

All Winter Goods Reduced

To Make Room for Spring Goods.

A. BROWN.

WYOMING.

Subscriptions, advertisements, etc., may be left with our Wyoming agent, Mr. F. H. McKensie, who is authorized to receive the same.

Miss Maggie Dewar commenced her duties as teacher in the town line school on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hunt arrived home on Tuesday.

A Union Temperance service was held in the Baptist church last Sunday evening at the close of the regular service. A large crowd was present.

Miss Nellie Reynolds, of Detroit, is a guest at her uncle's, W. F. Mylin.

At the residence of the bride's parents, town line, on New Year's day, Miss Edith Knight, to Mr. Edward Kenzie, formerly in the employ of the Co-operative store in this village, but now of Mooretown, were made man and wife. The Rev. Mr. Ford officiated. We extend our best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Kenzie.

Miss Harrison is spending a few days with friends in Lambeth this week.

Miss M. Hill and Mr. Bruce Hill are visiting friends in Crowell, Mich., this week.

Mrs. Eroy and son, Clarence, of Strathroy, are the guests of Mr. R. Rae this week.

Misses Maggie and May Smith left Tuesday for Ottawa to attend the Ladies' College. Mr. Thos. Clime accompanied them last Sunday evening in a few days. Miss May Smith has been organist in the Methodist church for over a year.

Miss Edith Hamby, who has been visiting friends in town for the past couple of months, left for her home in Belmont last Wednesday.

Misses Sarah Harvey and Eva Coghill spent the New Year with friends.

Mr. D. Livingston, who has been engaged as Principal in the Thorndale school for the past few years called on friends here the first of the week. Mr. Livingston left on Wednesday for Detroit where he will attend college for the purpose of becoming a draughtsman. His many friends here wish him every success in his undertaking.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hall, of Brandon, are visiting Mr. Hall's father here. Mrs. Hall purposed remaining in town until spring.

Election took place last Monday and the following have been elected to office for 1894: Reeve, J. E. Anderson, by acq.; Councilman, Mr. S. Saunders headed the list, 106 votes; Park Duncan 2nd, 103; A. J. Syers 3rd, 101; John Campbell 4th, 100 votes. For school trustees: Dr. McNeil, 115; D. Lee, 102; John Gibson, 101. Plebiscite, for 148, against 42.

The public school opened on Wednesday with the following staff of teachers: Mr. Davidson, Principal; Miss Reid, of Blythe, takes Miss Nesbitt's room; Miss Hughes, of Strathroy, teaches in the room vacated by Miss Holmes, and Miss Cuthbertson has the primary department the same as last year. Miss Hughes taught here two years ago and has many friends welcome her to town again. Miss Brown, of Forest, has been engaged to teach in the school on the 2nd line recently vacated by Miss Sutcliffe who has gone to attend the Normal School in Toronto.

[Too Late for Last Week.]

Mrs. W. B. Collins and family, of Sarnia, spent Xmas in town.

Messrs. Geo. and Thos. Cuthbertson, Toronto, spent a few days with friends here last week.

The entertainment given by the Methodist S. S. in the Temperance Hall on Monday evening was in every way a grand success. The carols by the children were well rendered, showing that the parties who had the

children under training thoroughly understood their business. The hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion and was packed to the doors. Proceeds amounted to about \$28.00.

Miss Mary Cuthbertson left last Thursday for a visit to friends in London and Ingersoll.

Messrs. Alex. and John Moore, of St. Clair, helped to set the Xmas turkey at the home of their parents here.

Mr. John Young, London, spent a few days here last week.

Mrs. Wm. Hughes, of Bay City, is the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. E. Anderson, this week.

A number of our town people attended the funeral of the late Dr. Harvey in Watford last Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Leonard, of Grand Rapids, Mich., is visiting her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. D. Millar, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Barnes spent a few days at Mrs. B's home in Brantford this week.

At the residence of the bride's mother, by Rev. J. M. Gunne, on Wednesday afternoon Mr. Bert Hunt and Miss Bessie Banham were made man and wife. Mr. Arthur Hunt supported the groom while the bride was waited upon by Miss Eva Coghill. The happy couple left on the evening train for the east where they intend spending a few days.

The death of Dr. Harvey, of Watford, which took place on Sunday afternoon was heard with regret. He was a brother of our Dr. Harvey and was well known in Wyoming. The bereaved family along with the Dr.'s friends here have the heartfelt sympathy of their friends.

Miss Brodie, of Chatham, spent a few days with her brother Dr. Brodie here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade and daughter, of Brantford, spent Xmas at Mrs. Wade's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Y. Anderson, 2nd line.

We would suggest that our council pass a by-law prohibiting people throwing ashes on Front street.

Miss Jennie Sutcliffe, who has been teaching in school section 43, will attend the Normal school in Toronto for the coming year. Miss Sutcliffe is a young lady who will be greatly missed in the village as she was one of the leading members of the Epworth League and Sunday school.

Mr. John Large, a former resident of our town, but now of Brown City, Mich., paid his friends here a short visit last week.

Misses Rosa and Maggie Harvey, who have been attending the University in Toronto, are spending their holidays at their home here.

Mr. Thos. Cuthbertson, of the Medical University, Toronto, is in town this week visiting friends.

Miss Alice Anderson, of Toronto, is spending a week's vacation with her parents, A. Y. Anderson, 2nd line.

W. W. Anderson, of Texas, is visiting his mother, town line, this week.

The entertainment in connection with the Presbyterian S. S. last Friday evening was a success. On account of the wet night and domination going on at the same hour the crowd was not as large as it otherwise would have been. The entertainment consisted of music, recitations by the children, etc. The drill by 14 young ladies is worthy of special mention. A large wheel was erected at the back of the stage which was heavily laden with presents. Mr. Alex. Laing acted the part of Santa Claus in a very satisfactory manner.

DEACONRY OF LAMBTON.—The first semi-annual meeting of the Deaconry of Lambton for 1894 is appointed for Tuesday, Jan. 7th, in St. John's church, Wyoming. Holy communion 10:30 a. m.; business 2 p. m.;

missionary meetings 7:30 p. m. All the clergy, wardens and synod delegates are requested to attend. In the evening mass meetings will be held simultaneously as follows: St. John's church Wyoming, Rev'd Davis, Downie and Craig; St. James' church Watford, Rev. Messrs. Hale, Carsenden and Jacobs; Christ church Camlachie, Rev. Messrs. Thomas, Sims and T. L. Armstrong.

All accounts due Blaquiere & Jones over 30 days must be paid by Jan. 14th, as we are balancing up our books for the year.

PLYMPTON.

On Wednesday, 16th ult., in the early part of the evening, four persons in disguise quietly walked into Wm. Keating's house, London Road, and finding Conn, a poor half demented creature alone had him tied hand and foot, and then waited for the return of his brother Wm. from Wyoming, and as soon as he made his appearance the burglars seized him, threw a bag over his head and had him tied. They then searched the premises and all they got for their trouble was one dollar. They then left the two brothers to liberate themselves the best way they could. It was fortunate for Mr. Keating that he paid his taxes about (\$50) the day before or it would have been taken as well as the dollar. This makes the second attempt to rob poor Bill and both proved failures.

Mr. Taylor and wife, Belmont, are on a visit to Mrs. Jos. Thornicroft, London Road. Mr. Taylor is a nephew of Mrs. Henry Shirk, 6th line, and intends spending a couple of weeks before his return.

Miss Nesbitt, Kertoh, who has been enjoying the Xmas holidays at her home, left for Essex on Saturday, for a few days, after which she resumes her duties as teacher in the Walkerville school. The Board of Trustees acted very kindly in keeping Miss Nesbitt's department ready for her to return to with an increase in salary for 1894, after her return from the Normal School, Toronto.

The mild weather during Xmas looked more like spring than winter and the farmers in this locality were busy for two or three days plowing.

Mr. Alex. Wark and lady, of Paisley, are at home, 2nd line, renewing old acquaintances for two or three weeks before they return.

Miss Hattie Barnes, Waweset, left for Strathroy on Saturday to spend the New Year.

Mr. Wm. Kenney, Kertoh, has been confined to the house for the past week with la grippe but will shortly be around again.

Midwinter clearing sale at Shannon & Co's., Watford.

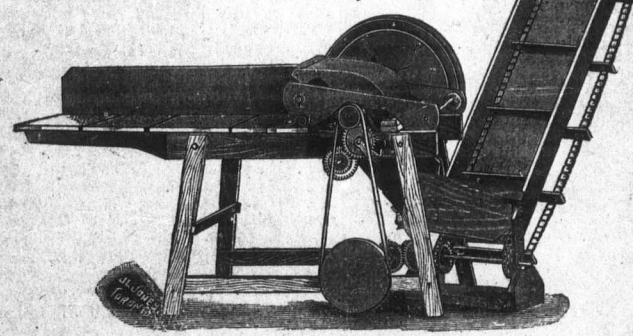
Mr. C. H. Nesbitt, Sarnia, spent New Year with his parents, Kertoh.

Mr. Albert Donnelly, Detroit, enjoying the Xmas and New Year holidays around "The Willows." We are glad to see him looking so well.

One evening last week as Mrs. John Bailey was attending to her domestic duties after lighting the lamps one of them exploded breaking the globe into atoms, and setting fire to the rugs. Fortunately George Bailey happened to be close by and extinguished the fire and saved the building from being burned down.

A fight for the councillorship in Ward No. 2 took place on Monday between John Dewar, 1st Deputy Reeve, and Mr. Robert Hart, the result being a tie as near as can be learned. The possibility is that there will be a recount before the judge and if so the chances are in favor of Mr. Hart being elected, as one of the rejected ballots marked in his favor would be allowed. Mr. Hart has no cause to be ashamed to oppose a man who has been elected on two occasions by acclamation.

STOCK RAISERS.



We are selling Ripper Feed Cutters Right and Left. Did any person ever tell you they would not cut hay or straw? If They Did, it came from some Agent.

LOOK HERE!

We are prepared to cut hay and straw with any style of cutting box, and when it comes to cutting corn stalks we will chase them out of the barn.

Why, My Dear Sirs, those "knife on the fly wheel boxes" were doing service in the Old Country when Thom went to school, and for anything I know, "Adam" before my day, may have used one.

We live in an age of improvements and at a particular time when, how best to feed stock, is an important consideration with every live farmer.

A lot of second-hand "knife on fly wheel boxes" for sale very cheap.

Lumber and cordwood wanted in exchange for implements.

THOM'S IMPLEMENT WORKS.

Record—18 Years Established in Watford.

SALE REGISTER.

Auction sale of farm stock, implements and household furniture. Jos. W. Rogers, proprietor, lot 24, con. 4, N.E.R., on Saturday, January 6th; 9 months credit. David Rogers, auctioneer.

DRS. McLEAY & MELDRUM.

Physicians, Surgeons, etc. Special attention given to diseases of women and children and to diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat. Office—opposite the post office, Main St., Watford. At Watford every Tuesday and Thursday and at Kertwood every Friday.

Mr. Peter McCollough, Sarnia, formerly of Kertoh, was married the other day to Miss Annie McFarlane, of Carleton.

Boar For Service.

THE undersigned has for service a registered red Tamworth boar, bred by Caldwell Bros., Orchardville, Ont. Terms, \$1.00. T. M. CLARK, 16-61 Lot 23, Con. 5, S. E. R., Watford.

MORTGAGE SALE

Valuable Farm Property

UNDER and by virtue of a power of sale contained in two mortgages, made by John Williamson, which will be produced at time of sale, there will be offered by Public Auction at BAKER'S HOTEL, WATFORD, at one o'clock in the afternoon on

WEDNESDAY, January 17th, 1894

by MESSRS. ELLIOT & WILLIAMS, Auctioneers. The following desirable farm property being composed of the west half of lot 22, in the 5th con., south of the Egremont Road, in the Township of Warwick, in the County of Lambton, containing by admeasurement one hundred acres, be the same more or less, saving and excepting thereout two and one-half acres heretofore conveyed to the Grand Trunk Railway Co. for the purposes of a railway. This is a very old settled property, about 80 acres cultivated, 9 acres in wheat, fairly good lot of hardwood timber on part south of the railway, the soil is good strong clay loam; creek touching west side, a good rock well; a large frame barn with lean-to shed, only one mile from Watford Village, R. R. Station and High School; fine agricultural section; progressive neighbors, desirable locality.

Terms—Ten per cent of the purchase money to be in cash at the time of sale and the balance within 20 days, or at the option of the purchaser a portion of the purchase money may remain on mortgage for five years with interest at 5 per cent, payable yearly. For further particulars apply to

BRUCE, BURTIN & BRUCE, Vendor's Solicitors, Canada Life Chambers, Hamilton, Ont.

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During the above years there has just been one dozen different Watchmakers engaged in business in Watford, and we are still here. Some have been young, some middle aged, and some old. We will say no more. Draw your own conclusions. A few moment's thought will be more convincing than all the personal abusive advertisements that ever were written.

L. LEWIS.