

## Lowney's Chocolates For Christmas

We have just put on display our Christmas assortment of Lowney's Celebrated Chocolates. Every person buys Chocolates for Christmas, no matter what else. Why not try these this year?

- 30c—Half pound box decorated with holly.
- 50c—One pound of Chocolates, box decorated with holly.
- \$1.00—Two pounds of Chocolates, with fancy box decorated with holly.

In fancy boxes we have a beautiful assortment ranging in quantity from half-pound to five pound in each box and ranging in price from 25c to \$5.00 per box.

Then, of course, we have Lowney's regular lines from the popular 5c cream cake to the American Beauty package in half pounds and pounds. The price is now reduced to 50c a pound.

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### DIED.

**MOASE**—Saddled in Chicago, Wm. Moase, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Moase, died at 11:30 a.m. Funeral notice later.

### PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W. 30c. Toronto, Dec. 15, 11 a.m. Strong westerly winds to-day and becoming colder. Sunday, westerly winds and decidedly cold.

### LOCAL

Follow the crowds to Brisco's. Miss S. C. Irwin is spending to-day and Sunday with friends in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Trudell were called to Wallaceburg this morning to be at the bedside of Mr. P. T. Barry, whose death occurred at nine o'clock.

"We want your trade because we need it." Our stock is large "Brisco's".

### Sensational Sale of

## ORGANS

From \$10 to \$75. Easy Terms.

27 second-hand organs, such makers Karn, Bell, Dominion, Uxbridge, Doherty, Thomas, Esby, New England and other makes for sale at **HEINTZMAN'S & CO., Music Store, Garner House Block Chatham.**

These organs have all been repaired and are in first-class condition. Each instrument is fully warranted.

The styles of these organs range from the small low back to the high back and piano case styles.

Prices from \$10.00 to \$75.00. Terms from 50 cents to 75 cents a week or other terms to suit buyer.

We are making these reduction in or to make room for our new goods.

## Xmas Perfumes

To meet the Christmas rush we have just received a complete assortment of Christmas Perfumes ranging in price from 10c to \$5.00

### All the Leading Lines

Piver Roger and Gallet Breidenbach Plaisard  
Taylor Stearn Seely Wampole

**Radley's Drug Store** S. F. PARK & CO., Props  
SCANE BLOCK

## PROTEST FROM THE WEST Against Tariff Increases Asked By The Manufacturers

### RESOLUTIONS ARE PASSED

Ottawa, Dec. 15.—The Liberal members from Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta waited on the Minister of Finance Thursday afternoon and registered their protest against any increases in the Canadian tariff, as asked for by the manufacturers. Since the new tariff was introduced, the manufacturers have been making demands upon the Government for increases amounting in some cases to as high as 10 per cent. The western members told Mr. Fielding, that while they would have liked to have seen a still lower tariff in the interests of the farmers, they accepted the schedule as presented to Parliament as a fair compromise. The delegation made it perfectly clear that any increase would be stubbornly resisted and resented by the farming community of the three provinces.

New Set of Readers.  
Toronto, Dec. 15.—The Government has decided to publish a new set of readers for all grades in the public schools, which will be modern in every particular, the subject matter to be chosen by the advisory council of education.

### TO THE GRAVE

The funeral of the late John Pook, whose death occurred Wednesday last, took place yesterday afternoon, from the family residence on Murray street, to Maple Leaf Cemetery. Rev. Rural Dean McCosh officiating. The funeral was very largely attended. The pall-bearers were Messrs. Wm. Duff, James Watt, Robert Keeler, Ernest Turner, Arthur Darling, and D. Poile. The floral donations were very numerous and costly.

### 900 ACRES IN FARM

Ridgeway, Dec. 14.—Mr. John Cochran has bought 100 acres of the old Red eye tract, 101st, North Tilbot road, from Chandler Woods. This gives Mr. Cochran about 900 acres in one block near Glenora, making, perhaps, the largest farm in Ontario. Mr. Cochran does extensively in five stock and uses most of the land for pasture.

### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids and sealed tenders will be received up to Saturday, Dec. 16, 1906, by Messrs. John McKerrall and Herbert Mount, also at the offices of the undersigned, for a concrete, stone and brick hotel and business block to be erected in North Chatham. Plans, specifications, etc., to be seen at the offices of the architects on and after Tuesday, Dec. 18th, 1906. Lowest for any tender not necessarily accepted.  
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HERBERT MOUNT,**  
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## A MERRY XMAS

To Everyone. Xmas Goods at

Our Usual Low Prices.

- New Mixed Nuts, 18c. per lb.
- Mixed Candy, 8c. per lb.
- Orange, 25c. per doz.
- 2 lbs. Cream Candy, 25c.
- 2 lb. select raisins, 12c. per lb.
- Fine New Currants, 10c. per lb.
- Mince Meat, 10c. per lb.
- 3 Ten Cent Bottles Extract for 25c.
- 1 lb. Cans Sunlight Baking Powder, 10c.
- icing Sugar, 8c. per lb.
- 1 lb. Package Seeded Raisins, 12c.

### OUR STOCK

Of Dinner Set, Tea Sets and a large quantity of China is still being cleared out at 75c. on the dollar—a big snap for anyone looking for Christmas presents.

**JOHN MCCONNELL,**  
PARK ST. PHONE 190

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**REPAIRS**—Our Repair Department is fully equipped with the latest machinery, and experienced men for all kinds of small repairs, soldering, pickle plating, scissoring, knives and saws sharpened. Rubber goods repaired.  
**BRISCO'S**

## GREAT SALE OF LADIES' FURS At Seventy Cents on the Dollar

### Commencing Monday, Dec. 17th

The continued mild weather has lessened the demand for Furs. We have a very large stock on hand and simply cannot afford to carry them over.

We prefer to take a loss on them all than to hold on and sell only part between now and the New Year, and then carry the balance over to another season.

### A Great Opportunity to Secure Your Christmas Gifts

There is an extra well-assorted stock of all kinds of Ladies' Small Furs in Alaska Sable, Mink, Persian Lamb, Marmot, Etc.

### This is an Exceptional Offer in Furs

Coming as it does before Christmas this is without doubt the Greatest Bargains in Furs we have ever offered the public in Chatham.

### Come Early in Order to Secure the Best Selection

All Furs Marked in Plain Figures and Sold at 70c. on the dollar.



## Be on Hand Saturday For the Great Sample Overcoat Sale

### 65 ONLY IN THE LOT.

\$13.50 to \$16.50 Overcoats Saturday.....\$8.49  
\$9, \$10, \$12.....5.98

### Special Holiday Neckwear Display In the Austin Men's Store.

New Lines just opened up this week. All the popular and new styles, nicely displayed for early selling.

- 25c, 50c, 75c. Fancy Separate Boxes.
- FANCY NECK SCARFS.
- HANDSOME UMBRELLAS.
- HERRIN'S CELEBRATED GLOVES.
- CHRISTY'S NOTED HATS.
- FANCY VESTS.
- SMOKING JACKETS.

### GIFTS THAT THRILL

Are of many classes—those that shine but do no practical good, those that are useful but not ornate, and those that combine beauty, form and splendor with comfort, utility and convenience. The class of Christmas surprises that now brighten the floors of this Store are jewels in the form of Christmas Chairs, Tables, Bookcases and Writing Desks, Christmas Sideboards, Buffets, China Cabinets, Parlor Cabinets, and scores of Pretty Parlor Pieces. Gorgeous Presents in Turkish Rockers, large Easy Chairs, Morris Chairs, Davenport, Etc.

We believe that the people generally are more apt to be thrilled with delight over beautiful gifts of things they need than over those that are empty ornaments.

Solid Mahogany parlor Cabinet, bent glass, enclosed case, British bevelled mirror on top, worth \$35.00, very special at only \$27.00.

Three piece parlor suite, polished mahogany finish frames, best quality upholstery plain seats, tufted backs, price \$37.00.

It will pay you to come around the corner and see our window on the

Market.

## C. AUSTIN & CO.,

KENT COUNTY'S LARGEST RETAILERS—CHATHAM AND DRESDEN