Rare **Old Days**

Golden days are these Christmas days and soon to be a matter of history. They will go down in the memory of your friends and you too, associated with generous dining and pleasant surprises in the matter of Gifts. You can make Xmas something to be remembered in this latter line if you make a wise selection, something orna mental, rich and useful.

A fur garment no matter how small is something worth having. Our name on it makes it doubly appropriate.

Put this list in your shopping bag.

For a Gentleman

Fur Caps, Fur Gauntlets, Fur Coat Collars, Fur-Lined Overcoats

For the Little Girl

Ice Lamb Mittens, Ice Lamb Collars, Fur Caperines and Scarts.

For a Lady

Jackets of Seal and Persian Lamb, Stoles, Scarfs, Boas, Caperines, Gauntlets, Muffs, Fur-Lined Coats. Opera Cloaks, Fur Foot Warmers. Fur-Lined Capes. w Rooms open every evening this

W. & D. DINEEN CO.

GIVE THE CHILDREN A TREAT. Little Ones in Charitable Instituns Should Be Remembered.

This is Christmas week. There are a number of charitable institutious for children in this city, where the little ones are The denial by the Provincial Infinite dependent on the kindness of friends of the institutions, for the gifts from Santa Slaus that will delight them on Friday morning. Appeal is made by them all for remembrance during this week. For instance, two hundred and forty-seven light children at the orphanage at Sunnyside are singing songs to Santa Claus, telling him what they want him to bring them for Christmas, and others are writing little notes, begging Santa not to forget them. In the past the people of Toronto have always been generous and thoughtful and have sent to the sisters in charge numerous 'hings for the children so that their Christmas might be as bright as if they were is the world. It is to be hoped that the good people of Toronto and other places will not forget these little children this year.

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The little consultation of the provincial frame in the past the control of the given and A. J. Small, to witness a performance of "Rl," Van Winkles" Washington Irving's famous legend so dear to childhood, at the Majestic Theatre. Mg. Summers is a Toronto boy, and always had a warm spot in his heart for the fatherless of his native city. The little cons will occupy the main portion of the ground floor.

WOMAN'S STRANGE DEATH.

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Score's Special--\$35

for an Evening Dress Suit

Twills and Uncut Worsteds is \$40.00.

Samples and Self-Measurement Chart Free to Out-of-Town Folk.

Lined throughout with silk-tailored in our own high-

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E fear we may lose some of you by insisting on the absolutely good quality of everything we sell. But that doesn't necessarily mean expensive. People who think of this as an expensive store are very much wrong.

We charge fair prices for first class goods, but we're never ashamed to have you make comparisons. If we can't more than match in our regular stock the so-called "bargains" of other stores we're no right to your trade. Compare these, for instance:

Ladies' Electric Seal Jackets\$30 Ladies' Fur-lined Automobile Cloaks \$30 Ladies' Astrachan Jackets \$30 Persian Lamb and Alaska Sable Caperines \$25	Alaska Sable Scarfs \$10 Western Sable Scarfs \$5 Mink Scarfs \$15 Red Fox Scarfs \$9 Men's Persian Lamb Collars \$15 Men's Otter Collars \$16.50 Men's Otter Caps \$16.50 Men's Persian Lamb Wedge Caps \$10
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We can't always match the furs you see advertised, and wouldn't want to. As a rule they are not worth more than is asked for them, and can but poorly stand the best of all tests-comparison.

J. W. T. Fairweather & CO 84-86 YONGE STREET.

Christmas has announced condidate for the board, after Specialties

SKATES

400 pairs Climax Skates, regular \$1, for 250 pair. Also a full line of Hockey Skates, Starr and Boker patterns, at cut prices.

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Glasses, especially as the prices are so extremely reasonable.



be divided in its opinion, as to whe- The Toronto Security Co her the "job" was done by local or outside "crooks." The "work" was clumsy in some ways, at the same time it shows that there was somebody in the gang who knew something about 'cracking' a safe. The most amat The most amateurish part of the work was the large quantity of explosives used to blow the safe.

Absolutely the cheapest place in town to borrow money on furniture or piano Security not removed from your possession.

Albany—Matthew H. Robertson, tax commissioner in State Insurance Department.

Westburgton—Frederick D. Coudert, all in one place come and see us.

Washington-Frederick D. Coudert, all in one place, come and see us. Washington—Frederick D. Coudert, well-known lawyer.
Pine Ridge, S.D.—Red Cloud, celebrated Sioux Chief.
Kingston, N.Y.—Col. John McIntee, civil war veteran.
Detroit—E. W. Meddaugh, General Counsel Grand Trunk Railway.
Cswego—John C. Rowe, prominent prohibitionist.

Controls U.S. Powder Business.

Philadelphia, Dec. 19.—It is announced that the International Smokaless Powder and Chemical Company has passed into the hands of the Dupont International Powder Company, thus giving that company control of 90 per cent of the powder business in the United States.

Striking Bags, \$1-\$

Mir Guns, \$1-\$3.50.

Exercise description fo 90 per cent of the powder business in the United States.

MONEY

"LOANS."

MUTUAL SECURITY CO.,

CHRISTMAS

Flags, Bunting, Festooning of every description for decorations. The D. PIKE CO, Limited.

John Kernell is Dead.

Deny That They Are Encroaching on Territory of Other

The World in its Friday's report of other parts of Ontario, commer n the state of the trade as follows:

East of Toronto the hog market is somewhat demoralized owing to competition between the Mathews Packing Company of Peterboro, the Laing Packing Company of Montreal and, to a limited extent; the Davies Packing Company of Toronto, as well as the Collingwood Packing Company. It seems that the Laing Packing Company of Montreal have been encroaching on the territory of all the above companies more or less, and considerably more than less on the ground of the Peterboro Company, hence the fight that is now in progress. On account of this fight it is reported that as high as \$5.40 per cwt. was paid to farmers on the Peterboro market on Wednesday last. At many other points east of Toronto from \$5.10 to \$5.25 per cwt. is reported as having been paid. At points west of Toronto drovers report the following prices: Fearman of Hamilton \$4.60, fo.b.; White of Stratford, \$4.75, f.o.b. and Park, Blackwell also are reported as paying \$4.75, while the Collingwood Packing Company are reported as having paid \$5 per cwt at Newmarket. There is one thing certain and that is the farmers east of Toronto are reaping a rich harvest on account of this competition.

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Parties Interviewed.

Mr. Laing of the Laing Packing Company of Montreal, one of the firms mentioned in the above report, was at the King Edward on Friday afternoon, in company with H. P. Kennedy of Peterboro, who also is interested in the trade east of Toronto, both being interviewed by a reporter of The World.

Mr. Laing stated that he had read the report above mentioned and wished to take exception to that portion of it

A complete line of Carvers, in silk-lined cases, from \$2 set up. Pocket and Table cutlery at close prices, sell's Carpet Sweepers

In various styles and beautifully finished at rock bottom prices during Xmas.

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times."
Mr. Laing said in reference to dressed hogs that Montreal handles a large quantity and that he looks for a steady delivery all winter. The delivery will not be remarkably large, but as there is plenty of feed in Western Ontario he looks for a steady trade. In Western Ontario, where Mr. Laing has been recently, there was a free delivery of

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SPECIAL XMAS BREW.

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A special brewing of "EAST KENT" Ale and Stout—admittedly the finest brand made in Canada—is now ready for the Christmas trade. The brew consists of 5000 dozen, and those desiring an unusually fine glass of ale or stout would do well to order early. There will be no advance in price.

"EAST KENT" is delivered everywhere.

T. H. GEORGE, 709 YONGE ST. PHONE NORTH 100 Importer of fine Wines and Liquors. All kinds of Native Wines. ed

SAFE BLOWERS AMATEURS.

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CONSCRIPTION FOR BRITAIN

London, Dec. 19-The Daily Mail this norning publishes an unconfirmed tatement that the War Office is preparing a scheme for the compulsory military training of all males between the ages of 18 and 22 years.

Mistake Caused Death, Oakville, Dec. 19.—Mrs. Hooley, who swallowed ammonia in mistake for min-eral water at the Oakville House on Wednesday, passed away at 6.30 this

London, Dec. 19.—A despatch to The Daily Mail from its Copenhagen corre-spondent says that the battleship Iver Hvitfeldt was destroyed by fire

Constantinople, Dec. 19.—Rear Admiral Cotton, U. S. N., left Beirut last night on board the U. S. cruiser San Francisco, taking Consul Davis back to Alexandretta.

Detroit, Dec. 19.—John Kernell, the veteran Irish comedian, who had been

H. H. Fudger President; J. Wood, Manage

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STORE WILL BE OPEN TILL TEN TO-NIGHT

Simpson's Christmas Stocking

We've prepared to hold our Christmas climax Tuesday. Throughout the season, this year and other years we think we've done our best to preserve the traditions of the Christmas season. Santa Claus never had such a chance of living up to his reputation as we have given him this year at this store. To-morrow, Tuesday, we have ordained as the climax. The gift-making spirit of Christmas has spread infection behind the counters. Every Department in the house has made a Christmas contribution to the greatest Christmas Tuesday in the history of the store.



Clearing Men's Xmas Slippers

A clearance of our broken lines of Men's Slip pers, in time for Xmas gifts. The assortment con tains opera and Everett styles, black, tan and red colored, dongola kid uppers, hand turn soles, all nicely lined, mostly lined with white kid, all sizes from

Men's \$1.25 Suede Gloves, 50c 240 pairs Men's Fine French Made Sue Gloves, tans and grey, some are silk lined, 1 and 2 domes, no large sizes, 7 to 8 1-4 only in stock, regular \$1.00 and \$1.25, Tuesday morning per pair

Little Boys' \$5 to \$7.50 Overcoats,

65 Boys' Fancy Winter Overcoats, consisting of cheviots, kersey and beaver cloths, in royal and navy blue, cardinal, Oxford and mid grey shade, the styles are Russian, double-breasted, with fancy and noked pearl buttons, raglanettes, with cuffs and

Men's \$7 to \$8.50 House Coats, \$5.95 52 only Men's Fine English and American selling lines; also a few almost complete lines that have been a little slow, in soft cheviots, golf cloths, tweeds and fancy French weaves, the colors are grey, fawn, brown, cardinal and black, all nobby new goods, this season's importations, handsomely trim med and finished, sizes 34.44, regular \$7.00, \$7.50 \$8.00 and \$8.50, on sale Tuesday morn-

Men's \$1 50 Mufflers, 59c

240 Oxford Mufflers, the shaped kind made from one imported black silks and satins; also fancy colored silks, in check, plaids and stripes, made in the Oxford style; also in the popular pleated back, fancy tinted satin linings, part of the lot are manufacturer's overmakes and part taken from our regular stock, well made and finished, regular prices up to \$1.50 each, on sale Tuesday, at, each, to See Yonge-street Window.

Men's 45c Suspenders. 25c 364 pairs Men's Fancy Xmas Suspenders, put up n fancy box, tinted coloring, silk embroidered, patent oast off, elastic ends, a handsome, durable brace and a suitable Xmas gift, regular price and 40c, on sale Tuesday, per

A Great Diversity of Gift Books 50c Volumes Clearing at 15c.

800 only Gift Books, bound in white, a neat iday book, with gilt top and a choice selection of titles to choose from: Idle Thoughts, Queen of the Air, Princess, Crown of Wild Olives, Modern Painters, Fairy Book, Pleasures of Life, Jackanapes' Un. dine, Child's History of England, and numerous others, a regular 50c book, TuesMen's \$15 and \$18 Fur Coats, \$12,50 23 only Men's Fur and Imitation Fur Coats, the coats are made from Australian wallaby, m dium dark color skins, quilted linings, the others are the famous Saskatchewan or imitation Buffalo, in brown, also a few black, rubber lined, best fin-

75 only Men's Fur Caps, in Astrachan, Do

Umbrella Special Tuesday

Christmas Furniture Items

Four big saving offers on the very things you'v een planning to give: 50 Parlor Rocking Chairs, in quartercut oak and birch mahogany, polished, with arms, solid leather, cobbler shaped seats, regular price \$2,75, on 1.95

15 Library or Writing Tables, in solid quarter-cut oak, polished, 2 patterns, turned or shaped legs, with drawer, regular price \$9.00, on sale 5.75 Tuesday 5.75

24 Morris Reclining Chairs, in solid quarter-cut oak, polished, heavy square posts and arms, brass rod supports or patent racket, best quality, reversible velour cushions, regular price \$12.50, on 9.90 sale Tuesday

12 Combination Book Cases and Secretaries, in solid quarter-cut oak, golden polish finish, assorted patterns, fitted with British bevel plate shaped mir. rors, regular price up to \$17.50, Tues-

Tuesday's Groceries

Choicest New Pack Canned Tomatoes, "Mountain View Brand," 50 cases only, 3 cans Tues-Choicest New Pack Canned Peas, "Grand River

Brand," 50 cases only, 2 cans Tues-Not more than I dozen cans to any purchaser. Pure Kettle Rendered Lard, 50 pails only, 1.80 1b. pail, Tuesday

\$2.75 Carpet Sweepers, \$1.49. Carpet Sweepers, strongly made frames, well finished, best quality brush, spring dust dump, furniture protector, all good working sweepers, some with roller bearings, worth up to \$2.75 each, 1.49

your choice, each \$15.00 Velvet Rugs, \$8.50

21 Best Quality English Velvet Rugs, a quality of rug noted for its durability and richness of color, the designs are pretty and in good variety, styles suitable for aimost any room, the colors are in

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Now that we are open until ten in the evening there's no necessity for you to go home to tea. Our Restaurant is serving supper every evening. Have tea at six and do your shopping before the big crowds come.