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## Christmas Gifts

What am I going to buy—and where am I going to buy it, is the all absorbing problem at the present time. Let us make suggestions.

This store is full from one end to the other—up stairs and down, of suitable, sensible and useful Xmas presents, the kind that will be appreciated.



**A Pair of Kid Gloves**

For man, woman, boy or girl, is a present that they will thoroughly appreciate. Here is a glove stock that will furnish you with just the kind of glove you want, right in length, color, quality and price, and every pair perfect fitting.


Ladies' Fine Kid Gloves, in all shades, fully guaranteed, per pair.....\$1.00

Ladies' Silk Lined Suede Gloves, in all shades, at \$1.25 and.....\$1.50

Men's Lined Kid Gloves, best quality, at per pair 75c, \$1, \$1.25 and.....\$1.50

Men's Unlined Kid Gloves, very best makes, at per pair \$1, 1.25 and.....\$1.50

Boys' Lined Moose Gloves, grand for wear and very neat, special per pair.....75c



**Fashionable Furs**

For Xmas gifts, nothing quite so nice, in these you combine fashion and comfort. No other stock like ours in this part of Ontario. Better come straight here when you want to buy.

Astrachan, Coy, Opossum and Electric Seal Storm Collars, large size, at \$3.50, \$4.00 and.....\$5.00

Gray Lamb Collars, for girls, with gauntlets to match, at \$7.50, \$8, \$10 and.....\$12.00

Alaska Sable Fox and Stone Martin Ruffs and Storm Collars, with Muffs to match, at \$10 and up to.....\$50.00

Astrachan Jackets, every one of them guaranteed, at \$25, \$35, \$37.50, \$40 and.....\$45.00

Electric Seal Jackets, with and without Sable Collar and Cuffs, at \$35, \$40 and.....\$50.00

### HANDKERCHIEFS

500 DOZEN direct from the mills in Belfast Ireland, the largest showing of dainty Handkerchiefs at smallest prices ever seen in Chatham—the saving comes through going direct to the mills for them—all prices, 3c, 5c, 8c, 10c, 12c, 15c, 20c, 25c and up.

## Thomas Stone & Son

### WHAT TO GIVE HIM THAT'S THE IMPORTANT QUESTION

With women these days. Why not select a practical, sensible and suitable gift—something he will appreciate because it is useful, some article he can wear—Our furnishing department readily solves the question for you with its great and pleasing varieties of articles of apparel in the latest fashions for men.

House Coats and Smoking Jackets—if he smokes—of the neat and fashionable double face cloths, an assortment that is twice the size of any in town, \$5, \$6, \$7.50.

Bath Robes—the newest of the new fancies, there's only one of each pattern in the imported ones, price \$6.50.

Lounging Gowns and Study Robes.

Neckwear—Not many stores in New York can equal our display, none can excel it. Rich, elegant silks made into the latest shapes: Four-in-hands, imperials, ascots, puffs, tecks and string ties, ranging in price from 25c to \$1.50.

Fancy suspenders, \$1 and upwards. Plain mufflers \$1 to \$3. The new oxford mufflers 50c and \$1. Gloves for dress and street wear \$1 to \$3. Scotch knit gloves 50c. Fur lined gloves \$1 to \$6.50.

### The Two T's. - TRUDELL and TOBY

## Xmas Slippers

We have some very nice lines varying in sizes from an infants No. 2 to grandpa's No. 11, prices

25c up to \$2.50

Take your choice while selection is good.

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Photos or  
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Soano Block, King Street East.

Samples of work will be shown. Order now for Christmas.

### MISS S. HAYNE

Pupil W. H. Hewlett, Organist of Christ Church.

Teacher in

Pipe Organ, Piano and Vocal Training.

33 Grant St. Chatham North

## CONTINGENT NOW COMPLETE

Colonel Evans has now Secured his Full Quota of Six Hundred Men.

### Galloping Gun Section may Form Part of Force—Commissions to be Granted.

Ottawa, Dec. 13.—Col. Evans has got his six hundred men, and expects to join the western contingent here on Monday, on their way to Halifax. He says that he has kept a corner for whatever number may come from the Yukon to join at Halifax. The commanding officer is very hopeful that a galloping gun section will be attached to the regiment. The Minister of Militia is making representations to the war office to that effect, so that the Rifles may be equipped with four Colt guns. It is understood that Lt. J. D. H. Graham, of the 43rd, Ottawa, and Major Bilas, of the Militia Department, will have commissions in the regiment. Captain Snider, of the Canadian Mounted Rifles (Portage la Prairie), has been appointed transport officer. He performed the same duty with Strathcona Horse. The officers who will accompany the Ontario, Montreal and Quebec recruits to Halifax are: Major W. Hamilton Merritt, Captain Church, Captain Elmley, Captain Thacker, Captain Macdonald. The men will be fitted out with uniforms and kits at Halifax before they leave. Firearms will be supplied on the arrival at Cape Town from the Imperial Government stores.

### PAVE STREETS

Arch. Park an Ardent Advocate of Improving Maple City Thoroughfares.

"Queen street and William street should be paved just the way King street is," said Archie Park, of Park Bros., to The Planet this morning. "I would heartily support the project and I think all right thinkers will side with me. Those roads are very seldom fit for use. Look at the state of them now."

"There is so much traffic on them that paving them like King street is about the only way to keep them right. The way it is now it actually stunts a man's business."

## AGAIN AT PAARDEBERG

This Time South African Constabulary Rout and Capture Boers.

Commandant Bester's Convoy Gathered in British Are Active.

London, Dec. 13.—Paardeberg again appears as the scene of fighting. A despatch from Bloemfontein says that on the night of the 26th of November Maj. Paack-Bersford, with 200 of the South African Constabulary, marched to Wasteneboch, west of Bullfontein, and surrounded the place, where the enemy had formed a laager, but trekked during the night. Major Paack-Bersford pursued the Boers for several miles northwards, and finally came up with and attacked a convoy escorted by 200 men under Badenhorst at Paardeberg.

Two days previously this British force had sighted this convoy, and after a hard gallop of seven miles, the Constabulary overtook the enemy at Martinsrust, on the Vet River, and captured 7 Boers, 170 horses, a number of cattle and carts, and a quantity of grain.

The Boers lost one man wounded, four men taken prisoners, 60 horses and a number of cattle and wagons, while Major Paack-Bersford had two men wounded and four horses killed. Most of the laager belonged to Bester, who was present at the fight.

### ANCIENT ORDER UNITED WORKMEN.

There are more ways than one to benefit members and increase their numbers. By fraternal help on moral, social and business lines we move the advance of the A. O. U. W., and increase and enjoy the privilege of mutual helpfulness. Life insurance without this is a one-sided affair. To have friends is a friend indeed. A friend in need is a friend indeed.

CHAS. KELLY, J. R. SNELL, Master Workman, Recorder.

### THE BY-LAW

The By-law cards for the new factory are being placed around the city to-day.

Read them, and push the by-law through. It will interest you and benefit your city.

Chatham's industrial growth at the present time will mean much to her future, and every patriotic ratepayer should make it his or her duty to assist the development so auspiciously inaugurated.

The Welland-Vale Company is a large concern, financially sound and doing an immense business.

We want it in Chatham.

## QUARANTINE TO BE ESTABLISHED

Disease is Designated as a Light Epidemic of Small-Pox.

City and Chatham T. Health Authorities take prompt Steps to Prevent Contagion.

Dr. Bryce was in the city to-day and, in company with Dr. Hall, he drove down the river and examined some of the people who are suffering from a disease similar to small-pox. After examining the patients Dr. Bryce diagnosed the disease as small-pox and has ordered that part of the river where the persons suffering from the disease live should be quarantined. Chatham is free from the disease and every precaution was taken to-day to prevent the disease spreading to the city. W. S. Richards, R. S. Dunlop and Chas. Hadley, of the Board of Health, met with Dr. Bryce and Dr. Hall last evening and ordered Health Inspector Mounter and Detective McGreig to guard the approaches to the city and turn people from the affected houses back to guard the market square.

Meetings of the Dover Board of Health and the Maple City Board of Health were held to-day to take additional precautions. Dr. Bryce, Provincial Health Officer, stated this morning that he had come to Chatham in response to a telegram from Dr. Hall. In company with the Maple City Health Officer he had visited the scene of the outbreak in Dover. Only two residences were visited, those of Labute and Gus Bernard, and in each house persons were found suffering from small-pox. In fact all persons in the houses were found to be protected by vaccination had or now have the disease. Several typical cases exist just now, one or two of them severe.

It was not thought necessary to see further cases at present, as the history given showed direct connection with other cases that have existed. The history of the outbreak briefly is that a child of Mrs. Barnier, some two months ago, brought the disease, as supposed, from Detroit, where the mother had been visiting. It may be stated, continued Dr. Bryce, that this child was seen by a Chatham physician, who looked at the case as small-pox, and so reported to the health officer of Dover. Other counsels, however, prevailed, and the disease has been traced to the case as small-pox. The result has been that the disease has been traced to the case as small-pox. The result has been that the disease has been traced to the case as small-pox.

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## STEAL TRUST BADLY SCARED

Fear That Carnegie May try to Cash \$10,000,000 of his Bonds.

Roosevelt Notified Him that Government Cannot Accept Unlawful Offer Otherwise.

New York, Dec. 13.—A Washington special to the Evening Journal this afternoon says:

President Roosevelt has informed Andrew Carnegie that under the conditions of his offer of \$10,000,000 to found a national university it will be impossible for the government to accept it.

Mr. Carnegie, it is said, made the extraordinary condition that the United States Steel bonds, in form of which the \$10,000,000 are offered, shall not be marketed for 50 years. An objection, additional to the 50 years condition, to acceptance of the gift is the fact that it is offered in bonds of the steel trust. Should the government hold the securities of the trust it would be open to the criticism that failure to enforce the anti-trust law against the United States Steel Corporation was due to its possession of its securities.

Wall street looked aghast at this statement, which means that Carnegie might seek to realize upon the bonds in order to make good his offer to the government, and in that event the friends of the steel trust would try to prevent his action by going down into their own pockets for \$10,000,000 in cash, which would cripple their power to support the stocks in the market. The bonds bear 5 per cent. and are valued at 120 without sales.

### SCHLEY LOSES

Majority Report Against him But Admiral Dewey Upholds Hero of Santiago.

Washington, Dec. 14.—The findings of the Schley court of inquiry were handed to the secretary of the navy yesterday. Two reports were submitted, the majority opinion drawn up by Rear-Admiral Hingham and Ramsey-Bell Schley, at fault on 11 points, and the minority report presented by Admiral Dewey, sustaining Schley in nearly every particular, and emphatically asserting that to him was due all the credit of the victory of Santiago. The court recommends that the whole case be now considered closed.

## TRUST FORMED BY MUSICIANS

Unique Association Inaugurated at Berlin to Reform Criticisms.

Recognition of Need of a More Uniform Plan in Making or Unmaking of Artists.

Berlin, December 13.—A "critics' trust" is the latest feature in the German music world. Thirty principal music writers and authorities in Berlin have formed an association with object of reforming the whole system of musical criticism. It is asserted that, inasmuch as budding talent in both Europe and America has come to regard Berlin notices in the light of "blue ribbons," there is need for a more uniform plan of making and unmaking artists.

War will be declared on writers who make a traffic of criticism. Some of these are alleged to have made good fortunes in years past.

The association also hopes to kill the concert epidemic, which annually overtakes Germany, by declining to notice mediocre persons who are in the habit of renting halls and giving concerts for the sake of press reports. During the present winter Berlin has nightly been the scene of fifty entertainments of this description.

Another crusade will be undertaken against superannuated artists who are loath to take farewell of the public.

The antagonists of the new scheme say that Berlin's musical critics have made themselves so ridiculous throughout the present season by their contradictory criticism that they are now compelled to combine to save their reputations.

### ELECTIONS IN HARWICH.

For Reeve, there are two candidates, Peter Morrison and Richard Young. The probable candidates for councilors are, Chas. Buchanan, M. J. Wilson, E. H. Toke, G. S. Langford, Colin Campbell, Byron Bentley and James McCormick. There are a few others talked of, but the "forecasted" list are in all probability candidates.

### DOWN TO ZERO

Got out your mufflers, buffs and sleighs, for the weather bureau promises that the onset of to-night will have turned to snow and that before to-morrow morning the thermometer will be lower than at this time of year for the past 10 years.

The weather department promises that the snow will not continue, as it will become too cold before the morning.

The recent rainfall was much needed in many sections of this district, and in some parts it had become so dry that it was necessary to haul water.

This inconvenience is now done away with, and farmers are once more rejoicing.

## \$50 VERDICT IN HORSE CASE

The Plaintiff Secures Judgment After Long Trial—Costs Will be Heavy.

Grand Jury Submits Presentment—Criminal Cases Before the Court.

The case of Gardner vs. Hillman was concluded at the county court yesterday afternoon. After the two addresses by the counsel, the jury were addressed by the judge, who charged strongly in favor of the defendant. He thought the case should have been tried in division court.

THE JUDGE'S CHARGE.

In his charge to the jury, Judge Woods said:

"This case should never have been tried in this court, and I can't see why the plaintiff's counsel brought it here at all. At really should have been tried in the Division Court, in Harrison Hall, where the matter could have been just as satisfactorily arranged without incurring so much expense. Here you have suggested about 30 witnesses, where the matter could have been adjusted by the evidence of four or five in the Division Court."

"I can't see myself where the plaintiff has proven one single statement in his claim. The defendant is charged with negligence. A person is negligent when he omits to do anything that a prudent man would do. I think if anyone is to be charged with negligence it is the plaintiff himself. He knew that the defendant was an inexperienced driver, and I don't think that he gave him (the defendant) instructions as to the driving of the team."

"Then, again, it is claimed that the horses were driven too fast. You have the evidence of a number of respectable gentlemen who make the trip in less time than did the defendant. The story that the horse tried to lie down at Cedar Springs, cannot be credited. It is also clearly shown by the defendant, that when they found that the horses were sick, everything possible was done to save its life. You also have the veterinary's evidence, which is strongly in favor of the defendant."

"I leave it (with you, however, gentlemen, to consider the evidence and bring in a verdict which you think just and right."

After they had been out for over an hour and a half, however, they brought in a verdict for the plaintiff for \$50 damages. The costs will be decided in a few days.

The following is the grand jury presentment: Court House.

Presentment of the grand jury of the several sessions of the Peace, Dec. 13, 1901, to His Honor Judge Bell: Your Honor, We beg to report that we visited the jail, and upon being shown through by Mr. Mercer, the jailer, we found everything clean and in good condition. We would suggest that the idiot girl Glasford be removed to an asylum as soon as possible and also that the man Smith, who is suffering from a severe burn, be taken to the General Hospital. He says he is in receipt of a pension from the American government, and that he would be willing to contribute \$1.50 a week towards his maintenance there for a certain period of time. We would recommend that a storm door be provided for the entrance to the court house to keep out the cold air in the winter.

We would suggest that re county constables that all of the officers be paid a minimum salary besides fees, and that they should report at stated times to the Chief County Constable for orders.

We visited the House of Refuge and found everything in order. There are at present 24 males and eight females there. We would recommend a locker placed at the foot of each bed to contain the inmates' extra clothing, etc.

We also visited the General Hospital and St. Joseph's hospital. We found both of these institutions are in a thorough state of efficiency.

We also visited the Home of the friendless and we found everything connected with the house in good order. There are ten inmates there at present.

Wishing your honor the compliments of the coming Christmas season we beg to subscribe ourselves: The Grand Jury, H. G. NEED, Foreman.

## MRS. BONINE IS ACQUITTED

The Jury Find Her Innocent a Five-Hours Deliberation.

Case Which has Attracted Wide Attention—The Verdict was Very Popular.

Washington, Dec. 13.—The jury in the case of Mrs. Lola Ida Henry Bonine, charged with the murder of Jas. Seymour Ayers, Jr., in the Kenmore hotel in this city, on the night of May 18, this evening returned a verdict of not guilty, and the case was set at liberty. The decision of the trial was a surprise, the popular imagination being that from the evidence presented the prosecution had proved its case against Mrs. Bonine. The jury was out less than five hours.

The attendance in the court room when the jury returned was limited to the members of the bar, representatives of the press and the employees of the court. There was some little attempt at a demonstration of approval but this was quickly suppressed by Judge Anderson, who had previously warned the spectators against manifestations of any character. Mrs. Bonine was in court at the time, and with her were her husband and her two boys and several of her relatives, all of whom have shown their sympathy for her by their constant attendance during the long trial. The jury were discharged and Mrs. Bonine and her friends left the court house by a back door. The trial of Mrs. Bonine has been in progress for almost four weeks.



## ... Xmas... Slippers

A MORE appreciable present for your gentlemen friend can not be had than a nice comfortable pair of slippers or a pair of 'Invictus Shoes'.

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Lehigh and Scranton Coal, Virginia Spring Coal, for domestic use. Nothing Coal, Hard and Soft Wood, in all lengths. All are of the best quality and at the lowest prices. Delivered promptly to any part of the city.

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Office: 4th Ward, William St. G. T. B. Crossing.







## District Dashes.

Thirty-six cars of crude oil was the amount shipped by Bothwell oil men last month. A good month, 5,000 barrels.

Miss Lettie Burwell, of Chatham, called on her many friends in town Saturday and Sunday—Ridgeway.

C. A. Vaneiman, late of Chatham, arrived here Friday to take the agency of the Massey-Harris Company here.—Tribune Times.

The sudden death took place at Detroit, on Tuesday, of last week, of Philip Hummel, father of Mr. L. J. Hummel, of Ridgeway, aged 80 years.

Miss E. Lafferty has decided to remain in Chatham until the summer vacation at least. The trustees of the school and her pupils requested her to withdraw her resignation.—Comber Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey O'Leary, of Chatham, celebrated the tenth anniversary of their wedding on Monday evening, by entertaining a number of their friends to dinner. Several Ridgewayites were invited.—Ridgeway town placard.

J. A. Graham and family moved to Chatham last week.—Tribune Times. Mr. and Mrs. James Allison, 4th concession, Harwich, celebrated the fifteenth anniversary of their wedding last Monday night.

A pleasant event took place Wednesday, Dec. 12, at the home of Charles Morris, Tilbury West, when the latter was married to Miss Lettie Green, of Detroit, by Rev. A. MacGregor, B. A., of Comber.

A large number of separate schools are being established in North Essex. Two of Windsor's public school buildings will likely be converted into separate schools. Bishop McEvoy has made many changes during his short tenure of office.

There will in all probability be a railroad from Wallaceburg through Dover and striking the G. T. R. near Prairie siding. Wallaceburg is advocating this, and what they go after they generally get.

Miss Estabrook, of Glenwood, has been engaged to teach Trudels school for 1902, at \$350. The position was again offered to Miss Wilson at \$375, but she declined, and now a large number of ratepayers have petitioned the school board to re-engage Miss Wilson at \$300.—Tribune Times.

Warning from Windsor.—The masked robber has suspiciously opened the campaign in Detroit, and when business is dull there the air is so warm he usually extends his operation to this side. The daring hold-ups at Walkerville and Chatham will be remembered.—Windsor Record.

Wednesday afternoon of last week the L. E. & D. R. Company struck a gusher of water in Blenheim. For some time there has not been water for railway use but this is now overcome. It was only necessary to bore 130 feet and the company are well pleased with the result of their efforts.

The home of Freeman Hatt, Chatham township, was burned Saturday night, Nov. 30, nothing being saved. An unfortunate accident, which had been secreted in the house. The total loss will aggregate at least \$100, on which the insurance is very small, if any.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Allen, Tilbury West, have moved to Leamington. They will make their home with the present with their daughters there, who are conducting a confectionery and bakery with great success. Mr. Allen has already purchased a lot in Leamington, and in all likelihood will build a residence thereon in the spring.—Comber Herald.

While driving home from Chatham last evening Calvin Johnson met with a most painful accident. The tie-strap having become loose, the horse went to backing out, and in the effort to keep him under the wheels, one of which passed over his head, badly cutting and bruising his face.—Blenheim Tribune.

Miss Maud McCloskey has returned to the home of her parents, Tilbury West, from Chatham. It will be remembered Miss McCloskey underwent an operation for floating kidney. Miss McCloskey looks well, and her numerous friends only hope she will enjoy the best of health from this time on.—Comber Herald.

Edwin Stanley Hughes, M. C. R. agent at Comber, and Miss Edythe, daughter of Mr. James Rushton, of Ridgeway, were married at the home of the bride on Friday.—Comber Herald.

## LIABILITY FOR ICY SIDEWALKS.

The decision against the city, in which a lady was awarded damages for injuries sustained by slipping on the sidewalk during a winter day, should make people thoughtful. The courts held that although the weather had been very disagreeable on the day in question, the fact that ice had previously been allowed to accumulate there was ground for awarding damages. This conveys a lesson. If the sidewalks be kept clear of ice and snow and then some stress of weather causes an unusually dangerous condition, there may be some chance of escaping payment of damages. Where the ice is allowed to remain, bad weather is not accepted as an excuse.

## ANOTHER BAD ACCIDENT.

James Holmes discovered the other day that the sewer leading from his residence on Victoria Ave., was blocked. He hired some men to find the blockage. They dug down near the fence, but failing to locate the stoppage, they sunk another hole in the centre of the lot. Mr. Holmes got the city engineer's men to flush the sewer. Then it was that Mr. Holmes discovered that the sewer was blocked out on the street and that he had an unnecessary hole in the centre of his splendid lawn. About this time Mr. Holmes spoke in terms that were forcible even if not defined in the dictionary. All the laugh doesn't come right here, however. At this juncture and while the unnecessary hole in the centre of the lawn was full of water, two sparrows began to scrawl on the east-south-east of the house. Mr. Holmes feared that the birds would get into the outlet pipe and stop it up. In his excitement and fear, he stepped back and stepped into the unnecessary hole full of water on the lawn. The hole was deep and the water was muddy. Mr. Holmes is short, and his face was a study. This is a true story, Mr. Holmes tells it on himself.

## WORLD OF SPORT

YACHTING—Sir Thomas Lipton's yacht Shamrock II, was badly scorched by fire which destroyed a boiler shop in the immediate neighborhood of the Erie Basin dry-dock, where the defeated cup challenger is laid up for the winter. Firemen prevented the yacht's destruction by pouring streams of water over her.

THE WHEEL—The leaders in the six-day race and a long way behind the record. Archie McEachern, the Canadian, showed his displeasure at the refusal of the judges to allow him a lap which he claimed to have gained by leaving the track, but was subsequently induced to return. Two more teams were forced to retire. Five teams are tied for first place.

BILLIARDS—Leonard Howison, the young Brockville billiardist, who competed in the recent international tournament at New York City, will sail for Paris on the 26th inst., with Schaefer and other noted experts. He will take in a number of important games in the French capital.

THE TURF—The Western Jockey Club alters its rules to satisfy clubs from the old Turf Congress. The new situation will make no difference in Canada. Jockey VanDusen is the latest rider to sign a contract to ride abroad. He will ride in Austria next year for a nobleman, at a retainer of \$1,000.

A RECIPROCALITY PROPOSAL. Ottawa Citizen.

How would it do to hold a conference in Canada to express sympathy with those Filipino patriots?

WHERE IS THE END?

If the two possibilities already taken in Ontario are not conclusive, how many more would be conclusive?

AN ENTHUSIASTIC SUPPORTER.

They were discussing the labor question. "Are you in favor of unions?" he asked.

"Yes, indeed I am," she replied enthusiastically. "So is every unmarried woman."

Then they proceeded to arrange a little union of their own.

## NO SHADOW

Of outward misfortune can darken the smile of the loyal wife and loving mother. But when disease comes the smile slowly fades, and in its place comes the frown.

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## SATCHEL OF THE SATELLITE.

LITTLE ITEMS, LOCAL AND FOREIGN, TRITE AND VERBOSE, WISE AND OTHERWISE.

Fifty years a leader and leading still.

Our motto—The news, the whole news, and nothing but the news.

The bakers surely can't be aware of the rise in the price of wheat.

What do you think of the ten-year-old offspring of the fifty-year-old G. H. J.?

Every monarch has his pages. The Daily Planet has eight and the Weekly Planet 16.

Remember the by-law for the securing of a new factory. You will vote on it on January 6th.

By the way, speaking of the Tecumseh memorial—how would it do to erect a monument to the Macaulay Club?

Wanted—A megaphone to make audible the voices of those who are whispering their intentions of running for aldermen.

Sixty skilled workmen added to the population of this city, means sixty families, and they have to eat, dress and live.

Thirty thousand dollars paid annually in wages, means thirty thousand dollars spent in this city every year. This means thirty thousand dollars more in circulation in Chatham each year. Don't forget this, and vote for the factory by-law.

Who deserves most credit for the securing of the new vehicle wheel manufactory? That is easily answered. At their own expense took their valuable time from their business to go to St. Catharines. They were John Piggott, Sr., Manson Campbell, and G. P. Schofield. Should the city council not give these gentlemen some

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## Acclamation not Universally Popular.



Squire Smith—Now, that isn't as good a turkey as you had for last Christmas.

Moses Robinson (magnificently)—No, yo' hon'-h, I had to purchase dis heah bird. Dere ain't g'wine to be no mah' contest dis year.

proof that the city appreciates their noble work?

Remember, gentlemen that it was through the efforts of three public spirited gentlemen that Chatham gets the new wheel factory.

Troubles never come singly. Neither do aldermanic candidates. They are coming in pairs this year. Aldermen McGee and Fleming have led off.

Goldwin Smith talks about "an old lady's umbrella dripping down your back." Of course it is the water from the umbrella that does the dripping. Dreadfully loose writer, that Smith, isn't he, Messieurs Marx and Martin?

I know the public dislike innovations, but I don't think it would be a bad idea to have a winter to keep the snow cleaned off the post office sidewalk. Not the whole sidewalk, of course, but just near the entrance.

The material thus removed might be deposited on the roads, where it would help along the sleighing, instead of being left to turn into ice and do some slaying on its own account.

It is the height of every little lad's ambition to whistle, and they try to learn early in life. Command us to the Maple City boy, who said, "I tried and tried to whistle, but I couldn't, so one day I just sat down on the stable steps determined to learn before I got up and I did."

That lad has the right kind of stuff in him to make a great man, and if he does everything in the same way in which he learned to whistle, his success is assured. How different another lad who tried to whistle till at last he made a little noise and ran in to his mother to show it was done.

In the interim he had forgotten how to make the noise.

CHATHAM'S NEEDS, TOO.

Wanted—A ten thousand horse-power steam pulper, to pulp some good men out of their business offices long enough to be elected aldermen.—Hamilton Spectator.

WHICH IS RIGHT?

An editor of one of our exchanges says that he and his wife disagree materially. She sets things to right and he writes things to set.

He reads what others write and he writes what others read. She knows more things than she writes and he writes more things than he knows.

WHEN YOU MAKE YOUR PEACE.

The Atchison Globe says that so many persons are operated on these days, that it will soon be a mark of distinction to go to the grave with one piece.

The boy maybe has proved one of the best.

THE SAUCY SPEC.

Perhaps we ought to mention, as a singular fact that the Chatham Banner Hyphen News is still running under the new management.—Hamilton Spectator.

A "CLEANING UP."

A couple of local auctioneers had a trial in the "knocking-down" process last Saturday. There were no reserve bids and everything went for all it was worth.—Tilbury News.

CONSOLATION.

If you get stuck in the mud on the highway in Tilbury East any time during the next few months, it may be some satisfaction for you to know, if you are in a cheerful mood, that Tilbury East owns a fine gravel pit a few miles away and that there may be good roads there some day. At the present, however, the township is just keeping the pit to look at.—Tilbury News.

Take a copy of The Planet in your pocket in case this should happen. It will help to pass the time.

It is rumored that W. J. O'Brien has aldermanic aspirations. If he can cabbage enough votes he won't be beat.

Surely now, the girl or boy who doesn't believe in Santa Claus is a dangerous agnostic who should be looked after.

A few more aldermanic candidates wanted, a few more wanted to make up a set to dance, to election music on January 6th in this good city.

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Claims cooked with Cream—Chop 50 small claims not of fine and season with pepper and salt. Put into a steaming butter the size of an egg and when it bubbles quickly sprinkle in a teaspoonful of flour, which cook a few moments, stir gradually into it the clam liquid, then the clams, which stew about two minutes, then add a cupful of boiling cream and serve immediately. The clams may or may not be beard.

To Thicken Gravy—When it is desired to quickly stir together flour and water, or fat and milk, to use in thickening a gravy, it can be done quickly by using an egg beater. The gravy will not need straining if this is done. A few strokes of a good beater will remove every lump, and a smooth sauce or gravy is assured. I learned this from an indifferent servant girl, but have passed it on to other domestics, as well as relatives and friends, all of whom regard it as a time saver worth knowing.

Peach Leaf—Beat to a cream one egg one cupful of sugar and half cupful of butter, add one cupful of milk and grate in a very little nutmeg. Stir two cupfuls of flour, and a heaping teaspoonful of baking powder into another dish and stir it in the mixture a little at a time. Open a can of peaches and cut about half the fruit in the can in small pieces. Butter the inside of a good sized cake pan well, put in a layer of peaches, then a layer of batter. Repeat this till all material is used, having batter for the last layer. Bake the loaf in a rather quick oven and serve either hot or cold, with cream and sugar.

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### BIRTHS.

**BAXTER**—At New York City, on Tuesday, 10th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Baxter, a daughter.

### TO-NIGHT.

"The Village Blacksmith," by Marks Bros., at the Grand, 8.30.

Miscellaneous Club, Oddfellows' Hall, 8 o'clock.

## THE LOCAL BUDGET

Art. Kipp spent yesterday in London.

D. Dowar, of Sarnia, spent yesterday in Chatham friends.

Mr. Houston, of London, is spending a few days in the city.

F. Bros. have about completed the Havelock fire engine boiler.

Mr. Crawford, of Tilbury, is visiting the 14th Walter Pigeon.

Mrs. F. P. Weldon has returned from a visit to her former home in Wyoming.

Mr. Richardson, of Seane & Co.'s law office, is confined to his home through illness.

Park Bros. have just sold a new engine to F. B. Stevens & Co. for their elevator at Niagara.

Over a dozen large tanks passed through the city on the G. T. R. to-day of the Pfander Vacuum Fermentation Co. of Cape Town, South Africa.

## Perfumes

No matter what is given as a Christmas Present, a small bottle of rich perfume is not out of place with it. We have an immense variety of perfumes at any price you wish between 10c and \$5.00 per package—and in any odor you wish.

## In Perfumed Soaps

We have Roger & Gallet's Vera Violetta, Pich D'Espagne and Indian Hay at \$1.25 a cake, (\$1.25 a box). Then we have Pinaud's at 50c per cake (\$1.25 a box). These make beautiful gifts.

## Sunday School Teachers

Who make a practice of remembering the members of their classes, will find that a small box of perfume each will be very acceptable. We have nice cases from 15c upwards.

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## A. I. McCall & Co.,

Druggists and Opticians

The students of the College gave a promenade to their friends in the college last evening.

**Ladies' Coats**—This season's styles, selling much below regular prices; Northway's to-night.

A car of raw material has arrived for the making of manilla twine at the binder-twine factory.

Oil Paintings—panels, sizes 10 x 20, pretty scenes, 100 to select from, clearing to-night at 2 for 25c. Northway's.

Chas. Dingman, stationer, has issued a handsome booklet that contains a large number of Christmas suggestions.

Mr. Graham, of the Nova Scotia Steel and Iron Co., is negotiating with Park Bros. for three steel rolls, which will weigh between 9,000 and 10,000 lbs.

Andrew Crow will leave on a three months' trip next week. He will spend a fortnight in Illinois, some weeks in Little Rock, Arkansas, and finish up his visit in New Orleans, while the Mardi Gras is going on.

Special services at Campbell A. M. E. Church to-morrow. At 11 a. m. Rev. J. A. Holt, of London, Ont., will preach. At 7.30 p. m. Rev. J. H. Thompson, of Windsor, will preach. Special music by the choir.

Rubber tips are being put on the chairs and tables in the Central school kindergarten to-day and rubber matting is being put on the stairs. Hence the boys will be "rubbered" in thinking they can make a noise.

S. Spicer, Golden B. C., is visiting his mother, Mrs. M. A. Spicer, Creek Road, Harwich. Mr. Spicer went to British Columbia ten years ago, and is the owner of a large tract of land and is devoting much of his time to raising cattle.

Robertson McKie have finished putting in the new window in Gordon's Store. The architect work was done by J. L. White & Son, and Watt & Sons put in the electric light. Mr. Gordon has now one of the finest show windows in the city.

Humane Officer McGregor was a busy man to-day. Two horses were taken from where they had been left exposed to the cold, and put in a very stable. Another man, driving a horse with a sore shoulder, was warned not to do so again.

Dr. J. P. Richardson was called yesterday to attend A. Pike, Dover South, who was ill. The Doctor diagnosed the trouble as small-pox and, immediately, the return to the city, notified Dr. Hall, but the Medical Health Officer had already summoned Dr. Bryce.

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## KENT'S YIELD

Visiting Farmers Chat with The Planet Upon Yields and Conditions.

B. Legille, of Dover, was in the city to-day and in conversation with The Planet said:

"The corn crop in Dover this year is one of the finest we have had for some time. I don't think there is a single instance where the crop has been poor and the farmers everywhere are rejoicing. I sold a crop from five acres this morning and realized \$100. The price paid is 90 cents a bushel."

Geo. Tyndall, pork dealer, in speaking to The Planet about the pork market said:

"The market is booming and the prices paid are very high. Dealers are paying about \$1.00 per cwt. more for pork this year than they paid at this time last year. The receipts are good and the shipments heavy. The retail prices of dairy volumes in artistic bindings not to be found elsewhere. For people of taste and culture no more delightful presents can be found than books. You can spend a few cents or many dollars in your selection."

Fred Collins, of the 3rd concession, Chatham Township, was on the market this morning. In a short interview with The Planet he said:

"Potatoes are a bad failure this year and as a result are very scarce. What there is, is offered at 90 cents a bag. In some places it is not so bad as in others. Cabbages are also a miserable failure and the crop is very small. The limit of your pocket is met here, too, be it 5c or as many dollars. Mechanical toys of all kinds, Magic Lanterns, Doll Carriages, Go Carts, Steam Boats, Trains, Engines and a dozen and one things to interest, instruct and amuse."

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At this season of the year you are more particular than usual that everything you get should be of the best. On the quality of your fruit depends the success of your plum puddings and your mincemeat. You do not take any chances whatever if you buy your fruit here. We can give you the best that can be bought.

FINEST SELECTED RAISINS, 5 lbs. for 75c.	SEEDED CURRANTS, 10c and 12 1/2c lb.
FINE CLEANED CURRANTS, 1 lb. for 75c.	BLUE RAISINS, 10c a lb.
BEST MIXED PEEL, 10c a pound.	SEEDLESS RAISINS, 2 lbs. for 75c.
COOKING FIGS, 5c a pound.	SHELLED ALMONDS, 35c a pound.
PURE GROUND SPICES, 10c a 1/2 lb.	BEST EXTRACTS, 2 bottles for 75c.
OUR PURE BAKING POWDER, 25c a pound.	

## OUR CANDY COUNTER

Has many nice things for you. The best of Candy, fresh Biscuits, sweet Oranges, green Grapes and many other good things. We hope to see you.

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## CHRISTMAS THINKING.....

Must soon end in buying, and it will be well to bear in mind that we have many goods that make ideal presents. Gifts of beauty and utility.

Hair Brushes.  
Cloth Brushes.  
Hand Mirrors.  
Toilet Articles.  
Fine Perfumes.

and many other items. These are all gifts that are especially desirable for presentation to members of one's own family. We make the price right.

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For your Xmas presents. Lots of fancy China—too much space would be required to name the articles. A good variety of Opal goods, also Lamps and Glassware. Lots of people will be made happy with presents coming from us. A quantity of

**GLASS WATER SETS**  
Will allow FIVE PER CENT DISCOUNT on Saturday, 14th inst.

**DINNER, TEA and CHAMBER SETS**  
Subject to the same discount.

**GROCERIES!**  
You cannot do better than order your Christmas Candles, Peel, Nuts and all things for the Christmas table from us.

**Saturday's Specials**  
Peanut Pudding 25c. Dish-cloth Soap, 25c bars for 20c during the day; Clothes Pins 1c per dozen, new Dates 5c per pound, broken Japan tea, good strength and flavor, 15c per pound, 2 lbs. for 25c; Blend Coffee, extra value 15c per pound; 1 lb. select Raisins 25c; 1 lb. new Currants 25c per pound; Mixed Candy 7c per pound.

**J. McConnell**  
Phone 190. Park St. East

## TAXES

All taxes unpaid on January 1st, next, will have 2 per cent added.  
WM. RANNEY,  
City Collector.  
Ask for Minard's and take no other.

## JUST A POINTER

In reading over your Planet tonight, ladies and gentlemen, don't overlook the elaborate and interesting advertising columns.

In some respects they are the most interesting feature of your paper. They are penned by live merchants who know how to do things right, and are addressed to all of you who have holiday buying to do—that is to say, they are addressed to almost everybody.

Just a Pointer—Their perusal will pay you.

## PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet.  
Toronto, Dec. 11.—A m. Strong winds and gales, north and west, rain, turning to snow, and weather becoming decidedly colder. Sunday, snow, northwesterly winds and very cold.

The following official figures were registered at noon to-day at Burt's weather bureau:  
Barometer 29.29.  
Thermometer 32.  
Highest yesterday 57.  
Lowest yesterday 28.  
Direction of wind, northwest.

## Local Budget

Eat Richards' Bread.  
A. Fleming spent yesterday in Blenheim.

W. N. Tape, of Benpath, was in the city yesterday.

James Ross, of Tilbury, spent yesterday in the city.

B. Johnson, of Ridgeway, was in the city yesterday.

A. A. Scott, of McGregor, is spending the day in town.

Jas. Innes has returned from a trip to Chicago and Detroit.

Robt. Buller, of Ridgeway, is the guest of friends in town.

M. McEwan, of Detroit, spent yesterday with friends in Chatham.

H. S. Jones, of Woodstock, spent yesterday with Chatham friends.

R. McDonald, of St. Thomas, called on his Chatham friends yesterday.

Mrs. Brosey, Kirk St., entertained a large number of friends last evening.

Men's fine heavy wool fleeced shirts and drawers, at 50c each. Northway's to-night.

Fresh Sausage, Tenderloins, and Frankfurts, at J. W. Dyer's, North Chatham.

The choicest gathering of holiday goods in the city, on sale at Northway's to-night.

Oranges, Lemons and Xmas Candles at lowest prices, at J. W. Dyer's, North Chatham.

Ladies' Caprines—Full size, pretty styles, \$2.75, \$3, \$3.50, \$4.50 and \$5. Northway's to-night.

Miss Angela McDonald has returned to the city after an extended visit in Hammondsport, New York.

King Buffalo is a high class cigar, that is sold for five cents at all leading cigar stores and by druggists.

Mrs. D. W. Huff, of Dresden, and daughter, Mrs. Austin Pickard, of St. Louis, Mo., are spending the day with friends in the city.

When you ask for a five cent cigar you want the best. Try our "King Buffalo" and you will smoke another.

Just

The annual Christmas treat and entertainment for the scholars in Christ Church S. S. will be held on Monday evening, Dec. 23rd.

Work boxes and writing sets for children. Better choose one now, because our assortment in sizes and prices are very complete. Snells Fair.

Sergt. W. A. Otkert has returned from St. Thomas, where he has been attending the dinner given by the Sergts. of the 25th Regt.

A good stem-wind boy's watch for \$2.50; solid silver, for \$5. Greatest value ever offered to the public. At E. J. MacIntyre's leading Jeweller, and Optician. 241w

E. Jewett, B. A., science master at the C. C. I. has been appointed as examiner of the Normal College, students of 1003 physics, chemistry and botany.

Church Women's Missionary Society of Christ Church, sent of Algonquin two large and valuable boxes of clothing, groceries and drugs, etc., for needy settlers and Indians, on Monday last.

Re-opening services of Victoria Ave. Methodist Church, will be taken tomorrow by the Rev. H. W. Crews, B. A., of St. Thomas. Special music by the choir.

When you ask for a five cent cigar you want the best. Try our "King Buffalo" and you will smoke another.

Just

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The Young People's Society of Christ Church will hold a Social Monday evening next, the proceeds of which will be distributed to the poor as Christmas cheer. All interested in this good work are asked to help.

Last—Tuesday afternoon, a purse containing a small sum of money, between Victoria Ave. and King street, Finder will please leave at this office. 24d

The Planet in reporting the cross-examination of Mr. Houston in the case of Gardiner vs. Hillman quoted him as saying that he drove to the Beach in one hour. The correct time was an hour and a half.

The Trusts and Guarantee Company, Limited, 14 King Street West, Toronto, have been appointed administrators of the estate of the late William C. Oliver, of Newmarket, Ont., who died recently, leaving an estate amounting to ten thousand dollars.

## DR. A. W. THORNTON DENTIST

D. D. S. Toronto University.  
Office—First Door East of Standard Bank  
Telephone Office 164.  
Residence 284.

Special handkerchief and glove sale at Northway's to-night.

Archib. Ferguson, of Detroit, was registered at the Rankin House yesterday.

We have some very nice pieces of ebony goods, comprising hair, cloth, tooth and nail brushes, which are the genuine article. J. W. McLaren, druggist.

The regular of monthly examinations at the C. C. I. will be held on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week. It is obligatory for all pupils to attend these examinations. Parents are requested to see that none of the most urgent reasons prevent attendance. Excuses for absence must be sent in not later than Wednesday, Dec. 18.

J. W. McLaren, the druggist, is giving a very fine line of imported perfumes for the Christmas trade. The prices are moderate and the goods are high class.

## EXCHANGED VALISES.

Why the Rightful Owner of One Never Called For It.

The story was told by a quiet, black bearded gentleman who had registered from Pittsburgh and who happened to be one of a group of yarn spinners in the corridor of a hotel.

"I am in the foundry business at present," he said, "but in my younger years I imagined I was cut out for a doctor and took a course at the old Ohio Medical College in Cincinnati. It was the custom at that time and may be yet for the advanced students to do a good deal of individual dissecting work at their rooms, and for that purpose a regular division was made of certain of the cadavers at the college. One student, for instance, would get an arm, another a foot and another some other section, which they would carry away and study at their leisure.

"One evening—I will never forget it—I live to be a thousand—I secured the forearm of an unusually fine subject, a muscular negro, and, putting it in a small valise, started for my quarters in the eastern suburb of the city. The handle of my valise was unusually crowded, and I put my valise on the floor. When I reached my room and took a second look at it, I was shocked to see that I had picked up somebody else's luggage by mistake. I hated to lose my specimen, but what troubled me a hundred times more was the thought of the fright that it would probably occasion some innocent person, maybe a woman, and on reflection I concluded to report the matter at once to the police.

"Accordingly I got on the cars again and went directly to headquarters, where I was fortunate enough to catch the chief just going out. He heard my story in his private office and agreed with me that the discovery of my ghastly package would be apt to fill some household with horror and consternation. 'We will have somebody rushing in here before morning with a clew to a mysterious murder,' he said; 'and, by the way, suppose that we open the valise you have with you. If it may furnish us with the address of the owner.' It was locked, but he soon found a key that fitted, and when he looked inside he gave a prolonged whistle. 'Your valise will never be reported, doctor,' he said dryly. The one I had picked up contained a set of human tools."

Westman Bros. Invite You To Examine Their Stock of....

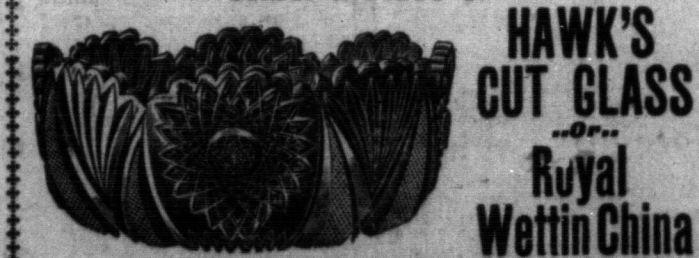
## Cutlery and Flat Ware...

Carving Sets  
Carving Knives  
Bread Knives  
Dinner Knives  
Tea Knives  
Berry and Fruit Spoons  
Tea Spoons

Nice Goods at Right Prices.

## Westman Bros.

Any Lady of Refined Taste will Appreciate Either a Piece of



For an Xmas Present. We Control Both in this City.

Von Gunten Bros., Reliable Jewelers

## QUARANTINE TO BE ESTABLISHED

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some years ago and he was the only one in his family who was immune.

Small-pox is prevalent in the Ottawa valley and the lumber camps of Northern Ontario. Toronto has one case that came from the north. There are some cases in Haldimand County and one case north of Wabunash in Huron County. Ontario generally is in a very healthy condition.

It is only fair to say that there are still those who call the disease in Denver chicken-pox, but they agree that too much care cannot be taken. The disease is a rash which breaks out on the body, but the persons attacked are in the majority of cases not ill enough to go to bed.

## ANCIENT ORDER UNITED WORKMEN.

There are more ways than one to benefit members and increase their numbers. By realising the help on moral, social, and business lines we prove the advantage of the A. O. U. W., and increase and enjoy the privilege of mutual helpfulness. Life insurance without this is a one-sided affair. To have friends; be a friend in need is a friend indeed.

CHAS. KELLY, J. R. SNELL,  
Master Workman Recorder.

## Oh, For Xmas!

For the past two weeks we have been receiving new goods almost daily, until now our stock is complete, and we are now in better shape to serve you than we ever were in the grocery business. We say in better shape, because we can truthfully say that we have a NEWER STOCK to-day than any man in the grocery business. If you buy from us you will not have the bother of bringing goods back as everything is new and fresh. We have added new lines such as

Christie Brown Biscuits

a biscuit that has been on the market for years, but we have not handled them for some time back, so that our stock must be new, we have them at 12 1/2c and 15c a lb. and they are daisies.

During the week we received a fresh stock of

McLaren's Imperial Cheese

in pots, direct from the factory. Also

Roauert Cheese

put out in the same way. Don't forget that Old Cheese of ours that is so tasty. We handle

Upton's Marmalade

in glass and 7 lb. wooden pails, an extra good article for little money. Also

Upton's Jam

in glass and pails.

Geo. A. Young, Our Grocer

## Gordon's Christmas Pointer

Annual December Sale at The Gordon Store . . . .

Christmas is upon us and we will celebrate this world-wide festival which should make the whole world a kin. Gordon's is a favorite place for puzzled parents to make selections. Make out your lists, come before the Christmas crush and secure your presents now, we shall help you.

Remember, Happier is the Giver than the Receiver.

## Coats Long, Short or Medium Coats

The latest American Raglan coat, 42 inch, satin lined throughout, new yoke, new back, new sleeves and cuffs \$16.00

56 inch Raglan coats, latest styles, high collar, etc. \$10.00

9 tailor made suits, regular value \$12 to \$18, to clear \$4.98

## Rainy Day and Dress Skirts

Note these price cut bargains \$7.00, now \$5.00; \$6.00 now \$3.50; \$3.75 now \$3.00.

Ladies black and fancy underskirts, lined throughout, for winter, \$1.00 up to \$9.00

Ladies wrappers, all sizes, wrapperette, print, or percale, \$1.00 up

## Holiday Linens

The finest hemstitched centrepieces, lunch cloths, drapes, tray cloths, daisies, plastic cloths, napkins, stand covers, pillow shams, etc., we have ever shown for Xmas. Towels for bath, bed-room and kitchen, roller, crapes and glass cloths.

## Table Damasks

White, cream, pearl, and Turkey red—linens for fancy work, lawns and linens for handkerchiefs.

## Furs By All Means For Xmas

And how we sell them. Fur coats, fur jackets, fur overcoats, fur boas, fur capes, fur mitts, fur mufflers, fur rugs, fur gloves, and white ever article in fur or fur trimmings you need at the right price, and guaranteed.

## Ladies' Holiday Gloves

When planning your list for Xmas don't forget gloves, and put Gordon down opposite gloves.

Excellent kid gloves, all sizes and shades, 50c

A fine line of kids, usually sold for a dollar, 75c

splendid assortment at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00, every pair warranted.

Children's kid mittens, lined, 30c

Men's gloves of all kinds.

## Christmas Millinery

Three Holiday Specials for presents.

Velvet hat, black, full brim, drape crown, lined with liberty silk, long 18 inch ostrich plume, complete for \$5.00.

Another black velvet hat, trimmed with black or colored breasts, \$3.00.

Persian lamb fur toques for Misses or young ladies, \$4.00.

Widow caps, fancy neck ribbons, fixtures and collars, etc.

## Silk Waists and Waist Silks

Dainty Xmas Goods. The New Silk Shirt Waists, hemstitched, and back, new collar, new sleeves, old rose, pink, light blue and black.

A beautiful line Silk Waists, of Japan Taffetas, in cardinal, navy and black, hemstitched, \$2.00.

Silks for Waists, all shades Tulle line, in turquoise, pink, royal blue, cardinal, black, navy blue, hemstitched, at \$2.00.

All colors best quality dollar sets, 50c

4 Ends pure silk taffeta stripes, 75c

3 Ends imitation shot silk velvet, 50c

Dressing Scaques and Shirt Waists. Eider down dressing scaques for young and old, choice colors and styles; children's, 30c

Ladies', all sizes, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00

Shirt Waists, imitation French, in nels in variety at \$1 and

## December Sale Of Handkerchiefs

Here we are again with our watchwords—Quality, Quantity, Economy—ensuring every customer these three points the finest, largest, cheapest bargains in Linen Handkerchiefs to be found in the city.

The Better Goods You Buy the Better Bargains You Get

## William Gordon



## Dont You Hear Dem Bells

Them Christmas Bells. They have been jingling with us for the past two or three months; and now Santa Claus has given us permission to jingle them for you; and from now on we shall make them

....JINGLE MERRILY....

If some of the melody does not get into your home it will be because like the foolish virgin, you waited until the eleventh hour, the choicest things will go first, of course. No need to wait until others have bought the very things you wanted and is too late to get more. Buy now. Needn't have them delivered now. We will store them for you and deliver when you say. Here are a few suggestions for suitable presents for gentlemen—our stock is now at its best and you have time to make selections leisurely.

A Suit of Clothes.  
A Pair of Silk Suspenders.  
A Pair of Street Gloves.  
An Overcoat. Fur Caps.  
Initial Handkerchiefs. Gauntlets.  
A Silk Muffler. A Swell Tie.  
A Silk Umbrella. A House Coat. A Dress Shirt.

These goods are productions of the best manufacturers, Canadian, English and American.

WATCH OUR WINDOW.

GEO. MEYNELL.  
3 DOORS WEST OF MARKET—KING STREET CHATHAM.  
ONE PRICE. MONEY REFUNDED.











## Waistings for Christmas Gifts

A waist, a useful gift, a gift that will be appreciated by every lady. We have been fortunate in securing the richest assortment of waistings we have had this season, so you can depend on seeing something very handsome because several very dainty waistings have visited this store this season, but their visits were short, so you should secure a waist of these while the assortment is complete.

### Albatros Cloth

In colors, fawns, gray, blue and pink, roman stripes, at per yard

65c

### Kid Gloves for Gifts

A pair of Kid Gloves, a very useful and acceptable gift, and every pair is guaranteed.

### Dress Kid Gloves

black, colors and white

\$1.00 and \$1.25.

### Unlined Mocha

Colors and black,

\$1.38.

### Lined Mocha

Colors only

\$1.50.

## Wm. Foreman & Co.

## Ladies!

Don't Miss These  
For Your Own  
Sake—Not Ours..

### WARM HOUSE SLIPPERS

Best Value of the Season

Woman's German Slippers, heavy felt sole, only.....25c  
Woman's German Slippers, heavy felt sole, felt upper.....40c  
Woman's German Slippers, fur bound feet, sole and upper.....50c  
Woman's high cut House Slippers, fur bound.....75c and \$1.00  
Children's Slippers in all sizes, youths' and boys' Kid Slippers, extra fine flexible leather sole, special.....90c and \$1.11.

## J. L. Campbell, Boston Shoe House

## IT WILL BE \$ IN YOUR POCKETS

To see our \$5.00 extra heavy Fry Ulster, with side pockets, made up in the latest style. Our up-to-date dressy dark blue Milton Overcoat at \$5.00 well worth \$2.00, can't be bought at any other store than at **The Cut Rate Store** for such money. This week at \$5.00.

Boots, Shoes and Ready-Made Clothing

The Cut Rate Store - J. JENKINS,  
55 King St., Directly Opposite Market Square.

## Hugh McDonald..

### Fine Furniture

### Xmas Presents..

Solid Secretaries, in Oak and Mahogany \$5. to \$25  
Pine Cabinets, in Mahogany \$10 to \$45  
China Cabinets, in quartered Gold or Oak, with British Royal Mirrors \$15 to \$45  
Children's in golden oak highly polished \$7 to \$30  
Crate Tables \$1 to \$15  
Rocking Chairs, in Wicker \$2.50 \$8  
Oak and Mahogany \$2 to \$20  
Marble Chairs \$6 to \$15  
Children's Morris Chairs \$2.75, \$3  
Children's Stools, in golden oak and Mahogany \$1 to \$5

**Hugh McDonald,**  
FURNITURE AND CARPETS.  
Night paid outside of City. Opposite Hotel Garner

## DISTRICT DOINGS.

### THAMESVILLE

Dec. 13.—Peter Richards, of Walkerville, is home for a couple of weeks.

Wm. Buchanan, of London, was in town on Wednesday. Our collector calls to each town once a month; if a subscriber wishes to pay his account before the collector calls he must remit direct to The Planet Office, Chatham, and will not be responsible for monies paid to carriers.

R. W. Coates, of London, was in town yesterday.

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### THOSE LAWYERS

Citizen Makes a Vigorous Protest Against Methods Used in Securing Evidence

"I would like like to know, said an influential citizen to The Planet this morning, 'if the lawyers have a right to abuse witnesses in the box. I heard the afternoon session of the court in the Gardner vs. Hillman case yesterday, and in some of the cross-examinations it seemed to me that the object of the lawyers was not to obtain the truth, but to catch the witnesses in a play of words so to speak. I don't think that lawyers have the right to express any opinion upon the character of any witness in the box. The lawyers in some cases say things which are simply cheeky and brassy, and quite irrelevant to the question in issue. They seem to think they have unlimited license to do or say anything which might make the witness feel bad, and as small and little as possible. I would like to know whether there is a law giving the lawyers all the rights and the witnesses none. The court should protect the witness from any unbecoming remarks from the counsel."

### SURE SHOTS.

"B" Company turned out 18 strong last night. After a very successful drill, the men practiced shooting with the Maurice Tube Gun. The following are the scores of those who got ten or over:

Smith, J., Sergt., 16.  
Reid, J., Sergt., 15.  
Sutherland, E. G., 13.  
Hutchinson, R., 12.  
Pittman, J., Bugle Major, 12.  
Smith, W., Pte., 12.  
Pritchard, W., Pte., 11.  
Brown, R., Pte., 10.  
The company will parade again next Friday, at 8 p. m.

### WELSMAN-YUNCK RECITAL

The success of the Welsman-Yunck recital is assured, the advance sale of tickets being very large. Mr. Carter has spared no expense in procuring such a galaxy of artists to the public of Chatham, and there is no doubt but that the concert will prove one of the greatest musical treats ever heard in Chatham.

Mr. Welsman and Mrs. Yunck may never be heard together again in Chatham, and an opportunity to hear such an elaborate program by concert artists of such high rank as Mr. Welsman and Yunck should not be omitted to be heard by every musical lover and student of music in Chatham.

The program is one of the most pleasing and artistic ever presented to an audience. To hear Mr. Welsman interpret the Hungarian 12th Rhapsody by Liszt, or Herr Yunck, the 27th Concerto of De Beriot, alone is worth the price of admission. The Grieg Sonata for piano and violin, as played by Messrs. Welsman and Yunck, will be such a treat as never heard before in Chatham. These numbers alone should well repay everyone attending and be of the greatest benefit to all earnest musical students.

Besides the above, Messrs. Welsman and Yunck will appear in solo and ensemble work, assisted by vocal numbers.

The concert will undoubtedly be the social event of the season, and anyone not attending will assuredly miss such a wealth of musical thought and artistic worth as perhaps may never be heard again in Chatham.

Herr Wm. Yunck's name as a concert violinist needs no comment—he is known throughout the continent as an artist of the highest rank. His name in America is always associated with the Yunck Quartette, an organization, founded by Herr Yunck, and which was of such a standard as to be considered one of the finest quartettes on the continent. Mr. Yunck is comparatively a young man, and his playing is of the highest degree of beauty and brilliancy—an artist whose every appearance calls forth the most pronounced recalls.

Don't fail to keep the 17th of December free and attend the Welsman-Yunck concert at the Grand Opera House.

### BUSINESS COLLEGE.

The advertisement of the Central Business College, Stratford, Ont., may be seen in our columns. We are informed by the Principal, Mr. W. J. Elliott, that many Canadian and American business colleges employ graduates of his college as teachers. During the past three years the demand for commercial and shorthand teachers has been five times the supply. This certainly shows that the college is doing good work. The winter term opens on Monday, January 8th.

## A SERIES OF SIDELIGHTS

EDITED BY HELEN HALL.

This old world of ours cannot stand still. Just as a locomotive goes now east, now west, now north, now south, so our world is moving, now forward, now backward, now upward, now downward. And in all this changing every grain means a corresponding loss. At one time we are called upon to sacrifice beauty on the altar of convenience. Ever this is done we sacrifice, in another department, convenience on the altar of beauty. This may be life, or one of the laws of the universe, and the very fact that it is traceable in the little things of life goes to prove the unity of the universe.

Surely by this time someone is wanting to know what is the cause of all this. Well, the other day I was thinking of the different classes of women in the world. Presently I got to the grandmother-women, when suddenly I realized that the dear old grandmother-women of our childhood had passed into history with that childhood. I mean the grandmother that

"Sits in her quaint arm-chair, Never was lady so sweet and fair. Her grey locks ripple like silver shells, And her placid brow its story tells— Of a gentle life and peaceful even. A trust in God and a hope in Heaven."

The quiet, kindly old lady that wore a cap and apron with a pocket in the apron, in which there would always be just one large, white peppermint for you. Strange to say, however, that stock of peppermints seemed like the Phoenix, another always there. So she has gone, and in her place we have the youthful grandmother, who is as active and young as her daughter, who laughs at the idea that there is one style of dress and mode of behavior for her and another for her daughter. And we love this grandmother, too, but we are sorry to lose the other one; she pelted us so.

The musical world in New York is greatly excited over the first appearance in that city of the young violinist, Jan Kubelik. He has no reputation to make; that is already done.

### LOCAL ALUMNI

Organizations of a Local Society of Graduates from the Toronto University.

A meeting of graduates of the University of Toronto, was held last evening at Col. J. B. Rankin's office. The meeting was addressed by Dr. J. C. MacLennan, of Toronto, who showed in a most interesting manner the benefits of Alumni Associations to the University and of efficient universities to the state. A local association was then inaugurated under the name of "The University of Toronto, Alumni Association for the County of Kent." The following officers were elected: Honorary President—Wm. Douglas, L.L.B., K.C. Vice President—John Coates, B.A. Secretary—J. G. Little, B.A. Treasurer—R. M. Thompson, B.A. B. Bredens.

### TURNED AWAY

Police Had to Interfere with the Gathering That Went to Meet Marks Bros.

Police stopped the selling of tickets at the Opera house last night. That is what happened to Marks Bros. Co. No. 1. The Major's Bride was the attraction, and so desirous were the people to see the play that they crowded into the Opera house as soon as eight o'clock the plan was sold out, and standing room was very eagerly sought. It was at this point that the police stepped in. P. C. Dezelia wouldn't let Mr. Pilkey sell any more standing room, while P. C. Dodson turned the crowd away. The Major's Bride proved a very entertaining play. Arnold C. Baldwin, Tom Marks and Esther Evans took the leading parts and took them well. Tom Marks himself has never appeared to better advantage than he has on this visit. The vaudeville artists all acquitted themselves excellently. G. E. Burr sang in excellent voice "Down Where the Cotton Blossoms Grow" and "Mamma Number Two." Mr. Burr has a magnificent baritone voice and his solos are always loudly appreciated. James Field had some new jokes last night and some good ones. The Pepper Twins danced the Sailor's Hornpipe and sang. They are two clever boys.

To-night the bill will be "The Village Blacksmith," and with this performance Tom Marks closes a week of the largest business ever done in the city of Chatham.

He has only to keep to it. He is a Bohemian by birth, and that became known in America through his brilliant successes in London.

### WHAT'S WORN.

Silk or cloth bands are used for trimming on velvet costumes.

In pins, the turquoise set around with diamonds is very popular.

The new shade of gray is called gun-metal grey. It is used in velvets for trimming.

About the very narrow folds of the same material as the suit makes a pretty crumpling for the bottom of the skirt of a tailor-made gown.

Another decoration for a tailor-made gown is to tuck the circular flounce. As this flounce is on the bias the tucks have the appearance of folds.

White gowns are chic for evening wear this year and they are all white with the exception of the collar. For this pale blue is the most popular color.

Buttons are to the fore for trimming this year. Some of them are very elaborate, being either set with semi-precious stones or china hand-painted and enamelled.

A handsome silk skirt is tucked to the waist. There is a deep flounce on the bottom edged with two tiny frills. The neck and the flounce have a heading made of a ruffling of the silk edged out.

A pretty decoration for a cashmere waist is tiny silk tassels. The yoke is laid in small box plaits, which are allowed to blouse for the front. Each of the plaits is finished with a tiny silk tassel, either a match for, or a contrast to, the color of the cashmere.

A particularly fetching plain blouse for a good figure is the maxim waist. It may be made of velvet, panne, silk and satin faced cloth as well as flannel. This year the military style is in. At either side of the front the fronts are folded in a side plait which spreads out over the shoulders enough to give the long look. It has two rows of small buttons down the centre.

HELEN HALL.

### GOOD DEBATE

It Was Held by the Students of the C. C. L. at a Society Meeting.

The sixth regular meeting of the C. C. L. Literary and Musical Society was held in the assembly hall of the school on Thursday afternoon. There was as usual a large and enthusiastic audience.

The following was the program: Chorus by the Glee Club. Recitation, Florence Field. Debate, "Resolved, that much reading of newspapers and magazines is an intellectual dissipation, which, in the interests of sound knowledge, should be discouraged." Affirmative, Ada Wong and Mary Alger; negative, Bruce McQuane and H. M. Cockfield.

Vocal Solo, W. Hoig, encored. Recitation, Miss Bream, encored. Piano Duet, May Taylor and Allison McLean, encored. Vocal Solo, Bertha Burton. Critic's Remarks, A. E. Jewett, B. A.

Kind acknowledgements were read from T. R. Harris on behalf of the C. C. L. Board, C. Campbell, secretary of the C. C. L. Society, S. B. Arnold, secretary of the Macaulay Club, J. W. White, Dr. R. V. Bray and S. H. Arnold, honorary members.

The students of the C. C. L. attended in large numbers. An intercollegiate debate will be arranged in the new year. "An afternoon with Shakespeare," has been suggested as a suitable topic for next year's debate. The critic's were pointed and appropriate.

The Christian Endeavor Society in connection with the First Presbyterian Church will be held immediately after the evening service to-morrow, Christ Church Young People's Society meet in the S. S. Hall every Monday evening at 8 o'clock. The Sunday School of the First Presbyterian Church will meet to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. St. Andrew's Church S. S. and Bible Class will meet to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Holy Trinity Sunday School will be held to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Holy communion is celebrated in Christ Church on the first and second Sunday of each month.

The Victoria Ave. Epworth League meets every Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Christ Church Sunday School meets every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. St. Andrew's Church C. E. Society on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Holy Trinity Sunday School will be held to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

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## SUNDAY SERVICES

### Hours of Service.

Christ Church—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.  
First Presbyterian—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.  
St. Andrew's—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.  
Holy Trinity—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.  
St. Joseph's R. C.—8.30, 10.30, 7.30.  
Victoria Ave. Methodist—11 and 7.  
William St. Baptist—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.  
Park St. Methodist—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.  
Seventh Day Adventists—3 and 7.  
Latter Day Saints—7 p.m.  
Campbell A.M.E.—11 a.m.; 7.45 p.m.  
First Baptist—11 a.m.; 7.30 p.m.

Pastors and others who contribute news items to this department of Saturday's Planet will confer a favor by seeing to it that their "copy" reaches this office not later than Friday noon of each week. Matter received later than that hour cannot be guaranteed insertion.

International Bible Lesson for To-morrow—Ex. 12, 1-17.

Golden Text—"Christ, our passover, is Sacrificed for us."

The Jewish passover occurs at full moon in the first month of their year, the month Nisan, and corresponds with our Easter. In our lesson we have Israel delivered from Egypt's slavery, while in the death and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ believers are now delivered from the bondage of sin into the glorious liberty of the children of God. The Bible is full of blood, from the blood of Abel and his offering unto the blood-washed robes in Revelations. What the blood of the lamb was to Israel, the blood of Jesus is to us. What the Passover was, the Eucharist is. What the sprinkling of their doors meant, the application by the Holy Spirit and our appropriation of Jesus' blood is. The difference means life or death. "How can we escape if we neglect so great salvation?"

### Church Notes.

The pastor, Rev. W. E. Knowles, will conduct the services and preach on both occasions in the First Presbyterian Church to-morrow.

The pastor, Rev. Dr. Battisby, will preach in St. Andrew's Church to-morrow, both morning and evening.

Rev. T. Beverley Smith, rector, will occupy the pulpit of Holy Trinity Church to-morrow.

Rev. J. P. Rice, Ph. D., will occupy the pulpit of the Park St. Methodist Church on both occasions to-morrow.

Rev. R. McCosh will conduct the vices and preach in Christ Church on both occasions.

Rev. H. W. Crews, B. A., of St. Thomas, will occupy the pulpit of Victoria Avenue Methodist Church to-morrow, morning and evening.

Prof. J. W. Russell, B. A., of Woodstock College, will occupy the pulpit in the William St. Baptist Church on both occasions to-morrow, and teach the Bible Class in the afternoon.

Salvation Army, Union Depot—Knee drill at 7 a. m., meeting for promotion of holiness at 11 a. m., Christian fellowship at 3 p. m., soul winning service at 7.30 p. m. All services for citizens and soldiers.

Services will be held in the Saints' Auditorium, next Aberdeen bridge, to-morrow as follows:—Prayer meeting at 2 p. m., Sunday school at 3 p. m., preaching at 7 p. m.

Special services will be held in the Campbell A. M. E. Church to-morrow. Rev. J. A. Holt, of London, will occupy the pulpit at 11 in the morning, and Rev. Dr. J. H. Thompson, of Ypsilanti, Mich., will preach at 7.30 in the evening. Special music by the choir.

Regular services in the St. John's A. U. M. P. Church to-morrow as follows:—10.45 Scripture reading and praying by the pastor, Rev. A. B. Selvey, 2.30 p. m. Sunday school, 7.40 p. m. preaching by the pastor.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered in connection with the morning service at the First Presbyterian Church one week from to-morrow, the 22nd inst. Preparatory services will be held on the preceding Friday, the 20th inst.

The Church Women's Missionary Society of Christ Church meets in the S. S. Hall every Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Divine service will be held in Christ Church every Wednesday evening beginning at half-past seven.

Rev. R. McCosh's Bible Class for young men will meet in the S. S. Hall to-morrow afternoon at 8 o'clock. Dr. R. V. Bray's Bible Class for young ladies meets at the same hour. All young ladies and gentlemen are invited to attend these classes.

There will be an early celebration of the holy communion in Christ Church to-morrow morning at 8.30.

Union Bible Class on Monday evening for the study of the Sunday lesson in the William St. Baptist S. S. room. All S. S. teachers in the city are invited to be present.

Park St. Methodist Church prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

The Christian Endeavor Society in connection with the First Presbyterian Church will be held immediately after the evening service to-morrow, Christ Church Young People's Society meet in the S. S. Hall every Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

The Sunday School of the First Presbyterian Church will meet to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. St. Andrew's Church S. S. and Bible Class will meet to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Holy Trinity Sunday School will be held to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Holy communion is celebrated in Christ Church on the first and second Sunday of each month.

The Victoria Ave. Epworth League meets every Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Christ Church Sunday School meets every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. St. Andrew's Church C. E. Society on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Holy Trinity Sunday School will be held to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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