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MONDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1907.

THE NEW SECRETARY.

The Board of Education have lost a faithful and efficient servant in the resignation of their veteran Secretary-Treasurer, Thomas C. Macnabb. There is not a member of the present Board, nor any man who has served on the Public School Board who does not regret to see Mr. Macnabb resign from the service, especially in view of the fact that the step was practically forced upon him owing to his continued ill-health. Mr. Macnabb has innumerable personal friends in the city who sincerely regret his serious illness, and who earnestly hope that he may yet recover sufficiently to enjoy the retiring years of his life.

The new Secretary, Mr. Charles E. Beeston is a man honored and respected by all, and a man who is perfectly fitted to efficiently perform the duties of the position thus made vacant. His appointment is looked upon with universal approval

Local Option Has Hurt Owen Sound

the Matthew Kennedy, Mayor of Owen Sound and one of its chief business men, publicly asserted on Nov. 27 last that "Local Option has injured local trade, has not lessened drunkenness, and has lowered the moral well-being of very many."

Yet the believers in Local Option hold up Owen Sound as an example of their belief's operation. If Local Option has hurt Owen Sound, why is it likely to benefit YOUR town.

Messrs. Tucker & Patterson, Barristers, of Owen Sound—that "model temperance town"—certify to the fact that its citizens "have been less prosperous because of hampered trade under Local Option, and less able to pay their debts."

In 1905, before Local Option began there, 584 debt suits were entered for trial in the Division Court. In eleven months of this year, under Local Option, 778 suits have been entered there arising from debt.

No business man would vote for Local Option if he foresaw how it really works.

Local Option Causes Failures

self, in a manner which has commanded the respect and admiration of his fellow-citizens. He is a man of high education, culture and attainments, and his many friends congratulate him upon his appointment

and hope he may long be spared to tender the excellent service to the Board of which he is supremely capable.

INTERESTING SOUVENIR.

The Manitoba Free Press has marked the Christmas season for many years by sending to a number of the United States and Canadian newspapers a good-will offering, which has taken the form of a souvenir of Western Canada. A diminutive barrel filled with flour made from wheat grown and milled in the Peace River County of Northwestern Canada, with an illustrated booklet giving some account of wheat growing and flour milling, ancient and modern, represents the seventh Christmas greeting sent to this Great Home Journal, and this interesting gift is hereby appropriately acknowledged.

Among the interesting matter in the booklet is a reference to a scientific report issued by the Ohio Government in 1857, in which it was declared that the wheat growing area of North America would be found not to extend westward of that state.

THE RAILWAY TAX.

The Kincairdine Review thus explains the working of the new railway tax:

"To cash from Gov't, T.P.'s share R. R. Taxes, \$82.40.

"This is an item in the financial statement of Kincairdine T.P. for the past year. Did you ever see such an item in any previous statement issued by that or any other council? No, you never did.

"There was a tax of \$30 a mile on steam roads, all of which went to the province. The Whitney government doubled the tax and gave half to the municipalities less ten cents per day for each charity patient from the municipality in the asylums of the province. This is what enabled a township in which there is not a mile of railway to draw \$82.40 as its share of provincial railway taxation.

"In our estimation the tax is not large enough yet, but it is a fair start in the right direction. The county of Bruce draws this year \$2,389.10 as a result of the new government's legislation."

It should not be forgotten that much of the credit for this increased railway taxation should be tendered to Mr. P. H. Bowyer, M. P. P. of East Kent. It will be remembered that when he made his appeal to the people of his riding in the last provincial election, Railway taxation was one of the important planks in his platform and the constant fight which he has conducted in the Legislature on this matter had a great influence upon the members of the Government, and was no doubt largely responsible for the beneficial legislation which was enacted and which is now so favorably commented upon by the Kincairdine Review.

ONTARIO FLOUR

In the old days, when practically all our farmers planted wheat as their principal crop, and our local millers were grinding this wheat into good Ontario flour, bran and shorts sold for about half what they do now. These feed stuffs were cheap because the mills had plenty of them to sell. When Manitoba flour pushed its way into Ontario, our farmers saw only the "big loaf of bread." They bought western patent flour, stopped raising wheat, and made the Manitoba farmers rich. Naturally our millers had little wheat to sell. Bran and shorts had to be brought from the West. Freight rates were, and are, high. And our stockmen and dairymen, and farmers, too, are paying for this folly.

The remedy lies with the farmers. They should refuse to buy Western flours at any price. The blended flours, milled right here in our own Province of Ontario, wheat and a little Manitoba wheat, are better—both for bread and pastry—than any Western hard patent flour. By raising more wheat, and buying blended flours made of this same wheat, our great farming population would not only keep their money at home but also keep our flour mills busy grinding wheat. With plenty of wheat to grind, there would be plenty of bran and shorts for sale. And big quantities mean lower prices.

This does not mean any hardship on the part of the farmer. As a matter of fact, when he buys blended flour, he will be getting a better flour than he has ever bought before. These Ontario blended flours contain Ontario wheat and a small quantity of Manitoba wheat. Ontario flour, while perfect for cake and pastry, does not contain enough "strength" (or gluten, as the chemists call it) to make a big loaf of bread. Now our millers have found how just how much gluten Ontario flour needs, and they add the gluten by adding a little Manitoba flour, which is high in gluten. So, in these Ontario blended flours, we get both a bread flour and a pastry flour and the best at each kind.

Certainly, when our farmers can get a better flour, and at the same time, create a new market for Ontario wheat, and so restore wheat-

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The Cash Buyers Store

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BARGAINS

For The Last Day of The Old Year

Boys' \$4 Reefer Coats \$1.48

8 only Boys' Heavy Reefers, sizes 22, 23, 24 and 25 each, tweed lined, reg. \$3.50 and \$4, clearing at

\$1.48

Men's \$5.50 Reefers \$2.95

8 only, Heavy Pure Wool Grey Frieze, double-breasted, tweed lined, sizes 35, 36, 37 only, reg. \$5.50 each, clearing at

\$2.95

Black Sateen Undershirts

8 dozen Rich Silky Quality, made with flounce, ruffles, tucks, etc., worth up to \$1.50 each, clearing at

98c

Boys' Blouse Suits

Navy Cheviot, braid trimmed, winter weight, sizes 6 to 10 years, reg. \$1.75 for

98c

Ditto, ditto, reg. \$2.75 and \$3.00 for

\$1.95

Boys' Suits \$2.48

2 and 3 Pc. Tweed Suits, sizes 25 and 27 only, reg. up to \$4, clearing at

\$2.48

Men's \$10 Suits for \$5.48

Fine Tweeds and Worsteds, in small sizes only, 35 to 37 inch, reg. \$8.50 and \$10, clearing at

\$5.48

Boys' Knicker Pants

Odd lines in tweeds, lined throughout, sizes 4 to 14 years, reg. 50c. to \$1.00, clearing at 89c. for

78c

Handkerchiefs One-Third Off

28 dozen Fine Swiss Embroidered and Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, late arrivals, clearing at

One Third Off

Sable Ruffs

72 inch Long Rich Natural Fur, trimmed with 6 tails and silk ornaments, reg. value \$14, clearing at

\$9.95

Sable Ruff

72 in. Long, superior quality double fur, 10 tails, worth \$18, for

\$13.95

Ladies' Coats About Half

Lot 1

8 only Ladies' Long Coats, this season's styles, reg. up to \$8.50 each, clearing at

\$4.89

Lot 2

14 only Ladies' and Misses' Coats, all this season's styles, long lengths, reg. up to \$10 each, clearing at

\$5.95

Lot 3

16 only Tweed and Plain Cloths, long lengths, reg. up to \$15 each, clearing at

\$7.48

Lot 4

7 only Ladies' Coats, handsome styles, reg. up to \$20 each, clearing at

\$12.90

THE NORTHWAY CO., LIMITED

LAI D AT REST

The funeral of Miss Mary E. Raymond, whose death occurred on Christmas day, took place Friday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, from her late residence, Lorne Avenue.

The funeral was largely attended and the obsequies were conducted by Rev. Dr. Daniel, pastor of Park St. Methodist church. Numerous wreaths and flowers were contributed by loving friends as tokens of esteem. Her sad and early death has aroused much sympathy for the bereaved relations.

ARE YOU SUBJECT TO COLDS?

Then don't load your stomach with cough syrups. Send healing medication through the nostrils—send it into the passages that are subject to colds and catarrh. Easy to do this with Catarrhose, which cures a cold in ten minutes. Even to the lungs goes the healing vapor of Catarrhose—all through the bronchial tubes, nostrils and air passages—everywhere a trace of disease remains will Catarrhose follow. You will not have colds, nor will you suffer from sniffles, bronchitis or throat trouble if Catarrhose is used. Get it to-day; 25c, and \$1.00 at all dealers.

PASSED AWAY

The death of Margaret Moore, wife of Daniel Moore, King street east, occurred on Friday morning after a lingering illness.

Deceased was 58 years of age, and has been a resident of this city for a number of years. Besides her husband, she leaves a brother Henry Weaver, to mourn her death. The funeral service took place on Sunday at 2.30 o'clock. The service was held in the 1st Baptist Church, King street, and interment was made in Maple Leaf Cemetery.

HOW'S THIS?

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Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free.

Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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Suits, Topcoats, Overcoats, Raincoats at \$12.50

A great popular line in which we have centered much of our buying and selling power, knowing that many men can afford to pay more than \$12.50 for a suit or overcoat. Choice of newest blues, greys, browns, greens, blacks; plain, striped, checked, plaided or mixed. The styles are new and correct in every line, with hand workmanship throughout, materials and trimmings of quality—in every respect worthy and desirable garments and beyond question is the best value ever offered at the price.

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Shown in every new model for men and young men. High-grade productions, splendidly hand-finished, perfect in drape, fit and style. Suits come in a wonderful variety of browns, ranging from light tan to almost black, as well as in fashionable blues, greens, plain blacks and fancy mixtures. The Overcoats, Topcoats and Raincoats are in all the new styles, lengths and colorings. They're \$15 at the 2 T's, but they'll compare favorably with much higher priced garments elsewhere.

Suits, Topcoats, Overcoats, Raincoats at \$20.00

Again the famous tailoring house of The 2 T's has scored new triumphs at this price. The marks of master craftsmen are visible in every Suit and Overcoat. We show an enormous variety of patterns and not enough of each kind to risk commonness. The Suits are in silk mixed and pure wool materials, in all the season's original shades and colors. The Overcoats are elegant in fabric, fashion and finish, the workmanship is of the very highest quality. This is the finest collection ever shown in Chatham.

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Don't fail to see our great line of Men's and Young Men's Suits, Topcoats Overcoats and Raincoats at \$10.00—nothing to compare with it anywhere hereabouts, \$10.00.

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Hundreds of pairs in all the correct new shapes and weaves, for dress and business wear, exceptional values at all prices \$1.50 to \$6.00.

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The largest line in the city, the newest fashions, the lowest prices, all sizes from 33 up.

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The shoe with 20 improvements, \$4.00 and \$5.00.—We are Sole Agents.



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Another big shipment now ready at The 2 T's. New effects in black and white, checks, stripes, dots, etc., all styles and in all sizes from 14 to 17½, prices \$1.00 to \$2.00.

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