

Saturday Bargains

When goods stay past selling time we fine ourselves by making prices less than they should be; prices that no present or prospective wanters can afford to miss.

Men's Underwear

in plain grey, strictly all wool, in shirts and drawers, for small men, men's and large men's sizes; shirts are double breasted and have ribbed skirts. These are our 50c goods, but for Saturday they will be marked 39c each piece or 75c per suit.

Plaid Dress Goods

Double fold, one yard wide, in thirteen different designs, and worth 18 to 20c. will be on view in our last window for Saturday at 11c. Nice for children's dresses, ladies' wrappers or comforters.

McCall's

BERLIN

BANK OF HAMILTON

Head Office, Hamilton, Ont.

Capital (all paid up) \$2,000,000.00

Reserve Fund \$1,700,000.00

Total Assets \$21,959,596.54

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Air Brakes Failed to Work.

Utica, N.Y., Jan. 4.—Train No. 85, the fast mail on the New York Central, which arrived here at 1 o'clock yesterday morning, 6 hours late, ran past the station, because the air brakes failed to work and crashed into four express cars being shifted by a yard engine. Engineer Edward F. Murphy of Albany, was killed, the hand rail of the engine being driven through his head.

Killed By a Tree.

Arthur, Jan. 4.—A fatal accident occurred Saturday at the bush of John Morden, West Luther. Thomas Henry Morden, a young man 20 years of age, son of Henry Morden of this place, was killed instantly while he and several others were engaged in the felling of a tree.

Engine Jumped Track.

Brighton, Jan. 4.—The engine of the eastbound way freight from York to Belleville jumped the track in the yards here about 6 o'clock Saturday night and completely blocked traffic both ways. The westbound passenger train, No. 7, was delayed about five hours.

Brassey Tires of Commons.

London, Jan. 4.—Albert Brassey, M.P., stands by the announcement recently made that he will leave the House of Commons at the next election to devote himself to his duties as master of the Leythorpe hounds. He says he is tired of Parliament.

Died in Arr Depot.

Ayr, Jan. 4.—While waiting for a train here, Mr. Fairgrieve, who lives on Bond street, Galt, dropped dead in the depot last night. He had been on a visit with relatives and was about to take the train for home.

In the Land of Revolutions.

Buenos Aires, Jan. 4.—A dispatch from Montevideo says that a revolution has broken out in the department of Maldonado, and that a seign has been proclaimed throughout the entire Republic of Uruguay.

Brain-Using Colonists.

London, Jan. 4.—A barr colonist, writing to The Chronicle, says any emigrant to Canada using his brain becomes comfortably off in from five to ten years.

Socialists' Convention For Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—The national convention of the Socialists will be held in Chicago May 1.

Economic.

Old Uncle Ben wanted to have his portrait painted, but he did not care to pay very much for it.

"Surely that is a very large sum," he said when the artist named the price.

The artist protested and assured him that, as portraits went, that was very little at all.

Uncle Ben hesitated. "Well," he said at length, "how much will it be if I furnish the paint?"—Lippincott's.

One Thing Lacking.



"How's skating, my boy?"

"Oh, fine, if there was only some ice!"

—Chicago American.

At the Muskegon.

"I suppose you have to cultivate a taste for this kind of music?"

"Not at all. All you have to do is to let on you have it."—Brooklyn Life.

Dr. Pitcher Cures A Petrolia Man.

A SLENDID TRIBUTE FROM MR. G. F. STONE OF THAT TOWN.

Backache and Bladder Trouble Made Him Unfit for Work—Now He is Splendid.

In the town of Petrolia there are many people who have a good word to say for Dr. Pitcher's Backache-Kidney Tablets as being the best remedy for backache, kidney, bladder and urinary troubles.

Mr. G. F. Stone, when spoken to a short time ago, related his experience as follows:

"I had been having so much lameness in the small of my back, constant dull aching over my kidneys, that I was depressed and unfit for anything. It did not pass off as formerly, but began to affect my kidneys; the bladder was also affected, causing frequent inclinations to urinate. After I began using Dr. Pitcher's Backache-Kidney Tablets all those troubles disappeared. I have had no remedy that acted so promptly before. They caused no inconvenience whatever. I would not have known that I was taking medicine were it not for the beneficial effects."

In purchasing Dr. Pitcher's Backache-Kidney Tablets see that Dr. Pitcher's portrait and signature are on the package.

Price 50c a box or 3 boxes for \$1.25, at druggists or by mail. The Dr. Zina Pitcher Co., Toronto, Ont.

Millinery BARGAINS

We have another table of trimmed hats to sell at half price

Sale commencing Saturday morning at 8 o'clock.

The Misses Fehrenbach.

21 King St. Berlin.

Phone 449

Hallman's

Large stock of new beans and. Also the large marrowfat bean at 5c per lb. Common beans at 4c per lb. Split Peas at 4c per pound. Pot barley at 4c per lb.

Full line of choice groceries.

A. S. Hallman, Proprietor

116 King St., East, Berlin, Branch Store Cor. Frederick and Weber.

THE MARKETS.

Grain Markets Strong—Futures Are All Firm—The Live Stock Markets—The Latest Quotations.

Monday Evening, Dec. 23.

Liverpool wheat futures closed today 3/4 higher than last Thursday and corn futures 3/4 to 5/8 higher.

At Chicago May wheat closed 1/2 higher than Thursday, May corn 1/4 higher, and May oats 1/2 higher.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, Dec. 23.—Beef—Receipts, 2000 head; active; 12c to 15c higher; Prime steers, \$15.15 to \$15.25; shipping, \$15.00 to \$15.10; butchers, \$14.80 to \$14.90; heifers, \$14.40 to \$14.50; cows, \$14.20 to \$14.30; 14c; stockers and feeders, \$12.50 to \$14; stocker heifers, \$12.50 to \$12.75; choice, from cows and springers, \$2 to \$3 per head; higher good to choice, \$4.80 to \$5.75; medium to good, \$3.80 to \$4.50; common, \$3.00 to \$3.50.

Veal—Receipts, 175 head; steady; 25c higher; \$6 to \$6.75; a few \$9.

Hogs—Receipts, 12,500 head; active; 10c to 20c higher; heavy and mixed, \$5.10 to \$5.15; Yorkers and pigs, \$5 to \$5.50; pigs, \$5.20 to \$5.50; roughs, \$4.10 to \$4.25; stags, \$4 to \$4.50.

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THE MARKETS.

Chicago Grain Futures Stronger—Liverpool Lower But Steady—Live Stock Markets—The Latest Quotations.

Wednesday Evening, Dec. 30.

Liverpool wheat futures closed today 3/4 lower than yesterday, and corn futures unchanged.

At Chicago May wheat closed 1/2 higher than yesterday, May corn 1/4 higher, and May oats 1/2 higher.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, Dec. 30.—Beef—Receipts, 2745; steers firm to 10c higher on light receipts; bulls and cows, 10c to 15c higher; native steers, \$5.75 to \$5.25; wags and oxen, \$5.25 to \$4.85; bulls, \$2.75 to \$3.00; cows, \$1.75 to \$2.50. Exporters to-day, 3075.

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Come Around and See What all The Noise is About

We are not going to sit still and wait for the warm days of spring to bring business our way. We are going out gunning NOW and we won't let up until our winter stock will be thinned down to the very edge of practical store keeping.

Clothing Dep't

Men's brown wool frieze ulsters, storm collars, sizes 36, 37, 38, 39 and 40, regular price 10.00, 11.00 and 12.00 for.....\$6.95

Youth's grey frieze ulsters, with storm collar, sizes 32, 33, 34 and 35, reg price 6.00 and 6.75 for \$4.95

Men's Fur Overcoats, Brush Wallaby's regular price 16.00 for.....\$12.50

Men's fur overcoats, rock Wallaby's regular 22.00 for.....\$18.50

Boys' long overcoats, with storm collars, sizes 24, 25, 26 and 27, reg prices 3.50 and 4.00 for.....\$2.75

30 men's overcoats, in black and grey beaver cloth, regular 10.00 & 12.00 for.....\$6.75

23 men's fine tweed suits, well made, regular price 10.00 for \$7.75

Men's tweed pants, our own make, regular \$1.50 for.....\$1.19

Boys' pants in tweed and serge, regular price 75c for.....55c

Shoe Dep't

60 pair men's best quality rubbers in low cut and storm, all sizes regular 95c and 1.00 for.....73c

18 pair boys' wool lined rubbers, all sizes, regular 75c pair for.....49c

24 pair youths' rubbers, all sizes, regular 55c pair for.....43c

18 pair misses' rubbers, narrow toes, sizes 11 to 2, special.....18c

30 pair Cardigan overshoes in ladies', misses' and children's, all sizes, regular price 95c to 1.25 pair for.....75c

22 pair ladies' fur bound slippers all sizes, regular 1.00 and 1.25 for.....87c

18 pair misses' fur bound slipper regular 75c for.....57c

12 pair children's fur lined slippers reg 60c for.....49c

18 pair men's long Top Boots, in grain and kip, all sizes, reg 2.50 and 3.50 for