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Cattle and Produce Markets

FOR OTHER MARKETS SEE PAGE ELEVEN.

PRODUCE
TOPHONTO, Jan. Offering was a quiet for all locally. There was a quiet for all locally for the decimal remains above. Prices for wheat, but firmer from the continuer cent. It forces for expect that the continuer cent. It forces for expect the seaboard, but do force for the continuer cent. It offered for expect at 25 99 at the seaboard, but do force for expect at 25 99 at the seaboard, but do force for the continuer cent. It offered for expect at 25 99 at the seaboard, but do force for the continuer cent. It offered for expect at 25 99 at the seaboard, but do force for expect at 25 99 at 100 at 25 99 at 25 99

TORONTO, Jan. 6.—Potatoes—The market is steady, with offerings fairly large. Good Ontario stock quoted at 75c to 80c per bag, on track, and New Brunswick, 90c to 92½c per bag.

TORONTO, Jan. 6.—Hides—The demand is good for choice hides, but the offerings are chiefly grubby. There is little change in the situation. City inspected, No. 1 steers and cows, 15c per lb; No. 2 stock, 14c; No. 3, 13c; country stock, cured, 13c to 14c per lb, and green, 12c to 13c, at outside points. Lambskins—Prices are firm at 90c to \$1 15. Calfskins—16c to 17c here, and at 13c to 16½c outside. Horsehides—\$3 50 to \$3 75; horsehair, 35c to 37c. Tallow—Solids quoted at 5½c; cakes, 6½c. Wools—Re-MONTREAL, Jan. 6.—West End mar-MONTREAL, Jan. 6.—West End mar-

MINTO PIONEER

Funeral of David S. Gregory Was Held at Harriston.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Harriston, Jan. 7. — The funeral of David S. Gregory held today was largely attended. Deceased was in his 83rd year and had resided in this district year and had resided in the date of Ontario. Last year some for nearly 40 years, He had resided in the date of Ontario. Last year some for nearly 40 years, He had resided in the date of Ontario. Last year some for nearly 40 years, He had resided in the date of the annual fourth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas harrison, to Jack Darroch, eldest son of Harrison, to Jack Darroch, of Cotswell and S. Gregory held today was largely attended. Deceased was in his 83rd was in his 83rd with the meetings of the annual fourth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arch. G. Darroch, of Cotswell and S. Gregory held today was largely attended. Deceased was in his 83rd was in his 83rd was in his 83rd was a specific on account of the welding will take place quietly in January.

W. C. Chambers, M. P. P., recently W. C. Chambers, M. P. P., recently all parts of Ontario. Last year some of horses from this Daubney recently. Harriston for nine years, and prior to coming to town lived in Minto. He married Mary E. Callis in 1865. She with one daughter, Mrs. Alex. Smith. with one daughter, Mrs. Alex. Smith, tions this year for the accommodation survive. He took a deep interest in the of the above-mentioned number, to affairs of the Methodist Church, of whom the doors of the town are an-which he was a life-long member. Rev. nually thrown ajar. Mr. Bennett conducted the funeral services. The pall-bearers were Messrs Alfred Fallis, Wm. Beatty, J. J. Pitchard, Thomas Harrison, Thomas Grills and L. Prudham.

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BIGGER MERGER THAN STEEL CORPORATION

Millions Reported To Be Involved in Latest Financial Deal.

[Canadian Press.] Montreal, Jan. 6. - Announcement ast week of the intention of the United States Steel Corporation to build a \$20,000,000 plant in Canada has

revived interest here in a merger scheme which received only scant and rather incredulous attention, when it was laid before local financial interest about the middle of last month, says the Gazette. This scheme aims at a merger steel companies in Canada and the United States, which if ever carried out would result in an industrial mer-

ger of even vaster proportions than the United States Steel Corporation. It would embrace in the United States some of the large independent steel companies headed by the Bethlehem Steel Corporation and in Canada the Dominion Steel Corporation and the Steel Company of Canada. The other United States steel companies would include the Pennsylvania Steel Company, the Cambria Steel Company, the Midland Steel Company and the Laelle fron Works of West Virginia. The projected capitalization of this huge merger is \$1,100,000,000, divided, is understood, into \$200,000,000 bonds, \$500,000,000 preferred and \$400,000,000

ommon stock. When the whole scheme was submited to financial interests here some hree weeks ago, directors of the Steel Corporation and the Steel Company of Canada averred that it was all news to them and ridiculed its possibility Since then it is known that plans o the syndicate, which is said to be headed by Charles M. Schwab, have been laid before President Plummer of the Dominion Steel Corporation, and before other leaders in the steel indus-

WESTERN ONTARIO

Township for years. Although in her

HARRISTON.

BRUSSELS.

the cases are quite serious.

EAST BUFFALO, aJn. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,500; active, 15c to 25c higher; prime steers, \$9 to \$9 25; butchers, \$6 to \$8 65; bulls, \$4 to \$6 75; stock heifers, \$4 to \$4 50; shippers, \$7 50 to \$7 75; heifers, \$4 75 to \$8; cows, \$3 25 to \$7 05; stockers and feeders, \$4 50 to \$6 75; fresh cows and springers steady at \$35 to \$75. 95th year, she was remarkably vigor-District Personals Harriston, Jan. 7 .- Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Montcrieff, who recently went West, are spending a visit with the former's parents here. Mr. Monterieff is engaged in the general store business at Briercrest,

horsehair, 35e to 37c. Tallow—Solids quoted at 5½c; cakes, 6½c. Wools—Receipts, are limited, and prices firm. Dealers pay the following prices: Unwashed, 13c to 13½c for corres, 15c to 15½c for fine; washed, 21c to 24c; rejections, 16c per lb, at country points.

SUGAR.

TORONTO, Jan 6.—There is a moderate trade, with prices steady. Sugars are

HARRISTON BONSPIEL TAKES PLACE FEB. 4

About Fifty Rinks Are Expected To

HEAVILY FINED

Southampton Man Made Cowardly Attack on Station Agent.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Port Elgin, Jan. 7.-While perform ng his duties as assistant agent at the Grand Trunk offices late Friday night, Maurice Moulton was assaulted by a man named Burgess, from Southampton. The assault was without provecation, Burgess walking up to the lad and dealing him a blow which knocked him to the ground senseless. Burgess was placed under arrest, and appeared before the magistrate next morning and was fined \$12.75.

One swallow doesn't make a summer, but it breaks a New Year's resoBuying Opportunities WHITE SALE NOW ON.

NCLUDES Ladies' and Infants' Whitewear, White Blouses, etc. SALE OF MILL SECONDS-Embroideries,

Insertions and Flouncings at about half. SALE OF COTTONS AND LINENS, LAWN,

SALE OF WALL PAPERS-Regular lines and odd remnant lots at half price and less: SALE OF TRIMMED WINTER MILLINERY at \$1.10 and \$2.95.

Willow Plumes at half price. SALE OF DRESS GOODS-Black and colors.

Odds and ends clearing at about half price. BLANKET SALE—Big purchase from the mill. Still a limited quantity in good sizes, all wool and union, \$3.45, \$4.25 and \$4.95 pair. Regular \$4.25,

\$5.00 and \$6.00 pair. Sale of Men's Winter Overcoats, \$9.75 to \$13.50

DRE-STOCKTAKING clearance of all Winter Overcoats. Overcoats up to \$18, sale price....\$9.75 Overcoats up to \$25.00, sale price..... \$13.50

Richmond Street Entrance. See announcement in Wednesday's paper. Important sale of Table Linens.

Sale of Ladies' Leather Bags

EGULAR DOLLAR VALUE, 69¢. A prestocktaking sale of Ladies' Leather Bags, envelope style, with small coin purse and strap handle. A limited quantity to be cleared at

Fancy Goods-Main Floor.

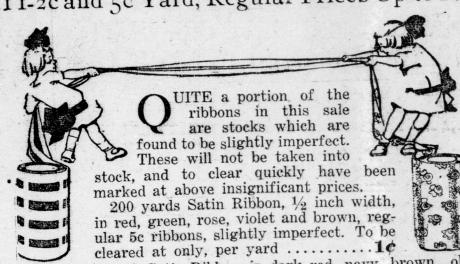
Sale of Silk Petticoats, \$3.95 and \$4.75 \$T.95

AFFETA Silk Underskirt, neatly trimmed with tucked flounce in brown only. A few to clear. Sale price......\$1.95 Also a pretty style in satin with deep-pleated flounce in golden brown, navy, gray, black and Pretty Satin Underskirt with narrow pleated flounce, extra quality in navy, brown, gray and black. Special\$3.75

Moreen Underskirt with 12-inch flounce, velvet bound; navy, gray, brown and black. Special..\$2.50

Second Floor.

Sale now on, and the pre-inventory clearing running in confirmation with same, January is made one of the most important buying months of the year from an economic standpoint. Visit the store often—daily, if desired. Note the different sales Pre-Stock Inventory Sale of Ribbons 1c, 11-2c and 5c Yard, Regular Prices Up to 12 1-2c



300 yards 3/4-inch Satin Ribbon in dark red, navy, brown, old rose, green and old blue. This ribbon is regular 6c quality. To clear at only,

and two shades of green and gray, regular 121/2c quality, to clear at only, Ribbon Counter—Main Aisle.

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Pre-Stock Inventory Clearings

in All Departments

CINCE the holiday season we have been busy in all sections of the store preparing for the annual stock inventory, the

proceeds, such as we are desirous to clear before inventory is taken. In many cases when quantities are not sufficent to

advertise, great bargains are snapped up by those who are on the alert, this month of opportunities. With the great White

most important event of the year, not only from our own standpoint, but most important to customers of this store.

Accumulations of odds and ends and broken lots in all departments are being grouped from day to day as stock-taking

A Stoles, Muffs, etc., to be cleared, some at half price. Mostly one 1 only Sable Muff, pillow style, with silk shirred ends; regular \$32.00. Sale price\$25.00 1 only Sable Stole, square back, satin

lined; regular \$32.00. Sale price. \$25 and brush; regular \$48.00. Sale price \$39.00 5 only Persian Muffs, Empire style,

regular \$18.00. Sale price....\$15.00 10 Marmot Neckpieces, small fancy pieces; regular \$3.75. Sale price. \$2.95 6 Thibet Muffs (slightly soiled), regular \$5.00, \$5.50 and \$6.75, at half price\$2.50, \$2.75 and \$3.38

These are all genuine No. 1 furs and newest styles. Good value at regular prices, and worthy of your immediate attention. Second Floor.

Dress Goods Specially Priced

FEW odd pieces of Serges and Broadcloths to be cleared before stocktaking. 50-inch Navy Serge, extra quality, medium twill, yard....69¢

54-inch Navy Serge (Estamene), extra heavy (will wash). Yard. 85¢ 44-inch Cream Serge, extra good washing serge. Yard.......50¢ 48-inch dark gray Costume Cloth. A splendid school dress. Yard. 40¢ 48-inch Chiffon Broadcloth, extra fine quality golden brown shade. 95¢

SPECIAL REDUCTIONS IN LADIES' AND MISSES' WINTER COATS.

PHALLMANS NERAR

IN THE RESTAURANT. Dainty Afternoon Teas. Special

Arrangements are being made for the supplementary Farmers' Institute meetings to be held in East Huron next month. The directors met here recently

the general store business at Briercrest, Alta.

Dr. James McQuibban, son of exalderman McQuibban, is looking after ir. Macdougall's practice during his absence at Lethbridge, where he was called owing to the iliness of his father. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Clarke are visiting friends here after an absence of several months in North Bay, where Mr. Clarke is engaged in general contracting. The board of education is this year composed of Messrs. James Found, Geo. Walkey and Harry Leighton, and the citizens feel that a better lot of men for the directors met here recently and drafted the program.

WHITE OAK.

White Oak, Jan. 6.—Mr. James Crinklaw is rapidly recovering from his serious illness.

Mr. Albert Shapland is confined to his bed with a severe attack of la grippe.

Master Wilbur Taber, of Maple street, has been visiting his cousin, George Aiter, of White Oak, have the record of making the largest number of cheese to Dec. 31 at Mr. Shapland is confined to his resignation owing to not being able to attend the meetings on account of his age. bed with a severe attack of la grippe.

Master Wilbur Taber, of Maple street,
has been visiting his cousin, George Altert, of White Oak,
Mr. Fred Arbuckle, of London, and
Mr. William Jackson, of White Oak, have
the record of making the largest num-

Embro, Jan. 7 .- Mr. R. Sutherland was

vicinity to his construction camp at Nipegon.
Limited supplies of butter and eggs were offered on the market Saturday at 28c and 33c. While the prices are topnotch, the quality is not the very best in many instances.

The curling tournament fer the Mc-Ewing cup, in which only teams from Palmerston, Arthur, Drayton and Harriston are allowed to compete, will be held in the rink here at 1:30 p.m. on Jan. 23. in Woodstock recently.
Mr. W. H. Beaver, who has been visiting friends in Chicago, has returned.

Messrs. W. Vannatter and W. Bain were in London recently.

Mr. L. Wood visited recently with friends in Woodstock,

Mr. Archie McNeil was in Woodstock recently. Mr. R. B. Ross, of Lindsay, spent Sunday at his home here.

Mrs. James Bowles and daughter, Mrs.

Nagel, were in Woodstock recently. Brussels, Jan 7.—La grippe has had many victims around here, and some of

PORT ELGIN.

Dr. and Mrs. Cavanagh, of Owen Sound, were here for the holiday. They have been in Saskatchewan for the past few months, where the doctor has a farm. The trip was made with the view of bettering Dr. Cavanagh's heaith, which has not been good for some time. John Petch is home from Edmonton, where he spent the past summer.

Mrs. John Patterson, who was so badly injured by her clothing catching in a whirling shaft, is making favorable progress and will soon be as well as ever. Rev. Mr. Mana, formerly of Woodville, preached in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday.

Mrs. McCailum has been seriously 2.

PORT ELGIN.

Port Eigin. Jan. 7.—Mr. and Mrs. Neil McLean announce the marriage of their marriage o

president, Pearl Thede; vice-president, Emily Ewald; recording secretary, Martha Kuhl; corresponding secretary, Ruby Eidt; treasurer, Melvin Reinhart; Mission treasurer, Maggle Korcher; organist, Essie Becker; librarians, Lila Hessenauer and Maggie Karcher. The officers will meet on Friday evening to appoint the various committees and arrange the topics. range the topics.

Lambeth, Jan. 6.—The Middlesex Fruit Growers' Association will hold a meet-ing in the Union Hall on Wednesday

evening.

Miss Josie Campbell entertained a number of her friends recently.

Miss Reddick has returned after spending the holidays with her parents David Mann is suffering from an attack of la grippe.

Mrs. Silcox, of Frome, is the guest of er daughter, Mrs. McAlpine,
Mr. A. Davey, who has been ill, is able to be out again.

Miss Mair, of Brick street, visited yesterday with Miss Pincomb.

CLANDEBOYE. Clandeboye, Jan. 7.—Miss Rena and Ray McIlhargey, who have been visiting their grand-parents here, have returned to their home at Beamsville. Miss Gertrude Hannon, of Hamilton, who has been visiting Mrs. McIlhargey, has returned to her home.

Miss Mary McIlhargey, of Detroit has returned after spending her holidays at her parents. ber parents.

Mr. B. F. Marr spent a couple of days
recently with his parents at Parkhill.

Mr. George Simpson, of Parkhill, who
was here attending his cousin's funeral,
has returned

Mr. John McWilliams, of Elora, who
spent his holidays with his mother here,

Mr. R. E. Campbell, druggist, with his wife and family, were in Leamington recently visiting his brother George, principal of the high school in that town.

Mr. Thos. Melvin, of the Fenian Raid veterans' event, went down to Toronto recently to receive his grant of \$100.

Mr William Hiscox returns to his studieg in Tolonto University this week.

William Skilling, of Victoria College, returns to his theological studies shortly.

Miss Myrtle Redburn goes back to her school in Port Arthur after spending the holidays at her home here. into tewn, Mr. R. E. Campbell, druggist, with his

ILL SOME TIME

Mrs. C. W. Morrison Formerly Re sided in Ingersoll. [Special to The Advertiser.]

Ingersoll, Jan. 7. - Relatives here received word today of the death in Providence, R. I., last night of Mrs. C W. Morrison, formerly of Ingersoll, and for some time a member of the choir of the King Street Methodist Church. Mrs. Morrison left Ingersoll when she was married 15 years ago. She was 40 years of age and besides her husband leaves two children. Prior to her marriage she was Miss Hattie Hearn. She

had been ill for some time. ELECTED OFFICERS. [Special to The Advertiser.]

Harriston, Jan. 7 .- At the regular meeting of Court Harriston, No. 34, C. O. F., the following officers were elected: C. R., Harry Armstrong; C. R., Harry Taylor; chaplain, Darch; recording secretary, A. Lambert; financial secretary, Montgomery; court physician, Dr. Macdougall.

tric light plant, visited with friends in Frost-Where do you get your hats Mitchell recently Mr. David Paisley, who has sold his old man? Snow-At cafes usually form on the light corposation is married. farm on the 10th concession, is moving But once or twice I've been lucky enough to exchange at church.



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