



TILL CHRISTMAS

Our Store Will Be Open Every Evening, Thus Giving a Few More Hours for Selection of the Many Gifts in Our Stock.

DIAMONDS—In Rings, Bar Pins or Necklets.

PEARLS — Indestructible, various lengths and uniform or graduated.

WATCHES—Pocket or Wrist at any price desired, or

An Accurate Pendant Barometer in Oak or a Pair of Old English Brass Candlesticks.

SMITH BROS.
JEWELERS, LIMITED

350 KING STREET
Established 1840.

PIANO TUNING
Piano Tuning, Repairing and Player Piano Adjusting. Norman H. Butcher, 27 Pine Street. PHONE 1819w.

DR. H. C. MABEE
79 WILLIAM STREET
Phone 286

Thursday, Friday, Saturday Specials

- In Silver Plate Ware—
Knife, Fork and Spoon, Child's set \$1.50
- In Aluminum Ware—
Wearever Tea Kettle ... \$5.00 for \$3.39
5 cup Teapot \$2.25 for \$2.00
6 Cup Percolator \$6.00 for \$5.00
- In Nickel Plated Ware—
Side Pouter No. 9 Tea Kettle —
\$2.75 for \$2.50
Boys' Dominion Skates, \$3.00 for \$2.60
Universal Food Choppers .. \$2.00, \$2.50
Electric Lamps, 25 and 40 watt ... 30c.
60 watt 35c.

We would be pleased to show you our fine stock of Knives, Razors, Scissors, Pyrex Ware and Electric Heaters.

STORE OPEN EVENINGS.

McKelvey & Birch, Limited

General Contractors, Heating Specialists, Steam Fitters and Plumbers, Jobbers of Plumber's and Gas-Fitters' Supplies, Stoves, Shell, Heavy and Home Furnishing Hardware, Tools, Oil, Best Supplies, Sheet Metal and Tin Work, Electric work, Painting and Paper Hanging. Special work of all kinds undertaken.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS



See our Living Room Suites covered in Mohair. Tapestry and Velours in all the popular shades.

These are gifts that will last, and be a joy throughout the whole year.

Tea Waggons, Boudoir Lamps, Pedestal Lamps, Trays, Smokers' and a number of other useful articles, which would make suitable gifts for the Home.

Open evenings until after Christmas.

T. F. Harrison Co., Limited Phone 90

TURKEYS IN ABUNDANCE

Price For Best Fifty Cents a Pound—People Unwilling to Pay This.

There was abundance of turkeys on the market on Thursday morning. Some farmers stated that turkeys were not selling as well as on previous years. Several who brought some nice birds to the market on Saturday and Tuesday last took them home again, because they would not accept the price that Kingston people were willing to pay.

On Thursday morning, a local retail dealer when asked the reason for there being so many turkeys, stated that he thought the Argentina turkeys, which were being brought into the larger centres, had resulted in great quantities of the local turkeys not being shipped to Montreal and Toronto. When asked as to the quality of the birds which were being imported he stated that they were not the kind of turkeys that Kingstonsians were used to. In most cases they are thin and have been frozen, which does not add to the eating quality of turkey.

It is understood that there is not an imported turkey in Kingston, for no other reason that Kingstonsians would not buy second rate stuff.

The retail prices for turkeys in Kingston on Thursday were from 40 to 50 cents a pound according to size and quality. Small hen turkeys are in demand and dealers are asking fifty cents a pound for them. Times have changed, and people who years ago would buy very large turkeys, are now looking for the smaller ones.

In Toronto turkeys are selling at 40 cents a pound, ducks 32 cents, chickens and geese 30 cent.

REAL ESTATE SALES

Through the Office of E. W. Mullin & Son.

Brick dwelling, No. 38 Upper William St.

Brick dwelling, No. 36 Upper William St.

Double brick dwelling, No. 130-132 Stephen St.

Cement block building, No. 61b Livingston Ave.

Frame dwelling, No. 36 James St.

Brick bungalow, No. 51 Quebec St.

Brick dwelling and lot, No. 88 Frontenac St.

Stone dwellings, Nos. 43, 45, 47 James street.

Brick dwelling, No. 18 Upper William St.

Brick dwelling, No. 133 William St.

Brick dwelling, No. 99 Frontenac St.

Frame dwelling, No. 216 Earl St.

Frame bungalow, No. 58 Toronto St.

Frame bungalow, No. 56 Toronto St.

Brick dwelling, No. 38 Upper William St., from Thomas Andre to Mrs. Leah Robinson.

Double brick dwelling, Stephen St., to J. Tutak.

Cement block dwelling, Livingstone Ave., owned by Joseph Welch.

Frame dwelling, No. 36 James St., owned by the Wart Estate, to J. Wart.

Brick bungalow, No. 51 Quebec St., to C. Trowbridge.

Double frame dwelling, No. 359-361 Alfred St.

Brick dwellings, 22, 24 Clergy St.

Frame dwelling, No. 34, Pembroke St.

Letters to the Editor

Defence of O.T.A.

Glenvale, Dec. 19.—(To the Editor):

I have been very much amused and interested by reading the different opinions expressed in your paper regarding the O.T.A., some comparing it to a "club" to enforce temperance.

Recently one writer suggested "more teaching of temperance and less enforcement of laws." My Dear Mr. Writer, that is exactly what the O.T.A. is doing if one will put their glasses on and figure it out correctly.

Some people seem to forget that all human beings have a certain amount of animal nature implanted in them, and when teaching or training certain animals it is sometimes necessary to use "the club," metaphorically speaking.

We have a law which demands that a child at a certain age should attend school so many days during the year, but if they refuse to attend school or to be taught, what then? Enforce the law or let them go "galley west?" Or is it wrong to make laws at all concerning school attendance?

Likewise, is it wrong to make laws to control the sale of intoxicants?

But, wait. Why not call it discipline instead of a "club?"

The successful college professor and public school teacher use discipline and occasionally they use the "rod of correction," or club if you wish to call it that, and discipline and club combined often win the day.

Therefore, let us look at the O.T.A. as discipline or a certain rule to go by, and as the "way of the transgressor is hard" he must take his medicine if he departs from that rule.

The O.T.A., like many others, may have its faults, and there may be room for improvement, but it is the best we have at the present time, so there you are. There facts are as plain as A.B.C. to any one who is inclined to see that way, but,

"Convince a man against his will, He has the same opinion still,"

That's where the rub comes in when they're deprived of booze and gin.

—J. B. LEONARD.

Twedde's sale \$19.00 overcoats.

PROBS:—Friday, cloudy and mild.

STORE OPEN TO-NIGHT

FROM 7 TO 9.30 O'CLOCK.

SALE OF TOYS!

IN OUR GROTTO TOYLAND.

A Clearance Sale in Toyland of our entire stock of Toys, Games, Books, Sleighs, etc., etc. All articles marked in plain figures—no reservations.
SALE PRICE LESS 20%.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

A SENSATIONAL TWO-HOUR SALE

FRIDAY from 9 to 11 o'clock

TREBLE DISCOUNT STAMPS

This extraordinary sale attraction for to-morrow morning is a response to the oft-repeated wish of many gift shoppers to us, which we have pleasure in responding to. Take Full Advantage of It!



Dress Sale!

OF THE SEASON—NOW ON.

Your choice of our entire stock of regular-priced Dresses are included in this stupendous Dress clearance.

DRESSES FOR STREET, AFTERNOON AND EVENING WEAR.

A choice of over 300 attractive new models, developed in the season's most fashionable fabrics and shades are here awaiting your selection.

This sale is sensational because such a drastic price-reduction is practically unknown at the height of the Christmas season—such discounts as we offer are more in order generally in January. We invite your active participation at this super-bargain event. Every dress marked in plain figures from \$16.50 up to \$75.00 each.

Sale Prices \$8.25 to \$37.50

Cash and carry. No approvals or returns.

"Christmas Gift Suggestions" TO HOME-MAKERS.



BATH TOWELS—

White Terry Bath Towels with colored borders. Priced from 75c. up.

PILLOW SLIPS—

Hemstitched and Initialled Pillow Slips. Special values at . . 75c. and \$1.25 ea.

TABLE SETS—

As Madeira Runners, Doylies, Tray Cloths, Lunch Sets and Centres—in broad assortments—attractively priced.

TABLE CLOTHS—

John S. Brown and Old Bleach—pure sun-bleached Irish Table Linens—with Napkins to match. Priced specially from \$5.95 to \$16.50 a cloth. With Napkins to match from \$4.50 a dozen up.

STEACY'S - Limited