

Every Thing Reduced

In price at this January sale at the Fair, Ingersoll. The whole stock, cottons, sheetings, table linens and towellings as well as blankets, hosiery underwear and furs. Everything must go.

CHILDREN'S COATS

We are offering some tremendous values in children's coats.

Worth \$4.25 now \$2.13
" 4.00 " 2.00
" 2.50 " 1.25

We are sure we can please you

HOSIERY

Ladies' 35c for 25c
Misses' 50c for 25c
Boys' 35c for 25c

UNDERWEAR

Ladies' \$1 for 69c
Men's \$1 for 75c
Boys' 35c for 25c

DRESS GOODS

All \$1 dress goods 75c
75c dress goods 50c
50c dress goods 35c

FURS, FURS

One quarter off
One third off
Half price

BLANKETS

11-4, \$1.50 for \$1.20
12-4, 1.75 for 1.35
Wool 3.50 for 2.25

GOLF COATS

Regular \$3.50 for \$2.50
" 3.00 " 2.25

LADIES' COATS

All at half price.

No wonder the people are delighted. Come and be convinced.

W. C. FORMAN

News

OF THE

District

By Our Own Correspondents

DERHAM CENTRE.

Jan. 3rd.—Miss Ethel Allen of Woodstock, is the guest of her aunt Mrs. Wm. Book.

Miss Annie Hicks and Russell are visiting their brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hicks, of Wolveston.

Mrs. T. Brown and daughter Grace have been spending a week with the former's sister-in-law, Mrs. Hayward, who is ill.

Rev. Mr. Couch preached an appropriate and helpful sermon on Sunday afternoon taking for his text Job 10:20.

Misses Pearl and Mae Chandler have

Cholera morbus, cramps and kindred complaints annually make their appearance at the same time as the hot weather, green fruit, cucumbers, melons, etc., and many persons are deterred from eating these tempting things, but they need not abstain if they have Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial and take a few drops in water. It cures the cramps and cholera in a remarkable manner and is sure to check every disturbance of the bowels.

MEDINA.

Jan. 6th.—School opened Tuesday with Mrs. Kelly at the head.

Messrs. Wm. and Gordon Anderson of Toronto, were holiday visitors with their parents Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Anderson, 10th concession.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Morrison of Detroit, visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Morrison the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gleason of Mitchell, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gleason from the West, were visitors with their mother, Mrs. R. Gleason, 10th con. this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Neene are visiting at the former's home here.

Mrs. Taylor, and Master Leonard and Miss Whaley, of Granton, were New Year's visitors with Mr. and Mrs. R. Taylor, 9th Con.

A Good Name is to be Prized.—There have been imitations of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil which may have been injurious to its good name, but if so the injury has only been temporary. Goodness must always come to the front and throw into the shadow that which is worthless. So it has been with Electric Oil; no imitation can maintain itself against the genuine article.

MISSOURI.

Jan. 1st.—Mrs. Jas. Robinson is improving nicely.

Miss E. Eldere, teacher, is visiting at her home here.

Mr. A. Douglas is re-newing old acquaintances in this vicinity.

Mr. John Brown is under the doctor's care, but we hope to see John around soon again.

Mr. Thos. Alderson and daughter, of Ingersoll, paid a visit to friends in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Webster of London, were holidaying at Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sims.

Mr. John Brazier is on the sick list at the time of writing.

Miss Gretta McCallum has returned

been visiting relatives in Tillsonburg during the holidays.

VERSCHOYLE

Jan. 10th.—Remember the Sabbath School entertainment to be held in St. Andrews church on Thursday evening, Jan. 19th. An excellent program is being prepared consisting of a cantata entitled "The Old Fashioned Santa Claus," also Japanese fan drill. A reading will be given by Miss Lulu Gregg of Ingersoll. The choir will be taken by Rev. Mr. Ellis of Salford, at 7:30 o'clock.

Miss Cook of Ingersoll, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Clara Francis.

The Ladies Guild met at the home of Mrs. Simmons last Wednesday afternoon.

We notice in The Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal the publishers are warning their readers whose subscriptions expire this month to renew at once. The renewal orders and new subscriptions pouring into that Office every day are a sight to behold. In their prospectus for 1911 the Publishers promise some wonderful improvements that will make the paper even greater value than ever before, although it has always been recognized as the greatest dollar's worth to be had. Every home in Canada will be the better of The Family Herald and Weekly Star as a regular weekly visitor during 1911.

PUTNAM.

Jan. 9th.—Rev. G. N. Hagen, of London, a former pastor on this circuit preached Missionary sermons here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus McNiven, sr., have returned home after spending a week with relatives at Alvinston, Cramlin and Dorchester.

Mr. S. Sangster, Miss Georgina Sangster and Miss May Wilde, of Evelyn, Mr. Alex. Halkett, of Beachville, and Miss Mary Bell of Tillsonburg were New Year's guests at R. Wallis.

Miss Winnie Sangster of Norwich, was the guest of her cousin, Mrs. R. Wallis over the holiday.

Miss Doupe has returned and resumed her duties at the school.

Miss Isabel MacKenzie of Verschoyle, is a visitor at the home of R. MacKenzie.

Master Angus Wallis is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Empey, of Calgary, Alberta, were the guests of their uncle, Andrew Empey this week.

Mr. Vin. Rodenhurst of New Westminster B.C., was calling on old friends here last week.

Mr. A. E. Small has returned from the East with another car load of cattle.

Mr. Will Rennie visited at Jas. Williams, Springfield over Sunday.

Holloway's Corn Cure is the medicine to remove all kinds of corns and warts and only costs the small sum of twenty-five cents.

HARRISTSVILLE.

Jan. 10th.—Miss E. Facey of Wellbourne was the recent guest of Miss Helena Facey.

Rev. Mr. Kennedy of Lyons, occupied the pulpit in the Harristville Methodist church on Sunday last.

Mr. Wesley Cornish is slowly recovering from a recent attack of pneumonia.

Mr. H. Frost attended the hockey game in town last week.

Messrs. J. Malpas and C. Jackson spent Sunday last with relatives at Thordale.

Miss Morton of Toronto, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Yorkie.

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T. J. Leslie—R. S. Elliott—That the Council to now adjourn to meet on Monday the 13th day of February at 2 p.m.

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to her duties again at school.

There passed away an old and much respected resident of Kintore, Mr. Chas. Smith at a good advanced age.

The remains were interred at the Kintore cemetery. Deceased leaves to mourn his loss a wife, three sons and two daughters.

The Rev. Mr. Lindsay of Kintore, has returned home from attending the funeral of his father and brother.

FAIRGROUND.

Jan. 9th.—A little sunshine and rain spoiled the sleighing.

Court day on Tuesday. A number of small trials.

The annual telephone meeting on Wednesday.

Eyron Gale is visiting his sister Mrs. John Park here this week.

Mr. John Brady is laid up with measles.

Mr. Edward Francis is recovering from a severe attack of measles.

Mrs. W. Park walked out of her room on Sunday, for the first time in about three weeks.

The school teacher is boarding at Mr. Frank Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Nix have gone to Hamilton, to spend the winter as Mr. Nix has secured an indoor position there, and Mrs. Nix expects to stay with her sister.

Work seems to be a little dull here this winter.

There are a number of gas wells going down in the vicinity of Vienna and Port Burwell. They seem to be quite a success.

NORTH OXFORD.

Minutes of council meeting held on Monday the 9th day of Jan. at 11 a.m. as per statutes.

The following took the declaration of office and property qualification in the presence of the clerk:

Reeve—Wm. McGhee.

Councillors—T. J. Leslie, Richard S. Elliott, Geo. A. Uren, Ed. S. McClelland.

Minutes of former meeting read and signed by Reeve.

A by-law was then prepared and received the final reading signed, sealed and numbered one for the year 1911, appointing the following officers and members local board of health:

Assessor—Jas. Waring.

Collector—Emerson Nichols.

Solicitor—J. L. Paterson.

Auditors—H. B. Sproat and Alex. Beattie.

Sanitary Inspector—Thos. Stephenson.

M. H. Officer—H. McGoughan, M.D.

Tp. Engineer—F. J. Ure.

Tag Inspector—Wm. Leonard.

Member B. of Health—Peter Dunn.

Path Masters—Geo. Hogg, Geo. Patience, W. H. Payne, Wm. Dundas, H. Gidding, Wm. Henderson, F. Strowbridge, J. Hutchinson, Wm. Little, A. Brown, L. Carson, Thos. Beer, Fred Rockhurst, Fred Adams, M. Breen, John Teller, E. J. Foster, Robt. Stephenson, A. R. Schlon, Chas. Hagerston, Thos. Hutchinson, Robt. Kerr, G. Brown, S. Pound, John Hutchinson, J. H. Wickens, John Mutterer, Thos. Stephenson, H. Hanlon, S. Dunn, L. Minkler, Wm. Michaels, Edwin Elliott, E. S. Allen, Wm. Crandell, Jas. Crotty, Geo. Raymond, E. Nichols, E. Sandick, R. Biddle, A. Elliott, Jas. Nichols, A. Reeves, Fred Gorman, A. Hackett, A. H. Montgomery.

Fence Viewers—John Gordon, John Sparrman, Jas. Knodick, F. Foster, Geo. Mutterer, Geo. Palmer, John Smith and Geo. Raymond.

Found Keepers—M. Keckum, A. Brown, Wm. Richter, F. Barnes, Wm. Murray.

Road Commissioners—T. J. Leslie, R. S. Elliott, G. A. Uren, E. S. McClelland.

T. J. Leslie—E. S. McClelland—That the communication from the Ontario Municipal Association be received and placed on file.

Geo. A. Uren—R. S. Elliott—That we give the sum of \$10 to the Hospital for Sick Children.

T. J. Leslie—R. S. Elliott—That we order 4 copies Municipal Ward.

T. J. Leslie—E. S. McClelland—That the communication from Messrs. Harding & Owens, solicitors, re the Imperial Traction Company be received and placed on file.

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The Store Full of Bargains

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OUR JANUARY SALE IN FULL SWING

The opening week of our Great January Clearance sale was a grand success. Everybody was agreeably surprised with the variety of winter goods offered at sale price. You will find in every department special values for every day of our January clearing sale. Our loss is your gain. Prices are marked in plain figures and one price to everybody.

During our January Sale we will give 10 per cent. off all Winter Dress Goods, Silks, Hosiery and Underwear

Shirt Waists at Half Price

We put on sale in our ready-to-wear department 25 waists in silk nett, cashmere and lustre, well made and beautifully trimmed in good colors, including red, navy, cream, white and black at Half Price
1 dozen white tailored shirt waists in plain and fancy vesting with linen collar, to clear at Half Price

Bargains in Silks

36 in "Queen's Quality" silk in black and navy, select your silk dress now.
Black and navy \$1.25, sale price \$.75
Black only 1.50, " .98
" 1.75, " 1.15

Dress Goods at Sale Prices

At 50c—Heavy black suiting, 75c, 90c, \$1 and \$1.35, sale price 50c
At 50c—54 in. all wool grey homespun suiting, \$1. Sale price 50c
At 79c—Fancy striped serge, venetian and broadcloth suiting in brown and grey, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50. Sale price 79c
At 98c—60 in. priestly waterproof suiting in black and fancy Shepard's checks. Bi value \$1.50. Sale price 98c
At 19c—Plain and fancy plaid dress goods in good colors, 36 to 40 in. wide, 25c to 40c. Sale price 19c

Furs at Sale Prices

Mink Muffs and Throws

\$35.00 sale price \$23.50

50.00 " 39.50

95.00 " 77.00

Alaska Sable Muffs and Throws

\$20.00 sale price \$15.00

25.00 " 19.50

Black Persian Lamb Muffs & Throws

\$20.00 sale price \$15.00

25.00 " 19.50

Astrachan Fur Coats

At sale prices. Collars and reverses of Alaska and Western sable.

\$30.00 sale price \$15.00

38.00 " 22.50

45.00 " 30.00

20 per cent. off Skirts, Underskirts, Sweater Coats, Caps, Clouds and Toques

Table Linens and Napkins

Unbleached tabling, very heavy and pretty patterns, 65c. Sale price 50c
70 in. unbleached tabling, good patterns, 50c Sale price 35c
70 in. pure snowy white tabling in beautiful patterns, 50c. Sale price 37c
72 in. pure linen tabling, all new patterns, \$1.25, sale price 98c
10 dozen table napkins, large size, some hemmed, \$1.50. Sale price each 10c
Slightly imperfect table cloths in pure linen, good patterns, all sizes 2x2 yds. and 2 1/2 x4 yds. You can save 1/4 to 1/2 the price on every cloth.
Come in and see other bargains in the linen department.

Large Size Flannelette Blankets \$1.50 for \$1.19
100 yds. Striped Flannelette, 7c and 8c For 5c

John E. Boles
THE STORE OF BEST VALUES

FIREMEN INJURED

Several May Have Perished in Cincinnati Fire

SPECTATORS IN A PANIC

When Roof of the Great Chamber of Commerce Building Collapsed, the Crowds Turn and Run and Many Are Trampled—It Is Cincinnati's Second Great Conflagration in Three Weeks—Dense Smoke.

Cincinnati, Jan. 11.—Entailing a loss of more than one million dollars, this city suffered its second great fire within three weeks, when the Chamber of Commerce Building at Fourth and Vine streets was destroyed last night, adjacent property damaged, a dozen firemen injured, and possibly lives lost.

While several firemen still are unaccounted for up to a late hour, reports of fatalities among firemen and spectators who were caught in the wreckage of the collapsed roof have not been confirmed. It is known that there were a large number of employees at work when the fire started.

The Cincinnati Stock Exchange and the Louisville & Nashville Railway offices, both of which contained records almost invaluable, were consumed in the conflagration.

Only the bare walls of what was Cincinnati's most magnificent architectural building remain. The building had a valuation of \$1,000,000, while the fixtures in the various offices were valued at \$50,000.

The stocks of several business houses in the block were damaged, but the fire was confined to the Chamber of Commerce Building.

Commerce Building.

Full 5,000 persons were crowded directly outside the fire lines when the roof collapsed. Smoke and flying sparks filled the streets for two squares, and a panic followed. Men and women fought to escape, and many were trampled in the rush. Many sustained bruises and cuts, but no one was reported seriously injured.

Owing to the density of the smoke, the police were powerless to cope with the situation for fully ten minutes, and nearby office buildings were turned into hospitals for the injured and shelter places for the panic stricken.

Fear Another Ice Jam.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Jan. 11.—There are prospects of another big ice jam in the lower Niagara River. Word from Lewiston yesterday was to the effect that a force of ice at that point had caused the river to rise two feet, and that it was still climbing up the bank. Below the falls there is a big jam of ice, but as yet no apprehension is felt.

On April 9, 1909, the ice jam in the lower river reached its greatest height, the power house of the Ontario Power Co. below the falls was flooded out and the water and ice reached the verandahs of the hotels at Lewiston and Youngstown. The water and ice must raise some 60 or 70 feet to repeat that condition.

Residents Eaten by Wolves.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 11.—Several residents of the west coast of Prince of Wales Island, southeastern Alaska, have been killed and eaten by wolves during the last year, according to Charles A. Sulzer, a brother of Congressman Sulzer of New York, who has just returned from the north.

Mr. Sulzer says that the wolves having killed off all the deer, have become desperate with hunger, and now come up to the doors of the residents' cabins.

TO CODIFY MINING LAWS.

J. M. Clark, K.C., of Toronto Will Undertake the Task.

Ottawa, Jan. 11.—There will be a federal codification of the mining laws of Canada. The work will begin at once. The Minister of Mines has placed in the hands of J. M. Clark, K.C., Toronto, the work of preparing the statute, which is to be drawn up on the basis that the disposition of mining lands will be vested in the Department of Mines.

This is the result of the agitation of the Canadian Mining Institute and particularly of the action of the special committee of the institute of which G. G. S. Lindsey was chairman.

The selection of J. M. Clark, K.C., to prepare a federal mining law to deal with all mining rights is a tribute to his capacity, and a recognition of his identification with notable mining litigation for the