

AFTER-HOLIDAY CLEARANCES - BIG REDUCTIONS

This is the annual stock adjustment after the heavy Christmas buying, when we put the desire to reduce stocks ahead of profit-making. This week's offerings are all at substantially reduced prices, and the entire store shares in the event.

Women and Young Women!

The Coat clearances offer enormous values this week. Women's and Young Women's Mixed Tweeds in new nifty styles, \$4.95 to \$10.75. Absolutely every Coat in our stock reduced \$5.00 for one big clearance.

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The Transcript.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 11, 1917

Newbury

Douglas Dobbyn of Shetland is visiting his aunt, Mrs. D. Fletcher.

Misses Ettie and Carrie Telfer were in London a few days last week.

The dramatic club will give "The Soldier's Sweetheart," at Shetland the 17th.

Mrs. James Douglas returned home on Friday after visiting Mrs. William Bayne.

Miss Grace Cameron of Chatham spent New Year's holidays at J. G. Bayne's.

Charlie Armstrong and wife have returned home to Windsor after visiting his brothers here.

Thos. Coulter and Mr. and Mrs. Con Warner and baby Berice of Rosetown, Sask., are visiting at Wm. H. Jeffery's.

The banquet arranged by the Women's Institute for the 10th of January has been deferred until February. Further notice will be given. On Monday next, the 15th, the Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. Hammett. Arrangements will then be made for the banquet. All the members kindly come. Roll call—New Year resolutions.

Strathburn

Hay is selling for twelve dollars a ton in this vicinity.

Mrs. Andrew Thompson is visiting her daughters in Hamilton.

James Dymock and Wm. Siddall have taken positions in Detroit.

Henry Kook has returned home from a business trip to Chicago.

Miss Bancroft of Mt. Brydges has been engaged to teach in S. S. No. 1, Moose.

Mrs. Henry Kook and son, Master S. C. Kook, are visiting friends in Chicago.

Mrs. J. Williams (nee Jennie Dykes) of Detroit is visiting her uncle, Robert Dymock.

Miss Ethel Simpson of London spent the holidays the guest of her mother, Mrs. Chas. Simpson.

Mrs. Newby and daughter of Chicago returned home on Saturday after spending the holidays in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Siddall have returned home from Port Huron, where they spent the holidays with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Thompson and son Walter have gone to Florida for the winter. We trust the warm climate will restore Mr. Thompson's health.

FERGUSON'S CROSSING.

The Ferguson's Crossing Needle Club have shipped for the year ending Dec. 31 the following:—14 mattress pads, 29 helpies shirts, 18 shirts, 37 pairs of socks, 24 pieces cotton, 1 parcel old cotton, 1 parcel, donated, containing \$2.15 worth of clothing, also a box of Christmas cheer containing 52 pounds Christmas cake, 7 pounds candy and \$1.50 worth of tobacco. There was a contribution taken for the Belgian Relief Fund which amounted to \$10. The treasurer has a balance on hand of \$12.07.—Mrs. D. C. MacTavish, sec.-treasurer.

Crinan

Mrs. Dymock, con. A, is on the sick list.

John J. McMurchy and son are visiting at A. J. McMurchy's.

John McGill, con. 4, who has been ill, is improving considerably.

Mrs. W. H. McPherson of Melbourne visited friends here last week.

The Y. P. S. met in the church on Sunday evening. The Bible Class will hold a meeting for the purpose of re-organizing for 1917.

Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey McMurchy and family, from Saskatchewan, who are on a visit to friends in Glencoe, are at the home of A. J. McMurchy this week.

The annual meeting of Argyle Presbyterian church was held in the church on Tuesday evening. The financial report of the church will be published next week.

EKFRID STATION.

Jan. 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McCallum are visiting their parents here.

John Switzer has taken a position with G. White & Sons, London.

A. J. Willey attended the Winter Poultry Show, winning several prizes and two silver cups.

Among the holiday visitors:—A. A. McTaggart, Pittsburg; Alex. McEachren, Moose; Anna McCallum, Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Blue Dunwich; Mr. and Mrs. John McCallum, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Crouch, Bothwell; Mr. and Mrs. George McCallum, and Mrs. Ann McCallum, Walkerville; Mr. and Mrs. F. Carr, Iona; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Needham, Ilderton; W. McBride and J. A. McCallum, Walkerville; Miss Lumley, St. Thomas; Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Webster, Jeanette's Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Howie, London; Clarence Eaton, Toledo.

Jan. 10.

Miss Annie McLean left last week for Jackson, Mich., to train for a nurse.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McCallum left on Tuesday for their home in Conquest, Sask.

John A. McCallum left for Walkerville after spending the holidays at his home here.

MIDDLEMISS.

Mrs. Thos. Brown is on the sick list.

A car of salt arrived in town last week.

K. Lucas spent the week-end in London.

A great many are complaining of a cold or gripple.

Wm. McArthur arrived from Saskatchewan this week.

Alex. Battin and family have moved into their new residence.

The social dance in the hall last week was a pleasant success.

The wedding of Miss Greta Burrows and George Carroll is announced. Lorne and Owen Spence of Welland paid a flying visit to friends here last week.

L. Boughman intends opening a garage at Canfield Junction in the spring.

Borden Annett of London, and formerly here, leaves shortly for naval overseas service.

Francis McDonald, son of J. A. McDonald, has gone to Toronto to do his bit at the armaments.

Appin

Mr. Lamont of Waterford is visiting his son, Geo. Lamont, station agent.

Wm. Mullins of Black Rock is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mullins.

Mrs. Patterson is moving back to the farm with her son, D. A. Patterson.

Ferg. Huston had a carload of coal arrive and it took only four hours to unload it.

Mrs. Geo. Hughes has purchased the residence of the late Hugh McLean and intends to move into it.

Old papers and magazines are still wanted by the Women's Institute.

Appin, as there is not enough yet to fill a car. Try and send in before the 15th of this month.—J. Macraut, secretary.

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SHELTAND.

Skating's great.

The rush for coal is still on.

Mrs. George Brownlee is on the sick list.

Miss Reta Badgley is a Chatham visitor.

Pte. Vero Johnson was home on a flying visit.

Which do you intend to do—sign up, or get out?

If you don't want the measles, stay in your own back yard.

John Vosburg and family are home from the West on a visit.

Nathan Moorehouse is back from the West on a short visit.

Miss Mary Richard is visiting at her uncle's farm at "Hillcrest."

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Sharp were Clachan visitors last week.

Mrs. W. A. Edwards and family are visiting "out in the country."

Sergeant R. C. Moorehouse paid his friends a short visit on Sunday.

Wm. Beard of Toronto is renewing acquaintances in and around here.

Never since the days of Tecumseh and Onondaga have the Euphemias "trails" been better.

"Dug" Dobbyn has returned from Toronto, and we are glad to say, has left his crutches behind.

Posters are out for the big concert on the 17th, when the Newbury Dramatic Club will put on their splendid play "A Soldier's Sweetheart." To-day we are all either soldiers or sweethearts, and this should be interesting indeed.

Sidney Hartney is expected back from the front soon, and I say, why not give him a rousing reception? Too little has been made of these great fellows, who are every whit as great heroes as Horatius who "kept the bridge in the brave days of old."

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Kilmartin.

Mrs. Flora Leitch of Alvinston is visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Dewar spent the week-end in Rodney.

Peter McNeil of Florence visited friends here last week.

Miss Margaret Campbell of Detroit is visiting friends here.

Archie L. Campbell of Swift Current is visiting his brother here.

The annual meeting of Burns' church will be held on Wednesday, Jan. 10th.

Miss Mary Leitch of Glencoe was the guest of Elizabeth and Elsie Leitch for the week-end.

Leonard and Garfield Munroe returned last week from a visit with friends in Walkerville.

Russell McAlpine is leaving for Newmarket this week where he is attending Pickering College.

Miss Margaret Campbell of Middlebury, Vermont, has returned home after spending two weeks with friends here.

Malcolm A. McIntyre and Hugh D. McAlpine were at Yarmouth last week attending the funeral of their cousin, Miss McIntyre.

The shipments for December by Red Cross Circle, Burns' church, were as follows:—20 flannel shirts, 14 helpies shirts, 11 pairs of socks.

George, Wilfred and Frank Cameron and Mrs. Dan Cameron of Thamesville and Mrs. Geo. Weekes of Calgary visited at John Little's recently.

The debate at the meeting of Burns' Church Literary Society last week was "Resolved that young men have greater chances for advancement in Eastern Canada than in Western Canada." Malcolm C. McIntyre and Duncan Gillies ably upheld the affirmative, and the negative was well debated by Wm. Leitch and Arthur Moore. Decision was given in favor of the affirmative. The next meeting of the society will be held on Wednesday, Jan. 17th.

The death occurred at his home here on Monday evening of Archibald L. McKellar, in his 71st year. Mr. McKellar was a life-long resident of Metcalfe township and will be missed by his many friends and neighbors, by whom he was held in high regard. His wife predeceased him by about fourteen years. The family, all of whom were at his bedside during his illness, are Dan L. of Alberta; Annie, wife of Wm. Cornfoot, of Mount Elgin, and Duncan and Jane at home. The funeral took place on Wednesday to Kilmartin cemetery, service being held in Burns' church.

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One on the Students.

Osgoode Hall law school students have a habit of making a loud noise whenever any speaker, in the course of his remarks, makes reference to Osgoode. It matters not what the topic is or who the speaker is—the mere mention of the name "Osgoode" is the signal for a demonstration of the liveliest sort.

It happened recently that Prof. R. W. Lee, of McGill University law school, was addressing the Ontario Bar Association and the Osgoode Hall students were present. Of course, Dean Lee's address had to be punctuated by the usual student's outbursts.

Dean Lee touched on ancient and modern methods of making a loud noise and judges. Taking up one line of legal problems, he said: "Now, if I asked a lawyer of such and such an age this question, he would answer so and so"—or something to that effect. "But coming down to the present day, if I were to ask the same question of an Osgoode Hall student—"

Instantly the noise began. The students yelled and cheered and applauded and stamped on the floor and pounded their desks. It was some noise, but at last it subsided.

Dean Lee, untroubled, went on to say:

"If I were to ask an Osgoode Hall student, he would answer, 'I don't know.'"

Sudden silence.

Cheering Him Up.

He anxiously, after popping the question—Why do you cry, my love? Did I offend you by my proposal? She quietly sobbing—Oh, no, dear. Mama always said to me, "Lil, you are such an idiot that you will not even get a donkey for a lover," and now I have got one after all.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

A Mighty Bridge.

In the Forth bridge there is a horizontal pull of 10,000 tons on the chief spans and a weight of 100,000 tons on their bases. Half a dozen British iron-clads might be hung upon them without causing any undue strain.—London Telegraph.

Nearer the Truth.

"So that pretty canvasser sold you a book, eh?"

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In the name of Christendom, men and women, what sacrifice is this! What consecration to duty! What response to the call of the Motherland! What clarion challenge to the world to "Watch Canada!"

He goes—joy of his Mother's heart—idol of all her dreams from the day she bore him—hope and bulwark of her declining years.

He goes—and, Heaven bless his belief in us, his people, he goes, leaving his most beloved possession to our care and protection.

He trusts us. Who will fail him? What man or woman, rich with the possession of the memory of a Mother, will fail his Mother as a reward for her sacrifice?

This trust of our soldiers is a holy legacy.

Give to the Mothers of our soldiers in the name of your mother—as your testimonial to Canadian Motherhood. Give to the Canadian Patriotic Fund. \$6,000,000 must be raised in Ontario for this Fund for 1917.

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