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and two pound and bon bons, our of the choicest. Price \$1.00.

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To avoid the robbing but "Roger and For sale at Central.

Contains nothing in Christmas the membership.

present turkeys to former members of the year the presentations.

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of false teeth, get your put in a sweet tooth for Bon-Bons or G. B. Choco-

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Christmas Entertainment. Andrew's S. S. will be at 6 o'clock, when served by the teachers to and Bible Class pupils.

voice program will be reciting of music, reciting pictures, and presentation of diplomas.

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can may be fancy free and fancy her freedom.

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Great Variety. Single, Two Stone, Three Stone, or Five.

Pearl Opera Glasses, from \$5.00 a Pair to \$15.00.

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TO THE ELECTORS OF CHATHAM.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am a candidate for the position of Alderman for the year 1906, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

JOHN EDMONDSON.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF CHATHAM.

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January.

Mr. Joseph spent a few days home here, and has gone where he will remain for the Miss Katherine Duncan home to-morrow from Toronto. Mr. Newkirk comes to take of Fysher's school after the Year.

A POLICY FOR BRITAIN

Premier's First Speech Outlines Government's Course.

Fiscal Issue the Prime Issue of the Campaign and He Is For Free Trade—Economy and Not Force to Rule in International Relations—Declared Democratic Colonies Would Find Greater Affinity Among Liberals.

London, Dec. 22.—Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman's first speech since he accepted the Premiership was delivered at Albert Hall last night before a mass meeting. The Premier was supported on the platform by 15 members of his Cabinet. Next to the Premier, John Burns, was the hero of the evening, being acclaimed by continuous applause and musical honors until the picturesque representative of labor in the British Cabinet was palpably embarrassed.

The Prime Issue.

The Premier avoided the question of home rule for Ireland. He said that the fiscal question was the prime issue of the campaign against a Government whose Minister "made a midnight flitting on a murky December evening."

A feature of Sir Henry's speech was the announcement that the Government had decided to stop the importation of coolies into South Africa until such time as the question for or against such importation could be decided by a South African Parliament, elected by popular vote. This was greeted with tremendous enthusiasm.

Foreign Relations.

Speaking of foreign relations, Sir Henry first expressed his kindly feeling toward Russia in the present trial through which that country was passing.

In the case of Germany, he said, he saw no reason whatsoever for estrangement, and welcomed the unofficial demonstrations of friendship which recently had passed between the two countries. Regarding the United States, France and Japan the Premier accepted the existing conditions, and approved everything which tended towards peace.

Sir Henry upheld this announcement with another which elicited applause. He said that the growth of armaments was a great danger, that force was not the only remedy and that economy must be adopted. The Government would oppose aggression, and would be animated by a desire to remain on the best terms with all nationalities and to co-operate in the common work of civilization. He repeated that the principle of arbitration had made great strides.

For the People.

In general terms the Premier outlined his policy for retrenchment, and for a complete system of Government by the people "for the good of the greatest number."

In equally general terms he gave notice that most of the domestic acts of the late Government would be traversed by the incoming Liberal Government, and he made a powerful bid for the popular vote.

Colonial Affinities.

By C.A.P.—"It is surely unnecessary," he said, "for us Liberals to make public protestations of our affection for the colonies and of our desire to bring them closer and closer to ourselves. The relations between the colonies and the mother country have never been settled on lines of party politics, but if they were to be so conducted surely the democratic and progressive instincts and institutions of these great communities would find more affinity among us than among our opponents."

"I have heard with relief and pleasure from Lord Elgin that he finds no trace of any tendency towards the disruption of which we were told but a month ago. No sign of tension or friction exists, everything is smooth, save the one ruffled spot of South Africa."

The Premier advocated colonizing their own land at home, making it less a pleasure ground for the rich and more a bread and butter house for the nation. Protection would be death to the desired reforms. Peace abroad and economy at home would be their policy.

SCORE IS 14 TO 9.

With Two Places Yet In Doubt In Saskatchewan.

Regina, Dec. 22.—Comparatively complete returns to hand indicate that the co-operators have 14 certain seats to the 9 of the Provincial Right-ers, with Kinistino and Prince Albert City in doubt.

Already Provincial Righters have unearthed evidence sufficient to warrant active proceedings against three Cabinet Ministers, Scott, Calder and Motherwell, to say nothing of others.

Canada 52nd In Empire Match.

London, Dec. 22.—(C. A. P.)—The Schools of the Empire shooting match in 1905 shows that the Charterhouse in England is at the top with a score of 477. Ottawa is the only Canadian school entered, and is 52nd out of 82, with a score of 388. Great Britain had 44 entries. Australia, nine; Cape Colony, 10; New Zealand, eight; Natal, 10. The majority of Canadian schools were barred owing to being unrepresented. Capt. O'Callagher of Ottawa College made 61 against highest individual score of 68.

TENDERS

Sealed tenders will be received until Saturday, 23rd inst., for the purchase of all the standing timber on the S.E. 1-3 of lot No. 7, concession 9, in the Township of Chatham; the purchaser to have one year to take off said timber. Tenders to be addressed to the undersigned at Darrell P. O. No tender necessarily accepted.

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If you have to pay the piper be sure that you get the dance.

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Hot-house Tomatoes
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To buy a carload of Heavy Draught and Carriage Horses. They must be sound and in good condition for shipment.

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Ladies' and Gent's Gold plated and Sterling Silver Trimmed Umbrellas, \$1.00 to \$7.00.

Perrin's Celebrated French Kid Gloves, in Fancy Boxes, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50.

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Stationery, in Fancy Boxes, a swell present, 75c.

Table Linen Sets, Cloth and Napkin to match, \$1.25 to \$6.00.

Fancy Linen Pieces, 25c to \$2.00.

Ladies' Silk Waists, Plain Tucked and Embroidered, \$2.25 to \$5.00.

Ladies' Hand Bags and Purses, 25c to \$2.50.

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Stock Collars and Belts at special prices, from 25c.

Beauty Pins, Stick Pins, Brooches, &c.

Dress Goods, suitable for Waists, Dresses, &c., special for Christmas.

These are only a few of the articles showing. Store Open Every Night.

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Ideal Christmas Gifts.

Each Holiday Season marks an increase in the number of people who give Gifts of Enduring Value. Our Stock is an Assortment of this kind of Presents—Goods which combine Beauty, Usefulness, Lastingness, and Intrinsic Value. We have scores of these better gifts, of which the following will give you only a hint:—

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40 only Child's Sets arrived to-day in beautiful pink lustre. Cup, saucer, plate and bread and milk bowl, set 25c.

100 1-pint China Cream Jugs at 10c.

150 blue and gold, with figured centre, Bread and Butter Plates, regular 25c for 18c.

50 Cake plates and Salad Bowls—regular 50c and 35c, all on table at 25c.

9 dozen Heavy silver plated Tea Spoons, worth \$2.75 dozen, on sale at \$2.00.

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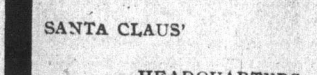
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