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 SPECIAL PRICES FOR 30c.  
 All general work done.  
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**Blacksmith**  
 Undersigned experienced blacksmiths who have been shoeing for the people in this section for years, have opened a shop in the Old Power House, just south of the Market Building in Stouffville. First-Class Workmanship and Prices Moderate—Prompt Service  
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 WILL YOUR SON TAKE IT DEPENDS ON YOU?  
 If anything happened to you, would he have to leave school and take the first job which is offered in order to help his mother keep the home together?  
 "Blind Alley" jobs require no education.  
 SUCCESS jobs demand education.  
 Your responsibilities should not be transferred to your wife and children.  
 Let the Old Crown Life bank carry part of your protection and responsibility.  
 Next week, at age 30, what 39 1/2 cents a day will do for you deposited in the Crown Life bank.  
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 District Agent for our Trees and Shrubs. Liberal pay, free equipment. Write now. Welland Nursery Co., Welland, Ont. 41

**BLOOMINGTON**  
 E. A. Storry is serving on the jury in Toronto.  
 Chester Brumwell is back home after his trip to the west.  
 Ira Lemon of Sault Ste. Marie, was at Henry Smith's last week.  
 Rev. C. E. Fockler, wife, and daughter of Keswick, were calling on relatives on Sunday.  
 The monthly meeting of the Ladies Aid of the Christian church was held at the home of Mrs. W. A. Fockler on Thursday afternoon of last week.

**How Many Seeds**  
 IN THE  
**Pumpkin?**  
 TRY A GUESS AT  
**PORTER'S**  
**Christmas Candy**  
 OUR CHRISTMAS CANDY ARE HERE READY FOR YOUR INSPECTION  
 CHRISTMAS MIXTURE AT 15c PER POUND  
 Nice Chocolates at 30c pound  
 SEE OUR HIGH-CLASS CONFECTIONS IN Dainty Boxes  
 CHRISTMAS TOYS,  
 CHRISTMAS GREETING CARDS,  
 CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS,  
 BELLS, BIRDS, LANTERNS, ETC.  
 We have just received our CHRISTMAS packages—MOIRS—Come early and make your choice. (we will put away for you)  
 New Dates, Hallowai, per lb. 10c  
 Smyrna Figs, per lb. 15c  
 Our Mountain Blend COFFEE can't be beat. We grind it while you wait, per lb. 60c

**Porter's**  
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**VICTORIA SQUARE**  
 Miss Grace Duncan gave the topic at League on Sunday evening.  
 W. Scott Jr. is to be congratulated on his appointment as principal of Richmond Hill public school.  
 Prayer meeting last week was held at the home of Mr. L. Nichols. A goodly number present. Salted peanuts were the refreshments at the close.  
 Some of our crack shots and others went to the shoot at R. Pinder's Buttonville, last Saturday. Mr. W. Scott, Sr., R. Agar and the general merchant at Almira will live high now.

The W.M.S. held a successful quilting bee in the S.S. room last Tuesday. Nine quilts were taken out and four more donated, making a total of thirteen.  
 Thirty odd attended the League rally at Richmond Hill on Monday evening. Mr. Ellis Klink was the orator from the Square. The contest was won by Price of Richmond Hill.  
 Two youths whose initials are G. Motored west with another one C. They knocked at the fold. To get warmed from the cold, But were slammed out by Mam'selle D.

**MOUNT ALBERT**  
 Mrs. Burr of Richmond Hill, spent a few days with relatives here.  
 Miss Gertrude Moore of Toronto, visited over the week end at her home here.  
 Fred Shaw has returned, after spending the summer months in Manitoba.  
 Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hodgins of Stouffville, visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. McLean on Sunday.  
 Miss Jennie Kester of Zephyr, was a recent visitor with her sister, Mrs. Jos. Taylor.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Austin Card of Uxbridge, spent a few days at the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. Vanderwater.

Arrangements are under way for the holding of the annual Christmas market on Thursday, Dec. 18th. The prize list is quite a lengthy one.  
 A bazaar and tea was held by the ladies of the Presbyterian church on Saturday afternoon and was well patronized.  
 The Methodist Sunday School concert will be held in the church on Friday evening the 12th. The program is an attractive one and should draw a good crowd.  
 The death of Mrs. Keyes of Toronto, mother of Mrs. Robertson of this place, came as a great shock to her many friends here. The deceased lady had spent some time each year with her daughter and by her kindly manner had endeared herself to a large circle of friends and acquaintances, who mourn her passing.

**CHURCHILL**  
 News is very scarce in this locality just now.  
 Glad to hear that Mrs. Jos. Martin is out and around again.  
 Mrs. S. Irwin and Mrs. A. Dixon visited at Mrs. Kellington's on Wednesday last.  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. Lehman of Lincolnville, were in this community on Sunday.  
 The Endeavor held a pie social on Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lemon Paisley.  
 A new road is being built on the Eaton farm which will be more serviceable than the former one.

**CLAREMONT**  
 Mr. James Madill was sick last week with one of his bad spells of the heart. We hope to see him about again as usual.  
 George Middleton, who lived in the seventh concession near Greenwood, was buried Sunday, following a stroke, which he had a few days previous. He is survived by his widow, one son and one daughter.  
 Wm. King who spent the summer season here working with Angus McDonald on the bridge work, left on Saturday for his home at Victoria Road, north of Lindsay. The remaining members of the gang have also returned to their homes.

**AUCTION SALE**  
**THURSDAY, DEC. 11th**—Public auction of choice Steers to be sold by the pound, fat heifers, springers and 50 pigs, the property of J. A. White & Sons, at the farm of the late W. G. Barnes near Green River. Sale under cover, rain or shine. Fred Postill, Auctioneer.  
**WEDNESDAY, DEC. 17th**—Wood sale in quarter acre lots at Lot 18, Con. 6, Whitchurch, all Hardwood belonging to E. Honsberger. 3 months credit. Sale at 1 p.m. F. W. Silversides, auctioneer.  
**MONDAY, DEC. 22**—Five acres of Standing Beach and Maple in 1/4 acre lots at Lot 8, Con. 1, Uxbridge (2 miles from Stouffville) belonging to Mrs. Wm. Petch. Six months credit. Sale at one P. W. Silversides, auctioneer.

**TUESDAY, DEC. 23rd**—Extensive credit sale of 34 head of fine dairy cows, all new milkers and close up springers, farm stock and up-to-date implements. One mile south of Stouffville, belonging to Harmon Jones. This is the biggest sale of the season, and will start at 10 o'clock sharp. F. W. Silversides, auctioneer.  
 From now on any pupil of Milton public school caught smoking cigarettes on his way to or from school will be handed over to Chief Constable Chapman, who will ascertain from the pupil the source of his supply of fags. The chief will prosecute the man who sold the cigarettes to a minor. Other places should adopt the same plan.

**Here and There**  
 Agricultural products harvested in British Columbia during 1923 were nearly \$4,000,000 in excess of the 1922 total, according to the annual report of the provincial department of agriculture. Total production for 1923 was \$59,159,798.  
 The ninth winter carnival at Banff, Alta., will be held from February 7 to 14, 1925. The curling bonspiel in connection with the carnival will run concurrently from February 9 to 14. Revelstoke has fixed its carnival dates for February 3, 4 and 5, 1925.  
 Tourists to the number of 100,000 are estimated to have entered the Province of Nova Scotia during the past season. These people have left approximately \$7,500,000 in the province, an increase of 25 per cent. over the previous year. The number of motor cars entering the province during the tourist season exceeded 11,000.  
 Canada Book Week was held from December 1 to 6 this year. Addresses, radio broadcasting and special displays in stores throughout the country drew attention to the objects of the week, which are to promote the reading of good books generally and to foster Canadian literature. The week was, as usual, a distinct success.  
 The foolhardy recklessness of certain motorists was recently strikingly illustrated at a public crossing on the Canadian Pacific Railway line at Blind River, Ontario, when a speeding auto, approached the crossing so rapidly that the driver was unable to pull up, and ran his car into the side of a train which was passing at the time. Fortunately, no one was injured.  
 In recognition of its excellent exhibits at the 1924 exhibition at Toronto, the Canadian Pacific Railway has been awarded one of the medals specially struck off for presentation to the Dominion and Provincial governments, and to a limited number of other exhibits whose high class entries in the live stock and agricultural departments won them honorable prizes.

**FARMERS**  
**FRESH PORK**  
 I deliver weekly in Stouffville Fresh Pork, any cut, also Nice Sausage. Telephone your requirements to JOS. B. REESOR, Phone 6209. 43p

**FOR SALE**  
 Barred Rock Cockerels, all extra laying strain. Newton Rae, Phone 8403. 41p

**FOR SALE**  
 20 Pigs, feeders, seven weeks old. Only 2 hogs fit for service left, also 1 two-year-old hog, over stock, must have room, so priced to sell. All raised from pedigree stock. Don't send away for your Yorkshires before seeing ours. The type and price will please you. Wm. E. L. Meredith, Lot 11, 2nd Uxbridge. Phone 6920.

**WANTED NOW**  
 Live Geese and Fat Hens required Good prices. Sam Golden, at Pen-nock's Livery.  
**TO RENT**  
 Four acres of excellent vegetable land in Stouffville, belonging to Mrs. Wm. Harding, east end. Good stable and abundant fruit trees. Phone 6707.

**POULTRY**  
 Live and Dressed, also Domestic Rabbits. We pay highest market price. GEO. L. ROSSER, Phone 3708, Stouffville.  
**WELLS DRILLED**  
 Wells Drilled and repaired, quick sand a specialty. Terms moderate and good workmanship, having had 30 years experience. For information apply E. J. Cable, Toronto, or Delos Graham, Cedar Valley P.O. Phone 9208, Stouffville.

**Christmas Jewelry**  
 I have selected this year a much finer and larger stock of of the latest and newest creation in the JEWELRY LINE, including  
 Diamonds from \$10.00 to \$50.00  
 Stone Set Rings from \$1.25 to \$15  
 Ladies Brooches from 75c to \$12  
 Cuff Links from 50c to \$7.00  
 Extra Fine Pearls, Gold clasp \$5.00 string.  
 Ladies' Wrist Watches \$5 to \$25  
 Gents' Watches from \$2.50 up  
 Also, Scarf Pins, Watch Chains, Fobs, Pencils, Fountain Pens, Stone Set Bracelets, Beads of all kinds, Clocks, White Ivory, Cut Glass. If we haven't what you want, can get it in 24 hours. Christmas presents laid aside on small deposit. Come in and look our stock over, No trouble to show goods.  
**Adam R. Yake**  
 OPTOMETRIST  
 Watchmaker and Jeweler 2 doors west of railway tracks  
 PHONE 159, STOUFFVILLE

**Massey-Harris Farm Implements & Repairs**  
 Buy a Massey-Harris Kerosene Engine, to do your hard work this winter. Also place your orders early for machines for next year and help to reduce prices by so doing. A full line of repairs always on hand. We have second hand goods to sell at reasonable prices: 1 1/2 ton Spring Wagon; Steel Tire Buggy; Oliver Riding Plow; 3-h.p. Massey-Harris Engine; 6-in. Vessott Grinder, nearly new; Cockshutt Riding Plow; 4-h.p. Engine; 12-h.p. Engine; Peter Hamilton Cuttingbox with carriers; Set of Slings and 60 ft. of track, good as new. We give credit terms on all goods.  
**D. HOLDEN, Agent, Phone 184, Stouffville**

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 He sells high quality goods;  
 He sells the best flour—Quaker Flour;  
 He is reliable;  
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 Your baking will never disappoint if you use Quaker Flour. The finest wheat, accurate milling and daily baking tests ensure high quality—always.  
 Every sack guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction.  
**Quaker Flour**  
 Always the Same—Always the Best  
 A product of The Quaker Mills, Peterborough and Saskatoon.  
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**Your Christmas Shopping**  
 The Best Gifts are expressions of Love, Sacrifice and Prudence and bring Satisfaction that is Enduring.  
 Will Love and Prudence prompt YOU to make the little Sacrifice required to remove for all time the menace that hangs over your unguarded household? The Mutual Life has policies to cover every need. It pays to do your shopping early, while you have strength to shop and prices are right.  
 I am pleased to announce that the present generous dividend scale of the Mutual Life of New York is to be still further increased in 1925. Policies issued in 1924 in the Twenty Payment Life plan will draw a dividend in 1925 amounting to 20% of the premium, while Ordinary Life policies will draw 23%. This marks the fifth annual increase since 1920. It spells a wholesome condition in the Company, and steadily decreasing costs to our policy-holders. Dividends in 1923 amounted to \$1,267,000 of the year's premium receipts of \$105,852,337.00. Assets nearly \$700,000,000.  
 No Stockholders. Policies Unexcelled. Annual Dividends Full Post-Mortem Dividends  
 Double Indemnity and Increasing Disability Benefits provided  
**DON'T LEAVE THE FUTURE TO CHANCE**  
**H. O. KLINCK**  
 DISTRICT MANAGER

**Jack is Twenty-One To-Day**  
 JACK is twenty-one to-day. But he has more than a man's years in his credit. He has one thousand dollars in the bank.  
 It has grown with a practical mother's love, from the initial deposit of one dollar on the first birthday, twenty years ago.  
 Youth and age alike bear witness to the value of steadily building a Savings Bank Account. Your child as a depositor, will attain a higher standing in the community, family or, most important, in his own estimation. Open a savings account for the child.  
**BANKING FIFTY YEARS**  
**THE STANDARD BANK OF CANADA**  
 STOUFFVILLE BRANCH—A. C. Burkholder, Manager  
 Sub-Branch at Goodwood

**CREAM**  
 The best and safest investment for this winter is to add one or two dairy cows to your herd, and for best results ship your cream to us.  
 The best market prices paid, and in addition One cent per lb. of butterfat above the ordinary market prices, and BUTTERMILK free, for cream that is delivered to the Creamery by the patrons.  
 This arrangement for Cream delivered by the farmers takes effect on December 1st.  
 We close at 6 p.m. except Saturdays. Open Saturday Evenings.  
**Stouffville Creamery Co.**  
 PHONE 18602  
 Agents for the DeLaval Separators

**Swift's Garage**  
 STOUFFVILLE and CLAREMONT  
 BIG SALE OF FIRESTONE FABRIC TIES, FIRSIS, guaranteed \$7.95, while they last. A large stock of parts and Accessories always on hand. Get your skid chains from us, we fit them to your wheels.  
 BATTERIES Repaired and Recharged and stored for winter. Get a HEATER on your FORD and be warm.  
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