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Barrister J. S. Fraser, of Wallaceburg, is in the city to-day. Leslie Shepley, formerly assistant Model school, was in the city to-day. All kinds of taffies at Richards';

special lines for Christmas. The total amount of city taxes for 1900 collected at par was \$73,500. Miss Meta Wilson, is home from Toronto for the holiday vacation.

Miss Pansy Barfoot left this afternoon for Toronto to spend the Christmas holidays. The Misses Putnam, of Blenheim, spent the day in the city. Next Monday F. A. Robert will sell one gallon choice wine for 90c.

E. B. Northwood, of Duluth, is spend. ing a few days with friends in the

The infant daughter of George Green, Chatham township, passed away Thurs

pictures, ready framed, at Tilt's, at Mr. and Mrs. M. McLachlan, of

Grand Rapids, are spend days in this city. Walker's Superior Lager in quarts and and pints at F. A. Robert's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Plewes and family left yesterday to spend the Christmas in London. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. White left to-day

for Toronto, where they will spend Christ-J. D. McKerrall, Grocer, North Chatham, will have Celery and Let-tuce fresh on Monday. / 2

Your Xmas Cheer! Secure it from F. A. Robert, the noted King street wine and spirit merchant.

Miss Jessie Houston, who has been attending the University at To-Xmas Cheer! Your choice of ales and porters Walker's, Carling's, Labatt's white label, and spring Grant's brands at F. A.

Reg. Jones, of the Merchant's Bank staff, leaves on Monday for a visit to his home in Forest.

Wm. Holmes, of Detroit, is spending the holidays with his father, James Holmes, Victoria avenue. Oh, but it's good! What? Maple

Walnut Cream Taffy, at Richards'. Geoffrey O'Hara, of the Bank of Commerce, Hamilton, returned to-day to spend the vacation at his home in this city.

W. S. Richards has everything you want in the line of Candies, Nuts and

Miss Elith Tackaberry returned last night from Toronto, where she has been attending Normal School. The finest box of creams for 25c. you can buy in the world is at Rich-

Richard Pope is being congratulated y his friends on the addition of anby his friends on the addition of other bouncing boy to his family. Miss Edith Holmes returned last

evening from Toronto, where she has been attending at Havergal Hall.

Max, son of Sam. McCornock, Park St., is suffering with an abscess in the Rev. Dr. Battisby will preach both morning andd evening in St. Andrew's Church to-morrow. Miss Maude Tighe is spending the holidays with her mother, King St. Alfred Banks, nephew of Ald. Liddy, had an abscess removed from his neck at St. Joseph's Hospital yester-

Miss Edith Northwood, of Chicago, arrived in the city last evening to spend Christmas with her parents.

A handsome picture, framed and ready to hang up makes an acceptable and useful Christmas present. Tilt has a large assortment in oil and watercolors, and various other lines. Yesterday, while riding his wheel, Newsboy Roy Chryster was bitten on the leg by a passing dog. It was not a serious injury.

Miss M. Gertrude Holmes returned last evening for the holidays from at-tendance at the Normal School, To-

Louis Goulet, of the Lake Shore, the well-known newspaper man, has re-turned for the Christmas vacation after three weeks spent in the States. Rev. Dr Hannon, will preach in the Park St. Methodist Church in the morning, and in the evening will ex-change with Rev. Mr. Locke, of Vic-toria Ave. Methodist.

The funeral of Miss Edwards, the aged woman who died at the Public General Hospital, took place this af-ternoon from Jahnke's undertaking

establishment.

Miss Mary McKeough, who is attending Trafalgar College, Montreal, returned last evening for the vacation. Miss Maude Eberts, who has been visiting Miss Bertha Westmore for the past two weeks, returned to her home in Wallaceburg to-day.

The annual turkey match will be held at the farm of Jas, Richards, con. 3, Raleigh, on New Year's Day. (A number of the local marksmen, will take part.

The C C. I. club swingers and other talent contributed to the excellent school concert presented by Miss Tena Houston, at S. S. No. 1, Harwich, last

Yesterday, through his solicitor, O. L. Lewis, Gus Smith withdrew his plea of not guilty and pleaded guilty to the charge of larceny. Judge Bell sentenced him to three days' incar-

The Ladies' Assisting Society requests that any citizens who desire to make Christmas donations will kindly send them to the Public General Hos-

One of Dover's old residents passed away yesterday in the person of Mrs. Elizabeth Duelette, lot 4, Con. 3. The aged lady was a widow and in her 91st year. The funeral a widow and in her 91st year. The funeral will take place Monday to Pain Court Church and burying ground.

All people wishing to spend Christmas with their friends in the Old Country should call on W. E. Rispin early and make their steamship arrangements, as he is agent for all lines crossing the Atlantic, and will give best possible rates. Silas W. and Ralph E. Williston, of

con. 3, Chatham township, have issued a writ against the C. P. R. for \$200 for valuable mare in foal, B. Rankin, Q. C., is acting for the plaintiffs. Chatham Encampment, No. 10, I.O.O F.

has elected the following officers:--Chief Patriarch, H. W. Smith; senior warden, Samuel Holmes; junior warden, G. H. MacPherson; high priest, Wm. Pickard. recording scribe, Edward Wing; financi l scribe, A. M. Lafferty; treasurer, John Turner, trustee, J. Bosworth.

We must have a number of reliable persons and families in this locality to work for us whole or spare time, good wages paid. No canvassing. good wages paid. No canvassing. Write for position to-day. People's Syndicate, Dept. A., 130 Yonge street,

OFFICERS ELECTED.

The annual election of officers of Chatham Camp, No. 78, Canadain Order Woodmen of the World, which took place in their men of the World, which took place in their Camp in the I. O. O. F. Temple on Thursday evening, the 20th inst., resulted as follows:—Past Con. Com., W. E. Merritt; Con. Com., James McLachlan; Advg. Lieut., W. C. Burrows; banker, Frank Shoemaker; clerk, Fred Thompson; medical adviser, W. R. Hall; escort, Norman Burrows; watchman, W. A. Moore; sentry, Hugh Lamont; managers, J. J. Ross, W. A. Moore and W. E. Merritt.

Dr. Patterson : :::: Dentist

First Class Work. Very Moderate Fees

R. J. Brown leaves for Toronto and New Market for the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. John Guy and two children leave on Sunday for Peter-boro to spend the Christmas holidays. Chief Young came to this city in 1852. He said he never saw such a crowd in the city as were with us to-day. Muny farm recouldn't get couldn't get accommo

The subject for debate at the Macau ay Club to-night is 'Resolved that the ranchise should be extended to Women." Leader of the affirmative, R. L. Brackin; leader of negative, Fred. Hall; reading, Thos. Scullard.

Fred Goodland has received a copy of the Tiverton Gazette from friends in England. The paper contains an appount of the presentation of a handsome sword, inlaid with gold and jewels, to Gen. Buller. The inscription on the sword is, "Presented to the Right Hon. Gen. Sir Redvers Buller, V. C., G. C. B., K. C. Mi G., by the county of Levon, in recognition of county of Levon, in recognition

KEY IS STILL THERE. Chief Jacques says that the key has not been removed from the box at the corner of Harvey and West streets, but that he moved the key box to the other side of the post owing to the repeated breaking of the glass. Inside ten days the chief put seven new panes in the key box. Several times also, the key hole of the alarm box has been plugged with mud. A watch is been plugged with mud. A watch is being kept for the guilty ones. Boys in the neighbood are believed to be re-

K. O. T. M. OFFICERS-ELECT. The K. O. T. M. held a lunch and smol

The A. U. 1. M. held as lunch and smok-er after their special meeting, called for the purpose of electing officers. The following officers were elected:— Past Commander—J. M. Pike. Commander—R. O. Springer. Lieut. Commander—Wm. Owens. Record keeper—C. W. Sulman. Chaplin—Wm. Courtney. Sergeant-W. Dezelia. ster-at-arms-Jos. Tilt. Master-at-arms—Jos. Inc.
1st master of guards—Frank Gorman.
2nd master of guards—H. Jacques.
Sentinel—Sydney Woods.
Picket—Chas. Hammond.

Physican—Dr. Tye. Auditors—J. M. Pike and Chas. Brandt. T. ANDREW'S SUNDAY SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT.

annual Christmas entertain-St. Andrew's Sunday school ist evening and the gatherwas shers, pupils and parents proved happy one. The school room was well filled with a very appreciat proved was well filled with a very appreciative audience. The program consisted of choruses by the school children, a sollo by Mass Minnings, a recitation by Edna Huson, and a hoop drill by the girls of the Sunday school under the direction of Miss-Kerr. A demonstration of the Fletcher system of music, kindergranter, was given under the kindergarten, was given under the direction of Mrs. S. H. Marshall. This part of the program was the most en-tertaining feature of a splendid con-cent. It showed explicitly and intelli-gently the ease with which children, from six to ten years old, could be be taught the rediments of music be taught the rudiments of music. The work of Mrs. Marshall was highly appreciated and it exhibited a thorough understanding of music and pian playing. The entertainment concluded with the annual visitation of Santa Claus with his usual equipment of sweatmeats. James Trotter officiated by the the inas the venerable old boy to the in-tense satisfaction of the juveniles.

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A GREAT MARKET.

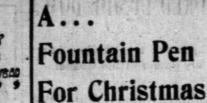
There was one of the largest markets in the history of the Square to-day. Everything in fresh meats and poultry to vegetables and fruits were on sale, and in addition to the large number of sellers the market was crowded with buyers. There was probably not enough produce and meats on the market to feed an army a month, as Capt. Bell, of the 24th Bittation, estimated, but aforementioned army would probably have managed to exist on the eatables offered for several days without feeling at all a lack of food. The offerings of poultry were very heavy and the birds were all choice. Turkeys were birds were all choice. Turkeys were most in evidence and were ready sellers at from 50c, to \$2. Other poultry was plentiful without any change in value. There was a good supply of fre h meats. Beef sold at 5c. to 6c., port 7 to 8c. and mutton 7 to 8c. Vegetables were plentiful at the prices that have ranged for the past month. Lettuce sold at 20c. per month. Letture sold at 20c. per lb., and potatee at 35 to 40c. per bag.

SPECIAL TRAIN SERVICE FOR CHRISTMAS.

In order to meet the conven the travelling public, the Canadian Pacific Railway will run two extra trains, one leaving the Chatham station for Toronto and eastern points, on Sunday at 2.36 a. m., and another will go west at 1.05 on Monday morning. The usual round rates will be aftern the control of the

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To the Electors of Chathan

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am a candidate for alderman for 1901 and if my past services has met with your approval I once more ask for your support. Thanking you for past favors I am,

Yours respectfully;

A. B. McCOIG.

Tev. Fathers Solanus, Herman and Gabriel, and the Mother Superior of the Convent, attended the closing exthe Convent, attended the closing ex-ercises at the Separate school yester-day. Miss Laura McDonald, daugh-ter of D. J. McDonald, read an ad-dress to the clergy and each of the priests was presented with a cup and saucer. Father Herman entertained the children with magic lantern views Tle scholars on being dismissed were each presented with a package of

For Sale—About 28 acres of land, with plenty of fruit and water, modern buildings; half mile from station and store, and two miles from Unesden. Possession 1st March, This is a very handsome little place. (Apply to this office, or address, "Farmer," care of Planet Office, Chatham. In the hearing of claims against the late Chatham Banner Co., in liquidation, at Osgoode Hall yesterday, Mr. Neff, the liquidator, said that the claims against the company total \$8,000, but half of them are being disputed. The assets are \$5,000, the amount obtained from the sale of the paper.

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What 25c Will Buy

| Men's handsome neck ties, knots, puffs, bows, four-in-hands, all styles25c |
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| Men's handsome neck ties, knots, pans, botts, lotter of the Office |
| Dane' colored bordered lawn handkerchiefs, the latest, 2 lor |
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| Men's and Boys' winter caps, special values, all sizes |
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| Men's and Boys' four fold linen collars, 5 styles, 3 for |
| Men's and Boys' wool mittens, nice colorings, a pair |
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| Men's fine black cashmere gloves, value |
| Men a line place and a second |
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| | American neckwear novelties, the swellest line shown, all styles50c |
| | Clargedon made neck scarfs, quilted, big range of patterns |
| | Powerl and links the latest special |
| | Men's and Youth's gloves, Astrachan back, kid face, dressy |
| | Men's and Boys' white dress shirts, all sizes |
| | Men's extra value in fleece and wool underwear |
| | Men's fancy holiday braces, very pretty |

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| | Beautiful cashmere and pure silk neck scarfs, big size |
| | Man's fine pure word underwear, special, a Diece |
| | Men's Suede dress gloves, tan shades |
| | Men's white and dress shirts Men's cardigan jackets, special |
| | Man's black will and eatin neck mumers, dulited value |
| | Men's reversible neck mufflers, pretty designs |

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| Men's swell dress gloves, nice shades tan\$1.00 |
| Men's swell dress gloves, nice shades tan. |
| Men's swell dress gloves, silk lined, brown shades |
| Men's wool lined Mochett gloves, brown shades \$1.00 |
| Men's woot ined atoeners give |
| Claredown mufflers, reversible shaped |
| Men's special black silk and satin mufflers, handsomely quilted\$1.00 |
| Man's colored silk neck squares pretty natterns, also plain black |
| Men's holiday colored shirts, the nobbiest out\$1.00 |
| Men's holiday colored shirts, the hobbiest out |
| Men's special eardigan jackets, black and brown |
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