A. BROWN & CO.

THIS STORE IS IN

COMPLETE READINESS FOR CHRISTMAS

In the Men's Store You will Find an Easy Place to Buy Gifts for Men and Boys

Men's Neckwear.

All the Latest Shapes and Shades—25c, 50c, 75c and $1.00. See our special Four-in-Hand, made from good quality silk. Popular shapes. Each tie in fancy box. Regular 50c for 35c, 3 for $1.00. Fancy Windsor ties 25c. Boys' Bows 10c.

Men's Handkerchiefs.

Pure Linen, Hemstitched, Embroidered Initial half dozen in neat box, 25c each.

Lessue Handkerchiefs in boxes of half dozen—50c, 75c and $1.00 per box.

Lawn and Silkine at 5c, 10c and 15c.

Silk Handkerchiefs at 25c, 50c and 75c.

Silkine with Initial, 2 for 25c.

Men's Suspenders.

Chester and Presidential Suspenders in fancy boxes, 50c.

Suspender Sets, nicely boxed—50c, 75c and $1.00.

Silk Armbands—20c and 25c.

Hose Supporters—Boston, Sun or Chester for 25c.

Men's Gloves, in Kid or Wool

Storey's or Fowne's Guaranteed Gloves.

Kid, Wool Lined, at 75c, $1.00 and $1.25.

Mocha Lined, 75c, $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50.

Kid or Mocha Silk Lined, all shades, $1.25 to $2.50.

Kid or Mocha Mitts, Wool and Furlined, 75c to $3.00.

Scotch Knit Woollen Gloves, Dome Fasteners, 50c and 75c.

Men's Shirts.

Complete Range of "Regal" Shirts in Choice New Patterns for Christmas—75c, $1.00, $1.25.

White Pique and White Pleated Shirts—$1.00, $1.25 and $1.50.

Austrian Collars—3 for 50c.

Greene Collars—2 for 25c.

Further Suggestions for Men's Gifts.

Men's and Young Men's Suits or Overcoats—$8.00 to $22.50.

Raincoats and Slip-ons—$5.00 to $15.00.

Mufflers—Silk or Wool, all kinds, 25c to $2.50.

Sweater Coats for men and boys, 75c to $4.50.

Fur Collars—$3.75 to $7.50.

Fur Caps, Fur Gauntlets, Fur Coats.

King Hat.

Silk Umbrellas.

Driving Mitts.

Pajamas, Smoking Jackets, Underwear.

Cashmere Hose, Silk Embroidered.

You Will Have No Trouble in Being Suited in Our Women's Store

Furs Appeal to Women

Our Stock of Furs is the Finest we Have Ever Shown. You will also Find it a Great Advantage to Your Pocket Book to Buy Furs Here.

Stoles and Muffs to Match in all the Popular Furs—$10.00 to $100.00.

Muffs separate at $3.00 to $20.00.

Stoles of All Kinds—$1.00 to $50.00.

OUR FURS ARE GUARANTEED.

Women's Gloves

Fowne's Guaranteed Kid Gloves—in Black and White and all the Popular Shades, all sizes, 5½ to 8—$1.00.

Children's Fine Kid Gloves—75c.

Linens

The Most Practical and Useful Gift.

Hemstitched Lunch Cloths—35c, 50c and 75c.

Linen Runners—35c and 50c.

Old Bleach Napkins—$1.00 to $4.50 per dozen.

Embroidered Pillow Cases—$1.00 per pair.

Embroidered Linen Bed Spreads—$2.00 to $5.00.

Fancy Guest Towels—25c, 40c, 50c, 75c and $1.00.

Special Values in Old Bleach Table Linens at 50c, 75c and $1.00 per yard.

Ladies' Handkerchiefs

Hemstitched Linen with Initial, 25c. Half doz. in fancy boxes.

Lissue Handkerchiefs—the Fancy Material with Dainty Borders, 20c. Half dozen to box for $1.00.

Plain Lissue—10c and 15c.

Fancy Hemstitched and Embroidered at 5c, 10c, and 15c.

Children's Picture Handkerchiefs, 2c, 3c and 5c.

Ladies' Neckwear and Belts

We are showing all Dainty and Popular Styles in Ladies' Neckwear and Belts—Many in Pretty Individual boxes.

Lace Collars—25c, 50c, 75c and $1.00.

Ladies' Belts—25c and 50c.

Belt Buckles—15c, 25c and 50c.

Gift Suggestions---Women and Children

Fancy Wove and Silk Scarfs.

Wool, Skirts, Aviation caps, Hoods, Mitts and Gloves.

Parasols in Pearl, Gold or Silver Handles.

Hearth Rugs—in Brussels, Axminster and Wilton.

Sweater Coats, Fancy Shawls.

Silk or Moire Underskirts.

Waist or Suit Lengths.

Bear Coats with Bonnets to Match.

Toques, Bibs, Bootees.

MARKETS

Toronto.

Toronto, Dec. 10.—Choice Christmas beef brought as high as $7.20 per 100 pounds at to-day's live stock market. The run totalled 227 cars, with 3,549 head of cattle, 147 calves, 3,282 sheep and lambs, 1,634 hogs and two horses. The choice cattle for the Christmas trade are now coming in fast and with their arrival a rise in prices is noticeable. The run of good cattle for every-day use was large and prices were steady, with last week's quotations of $6 to $6.25.

The receipts on the City cattle market were 73 cattle, 43 sheep and lambs, one calf and 12 hogs.

To-day's quotations.

Export cattle, choice	$ 6 00	to	$ 6 25
do., medium	5 25	to	5 75
do., bulls	2 75	to	3 75
Butcher cattle, choice	6 15	to	7 20
do., medium	5 50	to	5 75
do., common	2 75	to	3 75
do., cows, choice	4 50	to	5 25
do., medium	3 50	to	4 50
do., common	3 00	to	3 50
do., bulls	3 00	to	3 25
Feeding steers	5 25	to	5 35
do., bulls	2 75	to	4 25
Stockers, choice	5 00	to	5 25
do., light	4 00	to	4 50
Canners and cutters	2 25	to	3 00
Milkers, choice, each	40 00	to	85 00
Calves	7 00	to	9 00
do., common	3 00	to	4 25
Lambs	6 60	to	7 60
Sheep, ewes, light	4 25	to	4 50
do., heavy	3 00	to	3 50
Bucks and culls	2 50	to	3 00
Hogs, fed and watered	8 00	to	8 00
do., f. o. b	7 65		

East Buffalo.

East Buffalo, Dec. 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 600 head; active and steady. Veals—Receipts, 125 head; active and steady, at $4.00 to $12.00. Hogs—Receipts, 5,600 head; active and 5c to 10c lower; heavy, $7.80 to $7.85; mixed, $7.75 to $7.80; yorkers, $7.65 to $7.80; pigs, $6.70 to $7.65; roughs, $6.85 to $7.00; stags, $5.50 to $6.50; dairies, $7.50 to $7.75. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5,000 head; active; sheep steady; lambs, 15c up; lambs $4.50 to $8.50.

WATFORD COUNCIL.

Watford, Dec. 2nd, 1912.

Adjourned meeting of Court of Revision on sidewalks. Members present, Fitzgerald, Chairman; Johnston, Graham, Doan and Hawn.

Hawn—Doan, That assessment of lot 171 Warwick street to Wesley Jamieson be changed to lot 170 and assessed to David Ross, the owner.—Carried.

Johnston—Graham, That the west 33 feet of lot 21, Rachel street be assessed in special assessment sidewalk frontage to the Tanner estate.—Carried.

Hawn — Johnston, That assessment roll sidewalk frontage as amended be now confirmed.—Carried.

Doan—Graham, That Court of Revisions be now closed.—Carried.

Graham— Johnston, That minutes of this Court of Revision as read be adopted.—Carried.

Watford, Dec. 2nd, 1912.

Regular meeting of Council. Members present, Reeve, Johnston, Graham, Doan and Hawn. Minutes of former meeting and courts of revision as read adopted.

Doan—Hawn, That we rebate $1.00 dog tax to Wesley Jamieson, being improperly assessed.—Carried.

Johnston — Graham, That we rebate to R. S. Saunders $7.92, half taxes on mill property, sold and moved away first half of year.—Carried.

Hawn—Doan, That we rebate Rev. R. S. Howard $7.92, half taxes exclusive of sidewalk and snow by-law, property having been sold for church purposes.—Carried.

Doan—Graham, That we grant Wagon Works Company $25.00, being part of their business tax.—Carried.

Hawn—Graham, That we rebate John Stanger $1.55, excess in sidewalk tax.—Carried.

Graham—Johnston, That by-law No. 11, raising $4450 on debentures for payment granolithic walks be read first time.—Carried and by-law read.

Doan—Hawn, That by-law No. 11 be read second time.—Carried and by-law read.

Hawn—Doan, That bylaw No. 11 be read third time and passed.—Carried and by-law read and passed.

Johnston—Graham, That plans submitted by Grand Trunk Railway as to elevating bridge be handed our solicitor to confer with Engineer, and advise Council their course to pursue as soon as convenient.—Carried.

Graham — Doan, that sidewalk and Library Debentures be advertised by Clerk in Toronto Globe, three insertions, for sealed tenders to be in Clerk's hands by the 16th instant and local be put in Guide-Advocate.—Carried.

Finance Committee examined accounts and recommend payment.

Treas. Board Education, balance taxes on public school	$287 50
Treas. Board Education, balance taxes High School	700 00
Wm. Lamb, labor Hawn's Div	75
Jno. Stanger, rebate error sidewalk tax	1 55
Walter Scott, 4th qr. salary care egine	7 50
W. S. Fuller, 4th qr. salary $30. postage $1	31 00
Thos. Kerr, gravel ac	100 45
W. E. Fitzgerald, commissioner	20 00
R. E. Johnston, commissioner	20 00
Jas. Graham, commissioner	20 00
Wm. Doan do	20 00
Nelson Hawn do	20 00
Jacob Fowler, work at Fire Hall	1 50
T. B. Willoughby, labor	1 75
N. Chatterson, constable salary	30 00
Guide-Advocate, 4th qr printing	29 70
R. C. McLeay, lumber ac	16 20
R. Eleming, gravel ac	27 30
Sterling Bank, postage re tax notices	4 27
Geo. Chambers, electric light	73 42
Hastings Wagon Co., rebate part business tax	25 00
Rev. R. S. Howard, rebate in taxes	7 92
R. S. Saunders, " " " "	7 92
Wesley Jamieson, " " " dog	1 00

Graham — Hawn, that accounts be passed and reeve grant his order.—Carried.

Doan—Hawn, that we adjourn until 16th inst., at 8 p.m.—Carried.

W. S. FULLER, Clerk.

Those cousins out west—or back east—you don't hear from them as often now. You each have new friends, new interests. But after all, blood is thicker than water and your picture and the pictures of the other members of your family would be welcomed by them—especially at this time of the year.

MAKE AN APPOINTMENT TO-DAY.

Aylesworth's Art Studio.

WATFORD.

J. C. Rockwell's Sunny South Company.

Those of our citizens who patronize the theatre and others who want to see a good colored show, will be glad to hear that the J. C. Rockwell Sunny South company, the colored show that made such an emphatic hit on their last appearance here two seasons ago, will be the attraction at the Opera House, Watford, Thursday evening, December 19th. There isn't much to say about this company, save that it is a good strong one, composed of twenty-five colored people, each and everyone an expert in specialty work, who do everything funny that darkies can do so well and keep the audience in a constant state of laughter and excitement from start to finish. On their former appearance our citizens liked it the best and patronized it the largest of any for many years. They say it is even better now, every feature being new, modern, high-class, refined and up-to-the-minute. It is absolutely clean and during the entire performance there is nothing said nor done that will bring a blush to the brow of the most fastidious lady in the land. It is a musical show, wedded to the most tuneful music one would care to listen to, full of ginger and life, with not a dull moment from start to finish. There is also plenty of fun, in fact it was built for laughing purposes only and it is generally conceded to be one of the funniest shows since time began.

The organization is accompanied by a solo concert band and a superb orchestra. The band will head the Koontown parade, taking place at noon.

The prices of admission have been placed at 25, 35 and 50 cents.

Seats are now selling at Taylor's Drug Store.

W. J. Travis, Wyoming, met with a painful accident on a recent dark night. When ascending the steps of the portico in front of his residence he stepped off the side, striking his face on the sharp edge of the railing, with the result that he sustained a severe contusion of the eye and nose.

Xmas Gift Suggestions

This season will eclipse all previous seasons in our Holiday Goods Assortment in both variety and values. Gifts for Everybody in

Parisian Ivory
Leather Goods
Odd China
Books and Bibles
Silverware
Cut Glass
Brass Goods
Brushes of all kinds
Toilet Waters
Perfumes
Fine Soaps, Mirrors
Toys, Games
Picture Books, Kodaks

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Brass Goods, Tools, Wrenches, Etc.,
for all kinds of works.

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T. DODDS & SON.

To Whom It May Concern:

TAKE NOTICE that the Municipal Council of the Township of Warwick in the County of Lambton intend at its regular meeting to be held in the Township Hall at Warwick Village on Monday, the 13th day of January, 1913, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to pass a By-Law closing and stopping up that portion of the Highway in said Township known as the Fourth Concession Road between the Fourth and Fifth Concessions, South of the Egremont Road in the Township of Warwick aforesaid, from the West limit of the Town Line between the Townships of Warwick and Plympton and extending Easterly to a line across said road at a point four rods Westerly from the Division Line between the East and West Halves of Lot Three in the said Fourth and Fifth Concessions, S.E.R., Warwick, and disposing of the same when closed.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that the Council will at said time and place hear in person or by Counsel or Solicitor any one whose lands might be prejudicially affected thereby and who petitions to be so heard.

DATED this 18th day of November A. D. 1912.

NATHANIEL HERBERT,
29t4 Township Clerk.

MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 3rd January, 1913, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails on a proposed Contract for four years six times per week OVER SPECIAL RURAL MAIL ROUTE FROM WANSTEAD, ONTARIO, to commence at Postmaster General's Pleasure.

Printed notices, containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Wanstead Kertch, and at the Office of the Post Office Inspector at London.

G. C. ANDERSON,
Superintendent.

Post Office Department,
Mail Service Branch,
Ottawa, 21st November, 1912. 6

FOR SALE

A FRAME DWELLING AND THREE LOTS on the south side of Victoria Street, Watford. On these lots there is also a stable and a hen house and a number of fruit trees. This property is well situated and will be sold cheap to a quick purchaser. For further particulars apply to

MRS. WM. FLEMING, Proprietor. or to W. E. FITZGERALD, Barrister, &c., Watford, Ont.
22-1m

Mrs. Dillon and daughter, Miss Mabel Dillon have entered an action against the townships of West Williams and Warwick for damages as the result of the death of the late Wm. C. Dillon, who was accidentally killed when his auto turned turtle on the Middlesex-Lambton boundary road, east of Arkona, last summer.