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lucky New Year

Hawthorne's Stand

Street. Foronto

### Local & General

Mr. L. O'Hara paid a visit to Moose

Mr. Jack Legh, of Calgary, is spending hristmas under the parental roof. Mr Geo. Howson is having an addition Miss Nora Ellis is home from school at Calgary for the Christmas holiday.

Mince pies made daily from choice home made mince meat, at McKinnons. The wicket at the post office will be open from 9 to 10 only on New Year's

The Times tenders thanks to Mr C. E. Brougham for a box of nice cigars as a Christmas greeting.

Mr E. K. Strathy of Morden, Man., spent a few days in town last week re-newing old acquaintances. Miss Maggie Mitchell returned on

Friday from a three weeks visit to Moose Jaw and other points, Mr. C. E. Brougham, of the club eigar

store presented his patrons with boxes of cigars as a Christmas greeting. Miss Ida Turnbull arrived from Calgary on Friday night to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents.

Mr. D. G. White returned on Friday night from Calgary, where he has been attending the sittings of the supreme

The Times staff present their com-pliments to Mr. A. E. Whiffen and beg to thank him for a present of Calgary Christmas tree and entertainment at

the Salvation Army Barracks, Wednesday, December 27th, at 8 p.m. Everybody welcome.

Mrs. McTavish, of Newdale, Man., arrived Thursday evening to stay two months with her parents Mr. and Mrs.

Mrs. J. H. Wyatt returned last Tuesday from St. Thomas, Ont. where she has been visiting her parents for the past three months. Mrs. Wilbir Willis, who has been visiting Mrs. E. J. Fewings for the past three months left last week for her

home in London, Ont. Mr. Strang, formerly tellar at the local branch of the Canadian Bank of

Commerce is spending his Christmas holidays in the east. Brigadier Burditt, of Winnipeg, wil conduct a meeting in Salvation Army Barracks, on Friday December 29th.

is still on, and will continue for some weeks. Prices have been reduced lower than ever, as we are determined to reduce our stock. Among the bargains offered are the following lines :--

Fleeced Lined Underwear, worth \$2, for \$1 per suit.

for \$2 per suit.

Boys Suits and Knickers at very

Men's Heavy Rubbers, worth 31,

Heavy Boots for Men, worth \$3, for \$1. Winter Caps at 25c., 50c., and 75c.

TERMS CASH.

Garbery & Collier

Observer's Notes are unavoidably held

The contract for plastering the new C.P.R. station has been let to M. Esplen. to spend Christmas among his old friends here.

On Friday the Montreal Street School Mr. John Wilson's property on Toronto St. has been purchased by Mr. R. E. Lawrence. Fred S. Pingle, real estate in a game of hockey. When time was Lawrence. Fred S. Pingle, real estate agent put the deal through.

Next Sunday being the 53rd Sunday in 1905, the vestry decided that the offertory in St. Barnabas Church shall be devoted to reducing the debt on the church.

A large assortment of fancy handmade creams and choice chocolates just opened at McKinnon's. We can suit any fancy.

In a game of hockey. When time was night an Irishman was on the said post. The officer, on visiting Pat, seemed to doubt his knowledge as to his duties in case of an attack, so he (the officer) asked to way. The first five minutes The Ball-Headed Seven did some brilliant playing, and kept the White Socks defence busy. The second five minutes what steps he would take. "Long and quick ones," said Pat.

The Ball-Headed Seven made a nice rush, but were stopped by Ellis, who passed to Legh and then on to Cunliffe, who is Medicine Hat agent for Alex. Galbraith & Son, Brandon (importer of Clydesdale horses) has been along our creat rush.

### WEIGHTY QUESTIONS

require weighty answers. The fittle girl says, Where shall I buy father's Xmas present? Her father wonders what he shall get the boys, the boys on their part wonder what they shall give each other. It's a weighty question still it's an easy question to answer. Go to TURPIN Xmas gifts for men in the town. We know this sounds like a blow, still we stand behind it. If you want to see the neck ties that made

50 CENTS FAMOUS

We have them. They make grand little Xmas Gifts. We wish you all a Merry Xmas and a Prosperous New Year.

BROS.

Where you get the Big Dollar's Worth.

Pingles' Drug and Book Store

## Pingles' Greeting for 1906.

New Stock.—Our new stock of gold procedes and rings, gold lockets and chains, are the best ever shown in Medi-tine Hat, at Wright's Jewelry Store.

Mr. A. P. Day paid a visit to his ranch south of Maple Creek last week, and ays the cattle are in splendid condition.

They are wintering better than he ever

Mr A. H. Smythe has been appointed manager of the Northern Bank at Han-ley, Sask. He is a brother of Mr. W. H.

Smythe, manager of the local branch of the Merchants Bank of Canada, who

was appointed to this branch about a month ago.—Maple Creek Signal.

PIANO FOR SALE CHEAP. Can

be seen at the residence of James

Smyth, North Railway St., corner

A Christmas tree entertainment took place in the Methodist church on the evening of Christmas Day. The Rev. J. M. Harrison, pastor, presided over the gathering, which consisted chiefly of members of the congregation, and a programme of recitations, drills and singing was successfully given.

A very successful entertainment took place at Colerege School House on Christmas evening, consisting of songs, recitations and tableaux. The Christmas tree was a great attraction for the

youngsters, who were delighted with the beautiful presents it yielded, and the parents were no less pleased than the children. Much praise is due to Miss Edna Finch who organised the

Thanking you for past patronage, and wishing you a Happy New Year.

### Our **Clearing** Stale

Miss Neff is home from Edmonton or the Christmas holidays. We are asked to state that there will quadrille on Friday night. as previous-

GROS VENTRE NOTES. We have had quite a lively time in Josephsburg over the cattle dipping. It appears some ranchers understood the Government regulations allowed small bunches to be hand dipped. This looked quite reasonable, considering there was next to no mange to be seen. But the decree had gone forth—all cattle must be dipped. Then those who had hand dipped had not done the dipping according to what the inspector would accept under the dipping regulations, and now found themselves in a corner—stormy weather on hand, their cattle being gathered and dipped by govern

. Collier.

Fine Wool Underwear, worth \$3. Union-made Overalls, good quality, worth \$2.50, for \$2.

Geo. A. Slater's Invictus Shoes, worth \$5, for \$4.50.

3-Buckle Overshoes, worth \$3 for

New lines and great value.

was a hardship considering the triffing amount of mange, compared with the amount of abuse the cattle receive in being pounded through the shutes in the dipping. I have heard ranchers with small bunches say they would gladly pay 25c. per hear for privilege of hand dipping, so as to save their cattle the abuse in connection with the regular

Others claim it would pay to dip cattle supposing there was no mange, as they do so much better after being

being gathered and dipped by govern ment officials, which is rather expensive. Most of our ranchers are law abiding, and dipped their cattle according to

regulations. At the same time a great many count that the dipping this season was a hardship considering the triding

Ball-Headed Seven

.cover point.

.. left wing. right wing ...

..centre

V. McLean J. Mitchell

H. Moore
C. Hargrave
G. DesBrisay

We regret to announce the death of

If those ranchers of that opinion keep
on dipping after compulsory dipping is
a thing of the past, we will believe they
are sincere.

We regret to announce the death of
Mr. George Huston, father of John
Huston, I ine Grove Ranch, which occurred this morning about 5 c'clock.

Gladys Chamberlain promoted to
aged 87 years. The funeral will take

Andrew Lamb and Annie Palmer

Mr. Wm. Putnam's new foreman arriged at the ranch last week. He is a native of Medicine Hat. I have not heard his name.

On a certain blockhouse line in South Africa it was necessary to place a sentry on a hill a little distance from the blockhouse, which was in a hollow. One night an Irishman was on the said post.

date in every particular, an attempt has been made to divide the pupils attending these schools into two parts making their place of residence North or South of the railroad track the basis of division as far as possible. The

Mr. T. Late has started an extensive pump factory on his ranch. He is turn-ing out a first class article at moderate prices and is doing a land-office business Now for someone to furmsh wells with a Now for someone to furnish wells with a supply of water that will hold out.

WANDERING WILLIE.

### PRESTON ROWLAND.

A very pretty wedding took place at the Century Methodist Church on the 18th inst., when Mr J. R. Preston and Miss Luella Rowland were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by the Rev. J. M. Harrison, pastor of the church. The marriage, of which a brief notice appeared in our last issue took place at 5 o'clock, and was witnessed by a number of friends of the contracting parties. The bride was accompanied to the altar by her sister, Miss Jean Rowlands, to the strains of the Wedding March, and wore white silk with a berthe of real lace. She wore a wreath of lilies of the valley, and carried in her hand a bible in place of the usual shower bouquet. After the ceremony a very dainty luncheon was served at the home of the

the table being prettily decorated with liles of the valley.

The happy pair left for the east the same evening, and are spending their honeymoon among friends in Eastern Canada. Christmas was spent at the home of the groom's father at Tottenham A large number of friends was at the depot to see them off, and they left amid showers of rice and the congratulations of a very large circle of friends. The happy couple were the recipients numerous presents.

### Straw.

Give SILVER

for CHRISTMAS

and you add one

complete household. Very few

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presents an almost

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Official Watch Inspector for G.P.R.

Call and see it to-day.

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Good straw for sale. Delivered \$5,50 per ton. Cheaper feed than hay. Drop a card in Post Office. W. R. BABINGTON.

## Fancy Crockery and Glassware.

OBITUARY.

place from the Methodist Church, Medicine Hat, on Friday next at

HOSPITAL SATURDAY.

the proceeds being about \$100. We congratulate Vice-President Whiffin

and Dr. Smyth upon the success of

SCHOOL MATTERS.

As both of our town schools are com-pleted, and both comfortable and up-to-

grading of the pupils and the lack of eccommodation in some of the rooms

we trust some advantages have been gained. Mr. Stafford's class is to be moved to the Toronto Street school

and four pupils promoted from the Jr IV class into his room viz., Alice

Aclsit, Lydia Cooper, Gertie Calkins and Myrtle Dimmick. Miss Edith

Morrison is also to be moved and her pupils will all be from the south

side of the track, viz. (1) All of her

old class who live on the South side Promoted from Miss Janet Morrison's class to Miss Rae's class:

Erna Draudson, Alma Eddy, Ethel Terry, Mary McKinnon, Ethel La-

londe, Myrtle Penhale, Willie Anderson, Gertrude Evans, Annie Schmel-

zer, Wendell Page, Dorothy Niblock, Arthur Anderson, Oliver Barreau,

Cure For Sore Nipples.

As soon as the child is done nurs

ng apply Chamberlain's salve. Wipe

it off with a soft cloth before allow-

ing the child to nurse. Many trained

nurses use this with the best results

Price 25 cents per box. For sale by

All of the pupils from Miss Rac

old class who live on the

Austin Sirr.

all druggists.

s prevented a perfect division

Hospital Saturday was a



Stewart and Tweed

# Gladys Chamberlain promoted to Miss McNiece's class. Andrew Lamb and Annie Palmer are to go from Miss McNiece's class. to Miss J. Morrison's class. School re-opens Tuesday January Drd. The Acouston occurred this morning at Irvine between train No. 1 (westbound) and No. 96 (eastbound). No. 1 was in charge of Conductor McIntosh, of Moose Jaw, and the engineer was J. Nieholson. No. 96 was in charge of Conductor White and the engineer T. Penhale. The trains were to cross at Irvine. No.1 stopped outside the switch and while this was being opened No. 96

COLLISION AT IRVINE.

A collision occurred this morning at

At. St. Barnabas Church on Christmay Day the Rev. W. Nicolls, rector, ran down and the air-brakes refusing to conducted four services, namely, at 7.30, work the engine bounced into the mail work the engine bounced into the mail and baggage cars of No. 1 putting both out of business. Luckily no one was hurt. A wreck crew went out and the

Big Xmas Bargains

Store open at night.

BINNINGS,

class to Miss Janet Morrison's class:

Minne Perry, Ruth Degon, Flo Curry,

this week.

spaces just in at Wright's, the jeweler. delayed No. 1 arrived here about 17.30

# .COOK'S

The Best Bakery in Town

CHOICEST EVERYTHING

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## We Have Received

For our Christmas Trade the most complete

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Ware we have ever shown. This assortment comprises Wedgewood Ware, Limoge, Coal-

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numerous other lines of the be at English chan a



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A very fine assortment \$4.50; to \$6 per dozen-

MEDICINE HAT,

RHEUMATIC SUFFE Will Find a Certain Cure

Rheumatism is a diseas

blood. Every doctor no this to be the fact. Docto think that rheumatism wa on by colds in the joints and Now they know that co started the disease cold the pains going. Rheuma only be cured by curing blood which causes it. Dr Pink Pills always cures r because they actually rich red blood, which the poisonous acids, loosen ened, aching joints and mu restores the rheumatic s health and happiness. Dr. Pink Pills have cured thous thousands of rheumatic some of them when they w hopeless cripples. Mr. T. Caledonia, Ont., says:—"Fo ber of years I was badly tro rheumatism, and was so c could scarcely do any work quite a number of medici they did not help me. The Dr. Williams' Pink Pills adv a cure for this trouble, an supply. After I had taken boxes I saw they were he and I continued taking completely cured. I have s ed out of doors in cold without a coat, and did no a twinge of the trouble." If you are suffering from ease due to bad blood or nerves, Dr. Williams Pink cure you, because they rich blood, which goes ri root of the disease an! from the system. That is Williams' Pink Pills cure bles as anaemia, indigestration of the heart, neura aches and backaches, l lver troubles, St. Vitus alysis, and the special ments of girlhood and But only the genuine pills this, and these always ha name "Dr. Williams' Pink Pale People," on around each box. Sold b lealers everywhere, or se at 50 cents a box or six \$2.50, by writing the Dr. Medicine Co., Brockville, Shetland the Perfect

The cry of the children perfect pet. What the ra doll are to the earliest that the Shetland pony become for older child Country Life in America mal is the only pet that some time or other make the hand that nags. The dag-will bite when the comes too familiar. The ments in a cat's nature and repulse the child, a that makes it walk "by it The goat is inadequate. analyze a Noah's Ark of this way only to find that isfying safe living pet is to porty. If more than eight ride on his back, he will shade. like a wet Newfoundland stand motionless, while themselves up and out fr hoofs. A large and more ed grade of horse would

TEETHING TROUB

Teething is generally by nervousness, irrita stomach disorders, which promptly treated. Baby for teething children. inflammation in gums, correct the ach, and help the teeth t lessly. Mrs. T. Nutt, Ra says: "My baby suffe while teething, but as s gan giving him Bab now a bright, healthy Tablets also cure diarrhoea, indigestion, s and destroy worms. anteed to contain not on opiate or harmful drugs, given with equally g the new-born baby or the child. Sold by all drugg by mail at 25 cents a bo Williams

Dolly Vardon's Siste Toronto.—One of the en in Canada, Fanny ed and deaf and to put the body i in Toronto for o Letitia Campbell. Dolly Varden, who years with Barnum's circ count of her immense siz ter. She lives in St. Patri and weighs 612 pounds.

Brockville, Ont.

You cannot be expected to Shiloh's Consumption Cur Tonic, as a cure for Colds, of diseases of the air passages, not tried it. We have faith quarantee it. If it doesn't cryou nothing. If it does it of That's fair. Try it to-day. Shiloh has cured many thomost obstinate cases, and we most obstinate cases, and we most obstinate cases, and we to say that it will cure any Throat or Lung trouble, believe this we would no Shiloh has had an unbro success for thirty years, every possible test without f

is found in the many testime who have tried Shiloh and Mrs. Archie Taylor, Asaph, "I hought a bottle of Shiloh's and found it very beneficial. In and they had a terrible cour overwhing I could think of, but all one greating my husband shiles. We gave it to the chuyest to bed, and they sight a my smallestery. I shall always a support of the chuyest to bed, and they sight a my smallestery.

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