



Andrew Weidenhammer.

MR. AND. WEIDENHAMMER, WAS born at Heidelberg, Ont., in 1863, and shortly afterwards removed to a farm near Elmira. He attended the Elmira public school and the Berlin High School, supplementing the education received there by private study. He commenced teaching in S. S. No. 12, Woolwich. From 1886 to 1890 he taught school at Hawkesville and since 1891 at Waterloo. He has been successful as a teacher. In 1900 he was elected President of the Waterloo County Teachers Association and was twice appointed delegate to represent this Association at Toronto. In April 1903 he was elected President of the P. S. Department of The Ontario Educational Association.

Mr. Weidenhammer, has also taken active interest in other matters. He was four years president of the Waterloo Horticultural Society and since 1899 he has been Chairman of the Waterloo Free

Library. He is a staunch conservative and has done good service to his party, by speaking on their platform, during election campaigns. He speaks German as well as English.



A. K. Jansen.

MR. A. K. JANSEN WAS BORN in Elmira in 1868. He was educated in the Elmira public school and received a third class teachers' certificate under Mr. David Bean. He became apprentice to the watchmaking trade, in Klinck's Jewelry Store, in 1884, where he remained 7 years, after which time he worked at his trade in Kingston, Hamilton, Ottawa and Toronto. In 1892 he taught school and in 1893 became a partner in the Signet printing office, from which he withdrew a year later. In 1895 he entered upon his studies at the Canadian Horological Institute, where he made a watch and assisted in the teaching of the students there. In 1898 he commenced business in Berlin, in partner-

ship with his brother Carl, under the firm name of Jansen Bros. and its now becoming well established there.



James Nicol.

MR. JAMES NICOL came to Elmira many years ago. He was book-keeper and clerk in the store of Winger & Weaver, where he remained until they disposed of their business. Then he entered the employ of Mr. Isaac Wenger. Shortly afterwards he embarked in business for himself in the building now occupied by Mr. Weitzel, baker. He sold out some years later to Mr. Geo. Renfer, commenced again and finally sold out to Messrs. Weber & Erb, in 1882. He lived here years afterwards, but is now a resident of Galt, Ontario.

Mr. W. R. Wilkinson is a native of Waterloo County. He received his early education at Hawkes-



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vill and Winterbourne and later attended the Berlin High School and Model School, the Galt Collegiate Institute, and the Toronto Normal School. He also attended an art course in Toronto and a course in a School of Elocution at Ann Arbor, Mich. After having taught school eight years in various parts of the county, he took the prescribed courses of the Toronto and Philadelphia Schools of Dentistry and secured a diploma in each. He spent some time in the offices of a Berlin and a Toronto dentist. He is now engaged in the practice of dentistry at Berlin and comes to Elmira every Monday. He has his office in Yost's block, where he has been a tenant for ten years, the first three of which he was permanently located here.

He is much attached to Elmira and her people and takes a lively interest in everything pertaining to the welfare of the village.