beautiful, appropriate and lasting presents, all separate and distinct, are in each dozen of our portraits.

You have to give Christmas gifts and you want to, but don't you often wonder what on earth you shall choose?

Well, a dozen portraits will cost you from \$3.00 up. We can make your present as large and costly as you wish by setting it in a choice imported frame, or you can use the smaller size at

No matter what the size, they will be our usual grade-absolutely the best work obtainable.

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Phone 378. Fifth St.

OPEN EVENINGS TILL CHRISTMAS.

A ROYAL DISPLAY OF Fine Holiday Furnishings for Men..

REALLY there are so many, many things here that we hardly know which to call your attention to. We've everything in Furnishings that men would be delighted to receive—any one, even the smallest article, would be acceptable.

And, too, we assure you there's double the assortment here over the other stores, including handsome designs in Neckwear-especially patterned that are exclusive with us.

This is no ordinary Furnishing store, but one which stands shoulder to shoulder with the best and most exclusive shops in newness, and ahead of them in quality

and fairness of prices. Bath Robes.

House Coats.

Most elegant Neckwear we've ever shown—simply everything in Gloves richest effects in Mufflers—the latest ideas in Evening Dress Protectors. Then there are Night Robes, Pajamas, fine Suspenders and Umbrellas-you've wide varieties of each, and the pleasure of selecting from new goods. SEE OUR WINDOWS.

New Method Overcoats-\$7.50, \$10.00, \$12.50 and \$15.00.

New Method Suits—\$7.50, \$10.00, \$12.50 and \$15.00. Slater Shoes—\$3.50 and \$5 00.

Chatham Carter, Chatham Township. This morning Rumball appeared before Judge Houston on the charge of

PROBABILITIES. Special to The Planet

Toronto, Dec. 22.-10 a. m.-Strong westerly and northerly winds, weather turning colder, with a few show flurries. Tuesday, northwesterly, fair and colder.

The following figures were registered to-day at seven a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:

Thermometer 38 Highest yesterday 50 Lowest yesterday 37. Direction of wind, west

THE LOCAL BUDGE

Fred Hall has returned from Toron-

Mrs. John Dunlop, Raleigh street, who has been seriously ill, is recover-

Coceanut Shavings, Coceanut Crisp and Peanut Taffy 10c. a pound at Wigzell's new store.

Manager Fred Brisco, of the Grand gave the employees of the opera house a Christmas Box Saturday, after the show, in the shape of a little banquet. The boys were given a good time and enjoyed themselves very

James Paul was in Sarnia to-day on Albert Snell is to-day congratulations of his friends over the birth of a new boy.

Capt. Harry Stringer has made an engagement with J. B. Stringer & Co. as manager of their Rankin Elevator. The Catholic Order of Foresters will neet Tuesday instead of Thursday ev-

ning, which is Christmas. The ladies' solid gold watch, either Waltham or Elgia movement, Gunten Bros. are selling at \$14.75

s a wonder. See it. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sterling, Elk Rapids, Mich., are visiting Mrs. Stering's brother, Mr. Patterson, West street. Mr. Sterling formerly lived in

Before you ring out the old year wouldn't it be a good idea to buy ring for some relative or friend for at Christmas present, and Von Gunten Bros. have hundreds

Reg. Pleasance, who has been at tending L'Assumption College, at Sandwich, will arrive home to-mr-row and will spend his Christmas holidays here.

On Thursday evening last, at the parsonage, Rev. Dr. Young, of the First Methodist Church, St. Thomas, united in matrimony Mr. James Flowers, engineer on the Lake Erie, and Miss Long, of Port Stanley.

HOW WOULD A GOOD KODAK DO?

When you are considering what is best to give a boy or girl - young man or young lady—it would be well to think of Kodaks and Cameras along with the other things. In connection with our Optical Department, we handle these goods, and we can say that we believe there is nothing which will be appreciated more by the average person than a Kodak

for Christmas. We are agents for the Canadian Kodak Co., and the Eastman Kodak Co., and handle all the best makes of Cameras. The prices are not high. Here are some of them:

\$ 1.00 Brownie Kodak, No. 1 2.00 Brownie Kodak, No. 2 5.00 Flexo Kodak, No. 1 Folding Pocket Kodak, No. 1 10.00

Pocket Poco We have in stock Kodaks and Cameras from \$1 to \$35. Instructions given free to each purchaser.

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All sizes and shapes, the best

See our window display. . .

W.S. Richards

CONFECTIONER

DENTIST

Corner Sixth and King Street, Over the Bee Hive.

Miss Jessie Johns, Lorne Ave., left

to-day on a visit with friends in London and Guelph.

Hugh Knight was released on bail Saturday. His two brothers went his

surety in \$500 each and himself in

Miss Annie D. Anderson, who is at-

tending the Ottawa Ladies' College,

arrived in the city this afternoon,

where she will spend the Christmas

Miss Hope Rankin, who has been at-

tending St. Margaret's College, Toron-to, returned home yesterday and will

spend the Christmas holidays with

Park Bros. have awarded the con-

tract for the electric light plant in their factory to F. Hays. Mr. Hays.

has just completed wiring the Dres-

The case against Joseph Martin and

Edos Cheff, charged with trespassing on Big Point Club, has been laid

over to enable Mr. Martin to get

Art. Cartier, son of the dairyman,

was held up on St. Clair street the other night and badly scared. The

highwaymen didn't secure any booty,

but seemed to delight in the scare

The river and creek have both

The creek at the cemetery is

broken up and the water is running

quite high. A raft belonging to D. R. McGarvin was lying at the mouth of the creek. Last evening it was

Albert Rumball went quail shoot

ing one day this fall and his dog ate up a turkey belonging to James

trespassing on the property of Mr Carter. He was fined \$1.50 and costs

\$5.15 in all, for trespass, and in addition paid \$2 for the turkey.

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Glove Sale-20 doz. Lad-

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G. W. CORNELL \$

money can produce.

CAKES ...

WORRIED

Windsor, Ont., Dec. 21. The connections between Windsor and the Wheatley gas fields were completed to-night and the city has now a flow of natural gas equal to the supply from the Kingsville wells in their best days. The inhabitants have now ceased to worry about the coal situa-

The gas company says that the pressure to-night, is six ounces to the square inch as compared with 2 ounces a week ago, but the comsumers are warned that this is partly due to the fact that little gas is used on a Sunday night, especially in mild weather.

PERFUMES. **EBONY** GOODS, &c.,

make it a pleasure to show

W. W. TURNER,

WANTED.

COOK WANTED-Apply Park House. WANTED-Dining room girl. Apply

AGENTS WANTED - \$2.50 per day. Apply Cooper, London.

ing, Victoria Ave. GIRL WANTED-No washing or ironing; references required. Apply to

Boothroyd, Sec'y-Treas, Box 165, Thamesville, Ont.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

FOR SALE—Cheap, three coal stoves.
Apply A. W. Thernton.

Was a record day with us in business, the best day in the history of our store. It is certainly gratifying to us to know that our friends appreciate the fair prices and service reudered. But two days remains to finish your Xmas purchases, and if you have not examined our splendid assortment of XMAS

you should do so at once. We

DRUGGIST,

carried away, but caught on the main pier of the Aberdeen bridge and was held fast. Merrill House.

> GOOD GIRL WANTED - For general housework. Apply Mrs. J. C. Flem-

W. McLaren, and William Sts. EACHER WANTED-For S. S. No. 3, Zone. Apply, stating salary, to Ben,

FOR SALE-Double barreled breech

loading Shotgun, 12 guage, English make, case, cleaning rod, etc. A. C. McKay, Planet Office.



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Quite a

and styles and sizes that can be found in most stores. Consequently, we are sure of being able to fit perfectly any child's weak ankles or flat feet Also shoes built on a foundation that keep the feet warm and dry. If you investigate you'll find prices are no higher than are asked elsewhere for poorer shoes-and less kinds to choose from.

Rubbers, Plain or warm wool lined to fit all the different shaped shoes.

tieo. W. Cowan ;

The Rush of Xmas Trade is Now On...

And we expect to make this season a record breaker i the history of this store. If good goods and low prices count for anything we won't be disappointed.

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In this ware we have a very complete line-something suitable for either a Lady or Gentleman.

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In dainty cases and delicate odors.

Manicure, Toilet and Shaving Sets, Gentlemen's Toilet Cases and Glove Folios.

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Late Arrival of Xmas Specials..

To-day we opened up a number of shipments of goods bought especially for the Holiday Trade; we want to sell every piece this week and have marked them accordingly.

Oak Tables Size 181/2 by 181/2, nicely polished, 12 only in lot, special holiday price \$1.25.

Quartered oak with fancy mirror top and small glass front, a very choice article at \$33.00. Cabinets Golden oak with small glass front, fancy top, five shelves, very handsome, our special price \$21.00.

Music Cabinets Mahogany finish, special designs, \$7.00, 9.00, 10.00 to 35.00.

Ratan Furniture Some new designs in Chairs and Rockers, price from \$3.50 up.

Tapestry Direct from the manufacturers in England, promised for delivery in September, but de-Table Covers layed until Saturday. As a result they must move quickly. They are the best foot; besides having special shoes for children values we ever had, and come in a good variety of patterns. who "toe in" or have Prices for the 8-4 size \$1.25, 1.50, for the 8-10 size 1.90, 2.00, 8-12 size, 2.50.

> Comfurters Special values to show you at \$1.25, 1.75 aud 2.50.

> Furs! Furs! Austin's Furs are noted not only for their cheapness but for their reliability. Every fur we sell guaranteed or money refunded. Big range of fur Ruffs at \$5.00, 6.50, 8.00, 12.50 and 15.00.

SPECIAL FUR BARGAIN

Monday we place on sale one lot of Ladles' Astrachan Caperines, choice curi, regular 6 50 and 7.00 qualities, all priced at the remarkably fow value of

This lot is by far the best bargain we have ever secured in Furs, and cannot be repeated.

Linens for Nothing nicer than a nice piece of Linen. and the beauty of it is you can buy to suit Gifts any purse. Nice fancy linen pieces from 10c. each up to extra fine Scotch and Irish table linen, setts of Cloth and Napkins to match at \$9.00 per sett. .

Kid Gloves If you're at a loss what to buy for a lady get a pair of Kid Gloves, but get reliable kinds. The best we know of is the celebrated Trefousse Kid Gloves at \$1.00, 1.25 and 1.50 a pair.

Gauntlets = Full of Comfort, and plenty here to fit children, misses or ladies, prices 40c, 50c, 60c, 75c. and \$1.00 a pair.

Handkerchiefs An immense assortment of the daint-tiest goods we have ever shown, prices all the way from 3c. to \$1.00 each.

Shawls For many persons, particularly old ladies, nothing is nicer than a comfortable Shawl. We have a complete range of them in knitted shoulder shawls and the heavier woven kinds for 50c. to \$6.50.



This store's leadership in Men's Goods is well recognized. Saturday eleven salespeople were as busy as bees all day. The secret of our success is

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