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Special Low Rates on new lat class d ellings. Cut rates for manufacturers,

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Abead in a select line of Xmas goods such as Nuts, Uandies and a full line of all choice to hacoo's, Cigarettes and Cigare. Skates sharpened for 10c.

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SITUATION WANTED. — By two experienced girls, for general house-work, best of recommendations. Ap-ply X, care Record. FINISHERS Wanted. Apply to Hugo Rathman at the Simpson Co's factory.—12-19-tf.

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

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THAT DESIRABLE PROPERTY, NO. 40 CHURCH-ST., BERLIN, ON EASY TERMS. APPLY AT NEVILLES CITY DRUG STORE, BERLIN,—11-17-tf.

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 come again.

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Sold everywhere, toc, for Colors, 150, for Black.

WE WISH OUR READERS A MERRY CHRISTMAS NEWS RECORD.

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Polish Lessens Labor

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

BERLIN, ONT., MONDAY DECEMBER 24th 1900

Xmas Presents

A few of the many useful and pretty things to be had at the Cheap Store Come in and look at our stock; it won's cost you asything.

64 Different Lines of Fancy Caps and Saucers from 5 to 65c 76 " " Lamps to choose " 755 to \$5 00 27 " " " Lamps to choose " 755 to \$5 00 27 " " " " Lamps to choose " 755 to \$5 00 27 " " " " China Plates " " 50 to \$1.00 Tea Sets, Dinner Sets, Toilet Sets, Water Sets in great variety Also a complete line of Fancy Vases, Figures, Knick Knacks, etc. etc. A B-austiful assortment of Celluloid Albums from 65c to \$2 00, Silver Pickles, Batte s Cak stands, Fruit knives, Berry Spoons etc. Pocket knives 5c to 50c, Table Cutlery and Carving Sets.
Fancy Mircors Purses, Perfame; Dills, Mouth Organs, Rattlers.
Picture Books, Childs Tea Sets. etc. etc.
Last but not least; a full range of Boots and Shoes to fit everyone; a pair of Shoes or Fancy Slippers will make a most acceptable Xmas Gift.

Our usu'llow prices prevail.

THE CHEAP STORE

Don't Walf Go right along now and see the greatest lot of first class, useful, good things for XMAS, you ever saw or Such PPICCS.

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TWENTY-THIRD YEAR-No.295.

THEY ARE AT

W. H. LEESON

Only Today



to do your Christmas gift chosing. For weeks people have been literally floking to our palatial Jewelry and Diamond store and the reason is obvious; the obtaining of a better assortment of finer class of Jewelry and Diamond pieces This is commonly seen. Modest priced Pearl designs form as usual a very conspicous portion to select from Pearl sunbursts, Pearl crescents, Pearl pendants, Pearl Scarfpins Pearl Rings etc. Every conceivable design of Pearl Jewe'ry; the prices too arevery pleasing, we invite an inspection of all.

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 wrough iron spindles.

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

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Seasonable Drink

Are the Popular Beverages

KUNTZ'S Celebrated Lager HOF-BRAU & EXPORT LAGER Sold at every hotel in town.

Order from

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Goods delivered to all parts of the city. King St. West

Jansen Bros. Wish You All A Very Merry Christmas.

A Merry Christmas To All.

Quality Shoes she saves \$2 They cost \$3 and have the appearance of \$5—that is how she saves \$2.

These shoes are irreproachable in material, style, fit and finish.

All trimmings are of silk, and they are the beat shoes for the price on this earth. All the words in the English language could not tell the facts plainer than that.

Remember TRADE THARK Quality 16 KING QUALITY



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FOR XMAS BUYERS Silk Umbrellas ... \$2.00 to \$3.50 rish Linen Handkerchiefs ... ½ doz 1.35 keal Lawn Hemstitched Hdkfs, ... £.00 nitialled Silk Hd'kfs ... 25 and 50c each

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Erb & Co's.' Mocha, etc; W. H Storey's & Sons; Perrin Freres & Co.—All the best Canadian and im-ported goods.

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Cuff links and Collar Buttons, special values in these goods. Flum merfelt and Co. of New York's latest style in Tie Pins and Cuff Links Special line of links bought at a great reduction at 25 and 50 cents.

For Christmas Presents Nothing is more appropriate and

We have B For Bables

For little Children 0 For Boys and Girls From 7 to 17.

For Adults
All the latest and choices in the most artistic bindings.

Nicholson & Murphy,

CHRISTMAS

The mistletoe hung in the Castle hall,
The holly o'er all was spreed,
The beautiful shade of the dark green leaf
Vising with the berries so red.
The tables were laden with good things
From lands both near and afar,
And these were purchased at Metcalfe's
our store will remain open
of the good things are. From lands 300th mose and these were purchased at Metcalfe's our Store w.v.

—W.F.M. this evening later than usual.

We take this opportunity of wishing one and all

A MERRY CHRISTMAS

Wm. Metcalfe & Co. Berlin

Mr.V. M. Berlet

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Waterloo, Ont.

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need to go to larger cities for Xmas Goods. How is this for bill of faret New York Jouns Oysters, Turkey and Cranberry Dressing, Roquefort and McLaren's Imperial Cheese, Pickles, Sauces, Desert, Dessert Cluster Raisins, Fiorida, Mexican, Valencia and California Oranges, Bannans, Pineapples, also Pineapple, Plums, Apricots, Gage's and crystalized cherries.

Also Tokay and other wines.

Fancy Cakes. Nuts, Candies.

CLARKE'S

Xmas Perfumes Over 300 fancy botales of Perfume every design and every price, from 15s to \$500. Come and get just what you

Don't Forget

Our Ebony. It's going fast. L. R. CLARKE

Christmas **Presents**

W.H.Becker&Co

The Berlin



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TERMS. APPLY AT NEVILLE S
CITY DRUG STORE, BERLIN,—11-17tf.

Cheap Homes

Payments arranged on easy terms.

\$950.00-Buys brick house; five rooms, kitchen, barn, good well and cistern; in centre of town \$1150-Buys two storey brick house on Fredrick-st. \$1550-buys new brick house; modern rownsainces aveelient location.

down. Give us just one trial. You will come again.

STIELER & SEIBERT,

King St., BERLIN

A Christmas Burgiary Dr Hilliard's Residence on Ahrens street Entered.

Ahrens Street, was entered by a burglar on Sunday evening, while the occupants were at church and about \$11 in cash and a diamond ring taken. An entrance was effected through a window, which was pried open with a chisel. The tracks about the house are those of a main waring unusually large boots, but beyond that there is no clue as to who the burglar is. The money was taken from the pocket of Mr. Hilliard's trousers, which were hanging in his bedroom.

A SONG SERVICE.

A special service of song was held at Trinity church on Sunday evening. Among the good things were a solo by Mrs. Hilliard'; a duet by Mrs. Hilliard; and hiss Devitt, solos by Miss Ziegler, and choruses by the full choir.

Magistrate Makes **A Conviction**

In The First Charge

The first of three charges laid against Wm. Jones, massaeur and magnetic physician, by the Ontario Medical Council, was heard by Police Magistrate Weir on Saturday afternoon. In the information Mr. Jones was charged with having practiced medicine on Miss Zimmerman, and though a determined defence was nut up the defendant A Former Berlin defence was put up by the defendant and his counsel, Mr. E. P. Clement the Police Magistrate made a con-viction. He adjourned for a week before assessing the fine, which can not, according to law—be less than \$25 and costs. The defendant wil

not, according to law-be less than \$25 and costs. The defendant will likely enter an appeal and carry the case to a higher court.

The prosecution was ably conducted by City Attorney A. J. Currie of Toronto, and Mr. Alex. Downey of the same place, was Court stenographer. With the exception of a few professional swordy encounters between the solicitors, the case went along smoothly, the defendant answering the questions put, instead of refusing to answer, as was the case on Thursday last.

The examination of Mr. Jones, so abruptly concluded at the first session of the Court, was resumed by Mr. Currie, and the Zimmerman case was taken up. Mr. Jones said Miss Zimmerman had been under treatment for several months. A bottle of medicine was produced which had been offered Miss Zimmerman, for which no charge had been made. He had received from her \$50 for written course of instructions, and \$70 for two months course of electric and massage treatment. One of the receipts was signed, Wm. Jones, D. P. S. Doctor of Psycology—Doctor of the Science that teaches that mind is master over matter.

Witness said Miss Hillgartner was treated by him for deafness. He diagnosed the case by means of an electric current. She paid him \$50 for a complete cure.

Witpess said he had also treated the late G. V. Oberholtzer, for consumption. He had got two bottles of Bovine for him, he had also ordered thermometers and an atomizer, but these were not to be charged for; witness also advised regarding dieting. Mr. Oberholtzer died; this was the only case witness had ever lost. Witness' book was shown, in which Mr. Oberholtzer was charged for the bovine and other articles. In one piace a bottle was charged at 60c, but not marked paid; in another place a bottle was charged at \$1.00 and marked paid. Witness said this bottle was got on the order of the patient.

Mr. Jones said he prescribed, a treatment for Mrs Cummings, Elgin St.,—but did not charge for it. She also received a bottle of the same medicine, which was ordered by him for her. **County Council**

for; he had a cold and was told to take a hot bath and go to bed. Wit-ness saw the child at his office and also at the child's home. Jones also treated Mrs. Groh; she was suffering from chills; he advised a thermo-bath to bring on perspira-tion.

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Witness said he is a specialist on
mental trouble as well He got \$10
for treating this family. He made
a profit on the thermo-bath sold.
Mr. Currie had in hand Mr. Jones'
book, which he went through page
by page; Mr. Clement protested but
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belt and thermo-bath, on which a
profit was made.

Witness said he could tell phrenologically just what ailed a man.

"Could you tell by phrenology
that a man is suffering from appendicitis?" asked Mr. Currie asked.
Witness didn't think he could.

Quite a number of cases were gone
into, and in each instance a profit
was made on goods supplied. One
of the customers was K. Wells; he
paid \$50. The following candidates are in the field for Division 5: J. S. Hallman, W. R. Plum, L. G. Pequegnat, Josiah Hallman and Louis Peine.

MR. WEBER'S SON DEAD.

Albert, the five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Weber, died at 7.30 a. m. to-day after a long illness. He contracted typhoid fever some time ago but was nursed through it, but it was followed by an attack of pulmonary croup. He was thought to be recovering from this and up to Suuday evening was bright and apparently doing well. He took a turn for the worse during the night and despite all the physician in attendance could do, passed away at the hour named. His death is a hard blow to his parents for he was a fine, intelligent boy and also because about a year ago their little girl died.

died.

The sympathy of many friends and acquaintances will go out to the bereaved parents in this their great loss. The funeral will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 1.30 p. m. from their home on Queen street north to St. Paul's church and from thence to Mt. Hope cemetery.

Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

actual practice of incursion by the defendant. The Magistrate said he found a conviction and that the minimum fine is \$25 and costs. The defence gave notice that an appeal will be entered and the Magistrate adjourned the case for a week before fixing the fine. The other two charges against Jones are for using a title which he is said to have no legal right to, and also for advertising as a Doctor. Waterloo News Notes

Lady Passes Away

Death of Mrs. H. S. Lemon.

A SISTER OF DRS C. L. AND H FRED PEARSON

Dr. C. L. Pearson received a message on Sunday from Morden, Man

Board of Trade

MR. WEBER'S SON DEAD.

For roses, carnations, violets, and chrysanthemums, ring up 402.

Get our prices on Ebony goods. —
Jamen Bros., Jewellers.



Dear Mr. Davidson;
We feel that it is impossible for us to express our deep sorrow at your departure from among us, and our keen appreciation of all you have done for the cause of Christ, not, only in our Sabbath School, but in our Church and in our Town. We have long known that our beloved Superintendent was a power for good in the community, and we are sure that your withdrawal from our midst will be felt in many circles. Our town losses one of its most public spirited citisms,

The rink will be open to-morrow afternoon and evening.

The Lutheran and Evangelical churches will both hold their annual

word has been received here that Tony Young, operator on the N. Y. Stock Exchange, had suffered a paralytic stroke on Sunday.

ED'S GUESS.—The following players will meet Waterloo to-morrow evening: Krueger, Boehmer, Charlton, of Parkdale; Farrell, of Montreal: Wescote, of London.

of Seaforth, and Seibert. of Scatorth, and Scibert.

SILVER WEDDING—Married at
Waterloo on Dec. 23rd, 1875, Miss
Caroline Koehler and Mr. C. A.
Haehnel by Rev. Dr. Snyder. The
event is being celebrated this evening and a large number of friends
have been invited to grace the occasion.

CATHOLIC FORESTERS.

The Catholic Fergiters will hold a meeting in their hall on Thursday evening, Dec. 27th, at 7.45 o'clock, for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing term. A good at-tendance is requested and be on time. THE SHOEMAKERS IN LINE.

The shoemakers met on Friday evening and endorsed the candidature of Dr. G. H. Bowlby for the Mayoralty, in conformance with the action taken by the Trades and Labor Council. Tother unions meet this week to do likewise.

THE A. O. BOEHMER CO.