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IX/E are not advertising to-day. We want to use this space, and take this opportunity to thank our patrons for helping us to end this old year well. .

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Asthmalene Brings Instant Relief and Permanent Cure in all as s.

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There is nothing like Asthmalene. It brings instant relief, even in the worst cases. It cures when all else

The Rev. C. F. Wells, of Villa Ridge cannot tell you how thankful I feel for the good derived from it. I was a slave, chained with a putrid sore throat and asthma for some ten years. I saw your advertisement for the cure of this dreadful and tormenting disease. Asthma, and thought you had overspoken yourselves, but resolved to give it a trial. To my astonishment the trial acted like a charm. Send me a full-size bottle.

REV. DR. MORRIS WECHSLER, Rabbi of the Cong. Bnai Israel. New York, Jan. 3, 1901.

Drs. Taft Bros., Medicine Co., Gentlemen,-Your Asthmalene is an excellent remedy for Asthma and Hay Fever, and its composition alleviates all troubles which combine with asthma. Its success is astonishing and

After having it carefully analyzed, we can state that Asthmalene con opium, morphine, chloro-form, or

Avon Springs, N. Y., Feb. 1, 1901. Dr. Taft Bros. Medicine Co., Gentlemen,-I write this testimonial from a sense of duty, having tested the wonderful effect of your Asthmalene, for the cure of Asthma. My wife has been afflicted with spasmodic asthma for the past 12 years. Having exhausted my own skill as well as many others, I chanced to see your sign upon your windows on 130th street, New York, I at once obtained a bottle of Asthmalene. My wife commenced taking it about the first of November. I very soon noticed a radical improvement.
After using one bottle her Asthma
disappeared and she is entirely free
from all symptoms. I feel that I can
consistently recommend the medicine
to all who are afflicted with this distressing disease.

Yours respectfully, O. D. PHELPS, M. D.



ether. Very truly yours, Rev. Dr. Morris Wechsler. Feb. 5, 1901.

Dr. Taft Bros. Medicine Co.

Gentlemen,—I was troubled with Asthma for 22 years. I have tried numerous remedies, but they have all failed. I ran across your advertisement and started with a trial bottle. I found relief at once. I have since purchased your full-size bottle, and I am ever grateful. I have family of four children, and for six years I was unable to work. I am now in the best of health and am doing business every day. This testimony you can make such use of as you see fit.

Home address, 235 Rivington street.

S. RAPHAEL,

67 East 129th street,
New York City.

Trial bottle sent absolutely free on receipt of postal.

Do not delay. Write at once, addressing DR. TAFT BROS.' MEDICINE CO., 79 East 130th street, N.

#### SNOW PLOUGH

It was only an old, dilapidated corn cultivator and, having served its time of usefulness, was being offered for s. t. on the market. The apparent uselessness of the old wreck appealed to the ingenuity and constructive ability of Engineer McNabb, and he purchased it.

chased it.

Then, with precision and the use of logarithms and other sciences known only to a civil engineer, he figured out that there was a snow plough concealed in that ancient agricultural implement and, with the aid and assistance of a blacksmith, the City Engineer evolved a snow plough from the corn cultivator that was carefully and marvellously made.

The snow came and the plough was used.

The machine had been built on scientific lines and was bound to do the work, only the Engineer hadn't allowed for the corn cultivator snow plough ed for the corn curtivator snow plough running straight. It ran most every way except straight, and sometimes it cleaned the snow from the side-walks and sometimes from the boule-vard. Despite its little eccentricities the snow plough was a lettle better than no snow plough at all.

#### GOOD SHOTS

some of the Local Marksmen Made Strong Scores in Tests Yesterday.

The following are the scores secured y the marksmen at yesterday's

1st Sweep, 10 pigeons—W. D. Tristem 5, J. Moore 3, A. C. McKay 7, Jos Oldershaw 6, T. Guttridge 3, Jas. Olshaw 7, W. Nichol 3, W. Hall 7, H. Cade 4, P. Taylor 5.

2nd Sweep, 10 targets—W. Hall 9, Tristem 10, McKay 9, Richards 6, W. Nichol 5, Wilson 8, Joe Oldershaw 7, Frazer 7, Jas. Oldershaw 4, Lunn 7, Frazer 7, Jas. Oldershaw 4, Lunn 6, Thomas Nichoi 5, F. Guttridge 4, Kime 5, McLean 4, Taylor 6, Herse 4,

#### WERE HONORED

ceive Gifts from Choir and Congregation of St.

Mr. and Mrs. S .H. Marshall, wi leave to-morrow for Guelph, were Tuesday evening presented by the choir of St. Andrew's Church with a handsome silver tea service as a slight mark of the esteem in which they are held by that choir. Accompanying the presentation was an engraving by J. W. Wilson: "Presented to Mr. and Mrs. Marshall, choirmaster and organist—To the best choirmaster and organist St. Andrew's Church ever had. By the choir." The occasion was a complete surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Marshall, both of suitable replies.

Last evening, at the residence of Mr D. McLachlan, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall were again surprised by numbers of the congregation of St. Andrew Church and presented with a well filled purse, accompanying which withe following address:-

Chatham, Ont., Jan. 1, 1902. Dear Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Learning, with regret, that you a about to sever your connection w St. Andrew's Church, we feel that cannot allow you to leave without ex-pressing to you in a measure, at least our very high appreciation of the ex-cellent service which you have render-ed to our church during your five years' stay with us. We have no hesitation in saying that in our estima-tion the church was never so well and faithfully served, either in the hand-ling of the organ or the leadership of the choir, as it has been during your engagement. While we will miss you yery much, yet we cannot but rejoice very much, yet we cannot but rejoice to know that since we are to lose you that what is our loss in this particular case is to be your gain, as we understand your new engagement will give you a wider sphere of usefulness and service. Before separating we ask you to accept this purse and its contents as a slight token of the high esteem in which you are held by us.

Wishing you both a most kappy and Wishing you both a most happy and prosperous New Year, and that you both may live long to conduct the service of song in other fields, we re

Signed on behilf of the friends, ROHT. GRAY, ROBERT RIDDELL, ARCHIE PARK.

UNIVERSITY.

ngural meeting of the liation of Toronto Uni-be County of Kent, the olution was unanimously Alumni Ass versity, of

during its last session, the rislature, in its desire to development of the minces of the province, set ain sum of money for the e of several of the science further th s of the University of

Toronto.

Resolved that this association hereby record its high appreciation of such action on the part of the Legislature, and respectfully urge upon the Government the advisability of carrying out its university policy by erecting at an arrly date the science building, as provided for in the estimates of the last session of the Legislature.

GRACE McDONALD,

Secretary.

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Chatham, Ont.
7th, 1901.
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d to the Government through

#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Theatrical

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"The Hottest Coon in Dixie" was the title on the boards last evening, under which a number of colored specialists went through a little ex-travaganza of their own. While there was nothing elaborate in the production, taken on the whole it was very fair.

"MAM'SELLE 'AWKINS." "MAM SELLE 'AWKINS."

The Toronto News of Dec. 10th says concerning an early attraction at the Grand, which Mr. Cairns has arranged to play Chatham at a scale of prices ranging from \$1.00 to 25 cents. This is the first time such an attraction has played any town the size of Chatham at such prices:

Fresh and light as the air is "Mam 'selle 'Awkins," and withal as pure. Sush a delicious musical comedy has not been seen at the Grand in quite

Sush a delicious musical comedy has not been seen at the Grand in quite a while, and of a truer, but few so unctuous in their humor, so softly winning as it were, can be recalled from the happy memories of the past. The piece is a capital vehicle of fum—plot, score and orchestration being agreeably good. It's the same old story, however, with not even a varnish of newness. The penniless Lord weds the rich lady, who knows not of his bankruptey. He keeps her ignorant of his financial standing with the aid of a Jew, a Highlander and a moneyed country girl. Complications crowd on each other, then follow explanations, and all rounds out harmoniously. Richard Carle has a dialogue to be proud of, and Alfred E. Aarons a truly beautiful lyrical collection. The large audience of first-nighters greeted Miss Delia Stacey cordially. She talks, sings and acts with gracious ease, and her enthusiasm seems infectious. A general Stacey cordially. She talks, sings and acts with gracious ease, and her enthusiasm seems infectious. A generous bouquet of white mums was presented to her in the first act. They were from the members of the company, and formed a slight mark of appreciation for loving kindnesses shown a chorus girl who was taken ill last week. Miss Ella de Vine, as Lady Janet Belford, is pretty and ac-Lady Janet Belford, is pretty and ac-complished. She sings "Mary Green" in a spirit of genuine pleasure and imparts the good feeling to her audi-tors. A vivacious actress of many tors. A vivacious actress of many physical charms is Miss Caralyn M. Huestis. The leading men are all good. Harry W. Wilson, making an

P. Sullivan, a laughable Scotchman. Eddie Smith, a Boniface, is inexpres-

ideal young Lord, J. J. Cluaton, an

interesting physical culturist, and J

The New Discovery for Catarrh Seen to Possess Remarkable Merit.

DOES NOT DISAPPOINT

A new catarrh cure has recently apeared, which, so far as tested, has

been remarkably successful in curing all forms of catarrh, whether in the head, throat, bromehail tubes, or in stomach and liver.

The remedy is in tablet form, pleasant and convenient to take, and no special secrecy is maintained as to what it contains, the tablet being a contains, the tablet being scientific combination of blood root red gum, and similar valuable and

The safe and effective catarrh cure may be found at any drug store under der the name of Stuart's Catarrh

Whether the catarrh is located in he nose, throat, bronchial tubes, or



smach, the tablets seem to act eling in head and nose, clearing sus membrane of throat and trachea from catarrhal secretions, which cause the tickling, coughing, hawking and gagging so annoying to every ca-

Nasal catarrh generally leards Nasal catarrh generally leards to ulceration, in some cases to such an extent as to destroy the nose entirely and in many old cases of catarrh the bones of the head become diseased. Nasal catarrh gradually extends to throat and bronchial tubes and very often to the stomach, causing that very obstinate trouble, catarrh of the stomach.

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Catarrh is a systemic poison, inherent in the blood, and ocal washes inhalers, douehes, salves and sprays can have no effect on the real cause of the disease. An internal remedy which acts upon the blood is the only rational treatment, and Stuart's Catarrh Tablets is the safest of all internal remedies, as well as the most convenient and satisfactory from a medical standpoint.

Dr. Eaton recently stated that he had successfully used Stuart's Catarrh Tablets in old chronic cases, even where ulceration had extended so far as to destroy the septum of the nose He says, "I am pleasantly surprised almost every day by the excellent results from Stuart's Catarrh Tablets. It is remarkable how effectually they remove the excessive secretion of the mucous membranes of the nose, throat and stomach."

All druggists sell complete treatment of the tablets at 50 cents and a little book giving the symptoms and causes of the various forms of catarrh, will be mailed free by addressing F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich.

### MON., JAN. 13

This is the Date set for the Re-Opening of City Public

Be it resolved, that the Board of School Trustees desire to strengthen and endorse the action of the Board of Health and the City Council re the act respecting compulsory vaccination, Chapt. 206, 16, which provides that no child shall be permitted to attend any school without producing a certificate of vaccination and hereby insist that the principals of the varous schools demand these certificates before permitting any child to enter school.

It was also decided that all of the eachers in the schools should be vac-inated before resuming their school

DRESDEN

Jan. 2.—Mrs. Jav. Stephens daughter, Miss Ma. y Stephens, visiting relatives in hatham. Dr. King, V. S., a late reside

Dr. King, V. S., a late resident of Dresden, is visiting to town.

Mrs. John I. Wiley entertained a number of friends yesterday.

Frederick Hicks and wife, of Detroit, are the guests of D. V. Hicks.

Chas. Tweedie, of Toronto, left for home yesterday, after a visit with his sister, Mrs. J. C. Tassie.

Eli Hazlett wishes the public to know that he will not be in the field for councillor for Chatham Tp. during the year 1902.

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J. E. McGloghlon has sold the property known as part of lot 8, 2nd Con., Gore of Camden, and recently owned by Mr. Percy, of Croton, to Jos. Rich-

Miss Barber is confined to the hour through illness.

D. V. Hicks entertained a large number of relatives to a sumptuous New Year's dinner

TILBURY.

Jan. 2.-H. Hobbs, of the Merchants Bank, Watford, spent New Year's here with friends.

Miss Mildred Richardson, of Essex, is visiting her cousin, Mas Minnie

Richardson. Mr. Munro, late manager of the Merchants Bank here, was presented

with some choice pieces of cut glass by a number of his friends on Tues-day evening. Mr. Munro and family left yesterday morning for Walkerton, where they will reside.

Mrs. McCallum, of Mull, was the
guest of her son, J. S. McCallum, here

this week.

Charlie Richardson, of Essex, spent
New Year's with his parents here.

Miss Belle Shaw arrived yesterday rom Otterville to spend her vacation at her home here.

Misses Laura and Villa Powell, of Essex, were the guests of their cousin Miss Winnie Powell, vesterday fiss Winnie Powell, yesterday.

Miss Savage, who has had charge of Powell & Co.'s millinery depart-ment the past season, left on Tues-day for her home in Petrolea.

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Hand Picked Apples 400 a pk. All Kinds of Jams - 5 lb. Pails 50c. 1-2 lb, Pails 250.

Orange Marmalade 2 Jars 250. Finest Apricots 200 per lb. Good Prunes 3 lbs. Extra Fine Prunes 2 Ibs. 25c.

Mexican Oran ges 20c, 250, 300 per doz. California Navals, 30c, 350, 40c per doz.

S. E. Smith Grocer lext Burt's Drug Store King St. East.

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In New York Frames All new Goods. Will be sold at a big reduction while they last.

Gibson's hoto Gallery 29 King St. East

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The holidays are about over, the vis-itors gone, family reunions—all too short -are ended, the prose of everyday life begins again, and the mid-winter cold snap is due.

But that is only one view of it. The glow of Christmas still somehow radiates house, the absentees write long letters telling was to have that day or week at home, and ld weather, all anybody cares about is to be ssed for it.

where we come in. These heavy gray coats would furnish a man against anything ndike cold. It takes the North of England et out royal winter fabrics. Perhaps they om those penetrating winds that sweep their moors in winter-anyhow no one can beat viots, and so we use their goods.
oats are as stylish as they are warm. Every

and correct. Choose from raglanettes, yoke ie full-cut Chesterfield—all good as gold. 2 and up to \$15.

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"Slater Sho Rubbers" are made from lasts modelled from all the shapes of the real"Slater Shoe,"

Means a fit for every shoe-more comfort, more wear.

A rubber which does not fit the shoe wears out in half the time. An ill-fitting rubber

irritatender foot joints and chafes shoes. ter Shoe Rubbers" branded on the soles

with he and price. Ayles and shapes, \$1.00 and up.

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Sole Local Agents. Chatham

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Sleigh Bells, Robes, Horse Blankets and General Horse Goods, go to Geo. Stephens, Quinn & Douglas. They have the best assortment of these goods to be found in any one store in Chatham, and their goods and prices are right. Go and get what you want now while the assortment is still complete.

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