried on this work in all the large cities and towns of America during the past year. While we have been experiencing the frost king's rigours and winter's storms, D. A. Smith, of Merin, Kent County, writes: "We are all well; we have beautiful winter weather but no snow." There will be four eclipses in 1914, two of the sun and two of the moon. The former will be eclipsed on Feb. 24th and August 21st and the latter on March 12th and Sept. 13th. That of the sun on the 24th will be invisible in this country, while the moon's on March 12 will be a partial eclipse 11-12 of her apparent diameter being hid.

FINE PIPE ORGANS FOR HANOVER.—The Baptists will have a fine pipe organ in their new church. They have raised \$1250 by subscription and Mr Andrew Carnegie has promised to give a like amount. It will be new to good many people that the Lord of Skibo Castle is handing around money for organs. Perhaps some other congregations who have fancied pipe organ for years might learn something to their advantage if they applied to the little Scotch millionaire, Hanover Post. "An innocent man would have been taken from the streets, which the Americans are in court to clear, toward the end of the year. So is the bar-maid who served with the House of Lords. He was sent forward because the cabinet thought the man was clear and troubled, and the bar-maid, well, had no reason to connect the man with the case. He raised, struggling breath, Sir James rose, the man's sale, and his usually firm voice on the floor the first few words. "All through this statement you've spoken of 'the man'. You have changed some one with the name of Lord Gaunt. I ask you the name of the man you're speaking of. "Trevor but his handskerchief to mouth and wiped his blood-stained face. "Lord Trevor, he said in a hoarse voice. "I am the man." No one who was present in court would have been able to give a clear and correct account of that national disgrace, every one has a confused impression of the scene.

Although the weather was cold the roads were bad there were about sixty present at the last meeting of the Lincoln Centre Farmer's Club Feb. 13th. In the absence of the speakers, several of those present called upon for impromptu speeches. Thos. McCrae advised erecting fences and gave several reasons for the same; Duncan Dunbar told of the necessity of getting hay harvested in proper manner; Dan Anderson that some one better able should speak on the subject of railroads; Meagher spoke of the politics West; Alf, O'Neill advised the good husband, chickens, sleek sheep, teams and men in saw-dop operations and Aud Meagher told a few of the fine Western tunes, tinging specially Regina, as the one with which he was best acquainted. Mr. Binnie sang a song and McArthur recited "The Crematorium Sam McGee." The next meeting on Feb. 23rd. The Senators, a picked team, excluding the three St. brothers, challenged the Wainwrights, composed of Saunders and 'a fair' quartette to complete the game last Thursday night. Senators finished on up, 6-5, was anybody's game throughout. Wainwrights counterbalancing the balanced team of their opponents. Senators led off with the initiative by the half time, Wainwrights doubled the score 4-2. The Senators in the second half, either poor staying power or to new lease of life, for they ran five minutes before full till Saunders aggregation tailed and only a goal behind pepper opponents' nets, but could not up. 1 was an interesting game, with splendid ice in zero temperature. Jim McArthur anything like rough the bud. The line-ups: Senators: Wainwrights: V. Evidge goal, G. Oatton cover point, Johnson Allen rover, W. McGirr centre, Bob F. Ludlaw right wing, A. Oso, Kewen left wing, Mack