

TWELVE FOR CHRISTMAS.

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 smaller prices.

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

WESTLAKE BROS....

Phone 376.
Fifth St.

TRULY

We have the nicest variety of good things to eat that it is possible to have. If you have not been to see us lately, don't delay. Give us a call and look us over.

W. S. Richards,
Kent Bakery
Phone 186 - King St.

G. W. CORNELL

DENTIST
Corner Sixth and King Street,
Over the Bee Hive.
Phone 317.

PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet.

Toronto, Dec. 11—10 a. m.—North-
erly and easterly winds, cloudy and
cold. Friday, northerly winds,
cloudy, with light sleet or snow.

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

Thermometer 29.
Highest yesterday 35.
Lowest yesterday 27.
Direction of wind, northeast.

THE LOCAL BUDGE

Will Winterstein, the popular sheep
farmer, is in the city.

Willard Merritt is moving into the
house lately occupied by A. L. Sham-
bleau, corner of Second and Third
streets.

Do not leave it until it is too late
to buy your Christmas cakes. See
the display in our window. W. S.
Richards.

Ex-Ald. J. R. Reid and Wm. Chrysler
left this morning on a business
trip to Bradford, Guelph and Toronto.

Thos. Scullard will deliver an ad-
dress on "A Trip through Africa"
at the meeting of the First Presby-
terian church Young People's So-
ciety Friday night.

President VanVleet, of the Dom-
inion Paying Co., was in the city
today in connection with the pre-
paration of the concrete for the Wil-
liam street block pavement across
the creek.

Christmas Perfumes.

Our stock of Christmas
Perfumes are now ready
for display. We have this
year prepared for a Big
Trade in this line and can
show you perfumes at any
price, from

**5c. a Bottle
to \$6.00 a Bottle....**
Call and Look Over Our Stock.

A. I. McCall & Co

Druggists LIMITED. Opticians
Two Stores—16 King St. and Cor. King and Fifth Sts.

SUDDEN CALL

Engineer Tomlinson of the Wat-
erworks Department
Succumbed to
Heart Trouble

A very sudden death occurred in the city last evening when George Tomlinson, engineer at the waterworks station, was very unexpectedly called to the great beyond. Mr. Tomlinson was sick for only about fifteen minutes with heart trouble. For the last few days he had been troubled with pains around his heart. Thinking at first that these pains were caused from cramps, he neglected to consult a physician and no one thought that it was serious. He was at work every day and yesterday he performed his regular duties as usual. In the evening he complained that the pains around his heart were becoming worse, and he retired early. Shortly afterwards he called his wife, Matt, and fifteen minutes after the time she entered the room Mr. Tomlinson was dead. Dr. J. P. Rutherford was immediately called but before he arrived at the house the sick man had passed away.

Deceased was 53 years of age and was born in Nottingham, England. He, however, has lived in Chatham a great number of years. He first entered the employ of the city as night engineer at the waterworks station. After the late Mr. Moore's death, about a year ago, he was appointed day engineer. He was a faithful employee and his place will not be easily filled. He was a member of the Sons of England and the Independent Order of Foresters. His life was insured for \$10,000 in the latter society.

He leaves a widow and three children—two sons and one daughter—Mrs. Tomlinson, who is in the city. He has started a confectionery business in Blenheim and is doing well.

Mr. Laird, of Laird Bros., Dresden, returned from Toronto yesterday and spent a few hours in the city. He says the cold in the east is intense.

It is cheaper to buy your Christmas cakes at Richards than to bother making them, and you are not always sure they will turn out right at Richards.

A meeting of the Veterans of the Fenian Raid, in connection with their New Ontario land grants, is called for to-night in the Old Town Hall. All the veterans should attend.

A number of influential citizens waited upon E. R. Putnam, the Queen street butcher, last night, and tried to prevail upon him to enter the coming aldermanic contest. Mr. Putnam is seriously considering the matter.

Drop in at the St. Andrew's Bazaar on Friday and Saturday, in the store lately occupied by Miss Wiggell, and get a good cup of delicious cocoa. Homemade cooking will be sold, also fancy and useful articles. This will be a splendid chance to buy your Christmas gifts.

Dr. Thornton has returned from Detroit, where he has been visiting the Michigan Dental College, and getting in line with the work done in that school. Mr. Thornton took this trip with a view to gaining all the information possible for his lectures, which will be given in the Ontario Dental College, Toronto, commencing in January. While in Detroit he met Count Von Eberts, who announced his intention of leaving shortly on a trip for his health. The Count is at present debating in his mind whether he will go south or east. The doctor also saw Geo. Bell and "Dick" Scott. Both of these gentlemen are highly thought of in the college, both by the students and the teachers.

CHRISTMAS WREATHING!

(PINE GREEN) by the yard, or loose HOLLY, HOLLY WREATHS, MIST-LETOE, &c. Our GREENS are well made, out of superior stock, suitable for Store and Home Decorating. Write for Price. WHOLESALE ONLY.

TUSON, Phone 36-339
WINDSOR.

IS DANGEROUS

Eastern Electrical Expert Says
Position of Engineer at City
Works is a Hazardous one.

There are those who blame the two sudden deaths at the waterworks station this year to the fact that the city is running the dynamo with a greater number of lamps than they are made to carry. The electric light department is attached to the waterworks station. Both Mr. Moore and Mr. Tomlinson died very suddenly, under similar conditions. An electrical expert from the east who visited the waterworks station said that the place was dangerous. The dynamo were over-charged and were working beyond their capacity. The result was that you could see flames jump from the dynamo a distance of six feet. The eastern electrician stated that nothing would keep him in the building unless he were tied there, and that the city would be very fortunate if they didn't have a serious accident.

The waterworks department and the electric light department are practically under the same roof. Both of the late head engineers lived at the works and were practically within the presumed danger lines all the time. Both, apparently, died in the same way from the same cause. Of course, the view that electricity was the cause of the fatalities is only a surmise, but the matter is well worth investigation. There must be some cause.

CENTRAL PRISON

James Jackson was sentenced to a year and a half in the Central Prison by Judge Houston this morning. The man was convicted of attempting to have carnal knowledge of a girl under ten years. Jackson's wife and five-year-old son were in the court room and all thrown out. The lad was a little more boisterous. The judge told the lad to keep quiet or else leave the court room. He said that he sympathized with the prisoner's wife. She was not to blame for her husband's action but in her case, as in the case of others, the innocent had to suffer. A largely signed petition from Mayor Solman, George Stephens and others was presented on behalf of Jackson.

WAS CRUSHED

Thos. Bodkin, a drayman for W. N. Drader, met with a quite painful and serious accident this morning. He was unloading wood from a car at the G. T. R. this morning and had one foot on the car and the other on the wagon when the train unexpectedly shunted. The unfortunate man was all thrown between the car and wagon, and his chest was badly crushed. He was removed to the office of Drs. Hall & Bell, where, on examination, it was found he had a broken rib and probably other internal injuries. He will be laid up for some days.

Minard's Lignum—Lumberman's Friend.

FOR SALE

House, stable and 4 acre lot on Park Ave., \$1200.

House and lot on Park St., \$750.

House and lot on Wellington St. West, \$1200.

House and lot on Delaware Ave., \$850.

House and lot on Thames St., \$650.

Large house and large lot on Taylor Ave., \$900.

DUNN & MERRITT,
FIFTH ST. 1st Door from King St.

A "Famous" Coal Stove, nearly new, for sale.

KENNY'S

CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES

BOOKS OF ALL KINDS..

The great Sellers are
TEMPORAL POWER,
STILLMAN GOTT, and
GLENGARRY SCHOOL
DAYS.

FANCY GOODS and Leather Goods, the best line ever brought into the city. It will pay you to visit here and see.

GAMES OF ALL KINDS,
PING-PONG.
DOLLS AND TOYS IN
GREAT PROFUSION
at all prices

Bibles, Prayer Books and Hymn Books of all kinds. A visit to this store will repay anyone.

Now a word about CALENDERS for 1933. We have the finest of these we have ever had, and that also it will pay to examine.

KENNY'S

WORK HAS STOPPED.

The cold weather has put a stop to the work on the William street pavement. The Board of Works met this morning with Mr. Van Vleet, president of the company, and an agreement was drawn up between the city and the contractors which will be submitted to the Council Monday night. The following is the tenor of the agreement:

The city agrees to pay 80 per cent. of the total cost of the Sixth street pavement, bidding 20 per cent. for the 30 days required by statute. This is the completed work. They also agree to pay 80 per cent. on the finished portion of the William street pavement and the remaining 20 per cent. in three months. On the unfinished work the city agrees to pay 50 per cent. The company on their part agree to gravel and sand the concrete where it is not covered by bricks. They also agree to fix the intersections and put a man in charge for the winter. When the ground is frozen the street will be kept during soft weather the street will be closed.

SESSIONS FINISHED.

The general sessions of the Peace were concluded today before His Honor Judge Bell. The case of Rex vs. Tickner was heard yesterday afternoon. The jury, after being out over two hours, returned a verdict of common assault. Tickner was fined \$25.

It will be remembered that Clarence Tickner and William Monck had a difference at Drader's mill and Tickner hit Monck over the head with a piece of a bolt. The blow knocked Monck senseless and he was ill for a long time in consequence. As Monck had been annoying Tickner, the jury took a lenient view of the case and brought in a verdict of common assault in place of aggravated assault charge. William Coyle was found guilty of stealing \$40 from the inmates of the little Red House in the valley. He made restitution and was let go on suspended sentence.

Millard Smith didn't appear to answer to the charge of perjury and a bench warrant will be issued for him.

The case of Rex vs. Haskell was laid over till the next court of competent jurisdiction. The judge made an order that Haskell must furnish two securities in \$400 each.

The case of Rex vs. Laing was also laid over till the next court of competent jurisdiction. Ball will be taken from two securities at \$500 each.

In the case of Rex vs. Coyle, the grand jury found no bill. As Attorney H. D. Smith hurried the criminal cases through with considerable despatch.

We have a few barrels of No. 1 winter apples left over from our fall shipments for sale very cheap. The Northwood Co.

All kinds of Taffy at Wiggell's New Store, opposite the Bank of Montreal, at 10 cents per pound.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. This signature

On every box. 25c. A passion for service crowds out many meaner passions.

FISH

We will have the following fresh and smoked fish on Friday, so telephone or bring us your order.

Fresh British Columbia Salmon, any quantity you want.

Fresh Lake Huron Trout, 10c. lb.

Smoked Halibut in chunks, without doubt the finest smoked fish we get.

Finnan Haddie, fresh in, 10c. lb.

Salt Mackerel, NEW. Just to look at them makes one hungry.

Candy

Our Candy Counter is full up—Chocolates, Creams, Taffies and Pop Corn.

See our Taffy for 15c. a pound.

Geo. A. Young,
OUR GROCER,
Phone 151.

The Letter-Box

THAT SERMON ON BAPTISM.

Editor of The Planet:
Sir,—As there is so much controversy in your columns upon the subject of Rev. Mr. Ross' sermon on the subject of Baptism, you would do a kindness to very many of your readers, those especially who have been the unconscious cause of "sin" by being baptized in infancy, if you would publish the sermon in full, providing the Rev. Mr. Ross can furnish you with the MS. of it. One may have ideas upon the subject of Baptism, and be inclined to take exception, even in print, to certain statements said to have been made, but one doesn't care to thrust out into empty space at an imaginary figure, or one hidden in darkness. Will the denouncer of this twentieth century "sin" kindly let us have the sermon in full that no injustice may be done him?

ONE WHO DID NOT HEAR THE SERMON.

The Planet applied personally to Rev. Mr. Ross on the day the report was published for the full text of his sermon. The request was refused.—Ed. Planet.

Children's Shoes THAT FIT.

Quite a novelty—most of them don't; we make it a point to carry a much greater variety of widths and styles and sizes that can be found in most stores. Consequently, we are sure of being able to fit perfectly any child's foot; besides having special shoes for children who "toe in" or have weak ankles or flat feet. Also shanks 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.

Geo. W. Cowan
Chatham.

Artistic and Substantial Furniture

The Austin furniture business goes on apace. It is one of the departments that is bright with the best gift suggestions, small price, large price suits. All are the product of craftsmen who took care that beautiful form and practical serviceableness should always be a part of their finished work. It is worth our mentioning and your remembering that the Austin prices are much lower than others charge.

Similar statements are made by other dealers. In many cases the words are habitual and meaningless. With us they represent literal and proven square and veritable facts. Scan the following list; you'll find it helpful:

Parlor Cabinets.
Music Cabinets.
Parlor Tables.
Library Tables.
Toilet Tables.
Parlor Rockers.
Reed Rockers.
Morris Chairs.
Morris Rockers.
Couches.
Reception Chairs.
Arm Chairs.
Upholstered Suites.
Children's High Chairs.
Writing Desks.
Combination Book Cases.
Hall Racks.
Brass Beds.
Chiffoniers.
Sideboards.

VISIT OUR DRAPERY SECTION

You will find many suggestive articles here, rich Tapestry Curtains, Couch Throw-overs, Chenille Portieres, Lace Curtains, heavy rich Draperies, Coty Corner Covers, etc., and last but not least a full range of Bissel's Carpet Sweepers.

SENSIBLE SUITS For Business Men's Wear



The blue Serge Sack Suit is serviceable, refined in appearance, in good form for more occasions than any other suit, and permissible almost everywhere that a business man frequently wants to hurry to. But it's chief merit is its serviceableness for business wear. Our blue serge suits are made of a fabric we have used for years and never found it fail in wear or color. Coats have made collars and well worked buttonholes and seams are all serged. Ready in all sizes, regular tall and stout, double and single breasted.

\$10.00 A SUIT—Men's Striped Worsted Trousers at \$3.00 and \$3.50. The best values and the best assortment ever shown. We know some good tailors that get \$5.00 and \$6.00 for the same quality.

Some Welcome News of MEN'S FURNISHINGS

English Manufacturers Samples of High-class Cardigan Jackets
Men's Handkerchiefs—Values Direct from Scotland

A very special purchase of fine, Worsted Wool Cardigan Jackets, at a saving of at least 30 per cent. We cleared the Canadian Representative's Samples, saving the duty, about four dozen in all. Come and see. They are worth from \$1.25 to \$4.00 regular; on sale at from 75c. to \$3.00.

Men's Special Lawn Handkerchiefs, neat hemstitched, at 10c. or 3 for 25c.

Men's Fine Lawn Handkerchiefs 1 inch hem, at each 121-25c.

Men's Extra Quality Fine Lawn Handkerchiefs, 3-4 inch hem, at 15c. or a dozen \$1.50.

Men's Linen Handkerchiefs, 3-4 inch and 1 inch hem, all pure linen, at 20c. and 25c. each, or a dozen \$2.25 and \$2.75.

STOCKINGS FOR WOMEN...

Even such practical every day articles of personal wear as stockings seem to become imbued with the holiday spirit just about now. Perhaps it's because they know that thousands of pairs of them will find themselves among those presents on Christmas, and much appreciated at that. There isn't much difficulty in finding the right sort for gift purposes among this collection.

For 25 Cents,
Ladies' Plain Black Cashmere Hose, medium weight, in sizes 8 1/2, 9, 9 1/2.

For 25 Cents,
Ladies' Ribbed Black Cashmere Hose, 2 ribb, in sizes 8 1/2, 9, 9 1/2.

For 35 Cents,
Ladies' Plain and Ribbed Cashmere Hose, good heavy weight, sizes 8 1/2 and 9 1/2.

For 50 Cents,
Ladies' Plain and ribbed Cashmere Hose, extra good quality, sizes 8 1/2, 9 and 9 1/2.

BLANKETS! COMFORTERS!

Best Quality. Can Always be Seen at the Bargain Centre. Lowness of Price is a Pleasing Feature.

BLANKETS—
Shaker flannel blankets, 10-4 size, cream or grey, 75c. pair.
11-4 size, cream or grey, pink or blue borders, heavy make, 90c. pair.
XXXX pure wool blankets, extra fine material, heavy close weave, soft finish, fancy blue borders, warranted thoroughly shrunken, 5 lb., \$2.50; 6 lb., \$3.00; 7 lb., \$3.50; 8 lb., \$4.00.
The Bayford—An extra heavy all wool blanket, closely woven, heavy nap, soft wool, fancy pink borders, thoroughly shrunken, clean yarns, special at 50c. pound; large sizes, in weights of 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 pounds. Blanket values—\$3.00 pair, 60 x 80 inches, for \$2.50.
Grey blankets, good heavy make, at \$1.75, \$2.40 and \$3.25.

COMFORTERS—
We are showing the best comforters in the city for the money. A call will convince you of the fact.
70 x 74 inch fancy silkoline comforters, batting filled, cheese cloth linings, at \$1.25.
A much heavier make, choice assortment of patterns and colorings, 70 x 74 inch, at \$1.75.
Special 70 x 74 inch, fancy satcen covered comforters, choice patterns, plain and colored, cheesecloth lining, pure white batting fillings, tied or quilted, regular \$2.75 value, \$2.00; regular \$3.75 value, \$2.50.

C. Austin & Co.

The Bargain Centre