Here's Coffee for You ::::

The quality we sell at 35c. a pound-nothing in the city at that price to equal it. This particular coffee is our "American Blend," made to suit those who like a good strong coffee, and rich,

35c. a Po nd.

FINE TABLE RAISINS, 20c. a Pound. BEST MIXED NUTS 15c. a Pound. SWEET ORANGES, 20c. a Dozen. SEEDLESS ORANGES, 4oc. and soc. a Dozen.

TABLE FIGS.

H. MALCOLMSON

HAVE YOU SEEN MY LINE OF

Secret - Lockets Stick Pins

The most beautiful designs ever

Cuff Links

Plain fancy and beaded.

Diamond Opal Turqoise Pearl.

And other settings. These in a dainty box make a beautiful pres-

Belt Pins

Also the most beautiful Ever shown in Chatham.

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For the next few days on the remainder of our stock of fined \$2 and costs, \$6 in all, for using

Fancy Perfumes, Fine Brushes, Mirrors, Novelties, &c.

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28 Rutherford Block. Phone 221.

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LADIES AND GENTLEMEN-Respectfully seeking re-election

the Harwich council. Yours, JAMES McCORMICK. I. boy.

CORRECT ATTIRE



For special occasions is not easily procurable at all times. The only way to have a

Dress Sult Ready at

all Times is to own one; and the only way

to be sure of a perfect fit is to have it made here. We have the correct goods for these garments in stock. Call and see them. We guarantee Quality. Fit and Style equal to anything turned out in this country.

MORLEY & CO., Fine Talloring.

DR. A W. THORNTON Xmas Gifts for Father DENTIST,

or Gentlemen Friend. Bath Robes \$3 50 to 6.00. Night Shirts, Soc. to \$2 50. Handker-chiefs, 5c, 10c, 25c. Slipper Cares 5oc. to \$1.00. Calenders, 15c. to TELEPHONE OFFICE. 164. RESIDENCE 285. } \$1.00. Den Ornaments, 10c. to \$3.00. Burnt Leather Pipe Racks

TO-NIGHT.

Tent No. 8, K. O. T. M., Maccab

John Griffith in "Macbeth," at th

First Presbyterian Young People's

A. O. U. W., in their lodge room, op

Miss Clara Warren left Wednesday

E. John Degge, Chicago, is visiting

E. W. Arnold, Battle Creek, Mich.,

Jas. McCormick is spending a fe-

Found, a parcel of white oil cloth. Owner will find it at this office.

Miss Robertson, of Stewart, spent Wednesday with her Chatham friends

Geo. Thompson, of Detroit, is spend-

ing a few days at his former home

George Ryan, St. Paul, is spend-

ing Christmas with his father, Lydi-

Tom Richardson, of Sarnia, is

Miss A'ma Gammage, Releigh street will spend the Christmas holdays in

Ross McColl, of Valetta, is spending

Mr. and Mrs .G. W. Raymond spent

Christmas with Mrs. Raymond's fa-

Jesse Ross, of Toledo, was in the city on Wednesday on his way to

E. Harold Bankin left Wednesday

Miss S. Hayne, of this city, left for

Bryden where she will spend the Christmas holidays,

Miss Beatrice Ermat'inger, of St.

Mr. and Mrs. Stapleton Caldecott

spent Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Beverley Smith.

Miss Nellie Cotton, who has been

ill in St. Joseph's hospital, has re-

Word has been received that Doug

las Stevens is somewhat better and

naulting language to John Glass-

holidays with his parents at Ridge-

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Rutley are spend

ing Christmas at Covington, Ky,

with their daughter, Mrs. Braun-

Hubert Robert has arrived home

ferin avenue, left on Wednesday for

Miss Alice West, who has been re

siding with Mr. and Mrs. A. Sheldrick for the past three years, has gone to Ionia, Mich., where she will visit her

W. H. Mitchell, of Wallaceburg, spent Wednesday with his many Chat-ham friends. Mr. Mitchell who is

better known as "Doc,", is an old C. C.

her at Stewart.

with their daughter

is able to take a little nour shment.

urned home fully recovered.

Mrs. Hall, and son, of Michigan, are visiting Mrs. D.

Newcombe, Raleigh street.

Thomas, was a guest at the Garner House on Wednesday.

for Paisley where he will spend the

his Christmas holidays at his home in

spending Christmas at his home

this city.

this city.

ther in Detroit.

rey, Grant St.

visit in Vosburg.

Christmas vacation.

days with his parents, Grant St.

Grand, at 8.15.

iterary Society, at 8.

his mo her, Mrs. Funston.

is visiting in the city.

osite Rankin House, at 8.

B. Y. P. U. 8.00 o'clock. WELDON'S, KINGS! Nex to Malcolm so

> ****** Chatham's Millinery Store!

25c, to 75c. Sofa Pillows, 25c. to \$6.0c. Hair Brushes, 40c. to \$2 00.

GREAT BARGAINS in **VELVETS AND** CHIFFONS OVELY SHADES FOR EVENING WEAR

COOKSLEY'S Opposite the Market Square,

Steam heaters are being placed i he G. T. R. station. Bert Wilson, of Wallaceburg, spent Christmas in the city. C. E. Bowers, of Wallacebe

Christmas in the Maple City.

O'Brien Bros. shipped 5,000 Quail on Toast cigars to Windsor on Wednes-Thomas Bowers of Wallacebur visited friends here yesterday. John Griffith, Canada's favor t or in Much th, at Grant to-night W. Miller, of Westman's, is spendng a couple of days in Thamesville Mr. Fitz-Simon, of the Dresden beet sugar factory, spent Christmas in the

> Will Smith, of Austin's store, Christmas with his parents in Lon-

Thomas Swan, of Flint, Mich., spen Christmas with friends in the Maple Mr. and Mrs John A. Ward, of

Thames street, spent Christmas in J. L. Wilson, architect, was quite ill yesterday, but is much improved

M. Humphrey, of Bradshaw, is the Percy Bedford, of Walkerville, spending a few days at his home in

> Blenheim, were visitors in the city Jesse Partridge, of Detroit, is visiting his uncle, John Turner, Rich-

Miss Gertrude Holflinger, of Toledo

Otio, was a guest at the Rankin House over Christmas.

Geo. Thompson, Jr., an old Chatham boy, now of Detroit, spent Christmas in the city.

Wanted! A good, smart, intelli-gent boy, to learn the printing business in The Planet News Room. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mann, of Whitebread, are the guests of the former's parents, Murray street. Judge Woods will give an address

to-night on the effect of Christianity on the World at Victoria avenue Me-Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Mounteer are thodist League. spending the Christmas vacation with Mounteer's parents, in Brantford. Herb. Northwood,, formerly of Th

Planet bookbinding department, now Dr. and Mrs. McDonald, of Grand of Detroit, is spending. Christmas at Rapids, Mich., are visiting Mr and Mrs. Wm. Somerville of this city. his home here. Elmo Marshall, a former student i Wilson, Pike and Gundy's law office is spending the Christmas holidays

with his brother in this city. Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Patterson and daughter, Fern, of Detroit, Mich., are spending the Christmas hol days with his mother, Mrs. Patterson, Lorn

James Causgrove, of the Blonde Co's office, will spend the Christmas Geo. A. Shibbert, of Northern Michigan, is spending his Christmas at his old home here. Mr. Shibbert was formerly engaged in the T. H. Taylor flour mills.

The charge against Patrick Dovle morning at the Police Court. Doyl was charged with buncoing William Rennett.

from L'Assumption College, Sandwich. Hubert is not experiencing the best Found! A child's shoe, in the Ran-kin House, on Wednesday evening. Rodney Smith, of Ottawa, passed The owner may procure the same by through the city Wednesday on the calling at the Rankin House and pay-The owner may procure the same by way to spend Christmas with his fa- ing for this ad. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Garrett, Duf-

Miss Boyer and John Poile, both of this city, were married on Monday at the home of the bride's parents, Wind Toronto, where they will spend Christ-They have returned to the city and are residing on Selkirk St.

The manager of the House of Ref uge, Mr. Arnold, desires to thank Pert Malcolmson, of the Malcolmson store for a generous donation of nuts and oranges for the inmates,

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Tschirhart, Mr and Mrs. Jacob Tschirhart, Nathan and Anson Tschirhart and Miss Bearden, of Detroit, spint Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tschirhart, of

Aiden Benedict is rapidly becomi one of the leading and most prosper-ous of American managers. He has added John Griffith to his list of enterprises, and presents him in Macboth to-night, at the Opera House.

Will Colles had a very busy day yesterday between meals shaking hands with his many friends in this city. Will returned on the 8.15 express this morning to Detroit, where he has accepted a very desirable

Miss Maud Northwood has resigned her position as assistant superinter-dent of the Vermillien County Hospital of Denver, Ill., and will talk up a post graduate course in the Polly Clinic College, of New York. Her many friends will be pleased to hear that she is meeting with unbounded success in her chosen profession and will wish her continued success at college. She is at present visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs J. C. North-

Opening Month of New Year Full of 'torm Periods and Very Cold.

Other Arctic Waves Will Prevail During January-A Very Severe Storm.

Reactionary storm disturbances form of rain, sleet and snow, will pening of January. A Mercury per-od is central the 6th, covering the 1st to the 13th. The storms in progress at the opening of January will show the influence of Mercury, by thick, prolonged cloud ness, with heavy sleet ver vast districts in most parts of the country. A rapid rise of the bar ometer, high northwesterly winds, snow drifts and a cold wave may looked for about the 1st to the

"The regular storm period begin-ning on the 4th, is central with the Mercury period on the 6th, extending to the 9th. About the 4th, the barometer will fell decidedly, it will grow much warmer, beginning in the west, and during the 4th, to about the 8th heavy winter storms of rain, snow and sheet will pass in regular order from western to eastern parts of our continent. Very general and damaging sleet storms will be a marked characterisitic of these storms, followed from the west and by driving blizzardous snow, rising barometer and very cold. Look for severe and general cold over most, parts of the country from about the 7th to 11th, progressively, of course, not with the same degrees of cold everywhere during all that time. Watch for the wave to hit your section some time between the 7th and 11th, and do not be disappointed if the north pole is not dumped into your yard every day from the 7th to Remember that cold waves, like other great and good things, are progressive—that they come to you from the west, abide with you usually

for a limited time, and then pass on to more easierly parts of the country. "On and touching the 12th and 13th prevailing cold will moderate, winds will shift to southerly, the barome ef will fall, bring ng en a marked change, or reaction to more rain, snow, sleet, and storminess. Moon is in perigee on the 12th and full on the 13th, facts which always tend to aggravate storm conditions that may prevail at the same time. Look for ano her sharp and decided cold wave immediately on the heels of storms

central on the 12th and 13th. The next regular storm period is cen.ral on the 17th, reaching from the 15th to the 20th. Moon is on the celestial equator on the 17th, hence w general change to warmer will set in about that date, with fall ng barometer and marked return of general s orm conditions. From about Saturequator on the 17 h, h n'e high temperature for the season will be naturat on and about that date, with win-ter lightning and thunder very probab'y southward. But tropical features will soon disappear, and genu ne win er storms, a ning to blizzards in many sections, will quickly fol-

"About the 22nd or 24th, look fo some moderation of the prevail ng cold with falling barometer, growing cloudiness and return of rain and snow in wide sections. will be at greatest south declination at this time, causing atmospheric, as well as oceanic tides, to lean that way, hence con inued cold, with northerly winds, will be most natural for many

lays about this time. The last storm period for the month extends from the 27th to the 31st, bein geen ral on the 29th. New moon falls on the 28th, a fact that will hasten the change back to very marked storm conditions.

"There are good reasons to apprehend that hard and general winter storms will occur on sea and land during the last four days of January. The Venus perturbation will be authorities are taking over the control a decided factor in the last two storm of the line for some distance from Andiperiods for the month. This means that very sudden and extreme changes of temp rature will occur, with winter rains, wind and thunder, changing with surprising suddenness into fearful blizzards and tempestuous, bor-eal winds and cold waves. Some such results need not surprise any reader of these forecasts during the last eek in January."

CHRISTMAS SERVICE

A very large number attended Christ church yesterday morning. Rural Dean McCosh, assisted by Rev.

Mr. McCosh preached an excellent Christmas sermon, and the music by the choir was especially good. One special feature of the service was the vocal solo, "The birthplace of the King," sung by Miss Lucy McKellar the new soprano soloist of the church. Miss McKellar is possessed of a beautiful voice, full of sweetne and expression, and she sang her sol much comment after the service. The following was the program

Gloria 12—Reed. Kyrie—Jackson, Gloria Tibi. Laus Tibi.

Te Deum-Theckstun-Mixed quar-Jubilata Deo-Lorenz. Hymn 88. Solo-The hirthplace of the King-Miss Lucy McKellar,

Sermon. Anthem. Christmas Carols-Anger.

TEN KILLED IN WRECK.

So Far Ten Bodies Have Been Recovered and Several Others May be

ast night indicate that the wreck of the ly loaded coal train, was more serious than at first reported. At least ten men were killed and several more bodies may be found before the wreck is clear ed away.

LORENZ DENIES REPURTS.

SAYS THAT HE IS NOT MAKING LARGE SUMS.

ing by His Visit, For Which He is Glad.

New York, Dec. 26 .- Dr. Adolf Lorenz, who returned to this city from Boston, while discussing his visit to the country said in an interview: ed just \$30,000. My practice at home in four months is worth that. True, I was working in the hospitals in the

DELIBERATE SUICIPE.

HUNGARIAN COUNT TOOK CARE TO AVOID FAILURE.

Tied Himself to the Mast of a Small Boat and Then Shot Him-

this morning the Count took a small day the 17th, to Tuesday the 20th, the sorms of this period will reach thericularing cress in all central to the mast of the boat, that he could not fall out, and then eastern parts of the country. The not fall out, and then shot himself moon passes south of the celestial through the head, using a revolver.

RAILWAY MEN SCARED.

STOCK IN MOTION.

eismic Disturbances Continue in An-Aggregates Several Million Dol-

and the station is closed. The militar millions of dollars.

How the Royal Family Spent Christ-

EMBEZZLED FIREMEN'S FUNDS. Treasurer For Twenty Years Made

Newark, N.J., Dec. 26.-Francis J. Meeker of the Newark Firemen's Relief Association is a prisoner at police headquarters, charged by Assistant Chief W. C. Astley, President of the association, with embezzlement. The specific charge as sworn to before Judge Lambert is \$5,000, but the total defaleation, it is said, will aggregate \$10,000 or \$11,000. Meeker has been Treasurer of the association over twenty years. nation over twenty years.

State Senator Trainor Dead.

Trinidad, Col., Dec. 26 .- Developments Colorado & Southern Railway near here caused by a collision between a merchandise freight train and a heavi-

Physicians of Various Cities Profit-

-"There is one thing I want to say, and that is in regard to finance. I see it reported that I have made in this country \$160,000. Now, as a matter of fact, I got one fee of \$30,000 in Obleago, and in the four months I have been in the United States I have earnhave seen a number of private patients in each of the cities I have visited, but, as you Americans say, in no instance have they more than paid the 'freight.' As a matter of fact, it has been the physicians of the various cities who have leagues, and I am glad they did, but you see I remained only two, three, four or perhaps five days. During that time I

Vienna, Dec. 26.—Count Stephen Bethen, a Hungarian Deputy and a member of an ancient and noble family, commited suicide at Abbazle, a watering place on the Gulf of Fiume. At dawn

EARTHQUAKE SET THE ROLLING

difin and District-The Damage St. Petersburg, Dec. 26 .- According to

the latest advices from Andijan, Russian Central Asia, the shocks of earthquake are continuing there. There have been our or five seismic disturbances daily, and a particularly violent series of shocks during the night of Dec. 22 and the following morning set all the rolling stock on the railway in motion, resulting in a panic among the railway men. Traffic is still suspended on the railway, jan. The damage resulting from the recent earthquake amounts to several

AT SANDRINGHAM.

mas Day. London, Dec. 26. - King Edward and Queen Alexandra spent yesterday at Sandringham. The royal family, includng the Prince of Wales, Princess Victoria, the Duchess of Fife and Prince and Princess Charles of Denmark attended an early service at Sandringham Church, which was beautifully decorated for the occasion. The King afterwards personally directed the annual distribution of beef and game to the employees and tenants on the Sandringham estate.

Away With About \$11,000.

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 25. —State Senator Patrick F. Trainor of the 16th Senate district of New York County, died at *************** 7.20 o'clock this morning at the Ten

BAILWAY COLLISION MORE THE December Sale And Holiday Carnival at THE - GORDON - STORE.

> WILL CONTINUE BOOMING ANOTHER WEEK WITH NEW MARKED DOWN PRICES

We are doing better this winter than ever before and our stock is still well assorted. We mark down this week FUR LINED CAPES, ranging from \$12.00 to \$50.00, less 25 per cent. IN FURS.

DRESS TWEEDS. Splendid line of heavy double fold Tweeds for Tailored Suits, Separate Skirts on Boys' and Men's wear-25c., 5oc., 75c. to \$1.00 a yard. Our December Sale of Ladies' Tailored Suits will wind up to clear out every suit on hand at a real cut in HALF-PRICE.

BLANKETS. Grey or White Fleeced Blankets. Guarantee you sleep sound and comfortable, 75c pair. Woolen Blankets for single or Double Beds at December sale prices.

We are noted for Towellings and Glass Cloths—5c., 614, 8c., 10c., 12fc. We continue December Towel Sale of Specials 15c and 5oc. g. ds at 10c and 25c each.

FLANNELETT SALE. Fleeced Backs 5c., 8c., 10c., 12 c., 15c., for Fancy Wrappers of Waists, Light Blue Pink, Cream, White, 5c., up, with a great warrety. SCARLET UNDERWEAR.

Anti-Rheumatic, for Men, 50c., 75c.; for Women, \$100; Black Tights. Natural Wool Unshrinkable Underwear fare BOYS' SWEATERS, all sizes, from 50c. up to \$1.00.

Two bales of heavy full 36 in. wide Unbleached sheeting at 5c. yd, all widths, in plain or twilled sheetings, Bleached or Unbleached, prices right. You should visit our Millinery Parlors just now. We close out at our December Sole MILLINERY. You should visit our Millinery Parlors just now. We close out at our December Sale prices some very fine Hats. Our Children's Hats and Bonnets are noted for their dames stylishness. Mourning Hats and Bonnets and Widows' Dress Caps, &c.

WM. GORDON

HOLIDAY BARGAINS FOR THE HOME.

During holidays we will sell Haskin's Native Port Wine and Walker's Superior

Lager at a bargain. Haskin's Famous Wine very fine special price per gallon 80c.

Walker's well-known Superior Lager made of pure malt only, special price for to-morrow only:

I Case, two doz. quarts \$1.80

I Case, three doz. pints \$1.60

Popular Brands of fine Ales and Porters WALKER'S GRANT SPRING LABATT'S CARLING'S

We also carry a large assortment of the LEAD-ING BRANDS in Irish, Scotch and Old Rye Whiskies, which are noted for the great age and

mellowness. Fine old Brandies imported direct from

The best Malt Beverages in the Country.

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Cognac, France.

Importer for the magnificent "EMPERADOR" Sherry. TRY A. BOTTLE.

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C. P. R. GROCERY

We have bought a first-class stock of Groceries from the largest importing houses in the country. We will be able to give you value for your money which cannot be surpassed. NEW RAISINS

NEW CURRANTS NEW FIGS NEW DATES NEW PEELS FRESH NUTS And everything you need

the Christmas baking.

Goods Delivered. ******

I. M. TAYLOR

......<u>.</u> THIBODEAU & JACQUES

YOU MAY HAVE SOME of your friends in the matter of Christmas

FORGOTTEN giving and require a supplementary list for

Notwithstanding the rushing business of the past few weeks, we are still well supplied with suitable Gift Goods, such as UMBRELLAS HANDKERCHIEFS:

LADIES' KID GLOVES, TIES and SCARFS. MEN'S LINED GLOVES and MITTS LINEN SETS, ETC. We will be very liberal in our prices on these goods

from NOW until NEW YEAR. Come and See for Yourself.

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************************************ TO CURE' A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tab-ets. All druggists refund the money ed of if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's sig-nature is on each box. 25c. sure to if it fails to cure.

Minard's Lintment Cures Colds, etc. lars.

The well 'crown Continental Limit