

Our Table Raisins

Are delicious this year. Each Christmas season we try to get the best possible and this year we think we did better than ever before. The fruit is large, dark, and really delicious in flavor.

20c, 25c and 30c per lb.

Special prices by the layer (5 1/2 lbs.)

ENGLISH WALNUTS, 20c p und

FINEST ALMONDS, 20c a pound

FRESH BRAZILS, 20c a pound

EXTRA LARGE PECANS, 20c lb.

SWEET SICILY ELBERTS, 15c a pound.

ALL THESE MIXED, 18c pound

TABLE FIGS, 15c and 20c a pound

FINEST NEW DATES, 3 pounds for 25c.

EXTRA LARGE OLIVES, 25c to 75c a bottle.

RICH OLD CHEESE, 18c a pound

MACLAREN'S CHEESE, 25c a jar

ENGLISH PICKLES, 25c and 35c a bottle.

FINE GREEN GRAPES, 20c lb.

SWEET ORANGES, 25c to 50c a dozen.

MOCHA and JAVA COFFEE, 40c a pound.

FINEST ENGLISH BREAKFAST TEA, 60c a pound.

OUR FINEST BLACK TEA, 75c a pound.

The Local Budget

Guaranteed Ingersoll watches \$1.00 at Brisco's.

John Longwell, of Chicago, is spending the holidays with his parents.

Mrs. Ireland (nee Miss King) is visiting her sister, Mrs. Kingsmill, William street.

Be sure and attend Tschirhart's big music sale between now and Christmas only.

Gillette safety razor outfit is an ideal present for any gentleman.

John Longwell, of Chicago, is spending his Christmas holidays at his old home in the Maple City.

Mr. and Mrs. Pyne, of Dresden, spent Sunday with friends in the city. They are at present thinking of coming to Chatham to reside.

Gold pens, gold headed canes, gold headed umbrellas, a beautiful line to choose from. E. J. MacIntyre, leading jeweler and optician.

Mrs. Dr. W. Webster, of Chicago, and Mrs. I. B. Webster, of Dresden, spent Sunday with Mrs. M. J. Webster, McKeough avenue.

All 10, 25 and 50 cent music ten copies for 50 cents from now until Christmas at Tschirhart's.

Lost, Dec. 16th, black purse with "wear Campbell's shoes" on same, containing a sum of money. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at this office.

A silk waist makes an ideal Christmas gift. The Foreman Store is making the finest display of waist silks in Western Ontario. See their display.

At the Park street Methodist church yesterday excellent music was rendered. In the morning Stewart McKeough sang a solo and Miss Potter sang in the evening.

Miss Hazel West, of Wallaceburg, spent Sunday in the city the guest of Mrs. Annie Steinhoff, Lansdowne avenue.

Earl Sheldrick, of Winnipeg, arrived home unexpectedly and will spend the Christmas holidays in Chatham. He will return to Winnipeg after New Years.

The Park street Epworth League will hold a literary evening at the regular meeting to-night. The meeting will assume the form of a Christmas Eve entertainment.

Lost, a counter book between the Aberdeen bridge and Park avenue west. Finder will please drop a card or return to Richard Reaume, the grocer, or box 387, Chatham.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Hicklin wish to announce the marriage of their daughter, Edna May, to Milton Pritchard, which is to take place at their residence, Fourth St., on Jan. 1st, 1906.

Remember the Auction Sale of Household Furniture, Brass Beds, Carpets, Dining-room Furniture, Coal Heater, Dishes, etc. Everything almost new. All must go. Forsythe & Co., on Tuesday, at one o'clock. K. L. McIntosh, Prop.

NO REPENTANCE AFTER DEATH

Rev. J. W. Hoyt of William St. Baptist Church Delivers Another Sermon

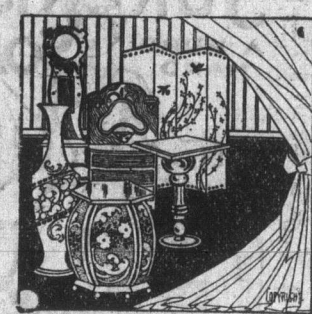
Good Services Held Yesterday Church Was Crowded to The Doors

A large crowd was in attendance at the William street Baptist church last night to hear the sixth sermon on the theme "Questions the people are asking," preached by the pastor of the church, Rev. J. W. Hoyt. The question under discussion was Is there a chance to repent after death?

The first thing on the programme should be a visit to our store. We always carry a complete line of Parlor and Music Cabinets, Card and Parlor Tables, Rockers, Jardinieres, &c.

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Courts comparison as the only true test of value. We are ready to

Meet All Bankrupt Prices

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Largest and Cheapest Stock of Furs

in the City. We are not to be undersold and shall guarantee to every purchaser the best of quality and style and better values than bankrupt goods.

William Gordon

lette, consisting of Mesdames Richards and Oldershaw, and Messrs. Reeve and Brown, also sang a hymn of invitation at the close of the sermon with telling effect.

The preacher announced that next Sunday evening he would speak on the question, "Is it right for Christians to play cards?"

THE FAST TRAINS

To California are run over the Union Pacific, via Omaha, 16 hours other line. No change of roads, no detours, "The Overland Route" all the way. Be sure your ticket reads over the Union Pacific. Inquire of H. P. Carter, T. P. A., 14 James Building, Toronto, Canada, or F. B. Choate, G. A., 126 Woodward avenue, Detroit.

Ask for Minard's and take no other

District Doings

TILBURY.

Dec. 18.—Mrs. F. M. Scarff, of Georgetown, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. S. Sloan.

Mrs. George Wands, of Chatham, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Henderson.

Miss Minnie Campbell returned on Saturday from a three weeks' visit in Toronto and St. Mary's.

Miss Dora Weber, of Detroit, is the guest of Miss Mary Adair.

Mrs. Crawford and Miss Bell Shaw are spending the day in Detroit.

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People's Grocery

To 1st January 1906 we will sell

Selected Raisins, per lb. 7c

Selected Currants, per lb. 8c

7 lbs. Tilton's Oats 75c

Choice Sodas 7c

Choice Maple Syrup, per qt. 25c