but you may depend on it that he takes it out of the receiver in other ways. Another way of stealing is by

giving short measure. A man who buys 24 tons of coal gets probably

21; a person who buys 10 yards of silk gets probably 9. I do not know how much this is practiced, for I be-lieve there are honorable merchants,

but the competition for trade is so

keen that the temptation to make use of these alvantages is very great. How many of us do you think

can bear an inspection of our con-sciences on this commandment? I

understand it is a very important thing in this world to make both ends meet, but after all it is not ne-

cessary for men to die worth \$1,000.

To succeed in business it is necessary to be careful, industrious, and patient.

Men dread to fail in business. If any

man fail to have his name down in the book of life on the great judg-ment day it will be a thousand times as serious. There are other people

again who want to buy below cost A just exchange should be made for everything. There are a number of

people who would do anything to defraud a government or a railway.

This is especially evident in the customs department through smuggling.

This is an unjust and dishonest thing

This is an unjust and dishonest thing and the person who practices it is undoubtedly breaking this eighth commandment. Then also there are men who buy things they never intend to pay for and take advantage of a merchant who gives his confidence. A man should keep his expenses within his income. You will often notice at Christmas time a lady will give a great dinner and will appear in a beautiful silk dress, while at the same time probably the dressmaker who made the dress is waiting for her just reward and having not got it is forced to eat a Christmas dinner of bread and water. Money is a sacred talent and when

Money is a sacred talent and when we spend it in things we do not need

I have spoken plainly but not un-

necessarily. If you knew the misery in this world caused by the non-observance of this commandment you

would not say it was unnecessary. Let him that stole, steal no more, but

After the return of the Lodge to

their rooms a vote of thanks was given Mr. Knowles for his excellent

SWEET SINGER

A rare musical treat isss in store

for all who attend the Park street Me-

thodist church next Sunday evening.

Miss Webster, of Toronto, the new

leader of the choir, has prepared a

special musical program, and some

Sunday in Chatham, Although she has been here a very short time sh

thing very superior is expected.

This will be Miss Webster's third
Sunday in Chatham, Although she

is already a favorite with all who

have heard her sing. She has a strong

but sweet soprano voice and she sings

and ease. She is naturally a singer, and has studied with Mrs, Christie of

also a graduate of the Toronto Con-

East Sunday morning the choir un-

der her direction, sang the anthem "I Will Praise Thee." Miss Webster also rendered a solo "Saved by Grace." In

he evening the anthem sung was

'Crossing the Bar,"and "God so Loved

Next Sunday Miss Webster will sing

a solo, Horace Davis will also sing solo and a duet will be given by

SULMAN'S BEEHIVE

One thing more than any other that strikes the visitor to Chatham is the

great number of fine business places

and the smart, up-to-date appearance

They having the appearance of Metro-politan premises. Probably the most

striking of these is Sulman's Beehive

on the corner opposite' the Garner

display window than any other store

The premises were purchased by Dr.

Cornell from Geo. Young, who for so many years conducted a grocery

store there. They were immediately leased to Mayor Sulman, who found it

necessary to move on account of his

The remodelling occupied upwards of

three months, and it was built expec-

cially for Mr. Sulman's business, wholesale and retail fancy goods and

wallpaper, and we are safe in saying

ing been spared by Mr. Sulman on the

interior to make it the acme of perfec-

tion, The space occupied for his busi-ness covers the three flats, the base-

ment being used for storing heavy

heavy goods and reserve stock, the

flat for wholesale and reserve stock.

beautiful white tile entrance from

both streets to the door. The floor is oiled and polished, the ceilings metal-

lic and all the shelving, furniture and fixtures are finished in golden oak. The furniture consists of 50 feet of

silent salesmen, and some beautiful, massive oak cabinet tables for display-ing the various lines sold. One side

that it is the best equipped place of business in Western Ontario, every-

largely increasing business.

se, which boasts of having more

Misses Webster and White.

servatory.

we are robbing God of it.

also pay their debt to God.

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TO-NIGHT.

Musical recital at the Grand. Chatham Lodge, No. 29, I. O. O. F. Oddfellows' Temple, 8 o'clock. Public School Board, City Council Chambers, Harrison Hall, at 8.

The county council will visit the Dresden and Wallaceburg sugar beet factories to-morrow. The ladies promise a pleasant time

for Friday night, when they give their moonlight excursion on the City of Chatham. The Battalion Band will attend and the proceeds will be in aid of the Public General Hospital. Tickets 25 cents.

Court McGregor, No. 6, I. O. F., will give an excursion to Detroit on June 17th via City of Chatham, and by special arrangement the boat will remain in Detroit an extra hour. Good music and refreshments will be pro-vided and the tickets will be fifty 1te

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100 acres in Harwich, five miles from city, good house, barn, and other build-100 acres in Chatham Township, one

mile from city, brick house, frame house, barns etc. 60 acres Chatham Township, 8 miles from city, fair build 16 acres in Raleigh Township, four

miles from city, good house, barns, etc. Dunn & Merritt, Fifth Street Box 152

TO CONTRACTORS

Bulk and separate tenders will be received at the offices of the proprietor, at Wallaceburg, and of the architects at Chatham, up till Saturday at 7 o'clock p. m., June 14th, 1902, for

Lowest or any tender not necessarily Address all tenders to Dr. W. W. Hay, proprietor, marked, Tender.

J. L. WILSON & SON,

Architects, etc.,

Mrs. (Dr.) J. H. Duncan and Dr. Rhinjhart have returned from spending the winter in Mexico. Mrs. Duncan is much improved in health.

NOVEL BET

One of the greatest bets this election was that between James Jenkins and Harry Jacques, on Pardo's election. Mr. Jenkins was confident that Mr.

Fraser would be elected and he made a bet with Mr. Jacques, the loser to wheel the winner from the market square and back. The bet was in earnest, and each posted a five dollar forfeit. Harry won and James wheeled his man Friday night at 7.30 p. m. A large crowd of admiring friends cheered the introduction of the push cart as a means of conveyance in lieu

THOSE TRICKS OF THE TRADE

Rev. W. E. Knowles Warns Merchants and Shoppers Against Thoughtless Dishonesty.

An Able Sermon Based Upon the Eighth Commandment-A O F. at Church.

The service in the First Presbyerian church was well attended Sunday evening, the event being the annual church parade of the Ancient Order of Foresters.

About 100 members of the Order were present, besides the usual evening congregation, and the church was well filled.

Before commencing his sermon Rev. Mr. Knowels spoke a few words of welcome to the visiting Order. "I have great pleasure," said he, "in welcoming you at our evening service. I am heartily in favor of all

Let him that stole, steal no more, but work so that he may give to the poor. Our aim should be not to gather but to scatter around us. How hard it is for a rich man to enter heaven. If they would they must not only pay their debts to their fellow creatures and crease stealing from them, but they must also pay their debt to God. societies which are founded on religious principles, and they should have the sympathy and support of all who do their duty to their fellow men. The aim of these societies is to relieve the pain and distress of this world. I understand that this Order stands high as an old established The greatest duty of any Order. man is to do church work. As this Order is undoubtedly founded on such great principles, it does only consistently when it goes to the church of God for the purpose of worship. I take great pleasure in welcoming you to our service."

The preacher chose as the text for his evening's discourse the eighth commandment—"Thou Shalt Not

"You may think," said he, "that it entirely unnecessary to preach this subject as none of you would be so low as to stoop to stealing. However, it is much the reverse. There are many ways in which a man may steal, and thus break this command-

From' this he went on to point out that every man must earn his bread

by the sweat of his brow. "This principle applies alike to the tramp who lounges around on the street corner waiting for a drink, and also the man who lounges in his easy chair. A man who does not work should not eat, be he tramp all trades required for the erection of a new residence for Dr. W. W. Hay, Wallaceburg ,Ont. much as the man who steals money from the till. You often notice some goods marked extra or superior, the sole aim being to get rid of them. There are many "tricks of the trade which are nothing but pure robbery Chatham, Ont. He may mark down certain goods

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of Chatham and district warrant, and the season just past has been a phenominal one for him in his new store There is a gallery running all round the store on the inside, which allows the clerks to pass entirely around, and secure goods from the shelves which run to the ceiling. This thing being new and the latest and most approved design, no expense havis certainly unique, and affords much more shelf room; and shows the numerous lines to better advantage. The office is in the rear of the store, and is on a level with the gallery, so that the book-keeper and cashier have a full view of the store, all the time and the office does not take up any floor space. The cash sales are all sent by ground floor for retail and the upper The ground floor plan of the store is unique, having a permanent glasss case, 4x3 on the corner, and having a

carriers to the office.

The whole effect, either in daylight or under artificial light is certainly handsome, and this store should be the handsome, and this store should be the Mecca for every person wishing to purchase small goods of any kind.

The Mayor says his store is the coolest in Chatham, and suggests that shoppers, wishing to cool off this summer, pay his store a visit.

Immediately back of the main store is the packing room, where all goods are received, checked and marked, and where the packing of the large wholesale business is conducted. It is also used as parcel room, there being no

of the store is devoted to books and stationery and the other to fancy goods and notions, while the floor space is used for the thousand and one space is used for the thousand and one articles for which Mr. Sulman has made his place of business famous.

Mr. Sulman styles his new premises and well it merits this application, as a window on Sixth street 12x12 lights the finest wallpaper showroom in Ontario. Mr. Sulman handles an enformous line of wallpaper, as the trade

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All Carpets over 50c per yd., made and laid

without extra charge. IN LACE CURTAINS we are showing extra attractive lines this year a \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 per pair, and of course all the better goods as well. Come and see the stock, you will find not only the largest, but the best values shown in the city.

Extraordinary Linen Values

New Table Linens, Towellings, Towells, Napkins, Etc., At Exceptionally Low Prices.

Special 64 and 70 inch half bleached table damasks, choice patterns, heavy quality linen, at per yard

25 inch plain white tea cloth, pure linen, extra fine weave, perfectly free from lint, at per yard

23 inch all pure linen tea cloth, with wide and narrow red border, extra fine make, at per yard

New red and green, red and white table damask, for dining room cloth or breakfast cloths, warranted fast color, at per yard 40c and

Special 10 dozen crepe towels, with red taped borders, fringed ends, 23 46 inches, extra heavy, suitable for bedroom use, at each

Extra value, 72 inch pure bleached Table Damask, guaranteed pure flax and grass bleached, bright satin finish, choice patterns, special at per yard 75c

Special value in pure bleached Table Napkins, choice patterns, pure linear goods, 20x20 inches, at per dozen \$1.25, \$1.75, \$2, \$2.25,

See our Cavan and Derry Crash Towelling, pure linen, fancy borders ,19 inches wide, extra fine and heavy, at

Emblamatic Table Linen, Harp, Rose and Thistle patterns, 60 inches wide half bleached, pure Irish make, extra fine finish, easy to laundry, make a good every-day cloth, at per yard

36 inch pure linen apron checks, for aprons and children's dresses, per yd.

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TRADE WINNERS FOR THE BARGAIN CENTRE

Black Licilian 54 inches wide, pure mohair, best dye, bright finish, just the material hot weather wear, at per yard

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Black Henrietta Fine all wool, silk finish, jet or black, 46 inches wide, at per

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English Cheviots

In shades of black, navy, brown and grey, will not spot, crack or shrink, 54 inches wide, at per yard

Special Offer

We will make to your order, off this material, 7 gore flare skirt, with 5 satin folds, linenette lining and elvet binding, for

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In black and shades of grey, navy and brown, pure mohair, silk finish, 44 inches wide, at per yard

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7 gore tucked flare skirt, made to order, off this material, with best twill lining and velvet binding, for



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