

**A. J. THOMAS**  
Cement and Plaster Contractor  
Green and First Streets Burlington

All work guaranteed and prices the lowest

### Guaranteed Silo Fillers

Can be run by 4 h. p. Engine to fill 30 foot silo, will cut corn or straw equal to any, and elevate it any reasonable height. \$225.00.

### Hoover Potato Diggers

John Deere Manure Spreaders, Fleury Plows, easily lead in their line. We handle these and sell them on positive guarantee of satisfaction to user.

### Cream Separators

Several different makes at money saving prices. 650 lb. capacity at \$85.00.

### Gasoline and Kerosene Engines

That you cannot afford to overlook if interested for value

For the greatest assortment, best value and unequalled service go to

### C. RICHARDS

32 Market St. Hamilton

John Kitching Mervyn Kitching

### John Kitching

FUNERAL  
DIRECTOR

Up to Date Equipment

Motor or Horse Hearse

Waterdown Ontario

Westover Branch at  
Markle's Store

### R. J. VANCE

DENTIST

Mill Street Waterdown

## Advertise in the Review

### To the Farmer:

The purchase of a Piano or Victrola is only purchased invariably once in a lifetime. Therefore it behoves the purchaser to get the best and make sure you have the best.

I have had 25 years experience in tuning and repairing musical instruments, therefore feel quite confident I can choose the best instruments on the market.

I shall be pleased to place any instrument in your home beside any other in fair competition and let you yourself be the judge, without you feeling under any obligations absolutely. I can also save the purchaser quite a few dollars on account of my expenses being so low. I will always give you my best personal service and devote the whole of my time to supplying the country people. A postcard or telephone call will oblige.

Yours truly,

**F. WATERS**

Telephone 30-4, Waterdown

Dealer in "His Master's Voice" Victor Victrolas, Records, Etc

### Grain Smut Explosions



(National Crop Improvement Service.)

"In the Pacific Northwest, wheat smut spores live over winter in the soil and the ordinary treatment with formaldehyde is not effective unless there has been a rotation of crops which causes the smut spores to die.

"As a consequence, dense clouds of smut spores, which may be seen for miles, arise from the threshers and spread wheat contagion over the entire country," says Mr. P. Schloesser, Perth Amboy Chemical Company.

"Sometimes when this smut cloud is properly mixed with air, a piece of wire or nail will strike a spark in the separator and the result is an explosion worse than a thirteen-inch gun, blowing machines to pieces and often killing and injuring the crew.

"The wheat smut tax amounts to millions of dollars. It is in most instances entirely preventable by treatment of the seed, but so serious has it become that the American Department of Agriculture has a separate grade for smutted wheat."

"It will be well for the Canadian farmers to prevent smut from ever getting entrenched while it is comparatively easy."

### Safeguarding Inspection



(National Crop Improvement Service.)

"Grain inspection has been reduced to a fine art. In order to avoid dispute, a sample is taken from the car of grain at the terminal market and is divided into two homogenous halves by means of an ingenious separator into which the sample is poured.

"This divides and mixes the grain so evenly that the two portions may be weighed without the variance of more than a few grains," says Chief Culler, of the Toledo Produce Exchange.

"The object of this is that when the grain arrives at its destination and the buyer should complain of its quality, a re-inspection can always be demanded from the identical sample from which the first inspection was made.

"These reserve portions are kept for several months and in case of export, they prove invaluable in settling all complaints as to quality.

"Inspection nowadays is all official and the inspector cannot be tampered with because he has no idea whose grain he is inspecting. Grain inspection is as reliable as the coinage of silver."

Blankets are named after a Flemish weaver called Thomas Blanket, who lived in Bristol, England, in 1340.

### Merrifield, the Modest.

Pte. William Merrifield, now of Sault Ste. Marie, is, above all things, a modest man, though a V.C. wearer. It is recalled of Merrifield that when he was returning home on the troop train with his unit, the 4th Battalion, he was hunted up by a reporter who was intent on getting the tale of how he won the V.C. Merrifield simply wouldn't talk about it. Perhaps he couldn't. Anyway, the scribbler says that as he tried to get the soldier to "loosen up" the big drops of perspiration stood out on the hero's bronzed face. It was less of an ordeal to win the medal than it was to tell how it was won.

"For most conspicuous bravery and devotion to duty during the attack near Abancourt on the 1st of October, 1918. When his men were held up by an intense fire from two machine gun emplacements, he attacked them both single-handed. Dashing from shell hole to shell hole he killed the occupants of the first post, and, although wounded, continued to attack the second post, and with a bomb killed the occupants. He refused to be evacuated and led his platoon until again severely wounded.

### Fighting the Plague.

In England, in 1665, when the plague was raging, tobacco was regarded as an excellent protection against infection.

# EAGER'S

## WATERDOWN

### New Lines of Goods

Are being opened every week. All at reasonable prices. new cottons, new flannelettes, new hosiery, new serges, etc.

Unbleached Cotton 12c up to 35c

Bleached Cottons 15c to 40c

All Linen Glass Toweling, red check  
45c a yd.

White Linen Guest Toweling, floral pattern, nice quality.

75c a yd

Women's Black Cashmere Hose

75c to \$2 a pair

Women's Heather Cashmere Hose, wool

\$1.50 a pair

Navy Blue Serges, all wool \$1.50 to \$3.25

## Men's Furnishings

Do not forget to see our Men's wear. Underware, Sweaters, Hose, Shirts, Hats, Caps, Gloves. A lot of new goods just opened up.

Men's All-wool Sweaters \$6 to \$8.50

Men's Pullover Sweaters \$5 to \$7.50

Boy's Sweaters \$3.50 to \$6.50

Admiral Natural-wool Shirts and Drawers medium weight

\$2 each

Admiral Natural-wool Combinations. A good medium weight.

\$3.50

Men's Gauntlet Work Gloves, with one or five fingers. Horsehide front. A good work glove.

\$1 a pair

Men's Lined Mitts 50c

Men's fabric gloves, lined \$1 a pair

New Neck Scarfs \$1 to \$1.75

Extra value in Men's work boots, tan or black, with or without toe caps.

\$5 a pair

Special price on Men's Bibb Overalls, black or blue stripe.

\$1.75 a pair