

The Northway Store

Gift Goods For the Last Shopping Days Before Xmas

All well displayed to make choosing as easy as possible, and all good useful articles, which are always appreciated. Included in these Xmas offerings will be found some exceptional values in all styles of ready garments, chiefly so in stylish Coats and Dresses. We enumerate only two prices in Coats:

Stylish Curl Coats, as well as pretty tweeds and diagonals, in best greys and browns, as well as all black, all freshly made Coats in cutaway or rounded corners, and the values are particularly attractive, misses' and ladies' sizes. Two **\$15 and \$10** prices, at

Wonderful values in Serge, Satin Cloth and Velvet Cord Dresses, in all stylish one-piece garments, prettily trimmed and perfect in fit, all sizes for women and misses. **\$7.50 and \$5**

PRETTY GIFT WAISTS, in Silk Crepe-de-Chene, French Voile and Shadow Laces, all in very latest styles and exceedingly pretty, big assortment and all sizes. **\$5 down to \$1.50**

SATIN UNDERSKIRTS, in most desired shades, several styles, in flounces, all accordion-pleated, good quality and made Coats all lengths. Very special value at **\$1.50**

BEAUTIFUL WHITE GOWNS, of finest nainsook, very dainty, as well as elaborate fronts, trimmed with Maltese lace insertion and lace medallions, all sizes. **\$3, \$2.75 to \$2**

PRETTIEST CORSET OVERS, of finest quality, beautiful fronts, with lace medallions and insertion, will make very acceptable gifts, at **\$1.50, \$1.25, \$1 and 75c**

WARM AND COMFORTABLE WOOL EIDER KIMONAS, in full length, all amply cut in skirt, with satin trimmings around collar, cuffs and down fronts, large rope **\$4.50 and \$4** girdle, colors in crimson, grey and blue, at

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NEWEST NECKWEAR, including all the latest creations in lace and net helms, pretty medici collars, dainty blouse sets, pretty ties and jabots, collar and cuff sets, at **\$1.50 to 25c** every price from

GIFT UMBRELLAS, with the new close-rolling top, enamel handles, with silver or gold trimmings, all in silk cases, at **\$3.50, \$3 and \$2.50**

XMAS HANDKERCHIEFS IN LAWN AND IRISH LINEN—Plain, initialed and embroidered, dainty Swiss, also pure linen centres, with point Venice lace, very hand- **\$1.50 to 5c** some, at

BEAUTIFUL FURS FOR XMAS in Canadian Mink, Persian Lamb, Black and Blue Wolf, Alaska Sable and Natural Coon, in sets or separate pieces, at **SPECIAL PRICES**.

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Decision Reached in Regard to Government Officials.

Brantford Men Have an Appeal Pending in Court.

In view of the fact that Postmaster Raymond, Customs Collector Harley and other Brantford officials of the Dominion Government have an appeal pending in court against being taxed on income, the following from a morning paper will be of interest:

Judge McGibbon of Brantford, has rendered a decision in favor of the plaintiff in the action brought by Judge Morson against the City of Toronto, to recover taxes paid by him under protest on his income received by him from the Dominion Government as a judge of the county court of York. The judgment is of considerable importance to Dominion Government officials in Ontario, at least, and will likely be followed all over Canada. Lengthy written arguments on all aspects of the question were submitted by Mr. R. A. Reid, counsel for Judge Morson, and by Mr. William Johnston and Mr. B. W. Essery, counsel for the City of Toronto.

Judge McGibbon holds that no authority can be found in the British North America Act authorizing the imposition of an income tax on Dominion Government officials, by or through municipalities under the authority of provincial legislatures of government, such as we have in Canada, one Government cannot tax another, nor tax the means and instrumentalities used by each, such as officials and employees engaged in maintaining and carrying on its powers and authority and the various departments of government, and executing and administering the law and other affairs of State.

He also holds that the Ontario Assessment Act does not authorize the imposition of any such tax on Federal officers, but that on the contrary, the Act implicitly applies to Canadian Government officials at all. He says the weight of judicial decision and authority is all against the contentions of the defendant, and the Privy Council decision relied upon by the City of Toronto is not applicable to the Canadian Constitution.

CHRISTMAS STORE NEWS

SHOP EARLY! SHOP IN THE MORNING!

You've only another day to do your Christmas shopping, so do it NOW, don't wait till the last minute

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Hundreds of pretty Collars and Fancy Frills for neckwear, in white, ecru and black. Special at **\$3** . . . 25c, 50c, 75c to **\$3**

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Ladies' Leather Hand Bags, also Sterling Silver Mesh Bags, in good assortment of styles at special prices.

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Plaid Dress Goods

We have a nice assortment of Plaid Dress Goods for children's wear at **\$1** 25c to **\$1**

Parasols for Xmas Gifts

Ladies' and Gents' Parasols for Christmas gifts. They come in large assortment of choice handles, sterling silver and gilt mounts, at each **\$1.19 to \$10**

Department East Side of Store

Ladies' Handkerchiefs in linen, with embroidered corners and initials. Prices range from 25c to \$2.50. Others at from 5 to 20c.

Gents' Handkerchiefs, in plain hemstitched and initials, at 20c to 40c.

Children's Handkerchiefs, colored borders, at 5c, 7c, 10c.

Fancy Linens, Doilies, Centrepieces, Table Napkins, Table Cloths, Towels, Guest Towels (hemstitched and scalloped ends), Eider-down and Wool-filled Comforters, Blankets, etc., all specially priced for Christmas trade.

Ladies' Silk and Net Waists, Ladies' Sweaters and Golf Jackets, Ladies' Bed Slippers, Aprons, Fancy Scarfs and Mufflers. Children's Dresses, Aprons and Scarfs. Infants' Bonnets, Coats, Dresses, Robes, all at reduced prices.

Men's House Jackets, Men's Mufflers and Gloves, Men's Sox, Braces and Ties, Men's Underwear, Parasols, Men's Sweater Coats, Collars, Fine Shirts, in all sizes and big assortment of styles, all at popular prices.

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Agents for New Idea Patterns

Young Peoples' Societies Meet

At Congregational

The Congregational Young Peoples Society met as usual last evening in the lecture hall of the church. Mr. H. P. Hoag delivered an inspiring and instructive address on "Standards." A solo by Miss Taylor, a reading by Mr. Cole and short talks by Messrs Sterne and Rev. Mr. Kelly, helped to round out an unusually enjoyable and profitable evening.

At Brant Avenue

At the meeting of Brant Avenue Epworth League last evening, the Junior League was present and took charge of the programme, nearly all the numbers, which included piano solos, recitations and songs being given by them. Miss S. Jones recited "The Juniors Christmas Closing" and Miss Eva Fish sang a Christmas carol, "The First Noel," both numbers being greatly enjoyed. The numbers given by the children were all excellently rendered and heartily enjoyed.

Nuptial Notes

WILKINSON—WHEELER

At the Congregational church parsonage, Nelson street, Rev. Mr. Kelly united in marriage yesterday morning Mr. James William Wilkinson of Brantford, to Miss Emma May Wheeler, of the county. Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson left on a trip East, and upon their return will reside a short time in Echo Place with the groom's parents, later taking up their residence in this city.

Holly for the Table

In arranging holly for the table it will repay you to wipe off the leaves of the holly with a cloth dipped in a very little olive oil, says the Ladies Home Journal. This will give them an especially bright and glassy appearance.

Before putting away for use on table, keep potatoes in tub of boiling water for five minutes. Pour water off and lay potatoes on boards, one layer deep, in a dry place.

Social and Personal

The Courier is always pleased to use items of personal interest. Phone 139.

Mr. W. E. Pope, of Spokane, Wash., is spending Christmas with his sister, Mrs. W. Sweggs, G. Drummond St.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Morrison will spend Christmas week in New York, Mr. Morrison combining business with pleasure.

Mr. Alfred A. Coles, Sarah St. left on Sunday morning to spend the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Reid, Moosomin, Sask.

Mr. and Mrs. Warwick Peirce, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Mary E., to Charles R. Tweney, of Moose Jaw, Sask., eldest son of Mr. George Tweney, Winnipeg. The marriage will take place early in January.

Pleasant Time

At Wesley Church When Christmas Tree Was Raised.

Wesley church was the scene of what proved to be one of the most brilliant events ever held in the church, in the form of a Christmas tree for the primary classes of the Sunday school. A splendid program was put on by the pupils, which was greatly enjoyed by the large audience.

The church was very attractively decorated with a tree on each side of the platform.

The programme was opened by the singing of a hymn and a prayer by the pastor; welcome speech by Walter Goddin; motion song by the Primary class, "Little Snowflakes"; recitation, Clifford Cronkrite; song and chorus, "Merry Christmas," by six boys; "Little Helpers," four little girls; solo, Oro McDermid; chorus—little girls of Primary Class, "Rock Our Dollies"; Recitation, Theodore Graham; speech, Gordon Craddock; star drill, eleven girls—one of the features of the evening; presentation of prizes for attendance by the superintendent, Mr. Geo. Wedlake.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT BY BLIND PUPILS LAST NIGHT

"Better Than Ever" Was Comment Heard From Many in Attendance.

School is Closed Until January 5 - Pupils Leave To-day.

The "Christmas Concert" given in the Music Hall of the Ontario School for the Blind last evening was largely attended, and many of those present were kind enough to say at the conclusion that the programme was "better than ever." It opened with the part song, "Canada," by the Choral Class, under the direction of Mr. W. Norman Andrews, and seldom has that popular song been heard to better advantage. A recitation called "Dick's Christmas," containing a story of a poor little boy who was hidden in the big clock so that he could not see what a real Christmas dinner was like, was given by Greta Lammie, in excellent style; both voice and gesture being suited to the part. Geraldine McEwen, of Radisson, Sask., played Harris' "Long, Long Ago, Fantastic," on the violin to the delight of the audience and event to the satisfaction of her critical instructor, Mr. Arthur Ostler, who is to be congratulated on the decided success he is making with his class. Blanche Kaufman of Chatham, a very young lady with a pleasant and lively voice, copyrighted the first vocal solo, "Love You Truly," and later she took part in "Ring Out, Wild Bells." Harold Wells, the youthful orator from Manitoba, recited the "Butterflies' Fad," telling how a boy dreamed that gigantic butterflies were catching boys, killing them with ether and pinning the specimens on the walls of their dwellings. In the part song, "The Bells of St. Michael's Tower," by Stewart, the Choral Class managed to produce an excellent imitation of the chimes. The choir is well balanced and, carefully trained. Half way down the programme came a new departure, Gurilt's "Toy Symphony," with several peculiar instruments in addition to those in common use. Geraldine McEwen played the piano; Clifford Patterson and Ethel Squair the pipe organ; Susan Miller and Harold Johnston, the violins; Fred Steele and Ion Grills handled some small instruments that brought out the notes of the quill; Gordon Graham played the harmonium; produced cuckoo music; Kathryn Sells, Greta Lammie and Leonard Sherman mimated the nightingale; Byron Derbyshire and Leonard Paul blew the trumpets; Doris Hawley of Winnipeg, manipulated the triangle, enough with the kettle drum to draw any listener that might otherwise have been heard. Altogether the effect was pleasing as well as novel, and the affect was pleasing as well as novel, and to perfect so many performers in such unaccustomed parts must have demanded a deal of labor and patience on the part of Misses Smyth and Harrington, the teachers who proposed and carried out the scheme. After the applause accorded to the Toy Symphony had subsided, Edna Tolton of Guelph, recited Clement Scott's "Women of Mumble Head," in fine dramatic style, showing careful training and lack of natural talent. Ellen Shane of Hamilton, sang a pretty Irish song, "Catch Me," her voice and attractive appearance being well adapted to the air and sentiment. Valmore Landriau, of Ottawa, recited Drummond's "Little Bateese," sitting in an arm chair and imitating the tone and the language of "le vieux grand-pere" in the letter. It was a capital number. Indeed, the recitations, though less numerous than has been customary at the Christmas concerts of the School for the Blind were particularly good, for which credit is due Miss Kavanagh, who superintended their selection and preparation. In the part songs, "Ring Out, Wild Bells," the choral class did its most effective work. The solo was taken by Gladys Slay of Sarnia, who was joined in the duet by Blanche Kaufman, Geraldine McEwen and Susan Miller played on separate pianos "Dvorak's Slavische Faenzes" in perfect time. These two young pianists are steadily improving and give promise of great accomplishments in the future. The performance of Rossini's overture, "William Tell," on the pipe organ, was divided into three parts. Jean Chatelain of Ottawa, taking the first movement; Byron Derbyshire of Athens, the second; and Clifford Patterson of Hamilton the third. All did the work so well that it was possible and natural to forget the player in admiration of the piece. Altogether the blind pupils provided ninety minutes of pure enjoyment, there being nothing from first to last to even suggest a hitch or a breakdown. At the conclusion the audience joined the students in singing, "God Save the King."

Today more than half the pupils left for their homes to spend Christmas and 14c, \$27.50 to \$55.

A cheese and butter factory near Perth was burned, loss \$8,000.

MARKET REPORT

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TORONTO GRAIN MARKET

Wheat, fall, bushel, \$0.90 to .92
Barley, bu. hel. 0.62
Butter, creamery, solid, 0.28
Butter, store lots, 0.24
Cheese, old, lb. 0.33
Cheese, new, lb. 0.34 1/2
Eggs, new-laid, 0.50
Eggs, cold storage, 0.24
Eggs, select, cold storage 0.37
Honey, extracted, lb. 0.19

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Cash: Wheat—No. 1 northern, No. 2 do., 80c; No. 3 do., 75c; 75 1/2c; No. 5, 65c; No. 6, 62 1/2c; 65 1/2c; No. 1 relected, 75c; No. 74 1/2c; No. 1 amuty, 76 1/2c; No. 74 1/2c; No. 1 red winter, 53 1/2c; No. 80 1/2c; No. 3 do., 75 1/2c.

Oats—No. 2 C.W., 23 1/2c; No. 3 22 1/2c; extra No. 1 feed, 22 1/2c; No. 3 1 1/2c; No. 2 do., 30c.

Barley—No. 3, 41 1/2c; No. 4, 39 1/2c; 37 1/2c; feed, 37c.

Flax—No. 1 N.W.C., \$1.21 1/2; No. W., \$1.19 1/2; No. 2 C.W., \$1.08 1/2.

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DULUTH GRAIN MARKET

DULUTH, Dec. 22.—Close—Wheat, hard, 85 1/2c; No. 1 northern, 83 1/2c; No. 2 northern, 82 1/2c to 84 1/2c; Montana 2 hard, 85 1/2c; December, 82 1/2c to 87 1/2c.

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TORONTO, Dec. 22.—Receipts live stock at the Union Yard, 80 cars, comprising 1450 cattle, calves, 1120 hogs and 446 sheep, lambs.

Butchers.

Good steers and heifers, \$7 to medium, \$6.50 to \$7; common, \$5 to good butcher cows, \$6 to \$6.75; \$5.25 to \$6.50; corners, \$3.50 to \$5.00; \$6 to \$6.75; \$6 to \$6.75; \$5.75; common, \$4.50 to \$5.

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