

Sure Open Evenings This Week

Christmas Crackers,

20c, 30c. and 50c. a Box

FANCY BOXES—35c to \$2.50 each.

OUR BEST CHOCOLATES, 25c, 50c and \$1.00 a each

OUR SPECIAL BOX—25c each—

SWEET ORANGES, 20c and 25c a dozen.

SEEDLESS ORANGES, 30c and 40c a dozen

NEW TABLE RAISINS, 25c a lb

MIXED NUTS, 15c a lb.

FINE OLIVES, 25c 40c and 50c each.

PINK OLD CHEESE, 18c a lb

ROQUEFORT CHEESE, 40c a pound

McLAREN'S CHEESE, 25c a lb

Our Mocha and Java Coffee, 40c a pound is best.

H. Malcolmson

WILL IT BE SKATES

If your intention is to present some one with a pair of Skates you cannot find a better place to buy them. We have every style that is worth having and in all sizes too.

Spring Skates, 50c to \$1.00
Hockey " 50c to \$3.50
Straps, hand-made, 10c and 15c a pair.
Hockey Sticks, 15c to 50c
Skate Repairs.

If you buy a pair of Hockey Skates we make no charge for putting them on the shoes.

J. C. Wanless

Chatham's Only Millinery Store

Veilings and Ribbons, the best values and colors for Christmas.
Felt hats, trimmed and untrimmed, at the lowest prices.
Made hats of velvet or silk from \$2, \$2.49 and \$2.98.

C. A. COOKSLEY,
King St., Chatham.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Boys' \$3.00 watches for \$1.50, at Briscoe's.

Handkerchiefs, 5c, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, Urban store.

For fine china, lamps and Crockery come to the Ark.

You will find Christmas gifts in plenty at the Urban.

Oysters, fresh lot daily; try them. Rhody & Bates.

Smoke Quail on Toast cigar, 5c, un-on made, clear Havana filled.

New Stock White China for Decorating, Gray's China Hall.

E. E. Dudson, of Wallaceburg, was in the city yesterday.

Ice cream and loaves of all kinds for Christmas, Rhody & Bates.

Saratoga trunks 15c each; carload goods; McKay's, Queen street.

Largest assortment of toys, games, dolls, etc., in the city, at Briscoe's.

Cream fruit loaf, 20c; regular 30c goods, McKay's, Queen street.

Any Jacket in our store \$5 and \$10. Urban.

Almond bon bons 40c, regular 60c goods; McKay's, Queen street.

Ladies' signet rings; prices from \$2.50 to \$7.50. E. J. MacIntyre, leading jeweler and optician.

Urban kid gloves are the best Christmas presents to buy. Urban store.

Mr. and Mrs. Leak, Pembroke, Ont., are spending Christmas in the city.

Finest kind of candies at the lowest prices in Chatham. R. H. Crump, King street west.

Miss Grace Smith, Prince St., who has been visiting in Tilbury and Merlin, returned home Wednesday.

Some very good second hand base-burners for sale cheap. Geo. Stephens & Co.

Misses Sara and Bernice Shaw, Head street, left last night for Dutton, where they will spend the Christmas holidays.

Some pointers—The book is by Harry B. Smith, the music is by Victor Herbert, a cast of unequalled strength, a chorus of exceptional beauty, a company of 60 people, mostly pretty girls, The Fortune Teller, which appears at the Grand Tuesday, Dec. 27.

The Only

White Front Cafe.

Fifth Street, Chatham.

Regular Meals on short order. Oysters in any style. Night Lunches.

JAMES MCCORMICK

HEALTHY CHRISTMAS CANDIES

By which we mean Candies which aid good health instead of destroying it.

Such Are... McGregor's

The reason is that they are made of the best and purest materials obtainable. Having visited the factory, we know that it is as clean and neat as the kitchen of a good housekeeper.

PRICE, 50c LB.

FOR SALE ONLY BY

J. H. DENNIS,
DRUGGIST

Made in Canada PHONE 375

Broscoe's, Santa Claus' Headquarters, are very busy these days.

Candies! and the very best can be procured at Rhody & Bates, Northwood's old stand.

Homer Smith, book-keeper for the Mc Campbell Fanning Mill Co., Detroit, Mich., will spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Smith, Prince St.

J. C. Commo, formerly of Dover, after an absence of twenty years, has returned to this city and has taken up his residence with his family in the Oldershaw Terrace, Raleigh street. For nineteen years Mr. Commo has been in the employ of a large dredging company and upon his return to this city purchased the homestead farm in Dover.

In order to reduce our stock of millinery and children's wear before moving to our new store on Queen St., we will sell at a great sacrifice.

A somewhat out of the ordinary accident happened on the C. P. R. main line west of here yesterday afternoon, whereby traffic between this city and Chatham was blocked for a matter of four hours or so.

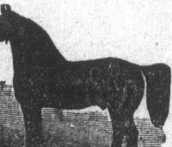
The company are building a new iron bridge to replace the bridge that at present spans the Bruce line of the Grand Trunk near Ryde Park. The new bridge is erected on false work until it is all ready to be swung into place, this mode of building being the usual one adopted by railways in order not to interfere with traffic. Shortly after two yesterday afternoon the workmen were getting one of the big steel girders into place when the jacks slipped and the girder crashed down onto the track, completely blocking the line.—London Free Press.

Citizens of Chatham

Personally I desired no municipal honors this coming year. But in deference to the urgent request of delegations of all classes of my good fellow-citizens, I could do nothing less than yield. While in the Council two years, I fought out some stiff fights in the city's interests, and whipped every time; and moreover, I kept the faith with my supporters. The railways and the bootlers are still in the foreground, and some more scraps will have to be fought out and I want to butt in. I thank all those who have hitherto given me their confidence. I am in the field for Alderman. I cannot make a personal canvass.

GEO. G. MARTIN.
Dec. 23, 1904.

New style Bell organ, Bell repeating action, piano case; see before buying: Walker's, opposite fire hall.



Wanted Horses!

THOS. JACQUES will be at McGarvin Bros. Stables on Saturday, December 31st, to buy good sound horses from 4 to 10 years old.

FOR SALE

Frame house, two storeys, brick foundation, seven rooms, \$900.

Frame house, two storeys, brick foundation, eight rooms, \$1,100.

100 acre farm in Raleigh, brick house, large barn, stable and other outbuildings. All cleared. About four miles from Chatham, \$7,500.

100 acre farm in Harwich, good frame house, barn, stable and other outbuildings, \$6,500.

50 acre farm in Tilbury East, good frame house and barn, \$2,500.

50 acre farm, River Road, Dover, brick house, stable and granary, \$3,200.

50 acre farm, River Road, Raleigh, one of the best, good frame house, large barn, stable and other outbuildings; a large orchard of various fruits; land all tile drained, \$6,000.

Hotel premises in Chatham, \$7,500. Six vacant lots, \$4,000.

Money to loan—Lowest rates. Terms to suit the borrower.

W. F. SMITH,
Barrister and Solicitor.

OUR STOCK OF CHRISTMAS SLIPPERS

Is now complete. Price from 25c. to \$2.00.

We have a complete line of Men's Hockey Shoes \$1.75 to \$2.50; Boys' \$1.50.

Special lines of Bates Patent Cots, \$3.50; Packard \$4.00 and \$5.00

—AT—

P-E-A-C-E

Shoe Store for Reliable and Up-to-Date Footwear.

For Christmas Trade

WE OFFER

Finest Almeria Grapes at 20c per lb.

"Table Raisins," Imperial Clusters," at 20c per lb.

California Oranges, "Navela," at 25c, 30c and 40c per doz.

Messina Lemons at 25c per doz.

Cape Cod Cranberries, 2 qts. for 25c

Valencia Raisins, re-cleaned, 3 lbs. for 25c

Finest Currants, re-cleaned, 3 lbs. for 25c

Finest Seeded Raisins 1 lb. pkgs., 10c per lb.

Imperial Figs in layers at 10c, 15c and 20c per lb.

Crosse & Blackwell's Peels, "orange, lemon and citron," at 20 lb.

Choice Mince Meat, 10c per lb.

Ice Sugar, 3 lbs. for 25c

Cut Leaf Sugar, 3 lbs. for 25c

Mixed Nuts at 15c lb.

—TO BUY—

Fancy Goods Calendars Stationery and Books

Of all kinds for Christmas... Presents at

KENNY, the Stationer
KING STREET EAST

Christmas Candies

Our stock of Christmas Candies is a very large one this season, in spite of the very high price of sugar. Our prices are as low as ever.

Best Mixed Candy, 3 lbs. for 25c.

Christmas Mixed Candy, 3 lbs. for 25c

Good Creams, 10c a lb.

Good Chocolates, 15c a lb.

Chocolate Nougat, 20c a lb.

Caramel Nougat, 20c a lb.

Chocolate Chips, 20c a lb.

Cream Almonds, 20c a lb.

Maple Creams, 20c a lb.

Packages Butter Scotch, 5c each.

"Chocolate Chips, 10c each.

"Marshmallows, 10c each.

"Chocolate Burnt Almonds, 10c each.

"Bitter Sweets, 10c each.

Wm. Anderson

Ask for Micaud's and take no other

Useful CHRISTMAS GIFTS
—AT—
THE GORDON STORE

In accord with the times, we have filled our store with Sensible, Seasonable Goods AT BOTTOM PRICES, which giver and receiver will find to be just what... they want in every way....

Fur Bargains

PERSIAN LAMB Jackets sable collars and revers, splendid curl, Special Xmas Price, \$100.00

FUR-LINED CAPES, Matalassa Cloth, trimmed, \$40.00 value, December Sale \$32.00

ISABELLA FOX SCARFS at great reductions and Special Bargains.

TIBET BOAS—A nobby, black Fur, \$8.00, and \$9.00.

Boas, \$6.00, \$12.00 and \$14.00, for \$10.00

Fancy Boas, large size, ends squirrel lined, \$5.00 value, \$3.90

GREY LAMB Collars for Children and Misses, Xmas Sale, \$2.75, \$3.75, \$5.00

FUR MUFTS, Special Xmas Values in Coney Muffs at \$2.00

German Otter Muffs, Holiday Sale, \$2.50

Black Tibet Muffs, Holiday Sale, \$4.00

Western Sable Muffs, Holiday Sale, \$6.00

Alaska Sable Muffs, \$10.00 and \$12.00

Stone Martin Muffs, Sale price, \$25.00

Mink Muffs, \$20.00, \$25.00 and \$30.00

South Sea Seal Muffs, \$16.00 and \$20.00

10,000 Handkerchiefs

For Christmas Presents.

One for every nose in the City.

CHILDREN'S Fancy Xmas Hdks., 1 2, 5c

Children's Fancy Mercerized Hdks., 5c

Fine Lawn Hdks., hem-stitched, 3 and 5c, 10 for 25c, 6 for 25c

LADIES' Embroidered and Lace trimmed Hdks., 10 and 12 1/2c

Ladies' hem-stitched and embroidered - 12 1/2, 15, 18, 20, 25c

Ladies' fine embroidered Hdks., 15, 18, 20, 25c to \$1.50

Ladies' hem-stitched 1/2 and 3/4 in. hem - 12 1/2, 15, 18, 20, 25c

Ladies' embroidered and fancy lace trimmed - 25c to \$1.00

MEN'S Shamrock lawn Hdks., 5c

Men's hem-stitched lawn Hdks., 10c

Men's linen Cambric hem-stitched, 1/2 and 3/4 inch hem, 18, 20, 25 to 50c

Mocha lined Kid Gloves and Mitts.

Good prices on Christmas perfumes and obony goods at Radley's.

All small goods will be sold at a sacrifice at S. C. Walker's, opposite fire hall.

Briscoe's have two delivery wagons delivering toys to convenient places for Santa.

All kinds of fresh taffy for the Christmas trade at Crump's, King street west, near Aberdeen bridge.

Geo. Stephens & Co.

MOVING SALE

—OF—
Millinery and Fancy Goods

As we move to our new store on Queen Street about January 1st, we will sell everything in the store at a reduction.

LACES

RIBBONS

COORSETS

SKIRTS

INFANTS' CLOAKS and BONNETS.

OUTING HATS up to \$1 at 10c

The \$1.50 to \$2.75 kind for 60c

KELLY'S, KING ST.

Great Glove Sale

LADIES' Winter Knit Sewing Silk Gloves, the Florence

Golf—in white, black, mode and grey at \$1.75. Mitts, black only, \$1.25 and \$1.75.

Golf Gloves, fancy and plain, 36c value, 25c

Extra quality Fancy Backs, 50c value, 40c

GENTS' grey Scotch Knit Seamless Gloves, 50c

Gents' Kid Gloves, wool lined, 50c

Gents' fine Mocha Gloves, \$1.50 and \$1.75, for 75c

Gents' Jammet's fine, heavy Kid Gloves, \$1.00

ODD LINES of Kid Gloves, \$1.00 and \$1.25, at 50c

Mocha Gloves, fine lined, \$1.75, at 75c

Mocha Gloves, silk lined, \$2.00 value, \$1.50

FOUNES' fur lined, finest Kid Gloves, \$2.50

BOYS' Kid Gloves, wool lined, 50c

Boys' Mocha Kid Mitts, lined, 50c

Boys' lined Kid and Curly Mitts, 25c

Kid Glove Presents

With too large a stock of Kid Gloves, we sell from now until Xmas all our Kid Gloves at reduced prices.

GORDON'S JOAN in black, white, grey, mode and brown, a guaranteed glove, all new style of stitching and combinations, always \$1.00 pair, our special Xmas price 82c

JAMMETT'S DAPHNE best guaranteed French Kid, in black, brown and mode shades, all new stock, always and everywhere sold at \$1.25 Xmas price \$1.10

JOUVIN'S celebrated undressed Kid Gloves, finest made, in light shades of fawn, grey, and tan, special \$1.50 value, our special Xmas price \$1.25

VALLIER'S washable Kid Gloves, black, white and tan, guaranteed to retain their original lustre and softness after washing. Best glove money can buy, \$1.75 always—often \$2.00, our special Xmas price, \$1.50

FELIX GODY'S washable Kid Gloves, greys, tans, whites, sizes 6 1/2 and 6 3/4 only, regular \$1.50, our special Xmas price, \$1.00

Mocha lined Kid Gloves and Mitts.

Velvet ice cream for Christmas can be had only at R. H. Crump's, King street west.

Wanted—A good pair of curling stones. Apply at this office, or address P. O. Box 137.

Lost on December 20th, on King or Fifth St., a ladies' small, silver, open-faced watch, inlaid with gold on back, initials on it M. S. Finder please return to J. L. Scott's office, Fifth St.

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