H. J. Brown and family ate Xmas din-ner at Capt. Brown's in Galt. ner at Capt. Brown's in Galt.
Order the ice-cream for your parties at
Brown's, phone 411.
Master Roy Philip and sister Winnie of
Toronto, are visiting their unele, G. O.

P.
Mr. C. H. Boehmer of New York is spending the holidays at his home in town. He will take part in the concert on Jan. 3rd.
Mr. Arthur Pollock of New York, is spending the holidays in Berlin and Winterbourne.

Winterbourne.

The large candy basket given by H. J.
Brown to the guesser of the nearest to
the correct weight was won by Miss
Mabel Williamson. The weight was
91bs, 8 oss.

### LOCAL LINERS

Galt claims a population of 8,000.

The Board of Health, which was to have met on Saturday, adjourned until next Saturday.

Policy holders of the Economical Insurance Co. can secure a calendar by calling at C. Kranz's office.

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A large number of gifts sent by liberal friends and a fine Xmas tree gladdened the hearts of the inmates at the Orphanage.

The Christion Endeavor Societies of the Presbyterian and Alma St., U. B. Churches will give the inmates of the House of Refugea real Christmas dinner this evening.

The Courthouse officials presented Miss Ferrier, the popular young stamp vendor at the Post Office, with a well filled purse on Monday, as a Xmas box.

R. M. Charlton, who has been Principal of the Riverside School for five years, has succeeded Mr. Eagle as Principal of the Victoria School, Galt.

E. B. Salverds of Preston present.

Galt.

E. B. Salyerds of Preston presented the Berlin-Hockey Club with one dozen sticks. They were used in the Berlin-Waterloo game and gave

great satisfaction.

All people who have had trouble with cheap rubbers, should get a pair of the celebrated Canadian Rubber Co's rubbers. They will outwear any other make. For sale by W. H. Leeson.

R. H. Knowles, the veteran principal of the Hespeler Public School, has resigned atter 24 years service. He was presented with an address and a reclining chair by his pupils on retiring. He is succeeded by Mr. J. D. Ramsay.

Calendars at cost at Berbar's

Calendars at cost at Becker's. The Alma Street U. B. Church will hold its Sunday School Anniversary on Thursday evening Dec 27th, commencing at 7 30 o'clock.

WHAT THE CANDIDATES SAID WHAT THE CANDIDATES SAID
Mr. G. M. DeBus, in accepting
the nomination as County Councillor
on Monday said that the County tax
for 1900 had been about \$400 less
than in 1899. The assessments had
been equalized this year; when \$60,
000 had been added to Berlin, though
at first the move was to add \$450,000
—so that next year the assessment
will be \$2,910,000. He believed that
1-10 of a mill can be knocked off
next year. He spoke of the improvements made at the House of Refuge
and Jail, and everyone considered
the outlay a necessary one.
Dr. Honsberger was surprised to
see so little interest taken in this
contest; he considered that there is
more honor and pleasure in being a
County Councillor than in being an
Alderman. He was quite satisfied
with the work of the members this
year and would offer no opposition.
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J. S. Anthes said he had been in Council some years and had tried to do his duty; he would stand but would do no canvassing.

Mr. Breithaupt has been a representative ever since the reduction of the members.

sentative ever since the reduction of the members in the Council had been made, and he considered the change a very good one. The financing had been done on as low a rate as was consistent with good results,
There had been very little road and bridge work done this year, but the bridges at New Hamburg will have to be attended to next year.

He spoke of the work at the House of Refuge and considered the improvements very necessary. The cost of keep per inmate in 1900 was 91; cents per week, and in 1898, 89 cents a week, but the increase was due to the general higher price of supplies. He withdrew, but arged the need of electing strong men.

### VERY STRANGE ACTIONS

A young man named Edward Klein, living near the Operholtzer Shoe Fac-tory and formerly a teamster for Kloepfer & Co, called at Mr. Peter Shirk's home at Bridheport on Sunday evening and his actions were very



Mother's Voice

WANLESS' Music Store

TWENTY-THIRD YEAR-No.297.

# NEWS RECORD.

BERLIN, ONT., THURSDAY DECEMBER 27th 1900

## Quickshine Polish

Lessens Labor

The Cheapest Salesman is an Ad in a good Daily Paper."

### Have you had any trouble With Rubbers?

If so, try a pair of Ours. They are manufactured by the Celebrated Canadian Rubber Co., who are the Largest and oldest manufacturers in Canada. They have built up an enviable reputation for good wearing, reliable goods, and their Rubbers are without doubt the best made on the

continent to-day.

They will outwear any other make and we are selling them cheaper than you can buy the same quality for

THE CHEAP STORE



Leading Jewellers.

HELLER BROS. Near Post Office.

## SPECIAL FACTORY TOOLS ...

We have just taken into stock an extensive assortment of hand-screws and Clamps.

Chicago Clamp Co's "Universal" and "Little Giant"

Hargrave's steel bar "Perfection" Clamps. "Dana" Combination Clamps-28 to 72 inch.

The celebrated "Bliss" hard maple hand-screws Improved Hand-screws, with metal bearings and wought

We are selling these lower than any wholesale house in he west, and guarantee all the above brands to give satisfac-We are sole agents for the sale of Chicago Clamp Co's

## FENNELL & SON

BERLIN, ONT.

Wholesale and Retail Hardware.

## Seasonable Drink

Are the Popular Beverages

KUNTZ'S Celebrated Lager HOF-BRAU & EXPORT LAGER

Sold at every hotel in town. Order from

Geo. Zieglers

Goods delivered to all parts of the city.

King St. Wes

Jansen Bros. Wish You All

In prices occurs after Xmas and we are no behind in this, in reducing our prices all along the line in clothing, Man's Furnishing, Shoes and Slippers.

12 00 men's black or blue overcoats reduced to \$8 50.
9.00 curl cloth overcoats reduced to \$5 50.
derwear—Men's fine fi-ece liucd underwear, regular 75c reduced to 60c.
Women's warm house shoes, women's felt slippers, felt soles, special 49c.
Women's turned soles, felt Juliet house shoes, sizes 6 and 7 only, regular

Woollard & Co. Yellow Front

## **Holiday Goods**

We are selling this week the balance of our holiday goods at reduced prices. 1-00 Puffs and Scarfs for 75c.

All for the Holiday Trade. New goods. Separate boxes

### Style and Finish

These are important to you if you value the right thing in clothing. They figure in the cost. Some clothes are dear at any price. Others are far from cheap though the price is away down. Give us just one trial. You will some action.

STIELER & SEIBERT.

King St., BERLIN

Per cent

Discoun

## **Calendars**

We are now selling calen dars at 40 per cent off of regular prices.

We have just a .few

Nieholson & Murphy. Phone 184 . BERLIN

That throughout the entire year we carry an immens assortment of staple and fancy groceries.

Foreign and domestic wines and spirits. Our constant aim is to supply high class goods at p ices consistent with quality.

Wm. Melcalle & Co.,

Importers, Jobbers and Retailer

Telephone 206 Waterloo, Ont.

## YES

We had a nice trade and hope you are all satisfied and had an enjoyable Xmas. There are a few nice things left which will go at almost your own price. This will be stock-taking sale, as we will take stock in January. Everything will be sold at cost and

S.A.B

## That Cough

May Prove
Troublesome
Unless you take some good cough

C. C. C. C.

is the best cough care. It cures recent coughs and immediately relieves and often cures the most chronic case. Syrup of white pine with Eucalytole and honey is for the children. Pleasant to take and an immediate cure.

Clarke's Drug Store PHONE 48

We Give

25 per cent Discount on Dolls, Toy Books and Cel

40 per cent Discount on Calendars and Xmas

## W.H.Becker&Co

THE CENTURY TERM
OPENS JAN. 2nd



Write at once for particulars regarding this High Grade school.

The equipment is unsurpassed by any Canadian Business School. All graduates registered free in the EMPLOY. MENT BUKEAU of the Federated Business Colleges. Address,

## Wants

CHAMBER MAID.

Wanted, chambermaid, at Marke otel, Berlin, at once.—12-27-tf. FINISHERS Wanted, Apply to Hugo Rathman at the Simpson Co's factory.—12-19-tf.

EXPERIENCED OPERATORS Wanted at new Whitewear Factor duties to commence Jan. 2nd. Appl. at Queen-st. factory.—12-12-tf.

FOR SALE THAT DESIRABLE PROPERTY. NO. 40 CHURCH-ST., BERLIN, ON EASY TERMS. APPLY AT NEVILLE'S CITY DRUG STORE, BERLIN,—11-17-tf.

Payments arranged on easy terms.

\$950.00-Buys brick house; five rooms, kitchen, barn, good well and analysis of the rooms, kitchen, barn, good well will write the rooms of t

MARRIED.

Berlin Wednesday, Dec. 26th, b. v. J. B. Bowman, at his residence Church-st, Muss Angelina Wah Rosendale, to Mr. Simon Snyde Bloomingdale.

M'DQUGALL. — On December 25th, to Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McDougall, Brooklyn, New York, twin boys. Con-gratulations.

MASSEL - SHOEMAKER.

### Joint Union Meeting

the candidature of Dr. Bowiby on Wednesday evening.

Trooper Mulloy, the blind hero of Winchewter, has been paid a gratuity of \$1,000 from the Patriotic Fund.
The plans of Power & Son, archi-tecte, of Kingston, for the addition to Queen's University, have been ac-negated.

wall Papers, enough to do single rooms, of a pattern, are offered at throw-away-prices to clear space re-quired for new stock at Smyth Bros. Don't forget the S. S. anniversary in the Alma-st. U. B. church to-night at 7.30. Silver collection at the

Phone 411.

Every member of the Board of Trade should bear in mind the meeting this evening in the Council Chamber, when most important matters will be discussed.

No room on our fixtures for old stock. We expect shipments of new wall papers early in January. If you want paper of the past season's stock, half regular prices will buy them this week.—Smyth Bros.

Place vour orders were for east flow.

The following is a list of the do-nations received at the Hospital for Caristmas, and in acknowledging them, Miss Duncan and the nurses wish to tender their signere thanks to the many friends in the Twin City, London and Hamilton, who so gene-ously remembered the staff at this festive season:

Cheap Homes kid gloves, 6 Jars of fruit, 3 glass of jelly.
C. H. Doerr Mig. Co.—Large box

terms.

\$950.00—Buys brick house; five rooms, kitchen, barn, good well and clatern; in centre of town. \$1150—Buys two storey brick house on Frederick-st. \$1500—buys new brick house; modern conveniences; excellent location. For Sale or Exchange for small farm in vicinity of Berlin, Waterloo or Preston, a modernn brick house; 10 rooms, finished in hard wood, furnace, bath, etc; fine large barn, stone hen house; good location.

For these and other bargains in houses or fine building lots, see Henry Knell, fr., Real Estate Agent. Office

grappes, 1 pair of kid gloves. Committee—Pair of men's stoppers. Mr. W. H. Schmalz—Framed Landstage. Mr. A. E. Sanderson—Shortbread. Mrs. G. Rumpel—A large quantity of roses and carnations, 2 jars of joint vicinity. 2 bottles of wine and plum pudding. Mrs. H. Kranz—2 dox oranges, 1 dox. bananas, fancy biscuits, 1 pair dot gloves, including locations. Mrs. Radadll—Large box of raisins and nuts.

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W. Schlieman

Ahead in a select line of Xmas goods such as Nuts, Oandies and a full line of all choice to tacoo's, Cigarettes and Cigars.

Skates sharpened for 10c.

Sale and candy.

Ars. H. Krug.—2 chickens, 1 dozen cranges, cake and 1 pair kid gloves figs and hoily.

Mrs. J. H. Webb—Handkerchiefs.

Mrs. J. B. Snyder-Angel cake, 1 glass of jelly and candies.

Mcormick Mig. Co., London—Large box of fancy cakes, Jersey creams, and a full line of all choice to tacoo's, Cigarettes and Cigars.

Skates sharpened for 10c.

News Record.—White paper for motton.

Miss S. Moogk-Gifts for superintendant and nurses.

Mr. Fennell-Twine for decorations Mr. Gies-Tacks.

Boehmer Box Mfg Co.-Fancy colored paper for decorations.

THE FURNITURE SYNDICATE.

A meeting of those promoting the Canadian Furniture Syndicate was held in Toronto and from all account there is nothing to -prevent the analigamation being consummated and taking effect Jan. 1st. 1901. C. O. F. OFFICERS.

Court Union, C.O.F., elected the following officers Wednesday evening; P.C.R.—A. Glaeser.
C.R.—C. Oestrich,
F.S.—G. Baltzer.
F.S.—G. A. McIntyre,
T.—A. Totzke,
S. W.—A. Dengis,
J. W.—G. Scharlach,
Chap.—D. Oberholtzer.
S.B.—A. Gles.

### **SPORTS**

## Four Divisions

THE OFFICIAL LIST.

BERLIN.

GALT.

WATERLOO TOWNSHIP

NORTH DUMFRIES, PRESTON AND AYR.

S. J. Cherry. Hobson.
 Elected by acclamation. WILMOT & NEW HAMBURG.

WELLESLEY & WATERLOO.

WOOLWICH AND ELMIRA.

POLICE JOTTINGS.

Chief Flynn, of Waterloo, arrest John Maloney, a vagrant, to-day, it will be in court to-morrow. The P. M. dismissed a charge light shooting hare, laid again John Andrich and A. Froelich. ENDORSED THE DOCTOR.

of Dr. G. H. Bowlby, as the Mayo candidate. All the officers to past term were re-elected by ac ation. THE NOMINATION MEETING.

The nominations for Mayor, Aldermen, School Trustees and Water Commissioners will be held in the Opera House on Monday next at 8 pm., instead of in the afternoon to give the working men a, chance to attend. WATER COMMISSIONERS MEETING

The Water Commissioners held a meeting at 4 o'clock on Thursday afternoon when they visited the last well sunk-on Albert-st. Water was struck, but not in any great quantity and that is not satisfactory in quality.

BOUGHT NEW FITTINGS.

The equipments and fittings of A. Warner's bakery and confectionery as a few days ago by Mr. J. W. Davey. Berlin, for \$600. Mr. Davey will move it to Berlin and fit up his shop and store on King-st.

LEAVING BERLIN.

The B. Greenan Co., who have conducted a successful business in the old Greff & Hymnen stand for the part six months, will leave Berin within a lew days, owing to their case having expired and not wishing to remove any more of their stock han necessary, are offering big argains in avery in

### DIED FAR FROM HOME Mr. Abram S. Clemerr Succumbed to Typhold.

IN BRANDON, MANITOBA.

A sad death took place in the Hospi day night, when Mr. Abram S. Clemm mer. Breaslan, and well known in Ber

Clemmer, and was married to Ellen Stauffer, who with four children, are

## Waterloo News Notes

Mr. Will Morely, of Toronto, will take a position in the designing department of the Waterloo Woollen mills of Jan. ist. He will also figure on the Hockey team.

The Waterloo Hockey Cub claims than an injustice was done them in the item in Wednesday's issue in which it was stated that in the last came (next) on that of the 25th

p.m. and going east on, the mixed, at. 9 p.m. Conrad F. Froelich and J. Aldrich were up before the Magistrate, charge dby the Game Warden, John Devitt, with shooting rabbit out of season. The defendants proved by H. Doering that the latter had shot the rabbit in season and presented to the former two who brought it fouri days after the season closed. The case was dismissed with costs against the game wayden. John says the end is not yet.

### Hallman Re-union

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st., on Christmas Day, and the sup
of loy of every one there was full to
overflowing.

The sons and daughters, with
husbands and wives were all present. They are Mr. and Mrs. Rev. D.
Schultz, Wetzell, Mich.; Rev. and
Mrs. Wis. Simmonds and Mr. and Mrs.
Abram Shantz, Cedar Springs, Mich.;
Mr. and Mrs. B. Bowman, Fargo,
Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Bean, New
Hamburg; Rev. and Mrs. C. N. Good,
Elmwood Mr. and Mrs. J. Hallman, Mr.
and Mrs. A. C. Hallman, of near
New Dundee; Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Hallman,
Mr. Elden Hallman, of near New
Dundee; Mr. and Mrs. Srvin Hallman
Mr. Elden Hallman, of near New
Dundee; Mr. and Spring Stauffer,
who was present at the re-union, and
was treated as a daughter-in-law,
who was present at the re-union, and
was treated as a daughter-in-law were
presented with a fine black worsted suit and seah of the daughters
and daughters-in-law with a good
black dress. The grand children
received presents, in which those
not present will share equally; The
afternoon passed off very enjoyably
in speeches and song, closing with the
lyma, "We'll never say
The re-union, as a whole, was one
of unallowed harminess thouse it was

ymn, "We'll never say good on a Heaven."

The re-union, as a whole, was one of unalloyed happiness, though it was a solemn as well as a happy event, sesions the members of the family, sesions the members of the family, shany of whom had children with them, there were present Mesera. I have a decorate Chemens, of Prestor, Jacob O. Clemens of Logan, Mich., and J. U. Clemens, of Berlin, Mich., and J. U. Clemens, of Serlin,

Three bargain days of extraordir ary price-cutting in carpets, curtain and wall papers, before stock-takin A SMALL FIRE.

A fire, caused by some one throwing a cigar stub or a match into the frame barn on King-st., west, owned by Mr. H. L. Jamen, called out the brigade Wednesday evening. Two chemical engines soon put an end to the flames, which would have been more serious, had not a bucket brigade been organised by Mr. Jamen, done good work.

Chief Selbert would impress upon the public the importance of ringing the alarm once only as that is sufficient.

THE WEATHER

aperature with some light

A Very Merry Christmas

Green and dried fruits, nuts and confectionery.

of High Class Groceries.

Mr.V. M. Berlet