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Mr, Bole have the best and t up-to-date line of Miss Ma home in istmas Stationery

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J. KENNY

King Street, East

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W. to sp in Maronto, Dec. 23.—11 a. m.—Cloudy light local snow falls. Sunday Ceolog porthwest winds and colder ectors following figures were regis-to-day at 7 a. m. at Turner's

Missher bureau:
home THERMOMETER.
Chrischest yesterday, 36.
owest during night, 31.
Mihis morning, 32.
spengarometer, 29.23.
Uxbinection of wind, southwest. Missher bureau:

Christins, Marriages and Deaths DIED.

Chat AVES—On Thorsday, Dec. 21st, thiarry Ellison Graves, son of Ern-t A. Graves, aged 3 years, 4 mos.

Frad 13 days.

Cago eral will take place Sunday at ther 30 p. m., from his father's resience, on Bedford St., to Maple Dreaf Cemetery.

Local Briefs

west ery fine "fen's Fur Coats at \$20. Mis Stephens order for Christmas and feave your order for Christmas and Frank at Rhody's.

Toroithur Causgrove will spend the J Miss Kate McCallum, of this city inwill spend Christmas in Ingersoll. in Dave and Neil Smith, of Stewart, heare spending a couple of days in the

Bat Crump's, opposite Grand Opera hadouse, Geo. B. Langford, of Kent Bridge called on his Chatham friends yes-

gus Mrs. Thomas Wiekham left for Mwatertown, N. Y., to spend her "Thristmas holidays.

W, Be sure and attend Tschirhart's their music sale between now and Robristmas only.

Percy Bedford, of Detroit, an old Lhatham boy, arrived in the city this daivening on a short holiday visit. daivening on a short holiday visit.

ing Briscos' store open all day Mona fay for tickets for "A Bell Boy."

our will be sorry if you miss this
Miendid Christmas attraction.

dauge /L. Williams, manager of the
sheet and ard Bank, Blenheim, was in the

perfumes, Hair Brushes, Mirrors,
etc., for Christmas at Radley's Drug

Ninard's Lin
where,

W. Bennis, and R. Brushes, Williams

W. Bennie and R. Rankin, of Dover, left this afternoon for Luck-now, where they will spend the holi-day.

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A. J. McTavish, of Blenheim, was Miss Stephenson, of Austin's, will pend the holiday in Galt.

Mr. and Mrs. James Causgrove left ast evening for Thamesville. Mr. and Mrs. John Morris, of Wal-ceburg, spent the day in the city Jack Graham and wife, of Pontiac are spending Christmas in the city Dr. Hicks leaves this afternoon for Talbotsville, where he will spend a

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. J. Forshee, of Dresden, were Chatham visitors yes-terday.

Our perfume is all the best oders in bottles from 10c to \$3.50 per bot-tle at Radley's Drug Store. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gundy leave to-day for Wingham, where they will

spend Christmas. Harold Hall, of the Merchants' Bank staff, will spend Christmas in Walter : White, of Blenheim pent yesterday with his Chathan

Our one pound and two pound boxes of chocolates and bon bons, our own make, are of the choicest. Price 50c and \$1.00 at Rhody's.*

Dr. A. W. Thornton will address

the Gospel Temperance meeting to-morrow afternoon on Christian Citi

A. I. McCall & Co., druggists, are showing an immense variety of up-to-date leather goods for Christmas gifts. See them.

A. M. Short, of the Bank of Mont-real staff, St. Mary's, will spend the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dennis, Elizabeth street.

Milton Bates, who has been attending the school of Practical Science, Toronto, is spending the Christmas holidays at his home here. Christmas holidays at his nome here.
Why not buy your Christmas
Candy at the only place in Chatham where it is all made on the
premises—at Crump's only— opposite
Grand Opera House.

A.C. Trudell has resigned the posi-tion of trustee on the Separate School Board on account of being nominated as alderman for the com-

John McConnell is crearing out his large stock of China Lamps and Glassware bought for the Christmas trace. Saven p-result requestion on all the above goods.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Tschirhart, Anson Tschirhart and Miss Myrtle Tschirhart, all of Detroit, will spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Christmas with Mr. and Schirhart, King street. Black outlook at Central Drug

Store. Don't be alarmed, as we simply refer to our array of Ebony goods suitable for Christmas gifts—combs, mirrors, brushes, manicure

Mr. and Mrs. Ireland are spending Christmas with Mrs. Kingsmill, Wil-liam street. Mrs. Kingsmill gave a flinch party in their honor last even-

Wanted!—A lady typewriter and stenographer is wanted, who is able to fill a responsible position. Ad-W., care Planet Office,

Harry Ellison Graves, son of Ernest A. Graves, Bedford street, passed away on Thursday, aged three years. The funeral will take place on Sunday

Ladjes!—Don't carry money in your handkerchief, it doesn't look good. Our purses and hand bags are neat, stylish and inexpensive. Central Drug Store.

Reg. Oldershaw, formerly employed in McCorvie's grocery store, now travelling for the McCormick Biscuit and the McCormick spending.

Company, of London, is spending Christmas at his home here. The five senses—Taste McConkey's Chocolates, sight Ebony goods, touch toilet articles, smell perfumes, hearing mouth organs. A sixth sense will lead you to the Central Drug

"The roast The Planet gave the butchers about bringing meat to the market wrapped in soiled cloths, certainly had its effect," remarked Health Inspector Anson Mounteer this morning. "The meat is now/delivered in clean white linen."

"The wind comes ledge." "The wind comes laden with sweet odors." Sweet odors are on every breeze that comes from the Central Drug Store. Violet, jacinth, illy of the valley, otto de rose; delicate, unobtrusive perfumes.

John W. Taylor, an aged and well known colored resident, passed away yesterday, aged 77 years. The funeral will take place on Sunday. Deceased was a barber and a brother of Geo. Taylor, another well known barber.

Christmas Entertainments.

given by the St. Andrew's and First Presbyterian Sunday Schools last ev-ening. In each case programs of music and recitations were given music and recitations were given and candy was distributed amongst

Minard's Liniment for Sale Every-

Money tarks, even with women when they give it a chance. Minard's Liniment cures Distemper

******************* Rings, Pearl Rings

In Great Variety. Single, Two Stone, Three Stone, or Five Stone. Pearl Opera Glasses, from \$5:00 a Pair to \$15.00. Pearl Knives and Forks from \$7.00 Per Dozen Upwards.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Dr. a. J. MacINTYRE, Leading Jeweler ... and Optician.

STANDARD BANK

usiness, the directors of the Stan dard Bank of Canada have resolved 000 to \$2,000,000. A meeting of the shareholders will be called to authorize the new i sus. The dir ctrs pupose an immediate 'sace of 250,000 at 200, being a premium of 100 per

A GOOD WELL

Roger Hutchison, school teacher, of Stawart, arrived home this morning and will spend the Christmas vacation in the city. He says there is roducing 60 barrels of oil per d he well was shot last Thursday.

LOST AND FOUND

A prominent Raleigh farmer ac vertised the loss of a considerable um of money this week in The Planet.
The usual happy result has followed. The money was left at The Planet office to-day by the finder.

COURT SITTING

The sittings of the spring assizes (jury) will open on March 5th before Chief Justice Sir Wm. Mere

dith.

The focal non-jury sittings will open on May 21st before Chief Justice Srr Wm. Mulock, formerly Postmas-

YORK LOAN INVESTIGATION.

Officials and Some Employes of the Company Are Summoned.

Company Are Summoned.

Toronto, Dec. 22—Subpoenas were issued yesterday for a number of the officials and employes of the York County Loan Co, to appear before Investigator W. H. Cross at the York Loan offices, Roncesvalles avenue, at 10 o'clock next Tuesday morning. Mr. Cross did not care to name the first to be expulsed. Seven sub-

witness to be examined. Seven subpoenas were issued.
W. T. White, manager of the liquidating company, says at this time it
is impossible to estimate the cost of ong it will take before affairs are in shape. It is estimated that it will take per-

haps four years.

Attacked With Axe.

Naparee, Dec. 23.—About noon yes-erday farmers discovered an Assyrian eddler named Saad of Napanee lying peddler named Saad of Naparles of the unconscious on the road near Enterprise, about fifteen miles north of here. He was badly wounded about the head. An axe covered with blood was found at the home of the farmer with whom Saad stayed Thursday night. Saad Saad stayed Thursday night. Saad was removed to Kingston General Hospital yesterday afternoon, but it is not expected he will recover.

Appointed Registrar.

Toron Dec. 23.—David John Hun-er has been appointed registrar o for Dufferin County to succ deeds for Dufferin County of the a short time ago. He is a son of W. H. Hunter, a wealthy East Garafrana farmer, who was defeated in Centre Wellington in 1891 in the Dominion election.

Found Dead In Stable. Campbellford, Dec. 23.—James Strachan, a farmer residing at Menie, 6 miles from here, was found dead in his stable yesterday morning. Deceased, was a sufferer from heart trouble. He was about 60 years of age, and unmar-

Eagle Doesn't Protect.

Vienna, Dec. 23.—The American.
Embassy has received several complaints in which Hungarian officials are accused of having subjected naturalized American citizens to petty prosecutions on the ground that their prosecutions on the ground that their papers were incorrect.

Another Canadian Candidata. London, Dec. 23.—(C. A. P.).—Mr. Campbell, the Conservative candidate for mid-Lanark, in Scotland, was born in Ontario. At the last election the Liberals had a majority of 192.

Bryan at Manilla. Manilla, Dec. 23.—W, J. Bryan arrived here yesterday and was given an enthusiastic reception by committees representing the citizens and Elks.

Wife Murderer Hanged. New York, Dec. 23.—Edwin J. Tap-ley, a negro wife murderer, was hanged at the county jail in Jersey City yester-

TILBURY

Dec. 23.—Miss B. Mackenzie has re-curred from an extended visit with relatives at Embro.

Robt. Adams has returned from a Miss Laura Mathers, of the Ursu-ine Academy, Chatham, is visiting her parents, Mr., and Mrs. S. Math-

Mrs. John Anderson is on the sich list.
Miss Annie Campbell, who is attending the Ursulme Academy, Chatham, is visiting at her home here.

Orders for hookbinding should be left at this office. It is surprising how nice a volume can be made of those magazines, even though they are somewhat soiled from much handling. Books, magazines, or periodicals bound or rebound in any style at very reasonable prices. Blank books such as journals, ledgers, day books, with any kind of ruling, made to order. All work warranted first class.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago and Liverpool Wheat Futur Close Lower-Live Stock Markets -The Latest Quotations.

Friday Evening, Dec 22, eat futures closed to-day 4 sterday and corn futures to

WINNIPEG OPTIONS.

93	LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.			
Ŕ		Dec.	May.	Jul
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3	Detroit	86	901/2	
3	Toledo	88	9014	85
8	St. Louis	821/4	85 1/8	80
H	Duluth	821/8	85	82
5	Minucapolis	84%	85%	
	TOROLTO PROI	DUCE	MARK	ET.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE Dec., 6s 10½d; March, 6s 11½d; May, 7dd. Corn, spot, quiet; American mixmew, 4s 7½d; American mixed, old, 4s; futures, quiet; Jan., 4s 3½d; March, 7dd. Pork, prime aness western, quiet, Hams, short cut, quitt, 45 6d. Bacon, trib, weak, 46s. Lerd, American red, in patis, quiet, 40s. Hops in Loudon clic. Const), steady, £2 16s to £8 15s. cipts of wheat during the past three s, 275,000 centals, including 85,000 Aman. Receipts of American corn during past three days, 120,500 centals. Wearcloudy.

NEW YORK DAIRY MARKET. New York Dairy Market.

New York, Dec. 22.—Butter, firm; receipts, 4504; street price extra creamery, 25c to 25½c. Official prices unchanged.

Cheese, firm; receipts, 1055; state full cream, small and large, colored and white, October best, 13c to 13½c.

Eggs, strong; receipts, 4547; state, Pennsy, varia and nearby fancy selected white, 36-to 38; do, choice, 33 to 36; do, mixed extra, 32c to 38c; western finest selected. 29c to 30c; do, average best, 28c; southern, 23c to 28c.

Cables Easier_lättle Change ;Re-Lordon, Dec. 22.—Cattle are quoted for to 11½c per lb.; refrigerator, 8% sheep, 10%c to 12c.

EAST BUFFALO CATTLE MARKET East Buffalo, Dec. 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 00 Lead; nothing doing; prices, unchanged. Veals—Receipts, 400 head; active, \$5.50 Receipts, 8500 head; active, 5c t

Hogs—Receipts, 8500 head; active, 5c to 10c lower; heavy, mixed and yorkers, \$5.25; pigs, \$5.25 to \$5.30; roughs, \$4.40 to \$4.05; stegs, \$3 to \$5.75.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 9800 head; slow; lambs, \$6.25 to \$7.75; yearlings, \$0.50 to \$6.65; wethers, \$5.50 to \$6.65; wethers, \$5.50 to \$6.65; wethers, \$5.50 to \$6.50; wethers, \$5.50 to \$5.75; Carada lambs, \$7.25 to \$7.50. NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, Dec. 22.—Beeves—Recelpts, 3750; good, medium to choice steers, firm to 10c higher; common, steady; cows, firm to 10c higher; bulls, steady; steers, \$4 to \$5.50; stags, \$3.10; bulls, \$3 to \$4; cows, \$1.65 to \$3.40; helfers, \$2.25 to \$3.75. Exports to-morrow and Sunday, 1180 cattle and 6718 quarters of beef.

Caives—Recelpts, 56; very dull; veals, \$5 to \$9; little calves, \$3.50; barnyard stock, \$3 to \$4. ep and Lambs—Receipts, 461; sheep

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 461; sneep, low; lambs, in a little better demand and the to 15c higher for top grades; sheep, 3,75 to \$4.50; choice Ohlo wethers, \$5.75; ambs, \$i to \$7.75; choice 8, Hogs—Receipts, 2056; half a car rough westerns, part stags, sold at \$4. Feeling CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHRICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Dec. 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 4000; slow and weak; common to prime steers, \$3 to \$6.75; stockers and feeders, \$2.15 to \$4.25; calves, \$2.50 to \$6.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 26,000; market 10c higber; ship ling and sejected, \$5.07½ to \$5.20; mixed and heavy packing, \$4.95 to \$5.05; light, \$4.35 to \$5.07½; pigs and roughs, \$3 to \$4.90.

Sheep—Receipts, 7000; market, 10c to 15c to \$4.90. Sheep—Receipts, 7000; market, 10c to 15c higher; sheep, \$4 to \$5.80; yearlings, \$6 \$6.70; lambs, \$6.75 to \$7.

PRISON FOR PLUMBERS.

How Col. Denison of Toronto Would Deal With Bonus Men. Toronto, Dec. 23.—"Conspiring one with the other by deceit and false-hood, or other fraudulent means to defraud the City of Toronto of \$500 in

fraud the City of Toronto of \$500 in connection with the Isolation Hospital," was the charge preferred yesterday morning against nineteen defendants' in connection with the Plumbers Combine.

Mr. W. R. Riddell, K.C., on behalf of the defendants intimating that

Mr. W. R. Riddell, K.C., on behalf of the defendants intimating that there might be a plea of guilty; but Col. Denison said he would not try the case which he thought was a serious one. "It is a case," his Worship remarked, "in which, if there was a conviction before me I would not fine them, but would imprison them."

Mr. Joseph Harrison, explained the system by which the tenders for the hospital were fixed, K. J. Allison & Fiddes & Hogarth, who obtained the plumbing contract, and the heating and ventilation contract, gave I. O. U's of \$20 and \$25 respectively to eleven other firms tendering, making a total of \$495. The amount had, however, now been repaid to the city.

other firms tendering, making a total of \$495. The amount had, however, now been repaid to the city.

It was also intimated that the amounts and the I. O. U's in other cases would also be repaid.

Will Not Obey Summons.

St. John, N. B., Dec. 23.—James Pender, of the Pender Nall Works, and Wm. Bruckof of the Portland Rolling Mills here, were served with summonses Thursday is connection with the enquiry at Toronto egarding the combine in tacks. Pender said Thorsday night that he had not taken legal advice as to his action, but he had not made tacks for ten years. He doubted the power of the summons in New Brunswick. Bruckof told a reporter he would not go to Toronto. The summonses are returnable Dec. 28.

Canada First. Chicago, Dec. 23.—The International Live Stock Exposition will end to-day. In the contest yesterday for the grand championship shorthorn matron, Queen Ideal, the Canadian champion, was awarded first henors.

China-Jap Treaty Signed. Pekin, Dec. 22.—The China-Japanese treaty was signed yesterday. The Chinnese commissioners say the treaty relates solely to Manchurian affairs and that the reports of a China-Japanese alliance are false. TO MEXICO.

Handled by Reau Campbell, the author of the Only Reliable Guide to Mexico, and Manager American Tourist Association, are being arranged to go via the Grand Trunk Railway System. Particulars will be announced later,

Mr. Campbell has had 25 years' experience in Mexican tours, and they are the only ones that positively take in all the interesting points, and are not covered by any other parties. His own dining car "Quantzintecomatzin." and open top Observation car "Chillitli," are the largest and finest in the world.

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st in the world. THE FAST TRAINS

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NEW ADVERTISEMENT. B. O'FLYNN-Barri ter, Selicitor

STRAYED-from Lot 4, Con. 7, Tp. of Chatham, on or about Dec. 2nd, a black sow, weighs from 250 to 300 lbs. Any information that will lead to her recovery will be rewarded. Daniel Hendricks, Bear Line, P. O.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF CHATHAM.

adies and Gentlemen:

I am a candidate for the position of Alderman for the coming year, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence, and I thank you for support in the past. Wishing you the compliments of the season, I am, Yours respectfully,

J. E. AINSWORTH. TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF CHATHAM.

Ladies and Gentlemen f am a candidate for the position Alderman for the coming year, of Alderman for the coming year, and if elected will endeavor to look after the best interests of our city. My policy for next year will be to keep down all unnecessary expenditure, thereby keeping our tax rate as low as possible. Trusting my actions in the past will warrant your appoort for 1906.

upport for 1906.
Wishing you all the compliments

Yours respectfully, W. H. WESTMAN.

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90 acres in the Township of Ral-eigh, well fenced and drained; new house and barn. This farm will be sold at a bargain if sold at once, will accept small payment now, or will exchange for city property.

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Scaled bulk or separate tenders addressed to J. R. Palmer will be received at the office of the undersigned architect until five p. m. Saturday, December 30th, 1905, for the various trades, including brickwork, concrete, cut stone, painting, plumbing, galvanized iron and gravel roofing, required in the erection of a two storey factory in the city of Chatham.

Chatham.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. A. M. PIPER,

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Plum Pudding. Fruit Cake. Oyster Patties. Ice Cream.

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Merry Christmas and a Bright and Joyous Glad New Year, Your pockets lined with money, and your tables Loaded with Good Cheer. Plum Pudding, Turkey, Cranberry Sauce, Roast Beef, Mince Pie and Oyster Stew, a cheerful fireside, Health and friends These blessings Be to You. Now let us join With one accord and let the Welkin' ring, "Glory to God on high, And peace, good will

KING ST.,

To men."

SANTA CLAUS waves his magic wand. Toys, Dolls and Games in extreordinary array for Christmas are here. How Tiey Tim, Bob Ceatchit and old F. zzinig would revel in this place of delights could they but step into existence from the pages of Dickens' immortal story.

Bring the children; let them enjoy these innocent allurements to their hearts con-