



Fruits Are Cheaper

From far-a-way ports come Figs and Dates, and many good things in the fruit line. The change in Customs Duty which took place last week has made these things cheaper to the consumer.

We give you new prices:

TABLE FIGS, 2 pounds for 25c.

SELECT DATES, 3 pounds for 25c

SWEET ORANGES, 25c a dozen

JUICY LEMONS, 25c a dozen.

TABLE RAISINS, 25c a pound.

NEW MIXED NUTS, 18c a pound

SHELLED NUTS, 40c a pound.

Have you given us your order for fruits yet?

H. Malcolmson

As the desirable sailings of steamships for the Old Country are rapidly filling up on account of the Christmas travel, those desiring accommodation for any sailing between now and Christmas should make application at once to W. B. Rispin, General Steamship Ticket Agent, 115 King St., who can give them choice of all all boats crossing the Atlantic.

Even the tender may be accused of having base motives.

Minard's Lament—Lumberman's Friend.

TO-NIGHT
Council meeting, Harrison Hall, at 8 o'clock.
Western City Lodge, I. O. O. F., at 8.
Sons of England, in their hall, at 8 o'clock.
Young People of Christ Church meet in S. S. Hall at 8.
Young People's Society, lecture hall, William St. Baptist Church, 8 o'clock.
Meeting of bank clerks in connection with hockey, Hotel Rankin, at 8 o'clock.

LOCAL

Smoke Quail on Trout Cigar—St. R. Tooley, of Wallaceburg, is a city guest to-day.

Louis Palmer, of Tilbury, spent Saturday in the city.

Dr. Langford, of Blenheim, was a city visitor this morning.

Remember the lecture on Rome, the City of Seven Hills, Baptist church, Orlo Colborne, of Blenheim, spent yesterday in Chatham, the guest of friends.

Miss Minnie Stewart, of Blenheim, the guest of Mrs. Thomas Groves, Poplar St.

Bargain days at Crump's: great big bunches of fresh cut chrysanthemums for ten cents.

M. Brabant and Myles McCarron, of Wallaceburg, spent Sunday in the city, the guests of friends.

Mrs. Thomas Smith, who underwent a critical operation at St. Joseph's Hospital, Saturday, is now doing nicely.

Lost—On Saturday, between Stanley Ave. and Manson Campbell's factory, a gold chain and locket, bearing initials C. L. N. and 1983. Finder kindly leave at this office.

A. I. McCall & Co., Ltd., opened up two hundred dollars' worth of Cut Glass to-day for their Christmas trade.

The funeral of the late Michael Cleary took place at three o'clock Saturday, from St. Joseph's Church to St. Anthony's Cemetery.

Robert Gray, president of the Wm. Gray & Sons Carriage Company, of Chatham, Ont., who spent two days in the city, returned east yesterday.

Rev. Mr. Huddleston, of Hamilton, occupied the pulpit in William Street Baptist church Sunday. At the morning service a solo was rendered by Miss Helen Carter, and at the evening service the Misses Carter rendered a duet, Miss Helen Carter taking the solo part in the anthem. The musical part of the service was particularly good. Miss Carter, the choir leader, is being complimented on all sides on the excellent manner in which the Baptist choir is progressing.

WE WISH YOU

A Merry Christmas

Christmas comes and every heart overflows with Yuletide joy.

What Shall I Give Him For Christmas

This is the same difficult problem that presents itself at every recurrence of the season.

We come to your rescue and say, "Come here with all your troubles and let us show you." We're in holiday attire and have things a man buys for himself and appreciates most. We can, also fill the boys stockings as satisfactory as the man's.

A Few Suggestions

Overcoats	Neckwear	Collars
Rain Coats	Gloves	Cuffs
Suits	Underwear	Mufflers
Trousers	Suspenders	Hats
Fancy Vests	Umbrella	Sweaters
Smoking Jackets	Shirts	Etc., Etc.

We'll lay aside your selection until Christmas, and we'll make any exchanges desired.

GEO. MEYNELL

Clothes, Hats and Toggery.

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The very latest and most desirable styles in Beavers' Plaques and Felt Shapes, Hoods, etc., strictly high grade goods. Prices very much reduced in price. One Table Trimmed Hats \$1.98, \$2.48

C. A. Cooksley,

KING STREET

Smoke Lord Lake Cigar—10c.

One or two good "ad" men wanted at this office.

P. W. Stone, of Merlin, was in the city on business Saturday.

Miss Anna Carson spent Sunday with friends in Windsor.

John Doyle, of Wallaceburg, called on city friends Saturday.

Neil Watson, of Mull, was among the city visitors Saturday.

W. J. Strong, of Detroit, spent Sunday at his home in this city.

Homer Smith, of Detroit, spent Sunday at his home in this city.

Herb Dennis, of Tilbury, spent yesterday with his parents in this city.

Miss Elsie Schwenker sang a solo in Holy Trinity Church last evening.

Mrs. Dennis, of Guelph, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Allen, Stanley avenue.

Lecture and 120 views "Paul's journey through Rome," to-morrow, 10 cents.

Miss Maud Henderson, of Blenheim, is the guest of Mrs. Geo. Wands, of Harvey St.

Rev. J. J. Ross, of London, will lecture in William St. Baptist Church to-morrow evening.

W. R. Cummings, of the Chatham football team, will leave for Glasgow, Scotland, next Saturday.

George Barry, of Wallaceburg, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Trudell, King St. West, Sunday.

A large assortment of suit cases and bags, special for Christmas trade. Call and see our stock. Backus & Dennis.

A meeting of the Lairoix St. Hockey team will be held in Lairoix's sporting emporium this evening.

Choice cannot coal for grates, Masillon and Pocahontas lump for range. Have you tried them? Some dry pine kindling cheap. Call us up. Fleming, Tilson & Co., phone 58 or 270.

At the evening service in Park St. Methodist Church, Sunday, a duet was rendered by Miss Hollinrake and Mrs. P. G. Hart. Miss Anna Clements sang a solo.

A lecture with stereopticon views, entitled, "City of Seven Hills," will be given by the Rev. J. J. Ross, in the Wm. St. Baptist Church, Tuesday, Dec. 11th. Admission 10c.

Rev. Mr. Elford occupied the pulpit, Sunday morning and evening in Victoria Ave. Methodist Church. At the evening service a selection was rendered by the mixed quartet.

Commencing to-day, Stone The Hatter offers one-fourth off all suits, overcoats and odd pants. The sale will last until the end of this month. These prices are for spot cash only. Every customer saves 25 per cent. on his purchase. Don't fail to take advantage of this sale. Stone & Co.

The St. Knights of the Macosbees are making arrangements for the entertainment of the District Convention of the K. O. T. M., which is to be held in Chatham during January, at which there will be a large attendance from the surrounding towns.

Mr. Wm. Morrice, lately with Mr. Potter, Queen street, has now a butcher business in the shop previously conducted by Mr. James Few, Queen street. He announces that he is now ready to meet all customers, and that he carries in stock a full line of first class cold storage meats. Phone 546.

Mort Sheldon arrived in the city Saturday from Battle Creek Sanitarium, where he recently underwent quite a critical operation for varicose veins in his lower limbs. The operation proved successful and has given Mr. Sheldon much relief. He received injuries in a game of football on the park three years ago, through which he contracted the varicose veins. The operation was a very delicate one, as the veins had to be removed from the knees to the ankles, and the blood made to flow through the smaller veins of the legs.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.

Fazo Ointment is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Bleed, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days, or money refunded—50 cents.

Don't Wait!

We have everything of the very best for your Christmas baking. There is nothing that enters into your pudding, cakes or mince meat that we don't keep, and of the very finest quality.

Mixed Peels 25c. per lb. (no sugar; no waste.)

Seeded Raisins 12 1-2c. per Pound.

(The very finest)

Baked Oiler

Celery

Lettuce.

Seashell Oysters

The King Edward

Grocery.

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DR. A. A. HICKS

...DENTIST...

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OVER TURNER'S DRUG STORE

PHONE 331

J. C. Wanless is indisposed.

Stereopticon views on Rome by Rev. J. J. Ross, admission 10c, Tuesday.

Mrs. Pickard, of Ridgetown, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Will Smith, Wellington street.

A magnificent line of pearl rings, prices ranging from \$3.50 to \$75.00, at E. J. MacIntyre's, leading jeweler and optician.

THE MacINTYRE—BADGLEY

RECITAL

Reserve seat sale opens at Briscoe's on Thursday, Dec. 13, 10 a. m. for ticket holders, and to the public Friday, Dec. 14, 10 a. m. Tickets can be secured in advance at the Central Drug Store, A. I. McCall's Drug Store and W. W. Turner's Drug Store. Price 50c., any part of the house. Those reserving first get best locations.

Heaven sends us misfortune as a moral tonic

Conditions carry people beyond the bounds of reason without cause.

For the story readers products of all McClure's fiction favorites will appear and a large number of writers who have "hit" recently. Such well known names as Joseph Conrad, Mary Stewart Cutting, Perceval Gibbon, Viola Roseboro, O. Henry, Myra Kelly, Rex Beach, Mrs. Wilson Woodrow and Helen R. Martin give promise of as good stories of various sorts as any reader could wish.

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McCLURE'S FOR 1907

In the January number of McClure's will begin the Life of Mary Baker Eddy and the History of the Christian Science Movement. For the first time a complete, impartial and true story of Mrs. Eddy, and Christian Science is to be had—it will run throughout the year. Georgine Milmine has written the story—nearly three years she has pursued her study of the subjects. Five other writers of McClure's staff have worked with her to make this story accurate, fair, unbiased and complete. In view of the fact that for some months the press has been full of diverse and conflicting news and statements regarding Mrs. Eddy, it is evident that accurate knowledge concerning her is difficult to obtain in a short time. Consequently McClure's long and thorough preparation of its series will give us for the first time a true history and account of her and her cult.

Carl Schurz's Reminiscences on a long life will be continued. An indication of the timeliness of these reminiscences and the reawakened national interest in Carl Schurz to which they have contributed, are the great Carl Schurz Memorial Meetings held recently in the cities, and the Memorial Movement started which proposes to raise \$250,000, and to erect a Carl Schurz Memorial as a tribute to his great service to the progress of our country.

William Allen White, Samuel Hopkins Adams, Burton J. Hendrick and George Kibbe Turner will also contribute to McClure's powerful articles on present day topics, conditions and men of national interest. These writers are big men and the work of each one aside from its literary achievement is a compelling, wholesome factor in the regeneration which the United States are now undergoing.

George Kenan, who won his spurs by his remarkable series on Siberia and Russia's Exile System has been added to McClure's staff. The results will appear at an early date.

Ellen Terry contributes an intimate history of the English drama of our day. This writing teems with anecdotes and incidents from the lives of great actors whom she knew intimately. From these droll, amusing and interesting happenings we can understand why these men and women of genius became loved and famous.

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