

# THE Home Town Store

We were never better prepared with goods of **FINEST QUALITY PROCURABLE** and also **LOWEST PRICES**

One item of Special interest is a fortunate purchase of an **ORANGE** that is very hard to procure, viz:—**FLORIDA NAVALS**. This, wonderful fruit is the last word in quality in Oranges.

California Navals from 25c. per doz. to 60c.

Florida Pineapple Oranges, thin skinned, juicy and sweet at popular prices.

Red Emperor Grapes the pick of the crop.

**CHRISTMAS** Candies in a wide range of variety and in price from 12½c. per lb. up.

Malaga Raisins in pound packages with the bloom of the Fresh Fruit still on them.

Mixed Nuts, Taragona Almonds, Washed Brazil; Walnuts, and Sicley Filberts . . . . . 23c. per lb.

**APPLES**—McIntosh Reds, delicious; and Jonathans

Choice New Dates, Marachino Cherries and New Peels of exceptional quality.

**AYLMER TOMATOES** (2½ lb. tin) 2 tins for 25c. For One Week from Dec. 10 to 17th

## RATCLIFF & CO.

We Deliver, Phone 7112

# CHRISTMAS GOODS

**WOMEN'S GALOSHES**, the 4-buckle cashmerettes at \$3.50 to \$4.00, or 2-buckle and 2 dome fasteners \$3.50 to \$4.35

Fine Zipper Overshoes, prices \$4.15 to \$5.50.

**OVERSHOES** for men, boys, youths and misses.

**FANCY HOSIERY** for men and women, boys' and girls.

**SHOPPING BAGS**, all leather, only \$1.75.

A complete line of **MITTS** and **GLOVES**—none better.

We sell at live and let live prices. R. M. cmfwyp cmfw

**WE SELL AT LIVE AND LET LIVE PRICES**  
REPAIRING AS USUAL

**A. G. Lehman, Stouffville**  
THE PEOPLE'S SHOE STORE

GOOD COAL IS YOUR WARMEST FRIEND  
ONE ON WHOM YOU CAN DEPEND

# COAL

The Coal we sell produces a friendly heat that will add a note of cheer to your home. Our full-weight ton will add a note of satisfaction to your sense of saving.

## S. W. HASTINGS

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# MORE MONEY FOR THE FARMER

CAN BE HAD THIS WINTER BY KEEPING MORE DAIRY COWS. YOUR CREAM WILL ALWAYS FIND A READY MARKET AND BEST RESULTS AT THE

## Stouffville Creamery Co

We Close at 6 p.m. daily excepting Saturday Nights

# THE TRIBUNE

THURSDAY MORNING  
TERMS—\$2.00 a year in advance  
\$2.50 to the United States  
A. V. Nolan, Publisher  
STOUFFVILLE, ONT.

## EDITORIAL COMMENT

York County Council at its closing session last week, boosted the salary of the warden to \$1000. The duties of a warden may be worth the increased salary set, but the annual supply of applicants for the position doesn't indicate it.

As indicated by Premier Ferguson during the election campaign, there will be a reduction of \$5.00 on automobile licenses for 1927. The reduction is applied to passenger cars only and not to commercialized vehicles. Any car that is used for business purposes cannot qualify for the reduction. There are at present 340,000 passenger cars owned and operated throughout Ontario, this reduction will amount to about \$1,700,000 in the aggregate. The 1927 markers will be ready for distribution about Dec. 15th.

The Provincial Department of Public Highways pursuant to its policy announced several years ago intends each year to extend the snow clearing of the highways. It is planned this year, if normal weather prevails and conditions permit, to keep open for motor traffic the highway from Windsor through London, Woodstock, Hamilton, Toronto, Bowmanville, Belleville and on possibly to Kingston, and also other portions of roads up to a total of about 1000 miles of highway. The Department is in a better position than ever before to effect this clearance, having added a considerable extra equipment to what they had last season, in the shape of heavy motor snow plows and much new anti-snow drifting fencing and other effectual apparatus. But why should the province as a whole pay for this? In just treatment to other parts of the province where the citizens wade through snowbanks on the roads unless the local councils cause them to be cleared, those directly benefited from clearing the highways should foot the bill.

## Here and There

The third great International exhibition of leather goods will be held in Milan, Italy from January 22 to 29, and promises to be a greater success than either of the former exhibitions held in Europe. Business transacted during the first two exhibitions amounted to over \$13,000,000.

All taxes formerly required to be paid in Italy, on hotel bills, baths and medical attention in health resorts, have been abolished, according to recent information given out by the Royal Consul General of Italy. Such information will prove interesting to tourists contemplating a visit to that country.

Quebec—What is said to be a record shipment of eels, 168 tons, left this port for New York recently, the last of eight consignments since the beginning of November, all for the same city. New Yorkers have acquired a partiality for the eel from the region below Quebec, and the trade is growing each year.

One of the largest farm sales in several months to a single immigrant family was recently effected in the purchase of a 720-acre tract five miles south-east of Brandon by a Lutheran farmer and four sons; the purchase price being \$28,800. According to Dr. A. T. Connell, the farm is well equipped with stock and buildings.

Sheep from the Prince of Wales' Alberta ranch, south-west of Calgary, are superfine, according to Walter Charles Priddy, of the Corriedale Sheep Co., Gridley, California. He has just purchased forty head of imported Shropshires from the Royal ranch, as well as fifteen from other flocks in the district.

Asbestos waste as a soil strengthener is the latest in the line of by-products. Early this year the Development Branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway undertook an investigation and inaugurated a series of experiments in the use of this material. Macdonald College actively co-operated and results so far show that this material has a real value when applied to certain soils.

A valuable consignment of twenty-six silver black foxes valued at approximately \$20,000 was handled by the Canadian Pacific Express Company in Montreal recently. The animals were shipped directly from the Meritt Silver Black Fox Ranch at Meritt, B.C., and will be forwarded to Messrs. Baillon and Paulin, Grenoble, France, to a new fox ranch of which this British Columbia shipment will be the nucleus.

## TEA KETTLE ESTRAY

Albert Elson lost his wife's tea kettle! After filling the radiator of his car one day recently, he set the kettle on the running board, where it remained, forgotten and unnoticed. It may not have boiled over, but it fell off the running board, for when Mrs. Elson prepared to make her husband a cup of tea that evening there was no kettle in which to boil the water, a predicament which had not confronted some women who have been married seventy years. As Albert is longing for another cup of tea from the old reliable aluminum kettle, he would be obliged if the finder would return the kitchen utensil to his farm home on the 10th concession, or to Button's hardware store.

## J. W. WIDDIFIELD ELECTED IN NORTH ONTARIO BY 700

The election of Dec. 1st last created a distinct surprise in the minds of the supporters of Government Control, many of whom were convinced of a majority in Uxbridge for the Conservative candidate Mr. T. D. Bell, of Cannington, but were completely staggered when the returns showed a majority of 155 for Widdifield. The east ward giving him a majority of 133 and the north ward 36, the west ward being the only one to give a Bell majority of 9. Likewise the majority in Uxbridge township and for that matter all the riding were surprises. Mr. J. W. Widdifield, the sitting member rolling up substantial majorities in every township except Rama which gave a majority of 51 for Bell, while Cannington his own home town could only muster a majority of 30 for him and Beaverton gave 71. Mara which has always been a strong Liberal and U.F.O. stronghold dropped a usual majority of well over 400 for Widdifield down to 87.

The official returns are not yet available and we have only been able to secure the majorities by townships which are as follows:

Township	Widdifield	Bell
Uxbridge	193	
Scott	302	
Brock	119	
Thorah	73	
Mara	84	
Rama		51
Uxbridge town	165	
Cannington		30
Beaverton		71

Majority for Widdifield 787

# 10 per cent Discount FOR DECEMBER ONLY

As a rule a great many stores raise their prices for the Christmas trade. But for this Christmas I am going to put on a Genuine Bargain Sale, and give 10% off every article in my store. The Farmers have had a big loss this year, so I am going to take my loss as well. Come in and see the Beautiful Goods we have for Christmas, you are under no obligations to buy. Remember every article to go at 10% discount. "All Goods marked in plain figures." Here is a few illustrations.

\$20 Ladies or Gents Watches	\$18.00
\$15 Ladies or Gents Watches	\$13.50
\$12 Ladies or Gents Watches	\$10.80
\$14 Mantle Clocks, 8 day, half hour strike	\$12.60
\$ 6.00 Alarm Clocks, lum. dials	\$ 5.40
\$4.50 Big Ben Alarms	\$ 4.05
\$4.50 Ivory Bedroom Clocks	\$ 4.05
\$30 Diamond Rings	\$27.00
\$20 Diamond Rings	\$18.00
\$15 Diamond Rings	\$13.50

Every article in the Store going the same.

## ALSO SPECIALS IN GLASSES

\$15 Double Sight Bifocals all ground in one lense	\$12.00
\$12 Famous Crooks Tints	\$ 9.00
\$10 Reading or Distance Glasses	\$ 7.00

All Glasses come in dark or light shell frame, round or oval. A pair of Glasses make a very acceptable Gift for Father or Mother. Our stock is NEW, CLEAN and up to the minute. What we do not have in stock we will get in 48 hours. Goods laid aside on small deposit until Christmas. SEE ME AND SEE BETTER.

## ADAM R. YAKE, OPTOMETRIST

Watchmaker and Jeweler, 2 doors west of railway tracks  
Phone 156, Stouffville

# SHAW'S Gift Specials for Christmas

## LINEN DEPT.

A great variety of Irish Linen, guest and bedroom towels, white and colored borders

Bath Towel Sets in pink, blue, mauve and gold.

Cluney Centerpieces, beautifully hand embroidered.

Luncheon Sets, real Irish linen, colored borders and all white, hand embroidered.

We have a large range of Ladies Scarfs in all shades, at exceptionally LOW PRICES.

Pure Silk Hose Bitex, in all the new FALL shades.

Men's Ties in all the newest designs and shades, at very popular prices.

A large range of Men's Neckscarfs, plain, silk, wool, cashmere in Scotch and Swiss material.

Men's All-Wool Sweaters, in red, white, heather, camel, navy and brown.

Our CHINA DEPARTMENT is complete.

Men's Overcoats in a big range of colors and prices.



See our grand display of LADIES' and MENS' LINEN HANDKERCHIES in all styles, colors and prices.

SEVEN MORE SHOPPING DAYS UNTIL CHRISTMAS Shop early to avoid the CHRISTMAS RUSH and while the assortment is NEW

# W. H. SHAW

STORE OPENS TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY EVENINGS