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3 Farthings

We beg to thank our customers and friends, and in fact everybody, for the very liberal patronage during the past year, and now for 1901. We have a number of left overs including Jackets, Furs, Blankets, Underclothing, etc. When we say left-overs we do not mean seconds or unsaleable goods. The lines we are going to clear are among the most desirable goods offered this season. Next Saturday we will offer some exceptional bargains. Come with the crowd.

Jacket Bargains.

- 2 only Fawn Beaver Jackets, silk lined, pearl buttons, regular \$8, sale price **4.00**
- 5 only Black Beaver Cloth Jackets, velvet collars, mercerized lining, reg. \$6, sale price **3.00**
- 1 only Navy Beaver Jacket, silk lined, pearl buttons, reg. \$7.50 for **3.75**
- 3 only Beaver Jackets, high storm collar, pearl buttons, regular \$7, for **3.50**
- 1 only all wool Kersey Jacket, purple satin lining, pearl buttons, handsomely trimmed, reg. \$15, for **8.00**

The above Jackets are all this season's buying and are less than you would have to pay for the material.

Capes.

Including Fur Lined Cloth, Seal Plush and Golf at greatly reduced prices. If you are thinking of a fur lined cape drop in and see us.

Linen Bargains.

- 56-inch half-bleached Table Linen, assorted patterns, Irish manufacture, special at per yd. **25c**
- 60-inch half-bleached Table Damask, soft finish, new designs, pure linen at **40c**
- 62-inch half-bleached Table Linen, heavy cloth, guaranteed pure linen, at **50c**
- 62-inch full bleached Table Damask, choice patterns, pure linen, special **50c**

Also a fine range of Table Cloths with napkins to match, prices no higher than goods by the yard. The showing of fine linen surpasses anything we have ever made, although there is a strong advance in all linen goods, yet our values in their lines will be found as good as ever, you run no risk in buying your linens at this store, qualities guaranteed no matter how low the price.

Remnants.

We have about 50 remnants of Linens in lengths from 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 yds, in cream, half bleached and full bleached, the prices run from 36 to 98c each. Come early for these.

STOCK TAKING.

During the next two weeks we will be busy taking stock. After a very busy season we will naturally come across a number of remnants from the different departments. These will be put on sale next Saturday at about half their value.

FOR EVENING WEAR

Fine Organdie Muslins, and Dimities in plain colors, pink, pale blue, royal blue, yellow, new grey, cardinal ox blood and black, also fancy figured Organdie Muslins with satin and silk stripes, etc., just to hand.

GROVESEND.

Mr. Wallace Marr and wife left on Saturday for a visit among friends at Grand Rapids and other places.

Mr. Fred Smith and wife, of Grand Rapids spent a few days of last week at his father's, Mr. H. Smith.

Mr. E. Chute and son, Morley, left on Saturday to spend New Years at his brother's, Prof. H. N. Chute.

Mr. Mervin McClellan left on Saturday for London, where he has secured a situation in the carshops.

Miss Jessie McClellan is spending her holidays at her sisters in Yarmouth. Too late for last week.

The Christmas concert on last Thursday evening was a decided success, the children all did their parts splendidly, they went through several drills which were excellent. All who took part in it did well. Mr. Burdick, of Grand Rapids, sang several nice solos. The proceeds amounted to \$25.25.

Miss McDonald, has been engaged to teach the school again for the coming year, she is now spending her holidays at her home in Ingersoll.

Mr. Elgin Chute is spending his holidays with his sister, Mrs. W. Burdick, Chesaning Mich.

Mr. Leonard Hankinson is visiting relatives in St. George.

Mr. Cameron and wife, of Crumlin, spent Christmas with her father, Mr. J. Hankinson.

Mr. H. Nevills is spending his holidays at his home, in this place.

Mr. M. Edison and wife, of Grand Rapids, are visitors at Mr. Joe Marr's.

Mr. E. Chute, wife and children, spent Christmas at Bismark.

Mr. J. McClellan and family spent Christmas at his daughters, Mrs. E. Russ, in Yarmouth.

E. M. L. L.

This signature is on every box of the genuine **Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets** the remedy that cures a cold in one day.

Teacher—You couldn't lift yourself by your boot straps, could you, Johnny? Johnny—No, 'm! Teacher—Why not? Johnny—Cause I wear shoes.

The best that money can buy should be your aim in choosing a medicine and this is Hood's Sarsaparilla. It cures when others fail.

GLENOLIN.

A wedding in the near future.

Mr. Ed. Brooks had the misfortune to lose a valuable horse on Xmas day.

Mr. Wm. Kilmer, of St. Thomas, visited Mrs. C. Bowen for a few days.

Mrs. G. Wintermute, of Springfield, spent a few days with Mrs. A. W. Haney.

Mr. J. Seburn, of Niagara, paid Mr. I. B. Haney a visit last week.

Mr. F. Sanburn, of Mich., called on friends this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. McCredie, son and daughter, of Lyons, Sundayed with Mrs. Moore.

Mr. D. Roy is taking advantage of the holiday rates by taking a trip to Nipissing district.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Taylor, of Belmont, spent Xmas with Mrs. I. B. Haney.

Mr. Robby Taylor, of Belmont, is spending a week with his grand parents Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Haney.

There will be no service at Trinity next Sunday, Jan. 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McKenney have been on the sick list.

For twenty-four years Vapo-Cresolene has been extensively used for all forms of throat and bronchial troubles. All Druggists.

MOUNT SALEM.

We expect lively times around here in the next few days on account of Mr. Wm. Rockey being a candidate for County Councillor. Mr. Rockey is a hustler, and when he gets his fly team and his carry-all out he will pull the voters to the polls in a hurry.

Mr. Geo. Buck left for Toronto last Monday on a business trip.

Mr. W. Garner went to London on business Monday last.

Quite a number from around here attended the opening of the church at Trinity last Sunday.

Master Murray and Ernie Wickett, of Orwell, returned home, after spending their holidays with their grandfather, Mr. L. Sturk.

Miss Reta Hammond returned from St. Thomas, after spending a few days.

Mr. Ernest Garner spent Sunday at Orwell.

Mr. Harvey Brown caught 30 rabbits last Saturday. He can make the rabbits jump.

Mr. C. H. Denton, of Tilsonburg, was in town looking after the interest of his Insurance Company last week.

Mr. E. D. Scott and wife, of Muncey, spent their holidays with Mr. J. G. Clark.

Mr. Jehiel McConnell made a flying business trip to Stratfordville last Saturday.

Mrs. J. W. Benner and children, of Aylmer, are spending their holidays with her father, Mr. W. H. Smith.

Quite a number around here were married last week, and we expect more this week. Don't make a failure of it this time, George.

Mr. Cook, of Springfield, took the pulpit of the Methodist church last Sunday.

Mr. P. Pressey lost a fine horse a few days ago from paralysis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Heffer spent Christmas at Mr. H. Burnhams, Essex Centre.

If the child is restless at night, has coated tongue, shallow complexion, a dose of Miller's Worm Powders is what is required; pleasant, harmless.

LITON.

Miss L. Simpson, of Lyons, was the guest of Miss L. Haggan for a few days last week.

Miss L. Doolittle entertained a number of her friends on Monday evening.

Rev. Cook, of Springfield, occupied the pulpit here on Sunday morning.

Mr. Harry Hill spent a few days last week with St. Thomas friends.

At the recent election of school trustees Mr. J. C. Haggan, was put in office.

Miss L. Doolittle is visiting relatives at Grovesend.

Mr. Edgar is on the sick list.

Mr. E. Doolittle has returned home after spending a few days with Dr. P. Doolittle, of Toronto.

WM. WARNOCK
PRIVATE BANKER.

AYLMER, ONT

Notes and Mortgages cash. Draughts bought and sold. Agent for the Southern Loan and Savings Co., St. Thomas.

Collections & Investments made.

TALBOT STREET, AYLMER

PT. BRUCE.

Miss Annie Ibbotson, of Fingal, is spending a few weeks the guest of Miss Maggie Taylor.

Young Bros. are getting in piles for next summers use.

Mrs. Zimmerman, Eagle is the guest of her sister, Mrs. G. Young, for a couple of weeks.

The Sunday school is closed for the winter and will reopen the first Sunday in April.

Miss Lizzie Gibson left for Pt. Credit on Friday last to see her cousin, Miss E. Shaw, who is dangerously ill.

On Christmas day there passed away an old resident of the Port, Mr. Emanuel Smale, who succumbed to a stroke of paralysis. Interment took place at Union on Thursday. Mr. Smale was born in Devonshire, England, sixty years ago and came to this country with his wife when a young man, living for a short time near Union afterwards moving to the Port, where he has resided ever since. He leaves a wife and ten children, also a brother and sister at Sparta, to mourn his loss.

A Use For the Thumb.

In the notebook of the late Bishop Fraser of Manchester there is a story of a former young curate of the English village of Stoke which shows the value of a little common sense in deciding a knotty point. The curate, being exceedingly anxious at all times to do things in the order of the liturgy, once insisted when marrying a couple on the ring being put on the fourth finger. The bride rebelled and finally said:

"I would rather die than be married on my little finger."

For an instant the curate wavered; then he said, "But the rubric says so." Matters were at a standstill—the bride, the groom, the curate, the parish clerk stepped in and said:

"In these cases, sir, the thumb counts as a digit."

THE AYLMER MARKETS.

Flour, per 100 lbs.	\$1.70 to 1.90
Wheat, Standard	23 to 25
Oats, per bushel	25 to 28
Barley, per bushel	30 to 35
Peas, per bushel	30 to 35
Huckwheat	35 to 40
Beans, per bushel	1.00 to 1.10
Corn, per bushel	40 to 45
Rye, per bushel	38 to 40
Brass, per ton	11.00 to 15.00
Shorts, per ton	15.00 to 18.00
Chop, per ton	18.00 to 22.00
Butter, per lb.	18 to 18
Potatoes per bushel	20 to 25
Hay, per ton	20 to 25
Straw, per load	2.00 to 2.50
Apples, per bushel	60 to 65
Dried Apples, per lb.	2 to 4
Chickens, per lb.	5 to 7
Turkeys, per lb.	9 to 10
Geese, per lb.	5 to 6
Ducks, per lb.	7 to 8
Live Hogs, each	5.00 to 5.50
Dressed Hogs	6.00 to 7.00

ST. THOMAS MARKETS.

Wheat, per bushel	63 to 65
Oats, per bushel	23 to 25
Barley, per bushel	30 to 35
Corn, per bushel	40 to 45
Peas, per bushel	30 to 35
Butter, per lb.	18 to 18
Eggs, per dozen	18 to 20
Chickens, per pair	50 to 75
Ducks, per pair	50 to 60
Turkeys, per lb.	10 to 12
Geese, each	5 to 6
Potatoes per bag	40 to 50
Onions, per bushel	20 to 25
Cabbage, per head	5 to 6
Cauliflower per head	5 to 6
Celery per bunch	5 to 6
Hay per ton	20 to 25
Wood, short, per cord	2.00 to 2.25
Wood, long, per cord	4.00 to 4.25
Live Hogs	5.00 to 5.25
Dressed Hogs	6.00 to 7.00

LONDON MARKETS.

Wheat	60 to 63
Oats	25 to 28
Peas	48 to 54
Barley	38 to 40
Rye	39 to 40
Corn	42 to 44
Live Hogs	5.00 to 5.40
Dressed Hogs	6.50 to 7.00
Butter, roll, per lb.	20 to 21
Butter, cake, per lb.	18 to 20
Eggs per dozen	18 to 22
Potatoes per bag	39 to 45
Hay	6.00 to 9.00
Chickens, per pair	60 to 85
Ducks	60 to 75
Geese	60 to 75
Turkeys	9 to 10

Children Cry for CASTORIA.

A Card.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

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E. A. CAUGHELL

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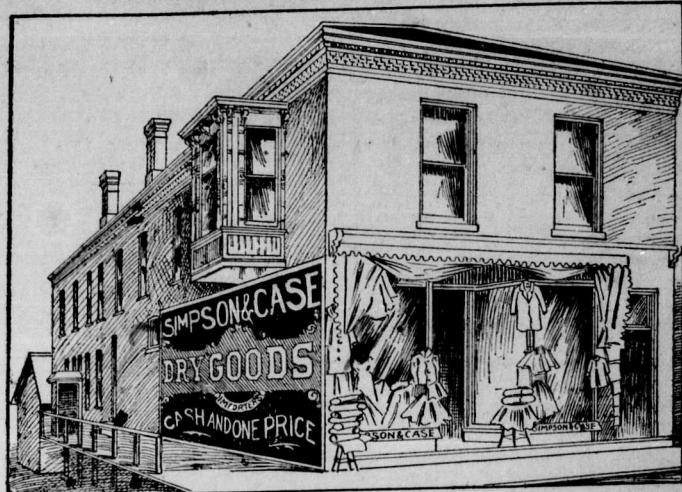
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District Passenger Agent.

N. A. McALLUM, Agent, Aylmer.

Teacher Wanted

For School Section No. 6, Beulah. Duties to commence Jan. 1st, 1902. Small school. Apply stating salary wanted to
ORIN PARLETT,
Griffin's Corners, Ont.

THE BIG BUSY CORNER.



Clearing Out Odd Lots

At the end of a very busy season we find in each department odd lots of seasonable goods. We want to turn them into cash. If you are in need of any of the following articles the prices should interest you.

- \$1.25 Golf Jackets for 50c—5 only
Ladies' Golf Jackets, made from fine pure wool, a very comfortable house garment, reg. \$1.25 for **50c**
- 25c Wool Socks for 20c—10 doz
Men's Heavy Wool Socks, in grey, made from pure stock, white heel and toe, a splendid wearing sock, reg. 25c, for **20c**
- 25c Wool Hose for 20c—5 doz.
Ladies' Black Wool Hose, sizes 9, 9 1/2 only, reg. 25c, for **20c**
- 12c Wrapperette for 8c—6-piece fancy Wrapperette in light and dark patterns, an odd lot reg. 12c to clear **8c**
- 15c Wrapperette for 12c—Your choice of 15 patterns, very heavy Wrapperette, handsome effects for Wrappers, regular 15c, for **12c**
- 25c Wool Toques for 20c—1 doz.
child's Silk and Wool Toques, white and pink and white and cardinal, reg. 25c, for **20c**
- \$1.25 Fur Sets for \$1—5 only child's White Fur Sets, muff and collar, reg. \$1.25 for **1.00**
- 12c Turkey Red Prints for 9c—3 piece fancy Turkey Red Prints, suitable for comforter covers, worth to-day 12c for **9c**
- 15c Turkey Red Print for 12c—3 pieces fancy Turkey Red Prints, full yd wide, fast colors, worth to-day 15c, for **12c**
- \$1 Flannel Shirts for 75c—3 doz.
Men's Twilled heavy Flannel Shirts in sizes 15, 15 1/2, 16 1/2, reg. \$1 for **75c**
- 50c Leather Mitts for 25c—6 pair
Men's Heavy Driving Mitts, lambs wool backs, cosy for a cold day, reg. 50c for **25c**
- \$5.50 Ladies' Jackets for \$2—9 only
Ladies' Jackets, in Beavers and fancy Tweed, some were as high as \$5.50, your choice **2.00**
- \$7 Ladies' Jackets for \$3—9 only
Ladies' Jackets in Beavers, Tweeds and Curls, some were as high as \$7, your choice **3.00**
- \$3.75 Ladies' Capes Heavy Tweed
Winter Capes, good depth and full sweep, reg. \$3.75 **2.80**
- \$3.50 Ladies' Capes for \$2.50—2 only
Ladies' Fancy Tweed Capes, neat red and black mixture, reg. \$3.50 for **2.50**
- REMNANTS AT CLEARING PRICES.
Remnants of Prints
Remnants of Cotton
Remnants of Dress Goods
Remnants of Wrapperettes
Remnants of Flannelettes

Simpson & Case,

Dry Goods Importers and Clothiers.

Aylmer, Ont.

Clearing Sale

House Slippers

We have had a mammoth trade in house Slippers this season, but still have a large number of odd pairs. We want to clear out every pair to make more shelf room for spring goods. From now till the 12th of January we will offer these goods at and below what we bought them for.

Note These Prices

Men's Carpet Slippers, reg. price	\$1	Clearing Price	77c
" " " " " "	50c	"	35c
" " " " " "	\$1	"	70c
Women's goat skin " " "	\$1	"	75c
" " " " " "	\$1.50	"	95c
" " " " " "	\$2	"	\$1.49
" " " " " "	\$2	"	\$1.59
" " " " " "	\$1.50	"	\$1.15
" " " " " "	45c	"	34c
Misses' " " " "	40c	"	32c
Children's " " " "	35c	"	29c

The above list will give you an idea of the bargains we offer. There are only a few sizes in each line, therefore it will pay you to come early. The sale will positively close the 12th of January.

The prices on these goods are

...For Cash Only

CHRISTIE & CARON,

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The Mammoth Shoe Store.

The Little Wonder.