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Every Coat in the store must be sold at some price—Boys' Ulsters, Youth's Ulsters, Men's Ulsters, Boys' Reefers, Youth's Overcoats, Men's Overcoats, Men's Working Coats.

Gloves and Underclothing 1/2 off. Prices almost cut in two. It will pay you to buy low for next winter. Boys' Odd Pants 49c. Come to the Sale.

Ridley's 46 King St.

Hats, Clothing and Furnishings. Cash Only.

VERY GOOD STORY

Connected With the Ancestry of the Late General Wauchope.

The Original Family Name was Robertson—Why it was Changed

There is an interesting story connected with the family of the late General Wauchope, killed at Magersfontein, which is a matter of tradition among the people who reside in the vicinity of the estates of this ancient Scottish family. A Chatham woman, who was born in Holy Town, Lanarkshire, which place is situated about half way between Glasgow and Edinburgh, remembers the story, which she had often heard her grandmother tell. In the early days of Scotland a noted Highland freebooter harassed the lowlands in Lanarkshire, and the surrounding countries. To such an extent did his depredations extend that the country people for many miles around were in mortal dread of him. The Highland robber was described as a man of ferocious appearance, rather short in the legs, but heavy set and well built. His skill in the handling of martial weapons was such as to strike awe to the heart of the best fighters in the land and his reputation so great that few would venture to engage in conflict with him. After a more than ordinary act of violence, the king of Scotland was appealed to. The monarch responded by promising to give whoever would slay the outlaw a hawk's flight of lands. Although the prize was great, few cared to take the risk.

In the vicinity of Holy Town lived a poor but excellent youth of the name of Robertson. Young Robertson was in love with the pretty daughter of a rich country gentleman. The object of his affection, however, looked with little favor on his suit. One day when young Robertson was more than usually ardent in protesting his love, he boastfully said that he would do any deed most great to prove his affection. The fair dame of his affections, seeing as she thought, an excellent opportunity of getting rid of her troublesome admirer, said:

"If you love me as you say you do, prove it by taking the head of the outlaw on whom the king has set a price."

Robertson was astounded at the task assigned him, but nothing daunted, set out the next day to do his lady love's behest. The great Highland robber had been on a long and arduous freebooting excursion and being tired had lain down to rest beside a little burn which even to this day flows through Holy Town. There the lover found the outlaw, and cut off his head while he slept. Such, however, was the ferocity of the man that he died hard and with his head severed from his body he lugged up (or in Scotch lauched up) defiantly at his slayer. Robertson never to his last day forgot the ferocious look of the dying Highlander, and the king, in presenting the hawk's flight of land, conferred on Robertson the name of Lauchope, that the manner in which the Highland chief had been killed might not be forgotten. Tradition doesn't tell, however, whether young Robertson or Lauchope got the girl who had sent him on his mission or not, but he must have found some girl to whom the princely estates, conferred by the king of Scotland, were of more moment than the death of a Gaelic chieftain, for the estates descended to his son, and they were amongst the finest in the country, being situated about a mile from Holy Town.

In later years the family tired of hearing the story which was handed down from generation to generation, and tried to stifle it by changing their name from Lauchope to Wauchope, but this little piece of family history, like Banquo's ghost, would not down, and it is still told throughout the country side.

"IF THE CAP FITS, WEAR IT." If you are suffering from the consequences of impure blood—have boils, pimples or scrofula sores; if your food does not digest or you suffer from catarrh or rheumatism, you are the one who should take Hood's Sarsaparilla. It will fit your case exactly, make your blood pure and cure salt rheum, scrofula, rheumatism, dyspepsia, catarrh, and give you perfect health.

HOOD'S PILLS cure all liver ills. Non-irritating. Minard's Liniment is used by Physicians.

THE DISTRICT.

FILBURY.

Jan. 30.—The ten months' old child of Pat. Strong was buried on Sunday in St. Francis' Cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Bell left here yesterday for Hamilton, where the former has secured a position in a store. Don't forget the lecture by Mr. Farthing, Thursday evening, in the Methodist Church. J. & G. Powell are having their millinery department enlarged and otherwise improved. Mr. Adams, traveller, spent Sunday in town. The sale at Geo. Richardson's on Saturday was well attended and good prices realized. The Chatham Daily Planet is on sale at Johnson's Drug Store.

THAMESVILLE.

Jan. 30.—Our curiers are in Windsor to day. A lecture will be given in Mayhew's Hall to-night by the Rev. J. C. Farthing, of Woodstock. J. J. Watts shipped a carload of hogs yesterday. An interesting discussion on "Women's Franchises" will be held in the Methodist church on Friday evening in which thirty of our ladies will take part. Refreshments will be served at the close. The young people of the town will be entertained at the residence of D. McGeehy on Wednesday evening. T. M. Sjers was in Chatham yesterday. J. R. Hamby has disposed of his hardware business to E. S. Hutbell. He takes possession in a few days.

DRESDEN.

Jan. 30.—The directors of the public library are holding in their annual reports to the government. Rev. Mr. Jansen will deliver a lecture on "Holland, and its people," in the Presbyterian church next Friday evening. A number of our young people will attend the bachelor's ball in Wallaceburg on Thursday evening. Revival meetings are being held in the Methodist Church, Miss Morton, of Toronto, is addressing the meetings. Sheriff Gemmill was in town yesterday to subpoena witnesses for the larceny case against the Bodis, of Dresden.

WALLACEBURG.

Jan. 30.—The cold weather has put a damper on the building of the new Presbyterian church. Large crowds are attending the revival services being held in the Methodist church this week. O. Allen and family went to Allenburgh to attend the funeral of the late Stan Allen. Mrs. W. D. McRae and son, Milton, have returned from Detroit. A carnival will be given in the rink this evening. Special prizes are to be given for costumes. The ice is in excellent condition and no doubt a large crowd will be present. If you want the latest despatches from the front, visit D. J. Rochon's, C. P. R. Telegraph office. Fred. Dulong has obtained the agency of the Chatham Steam Laundry. S. D. Barnes, organizer of the C. O. C. F. is in town in the interests of the order.

SCOTLAND.

Miss Mary Fellows, of Blenheim, is the guest of Miss Hattie Handy. Miss Annie Kitchie is spending a few weeks at her home near Rodney. It is reported that Mr. McKichie has sold his farm near the lake to his son, A. R. McKichie, B. A., of Caledonia. Mrs. Munroe, of Ridgeway, is the guest of her nephew, Mrs. Thomas Stevens. A number from here attended the shooting match in Morpeth Friday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Albert McKichie gave a dancing party Friday evening. All had a very enjoyable time.

MITCHELL'S BAY.

Rev. Archdeacon Davis, of London, held a meeting here Tuesday afternoon to get such information as necessary in regards to starting an English Church in this vicinity. Joe. Laws, our councillor, Phil. Law and others showed their desire for same by offering large amounts for its support. Elvin Dunlop, son of Chas. Dunlop, while playing on the creek got in and was nearly drowned when rescued by David Burk. The ice on the bay is not safe. It has separated from Redhead Point to Picnic Point and the north wind has driven it out. Some of the fishermen who were on the ice, they fit to introduce into our homes, to associate with and have the care of our children? Will education and discipline counteract inherited vices and I have in mind a baker's dozen of girls—home girls—who were taken into good families, where they all had a fair chance for obtaining an education, good wages, good clothes and good homes. Of these thirteen, one only is above reproach, and three are the lowest of the low, and eight have added to the fast-increasing pauper class of our country. Weak or wicked or both seems to be the prevailing characteristic of this class. Is it not time a halt was called?

WHAT WILL THE HARVEST BE?

To The Planet.—Every little while we read that "Mrs. So and so" or "Dr. Somebody-or-other" has brought a number of boys or girls from the old country and wish to find places for them. It is a very innocent looking dispatch but is fraught with meaning to whoever stops to consider. Are these children? Are they fit to introduce into our homes, to associate with and have the care of our children? Will education and discipline counteract inherited vices and I have in mind a baker's dozen of girls—home girls—who were taken into good families, where they all had a fair chance for obtaining an education, good wages, good clothes and good homes. Of these thirteen, one only is above reproach, and three are the lowest of the low, and eight have added to the fast-increasing pauper class of our country. Weak or wicked or both seems to be the prevailing characteristic of this class. Is it not time a halt was called?

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, etc.

See Standard January and February Fashions

GORDON'S ANNUAL WHITE FAIR AND STOCK REDUCING SALE

Next week we enter stock, for this week, in addition to our January Bargains in Ladies' White Underwear, Flannels, Kait wool goods, White spreads, etc. We offer some specials in Linens, Cottons and Bedding wear, all new goods, best qualities at reductions. As all classes of goods are advancing in price it will be to your profit to take advantage of our offerings now.

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500 yds. of Fancy Brocade Silks, 25c goods

At 12½c. yd.

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LOCAL BRIEFS

The Y.M.C.C. will have their rooms well heated to-night. Come and have a good time.

Come one, come all, to the I. O. O. F.'s auditorium of their new Temple, Thursday, Feb. 1st.

Mrs. W. H. Cathcart, and her daughter, Adda, who have been in Warrton the past six months, returned home yesterday.

The great amount of design work done at the Victoria Avenue Green Houses is sufficient proof of the excellence of the work. Nothing but the best at the lowest prices. Phone 181.

Talking about medals, it may be mentioned that L. G. Andrews, the King street barber, is the patriotic possessor of a silver medal presented to him by the government for the Northwest rebellion.

An entertainment will be given to the scholars of Christ Church S. S. tomorrow night when the mite boxes will be opened. Entertainment will begin a quarter after seven.

Miss Swan has never disappointed an audience yet. She is sure to please. Do not fail to hear her Thursday Feb. 1st.

Robert J. Burdette says that Evangelist McCrosman's book "Love and Life," now on sale at Dingman's book store, is one of the finest religious story books he ever read. Bound in cloth, 25c.

A congregational social will be held in Christ Church S. S. hall to-night at which the mite boxes will be opened. All holders of mite boxes are kindly asked to bring or send their boxes. A large gathering is expected. Doors open at 7.30.

"If your eyes could talk," what a story of suffering and of abuse they could tell. How we strained them; how we taxed them with overwork; and then, because they were tired we rubbed them to make irritation worse. And to think that the most they needed, in fact, all that they were asking for in their quiet way, was a rest, a little help in the shape of a good pair of glasses, properly fitted. I have helped other tired eyes. I can help yours. Examination free. E. J. MacIntyre, leading optician, opposite Grand Opera House, Chatham.

WHO HAS COPIES?

Major J. B. Rankin requests the loan of copies of the Ladies' Home Journal for May, 1899, containing Kipling's "Recessional," which it is intended to use at the patriotic concert, and subscribers having this particular number will confer a great favor by sending them to him early next week. These copies will be carefully taken care of and will be returned the day after the concert.

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IS HUGHES INSANE

General Hutton so intimates in An Interview.

Says it Will do the Belligerent Colonel no Good to Call For His Correspondence.

Ottawa, Jan. 30.—In regard to Col. Hughes not getting employment in Africa, Gen. Hutton in a interview, says: "The public so far has only been possessed of one side of the story. The other side is disclosed in the correspondence between the colonel and myself. But I do trust, as I said in my speech on the occasion of the departure to '13' Battery just before its departure, that no misguided friends of Col. Hughes will call for the correspondence, as it can't fail to place the colonel in a most unfavorable light. Those who have seen the correspond-

ence so far, and all the letters are now before the Government, are of the opinion that Col. Hughes could not have been exactly right in his mind when he wrote in the manner in which he did. The incident possesses most unfortunate features—features that, I trust, will not again be repeated." Gen. Hutton admits that he did not recommend Col. Hughes.

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