

# Wellesley Maple Leaf.



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Wellesley, Thursday, November 24th, 1904.

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## TIME TABLE

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Leave Preston for Berlin—7.40, 8.35, 9.15, 10.20 and 11.35 a. m.; 12.45, 1.55, 3.05, 4.12, 5.25, 6.40, 7.50, 9.00, 10.10 and 10.55 p. m.  
Leave Galt to connect at Preston as follows—7.05, 7.35, 8.45, 9.45, 10.55, 12.07, 1.20, 2.30, 3.40, 4.50, 5.55, 7.12, 8.25, 9.30, 10.10.  
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Specialties in  
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ALLEN BECHTEL,  
Proprietor.

## CROSSHILL

Hastings Bros. left this morning for the International Show Chicago with thirty-two of their Pure Bred Leicester Sheep.

A new weigh scale is being put in the village by a Syndicate for the accommodation of the public.

Miss Webster has returned from a three weeks visit with friends in Baden and Stratford.

Mr. Edward Gillespie and family of Baden, spent Sunday at Wm. Hastings.

Mr. Wm. Hammond is ill at present.

## HAMPSTEAD

The Grim Reaper passed through our vicinity on Friday last and took from our midst one of our older residents, Mr. John Wetlaufer. Mr. Wetlaufer was strong and healthy till within a few days of his demise, when he was stricken with pneumonia. He was a highly respected member of the community, and much sorrow is felt for the bereaved family.

Thanksgiving brought a number of visitors to our burg. Mrs. A. McDonald, Miss K. McDonald and Mrs. D. Dewar, all of Wellesley, visited Mr. A. McGillivray; Mr. Fergie Stewart of O. A. C., Guelph, was with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Stewart; Mr. Winslow, manager of Bank of Montreal, Stratford, and family spent the day with Mr. Jno. Dahmer.

Services were held in the Presbyterian Church on Thanksgiving. Rev. Mr. Edington preached an able and appropriate sermon from Psalm LXX, II. At this service the first opportunity was given to hear the new organ.

Miss McLeron returned from a month's visit with friends in Ayr. Mr. A. Forrest is having a well dug. Smith Bros. have the contract.

The Farmers' Institute will hold their regular autumn meeting on "ov. 30th. Several speakers from outside points will be in attendance and the local talent will prepare a good musical program.

Miss A. Aiken spent Thanksgiving at her home in Topping.

Mr. and Mrs. H. McMillan have returned from a week's visit with D. W. Chalmers, Brunner.

The Presbyterian Sunday School will hold a Christmas entertainment about Dec. 23rd.

## HAWKESVILLE.

On Tuesday evening of last week quite a number of our young people from the village and surrounding vicinity wended their way to the home of Mrs. Fernando Snyder, Bloomingdale.

The evening was "ideal," and the roads were fine, and the party including some from the Twin-City report having had a very pleasant time.

Mrs. Poppler and Miss Irvine of Tavistock spent Thanksgiving at Mr. McAllister's.

Miss Stella McAllister is visiting with friends in Tavistock this week.

The people gathered together at the Presbyterian church on Sunday morning, had to disperse on account of the non-appearance of a minister.

Miss McDougal, of Heidelberg, spent Sunday at Mr. More's.

Mr. and Mrs. Fernando Snyder, Miss Sylvia Shelley, Miss Sargent and Sidney Snyder, of Blooming-

dale, spent Thanksgiving at Mr. J. C. Shelley's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Matchell, and daughter Hazel, of Toronto, spent Thanksgiving at Mr. J. C. Shelley's.

Quite a crowd spent Sunday at Wallenstein viewing the progress of the C. P. R. line.

Mr. Robbie Gies, employed in the mill, was called home to attend the funeral of his grandfather at St. Clements.

Mr. Albert Bricker, of Waterloo, spent Sunday at Mr. J. C. Shelley's.

Butchering is the order of the day at present.

Mr. Charles Busch, and Miss Dietrich were married on Tuesday.

Mr. Elmore Snyder and Boelan from Berlin, spent Sunday at Mr. McAllister's.

Mr. Hamilton, Linwood, conducted the services in the Methodist church on Sunday night.

Mrs. Robert More returned to her home in Toronto after spending several weeks at the home of Mr. Geo. Lockner.

Mr. Eph. Bricker and sisters spent Thanksgiving with their sister, Mrs. John Schweitzer.

Herb W. Edwards Injured.  
Herb W. Edwards of Des Moines, Iowa, got a fall on an icy walk last winter, spraining his wrist and bruising his knees. "The next day," he says, "they were so sore and stiff I was afraid I would have to stay in bed, but I rubbed them well Chamberlain's Pain Balm and after a few applications all soreness had disappeared. I feel that this bottle of Pain Balm saved me several days' time, to say nothing of the suffering." This liniment is for sale by A. J. Saunders, Druggist, Wellesley.

ST. CLEMENTS.  
OBTITARY.—A sudden and unexpected event took place on Sunday evening last when Mr. William Gies resident of St. Clements died very suddenly. He with his wife and some friends had gone after supper to visit his neighbor, Mr. George Brenner and while there, seated with the rest and talking as usual, he suddenly gave signs of expiring. All means to resuscitate were of no avail and it was seen that death had set in. Deceased who was 68 years of age was born in Wellesley Township and had nearly all his life time been a resident of this district. In his former life he was a heavy land owner owing the big farms now occupied and owned by his sons, Wm. H., John and Conrad Gies, residing for many years on the farm of the latter. Some 8 years ago he took up his residence in St. Clements where he lived a retired life. His genial figure will be greatly missed. He leaves a widow, 5 sons and three daughters, who have our profound sympathy in their bereavement. The funeral took place on Tuesday and was largely attended.

Mr. Ed. Forrester who has kept the local harness shop for some 18 months has rented a hotel and harness business in Yaton, Ont. and he will take possession on Dec. 1. This, as present indications are, will leave St. Clements without a harness maker, a severe loss to our other-wise busy village.

Mr. George More, M. D., Hawkesville has removed his drug store from its former place to accommodate quarters in Schneider's Hotel where the wants of the public will be attended to as usual.

The butchering season is now in full swing. The season is somewhat earlier than former years.

We failed to report last week the meeting of the local beef ring. The

meeting was held on Saturday Nov. 12th. Business for the past year was gone over and everything was found to have been operated in a business-like way and the officers are to be congratulated. Everyone seemed perfectly satisfied with the way the ring was operated and with little difficulty the ring was organized for another year with the following officers:

President.—John B. Mayer  
Sec.—Jacob S. Mayer  
Treas.—C. R. Gies  
Butcher.—John Riedel  
Judges.—Jacob Kuntz, Jos. Volzin.

Prospects for organizing Beef Ring No. 2 seems exceedingly bright.

A load of merry-makers from St. Clements visited a point near Linwood on Thanksgiving eve and report a most pleasant trip.

Contractor Stumpf completed the brick work on the new local school house on Saturday and painters and carpenters will next be kept busy in completely their various contracts.

2000 lbs. Dr. Hess Stock Food is expected to arrive this week. Hess Food is the cheapest Stock Food on the market and stands with any of the stock foods now sold. Bags of 7, 12, 25, 50 and 100lbs can be had at Peter F. Schummer's general store.

## HEIDELBERG

Mr. Snider, near Walkerton spent several days with his sister, Mrs. Engelter.

Mr. Herb. Stahle, accompanied by his sister and Miss Annie Miller, of Wellesley, spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Hahn.

Mr. Elgin Hahn spent Sunday with friends near Linwood.

Miss Alodo Wahl, of St. Jacobs, spent Sunday with friends here.

Mr. C. Huehn, of Waterloo, spent Sunday with his mother near Bamberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Otterbein, of Berlin, spent Sunday with friends in and around our burg.

Mr. Wm. Steiss, of Guelph, spent Thanksgiving day under the parental roof.

Mr. L. S. Weber moved to Berlin last week. He has sold his farm here to E. P. Shantz, Berlin.

Mr. H. N. Huehn has purchased the harness stock of Mr. Ed. Forrester, St. Clements.

Mr. John Hahn has lately disposed of about two hundred head of fat cattie, also about five hundred sheep. He also has some head of cattle on hand at present.

Thanksgiving day passed off very quietly.

Some of our sportsmen were out hunting and returned home with empty bags.

Mr. Jacob Brenner has sold his farm to Mr. Albert Heipel, from near Grey, at \$69 an acre.

The Evan. Church are having their annual Revival Meetings this week.

The annual Services in the memory of those in eternity were held in the Luth. Church on Sunday fore noon and evening. The Sunday School Choir rendered several good songs in the evening.

Mr. J. W. Green, paid our town a business visit on Tuesday.

## Maple Leaf Prize

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INDEPENDENT.

### EDITORIAL NOTES.

This is convention week in Toronto. Both the Liberal and the Conservative Parties are holding mass meetings to find out just what their platform is anyway. When they get home the rank and file, on both sides, will know which side to take in the argument.

It now seems assured that the Provincial elections will be on in a few weeks. Premier Ross has his cabinet reconstructed and it is likely the date of polling will be announced right after the Convention.

In the Quebec Provincial elections the Conservative Party decided not to put up a fight. As a consequence thirty-six seats have already been filled by acclamation in favor of Parent's government.

Goal's has just added one more to the long string of world's championships which have been won by Canada this year by sweeping everything before them at the St. Louis football tournament. They played two matches taking 11 goals to their opponents' 0. About the only team left in the world that can "do Galt up" at foot-ball is the Wellesley Juniors.

There seems at present but little prospect of a contest of any kind at the coming municipal election in Wellesley township. At the nominations a very little explanation will show why some ratepayers' taxes appear high this year, and outside of that there will not be much to discuss. Would it not be well to take up the statute labor question at this meeting? It is quite evident that the mass of the ratepayers are ready to deal with it, and if the council will decide to announce it as one of the subjects for discussion, the nomination meeting a full attendance may be depended upon.

Merille is furnishing the latest political scandal. This time it is in the shape of "trick" ballot boxes which by easy manipulation can be made to switch a ballot after it is slipped into the opening of the box. According to the evidence, so far, the returning officer's honorable integrity prevented the working of the contrivance in the late election. Some arrests have been made in connection with the affair and there is a prospect that the guilty will be punished. Each side, as usual, is trying to lay blame for the corruption upon the other political party.

That Stratford and Hawksville are to be joined by C. P. R. is now about certain. Just what bonuses are to be asked along the route is not yet disclosed, but it will probably involve a taxation on the north eastern section of Wellesley township equal to that caused by the granting of the Linwood and Wellesley sectional bonuses last winter. Berlin needs to be awake these days. The "Wellesley extension" trolley scheme is lying very quiet at present and it is plainly the county town's place to stir the matter up. If, through the lapse of time, there came an opportunity to legally withdraw the bonus offered, there are many here who would prefer doing so and transferring the amount to the Stratford road. Wellesley has shown a willingness to pay liberally for railway connection, but sentiment here strongly favors the axiom "first come, first served."

### THE CHRISTMAS DELINEATOR.

The December Delineator, with its message of good cheer and help-

fulness, will be welcomed in every home. The fashion pages are unusually attractive, illustrating and describing the very latest modes in a way to make their construction during the busy festive season a pleasure instead of a task, and the literary and pictorial features are of rare excellence. A selection of Love songs from the Wagner Operas, rendered into English by Richard de Gallienne and beautifully illustrated in colors by J. C. Loyendeker, occupies a prominent place, and a chapter in the Composers' Series, relating the Romance of Wagner and Cosima, is an interesting supplement to the lyrics. A very clever paper entitled "The Court Circles of the Republic" describes some unique phrases of Washington social life from an unnamed contributor, who is said to write from the inner circles of society. There are short stories from the pens of F. Hopkinson Smith, Robert Grant, Alice Brown, Mary Stewart Cutting and Elenore Elliott Peake, and such interesting writers as Julia Magruder, L. Frank Baum and Grace McGowan Cooke hold the attention of the children. Many Christmas suggestions are given in needlework and the Cookery pages are replete with the Christmas feast. In addition there are the regular departments of the magazine, with many special articles on topics relating to woman's interests within and without the home.

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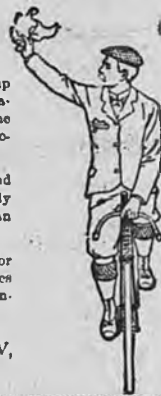
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ness in this village for the past 17 years,  
making it one of the finest hotel-  
ries in the Province, has just sold  
the property to Mr. Harry Krenz-  
wieser, late of the Royal hotel.  
We are informed that the transfer  
will be made the first week in De-  
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will remove to New Hamburg for a  
rest and that it is not his intention  
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meets all of these requirements  
and for the speedy and permanent  
cure for bad colds stands without a  
peer. For sale by A. J. Saunders,  
druggist, Wellesley.

### LINWOOD.

Mr. Geo. and Miss Arnold, of At-  
wood, spent part of the week visit-  
ing at T. Hackett's.

Miss E. Montgomery has return-  
ed from a visit to Crosshill.  
Mr. D. Schmidt spent Thanksgiv-  
ing in town.

November 15 was pay-day for  
those working on the railway.

Mr. A. Rennie was in Elmira and  
Glenallan on Sunday.

Mr. Crawford, of the T. Ruggle Co.  
store spent Thanksgiving Day  
under the parental roof, taking in  
the concert at Millbank in the even-  
ing.

Miss E. A. Lacker spent Thanksgiv-  
ing Day in Hawkesville.

Mr. J. McArdle and Ms. Rennie  
were on a business trip to Glen-  
allan on Thursday.

Oscar Oakley has returned home  
from Atwood.

Rev. D. Sharp spent the Thanksgiv-  
ing holidays visiting friends in  
Tilsonburg.

Clen Boegel spent Sunday in Lis-  
towel.

Mr. Frank Baker, of Listowel,  
spent the holiday with his parents.

Mr. A. W. Rennie spent Sunday  
at "Maple Hurst."

Mr. J. Winn, of the Sovereign  
Bank spent Thursday in Hawkes-  
ville.

Mr. Phillips and family have mov-  
ed to Stratford.

A party of young people from  
Linwood were the guests of Mr. D.  
McKay on Thursday evening.

Seven all wheeled scrapers have ar-  
rived for the use of the railway.

Miss C. Buttery, of Berlin, was the  
guest of Mrs. Wm. Carnoohan,  
Thanksgiving day.

The T. Ruggle Co. have adopted  
the cash system of duo-bills. Dairy  
Alumina and brass coins take  
the place of the duo bill which so  
often get torn, soiled or creased up  
until its figures can scarcely be read.

Mr. T. J. Ruggle was in Toronto  
on a business trip Wednesday.

Good progress has been made  
with the skating rink. The ground  
has been nicely levelled and the  
post holes are all dug and many of  
the posts have been placed.

Mr. J. Friedman's dam is being  
fixed up preparatory to harvesting  
the abundant crop of ice.

Miss Powell, Mrs. T. J. Ruggle and  
Master Harold Buggie are visiting  
friends at Wallenstein.

Mrs. R. J. Kerr spent part of last  
week visiting friends in Millbank  
and Stratford.

Mr. Jno. Friedmann, the prop.  
of the Commercial Hotel visited the  
mineral springs at Preston last  
week.

Mr. Isaac Whaley, of Trowbridge,  
spent Sunday at Mr. David Wray's.

Mr. Aaron Schntz spent last  
week in Toronto on business return-  
ing Friday night.

Mr. T. Farrol's sudden death was  
heard with great regret in town.  
Mr. Fanael is a man who will be  
greatly missed.

Miss McKenzie, of Hesson, was  
in town Saturday evening for a  
short time.

Mr. R. B. Hamilton preached  
very acceptably in the Methodist  
church Sunday morning.

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old mare, supposed to be to foal; 2 imported  
fillies: 3 4 year old fillies, supposed to be in  
foal; 1 each of 2 year old.

**OTHER HORSES.**—One 5 year old pacer; 1 ag-  
ed family driver; 1 two year old roadster; 1  
7 year old coach and aged horse.

**REGISTERED SHORTHORNS.**—Four import.  
cows; 2 year old heifers; 3 yearling heifers;  
3 heifer calves. The above cows are supposed  
to be with calf. One yearling bull; 2 bull  
calves; 1 bull calf, direct of imp. stock.  
Also 4 dairy cows.

**IMPROVED YORKSHIRE HOOS.**—Six im-  
ported show hogs, all supposed to be in  
pig; 6 sows about 4 months old supposed to  
be in pig; 14 sows from 6 weeks to months  
old. One show boar; 2 year old; 7 boars  
about 6 months old; 18 barrows from 6 weeks  
to 4 months old.

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**IMPLEMENTS, ETC.**—One McCormick binder  
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Massey Harter cultivator, number 2, No. 2  
Agr plow; 1 Waterloo plow; 2 barrows  
1 truck wagon, 100 bush; buggy; horse  
power with red, chopper; faencing mill  
with rollers; 1 large cutting box  
steel-roller; brain new wagon box, cast-  
iron; 1 horse-drawn rack, hay rack; gravel  
hoop; wheelbarrow; 18 inch York  
road scraper; 2 sets double harness; 1 set  
single; 1 set of harness; 1 set of  
bridles, 1 set of chains; 1 set of  
reins; 1 set of shafts, 1 set of  
2-horse black leather; a quantity of other  
and

Sale begins at 10 o'clock, a. m. Lunch at  
11 o'clock.

**TERMS:**  
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approximate prices, 2 per cent. per annum  
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SEED PEAS.—300 bushels yet unsold. Place  
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Hamilton, Dec. 16.—Mrs. Harriet Emerson, Burlington, a widow and third wife of the late Thomas Emerson, has issued a writ commanding \$5,000 damages for breach of promise. The defendant is John Wilson, a North James street jeweler, and a member of the Board of Education. He is a widower. On the strength of the prospect of her marriage the widow says she gave up an annuity of \$200 a year she had from her late husband's estate for \$500 cash. The wedding was slated for last October, but was broken off by the defendant over a couple of anonymous letters, so it is alleged. The principals in the suit are both on the shady side of 50 years. The defendant fell into considerable money lately. The widow says there is another and younger woman in the case.

Arrested Him of Sorcery. Victoria, B.C., Dec. 16.—At Kitkatlan, an Indian known as Dnalia Watabon put on a ball of fat, bound with hair and pierced with fish bones, as a charm which he hoped would bring him the love of an Indian woman. Fellow-townsmen accused him of sorcery and planned his death. Word was sent to the Indian agent at Port Essington, and he rescued the Indian. A fines prosecution was arrested and fined about \$850 in all.

British Bondholders Protest. London, Dec. 16.—A lengthy letter from the council of foreign bondholders, personally addressed to President Roosevelt, but forwarded to the British bondholders' position agent Panama and Columbia, has been forwarded by the Foreign Office to Ambassador Durand, who has been instructed to hand it unofficially to the President.

An Invitation. An interesting collection of invitations to and from Benjamin Franklin during his visit to England is in the University of Pennsylvania Library. Among the letters to Franklin are some from the peerage for great and for little dinners, but perhaps the most interesting is one from a gentleman who described himself as "in lodgings" and unable to entertain Mr. Franklin at his home. He therefore proposed a visit to the Star and Garter, and then went on to say that he would order a glasser at a crown a head, evidently expecting Franklin to bear his share. There is no record of an acceptance.

A Cow Superstitious. According to Indo-European folklore the clouds of the heavens are nothing but cows, who were harvested with the darts of a psychopomp. At times these clouds descended to the earth and assumed their bovine garb, but their duty remained the same. Hence the superstition prevalent in many agricultural countries that a cow breaking into a garden foretells a death in the family. The psychopomp was merely looking for a soul to escort to the hereafter.

All in One Pound of Coal. If a pound of coal is subjected to a dry distillation the chemical by the process of obtaining the well known coal tar colors, the pound thus treated will yield enough magenta to color 500 yards of flannel, vermilion for 2,500 yards, aurine for 120 yards and alizarin sufficient for 155 yards of red cloth.

Hardly. "A nice husband, you are," said madam in a passion. "You care less about me than about those pet animals of yours. Look what you did when your poodle, Azor, died." Husband (sighing)—Well, I had him stuffed. Wife (exasperated)—You wouldn't have gone to that expense for me—not you indeed!

More Precious Than It Seemed. She—What is your business? He—I'm an inspector of ruins. She—How romantic! He—Well, hardly. I'm an insurance adjuster.

His Part. The Doctor—You regard society as merely a machine, do you? What part of the machinery do you consider me, for instance? The Professor—You are one of the cranks.—Exchange.

Returned His Love. Friend—What's the matter, old man? Doesn't she return your love? Jilted One—That's just the trouble. She returned it and told me to give it to some other girl.

Beards and Beardless. Clean shaven Russians are very uncommon. Nearly every man wears a beard. At one time it was the general belief in Russia that a beardless man was soulless.

Trinidad's Lake of Pitch. The Great Pitch Lake of Trinidad covers ninety-five acres and contains millions of tons of so called pitch. This is in reality a mixture of asphalt and oil, which is continually coming up through cracks and crevices beneath the pressure of the strata of rock above.

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Remedy.  
From Napier New Zealand, Herald: Two years ago the Pharmaric Board of New South Wales, Australia, had an analysis made of all the medicines that were sold in that market. Out of the entire list they found only one that they declared was entirely free from all poisons. This exhibition was Chamberlain's Medicine Company, Des Moines, Iowa, U. S. A. The absence of all narcotic makes this remedy the safest and best that can be had; and it is with a feeling of security that any mother can give it to her little ones. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is especially for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. When taken in time it prevents pneumonia. This remedy is for sale by A. J. Saunders, druggist, Wellesley.

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The most durable crockery made. We have a special lot of this ware to sell at:  
Cups and Saucers, 60c.  
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Oatmeal bowls, each 5c

Estray Sheep  
CAME onto the premises of the subscriber, lot 11, con. S. W. P. C. Wellesley, about the middle of August, 1904. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take it away.  
GEO. D. ROFFMAN,  
Wellesley, P. O.

J. L. BRADSHAW  
CHINA HALL,  
Stratford

Notice to Creditors.  
In the matter of the Estate of Eliza Thompson, late of the Township of Wellesley in the County of Waterloo, Widow, deceased.  
NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the Act in that behalf made, chapter 129, sections 28, that all Creditors and other persons having claims against the estate of the above named Eliza Thompson, who died on or about the tenth day of August, A. D. 1904, are required to send by post, pre-paid, or to deliver to George F. Thompson, Atwood P. O., Ont., the Receiver of the will of the said deceased, or to the undersigned solicitor on or before  
The 16th day of November,  
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Have You Got FEET?  
If you have, bring them to me. I'll do the rest!  
My Spring Stock of Boots and Shoes has been purchased RIGHT! (I am a practical and experienced shoemaker); they suit this section; they are the latest styles; they wear well; they will always be comfortable; they will look neat; THEY WILL SUIT YOU!  
I have something for the whole family, from the tiniest baby's foot up to the eldest grand-parent's.  
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