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Linoleums and Oilcloths

HOUSECLEANING TIME is surely here and you will find our range of Housefurnishings most complete in every line. Having protected our customers to the best of our ability, we are fully persuaded that our values are the best obtainable from any source.

Tapestry Squares

2 1/4 x 3 up to 4 x 4 1/2

Brussels Squares

2 1/2 x 3 up to 3 1/2 x 4

Wilton Squares

3 x 3 up to 11 1/4 x 12

Axminster Squares

3 x 3 up to 3 x 4

Linoleums

2 and 4 yard widths. Guaranteed quality in a splendid choice of patterns.

Congoleum Rugs

Wear well and look well. All sizes and patterns.

Surround for Rugs

All widths—from 18 to 36 inches—in Oilcloth, Linoleum and Congoleum.

Seamless Wool and Fibre Rugs

2 x 3 up to 3 x 4

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OF CANADA

SAVE, Because--

You will be glad some day to read the record of steady thrift that your bank account will show.

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When you ship Live Stock, Grain, Butter, Cheese or Fruit, put through The Merchants Bank a Draft on the buyer. This is the business way of securing prompt and satisfactory settlement.

It saves time and possible loss.

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Mr. Car Owner—

We have

BROOKS' ANTI-CARBON MOTOR OIL

at the same price you are paying for any ordinary auto oil. Try it!

75c PER GALLON—FIVE GALLONS FOR \$3.25

Cup Grease.....75c for 5 lb. tin
Grease Guns.....\$1.00 each
Tire Guages.....\$1.35 each
Blow-out Patches.....75c each
Robe Rails.....75c each
"More Light" Lens..\$2.25 per pair

N. B. HOWDEN EST.

THE ONTARIO FISHERIES DEPARTMENT has fixed the price of whitefish to the consumer at 15 cents per pound and herring at 11 cents a pound.

THE POST OFFICE STAFF are kept busy these days giving out interest cheques on the Victory Bonds, which come by registered mail.

ation by the Huns is the one now held by the British Empire, France, Italy and the United States.

Lloyd George, the prominent officers and men of England, France and the United States are calling for men and more men. Our Canadian officers in charge of our soldiers have sent urgent appeals to the Canadian Government for recruits.

Shall we heed their call, or shall we wait until disaster overtakes our troops, and then face the returned soldier, who will demand of us a reason for deserting him in the hour of his greatest need.

By the Military Service Act 37,000 men were raised. This number is insufficient to keep our Canadian army up to full strength. In one Province 40,000 exemptions have been granted. The only course open to the Government was to set aside all exemptions, but I believe that extreme cases will receive every consideration. I am sure the loyal people of the County of Lambton, who have sent forward 3,000 of their brave boys, will understand that drastic action is necessary.

Remember there are thousands and tens of thousands of young men from the towns and cities of Canada who were exempted under the Military Service Act. These men have come forward and signed up, and I am informed that very few protests have been received from this class by the Minister of Militia.

The United Farmers of Alberta, the Grain Growers and nearly every farmers' organization in the Western Provinces have sent the Government definite assurance of their approval of the Government's action in setting aside all exemptions.

No one regrets more than I do the need for the calling out of these men. I have been overseas, and know what sacrifices are being made over there, and I am in constant touch with our soldiers and their dependents at home. I cannot evade the tremendous responsibility attached to my position as their representative. The supreme duty of everyone is to see that the gallant men who are holding the line are reinforced.

I therefore cannot comply with the request of the petitioners.

Yours truly,
J. E. ARMSTRONG.

The Late Archibald McMillan Fisher

One of the oldest pioneers of Brooke township passed away at his home on the 11th concession on Sunday morning, May 19th, in the person of Archibald McMillan Fisher. The deceased had been ill for seven weeks. He was in his ninety-third year and for a man of his advanced years had been remarkably active, took a keen interest in the political affairs of the country and kept well informed on the world war.

Mr. Fisher was born in Argyleshire, Scotland, in the year 1826. He came to Canada in 1856 with his parents, two brothers and a sister, and nine years later settled on lot 24, concession 11, Brooke, where he has since lived, an honored resident of the township. In 1873 he was married to Jane Campbell, also of Argyleshire, Scotland, who predeceased him a number of years ago. He is survived by one son, of Calefax, Washington, and one son and three daughters at home.

The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock at Kilmartin cemetery and was largely attended. The

service was conducted by Rev. W. McIntosh, pastor of Chalmers' Presbyterian Church, of which the deceased was a member. The pallbearers were Captain Duncan and Nichol McLachlan, Duncan and Archie Fisher and Wesley and Henry Sharp.

MAKING YOURSELF WELL AND STRONG

You Can Improve Your Physical Condition by Keeping the Blood Pure

People with strong constitutions escape most of the minor ills that make life miserable for others. Don't you envy the friend who does not know what a headache is, whose digestion is perfect, and who sleeps soundly at night? How far do you come from this description? Have you ever made an earnest effort to strengthen your constitution, to build up your system, to ward off discomfort and disease? Unless you have an organic disease it is generally possible to so improve your physical condition that perfect health will be yours. The first thing to be done is to build up your blood as poor blood is the source of physical weakness. To build up the blood Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is just the medicine you need. Every dose helps to make new blood which reaches every nerve and every part of the body, bringing color to the cheeks, brightness to the eyes, a steadiness to the hands, a good appetite and splendid energy. Thousands throughout the country whose condition once made them despair, owe their present good health to this medicine. If you are one of the weak and ailing give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a fair trial and note the daily gain in new health and abounding vitality. Among those who have proved the truth of these statements is Mrs. Fred Goslin, R. R. No. 2, Ruthven, Ont., who says:—"A few years ago I underwent an operation for a fibroid tumor. I had been ailing so long that I did not gain as the doctors said I should. I was in such a rundown condition that they said it would take me a very long time to recover. But instead of gaining I was growing weaker, and the doctor said I must go back to the hospital. I did not want to do this, and having often heard of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills as a strength builder, I decided to try them. I was greatly surprised at the help I received from them. In three months I was able to go about, and our home doctor expressed his astonishment, as he had not expected me to recover, believing pernicious anaemia had set in. It took me about a year to recover my full strength, but ever since I have been doing my own housework, and have to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills the praise for my present state of good health."

You can get these pills through any medicine dealer or by mail post paid at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Sale Register

Saturday, June 8th, household furniture of Mrs. R. Kells. See ad.

SINN FEIN is strongly suspected of meaning "Everything against England, even if it helps Germany."

Family Dr. says:
Paper Your Walls



WE HAVE JUST THE PRETTIEST PATTERNS OF WALL PAPERS YOU "NEVER" SAW. COME IN AND SEE THEM.

PAPER THE ROOMS AFRESH; THIS WILL DESTROY THE LURKING, DANGEROUS "GERMS" AS WELL AS MAKE THE HOME MORE ATTRACTIVE.

NO MATTER WHAT YOU BUY FROM US, YOU CAN "RELY" ON THE QUALITY.

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