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Valentines from 1c to \$2.50 each at White Drug Store.

Mr. Kilmer of the collegiate staff, has resumed work after his recent illness. Miss York, of Harrietsville, has been the guest of Miss Jessie Buchanan dur-

ing the past week. The programme after the tea in the Methodist church on Monday night will arrive at the depot where he left the consist of the following: Selections by the train, until Saturday afternoon, the choir, solos by Mrs. McNinch and when to his great surprise he learned Mrs. Chamberlain; duets, Mrs. Mc-Ninch and Mrs. Turner, Messrs. Mon- that it was his brother's wife who had Walker, Huffman, Kilmer, Hutchinson Revs. Lancely, of London; Gundy, of where. St. Thomas, and others. Dr. Marlatt,

Order your coal at Nairn's office. Dr. F. H. Miller, painless dentistry. Buy your coal from J. E. Scott, he

ells the best Scranton coal. Mr. W. S. Case was in London for lay or so last week on a business trip. Miss Ardah, of Leamington, is the guest of Mrs. Jas. Thayer for a short

Miss Blanche Burns of London is pending a week or so with friends

Mrs. Ernest Stewart of St. Thomas has been spending a few days with her friends here. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Pound, of Lon-

don, spent Sunday last with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Baker. Fancy Dress Carnival at Roller Rink

Friday evening Feb. 7th. I. O. O. F. Band in attendance. Two good new milch cows for sale,

one coming 5 the other 8. Apply to John Timpany, Calton. The government has announced its

intention of spending some eight hundred dollars in dredging at Port Bruce, during the coming season. Cream of Menthol and Witch Hazel

or rough skin and chapped hands. 25c. per bottle at J. E. Richards & Co. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Turner have returned from their wedding trip and are now comfortably settled in their fine new

nome on Talbot St., west \$650 piano to be sold at a great sacrifice excellent condition. No reasonable offer rejected. No agents considered. Opportunity of a life time. Apply box

41, Aylmer, Ont. Girls wanted-For work on power ewing machines in knitting mill or on lay work. Clean steady work and good wages. Apply to the Watson Mfg. Co., limited, Paris, Ont.

The only unrestricted accumulative accident policy sold for \$5 per \$1000 backed by the greatest security, is issued by the Travelers Ins. Co. See W. Warnock, agent for Aylmer, for particulars.

Mr. Byron Harris continues his prize winning record at the different poultry shows in Western Ontario. Last week at Inwood he secured 51 firsts, 7 seconds and 2 thirds and also won the special for the four best birds in the show.

"Her voice is a contralto of phenom enal smoothness whose range easily exten led two octatives." These lines from the Guelph Mercury refer to Miss Helen Kirby Ferguson will appear in Aylmer Monday evening, February 17.

Conn's Fair-Until further notice, a special discount will be given off the regular price on everything contained in the immense stock at Conn's Fair, on Saturdays of each week. This will be genuine bargain day. Come in and

Messrs. Roth and Nichol, two young business men of Brantford have leased of Mr. Davis G. Bingham the store Dusty & Morse and will open out a big (This 15 month price expires Dec. 1st.) stock of gents furnishings, ready made clothing &c. about March 1st.

Best coal all sizes at Gillett,s.

To keep iron and steel goods from rust, states the Mechanical World, dissolve half an ounce of camphor in one pound of hog's lard; take off the scum, mix as much black lead as will give the mixture an iron color. Iron and steel goods rubbed over with this mixture and left with it on twenty-four hours, and then dried with a linen cloth, will keep clean for months.

Mr. and Mrs. Savage and Master Keith arrived home on Saturday night last from Markham and Richmond Hill, where they have been visiting for the past couple of months. We are very glad to know that Mrs. Savage is very much improved in health. Bert says that the weather here is like summer in comparison with what it is down east, and that we have no snow at all. Twenty and thirty below zero and three or 3.75 | four feet deep on the level, banked up 20 feet high in some places, is what he has been accustomed to recently.

On Thursday evening last the Rev. Jos. Philp received a telephone message which said that his brother, who lives north of Toronto, was dead. thought it was very strange as he had been an exceptionally healthy man and he had received no intimation of his illness. However, he statted on Friday, but on account of the big storm did not that nis brother was alive and well and

Oranges for marmalade now in stock.

Order Gilletts coal at Nairn's. Valentines, hundreds of them at the

Miss Ross, of St. Thomas, was the uest last week of Mrs. Alex. Love. Mrs. G. H. Haight has been spending few days this week with friends in St. Thomas.

A few hundred cedar fence posts for sale. Apply to E. A. Garnham, Straffordville, Ont.

Mrs. Fred King has been confined to her bed for the past week with a severe attack of the grip. Miss Alice Ardagh, of Leamington,

has been visiting Mrs. James Thayer during the past week.

Fancy Dress Carnival at Roller Rink Friday evening Feb. 7th. I.O.O.F. Band in attendance. Mr. R. C. McKenney, of Shedden,

spent a day or so in town last week with his many friends. J. Thody, Aylmer agent for the J. A

Esson Dye and Cleaning works, St. Thomas. Trial order solicited. Hear Ray Lemon, Aylmer's favorite baricone at Geo. L. Fisher's concert on Tuesday evening, February 11th.

Sunday evening next will be the last service Rev. A. B. Farney will conduct in Trinity church as rector of the

The best prescription for a languid appetite is a savory dish of seal shint oysters full of the half shell flavor at Red Star.

Reserved seat tickets for the Royal Scots concert will be on sale at Richard & Co. drug store on Saturday next Concert Wed. evening Feb. 12th. Wanted to rent by March 15th, an

eight room house with bath, furnace and electric light. Will pay liberal rent for same. Apply at this office. Wanted-Turkeys and chickens. F. H. Trim, Brown House, will pay 121/2c

per pound for well fatted, dressed and drawn turkeys and chickens, delivered any time during January and February, The Rev. Dr. Briggs, of Toronto, will occupy the pulpit of the Methodist church next Sunday both morning and

evening and no doubt a treat is in store Miss Minerva Carter died at her hone east of Aylmer on Wednesday Feb. 5th. The deceased was a daughter of the late Nichelas Carter and was in her 63rd year. The funeral which is

prive te will be held on Friday. A meeting of the Conservatie Asso. ciation of Aylmer will be held in the Conservative club rooms, Friday even ing, Feb. 7th, at 8 o'clock. A large at tendance is requested as officers are to be elected and other important business transacted. W. R. Hare, pres.

Aylmer stage-You can go to St Thomas cheaper and more comfortably by stage than any other way. The fare next to this office, recently occupied by is only 25 cents to any part of the city and the heaters keep you warm and comfortable. Six hours in St. Tromas. Try this way of going once. J. Thody

High C 10c cigar for 5c at White Drug

Dr Frederic C. Freemantel, of Philadelphia, was united in marriage on Wednesday, Jan. 22nd, at New York, with Miss Eleanor B. Relinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob H. Robinson. and will be at home to their friends at 1522 Locust St., Wednesdays in February. Dr. Freemantel's many Aylmer friends will join us in congratulations

and best wishes. Last Friday evening the telegraphy students of the Aylmer Business College, together with their teacher, Miss Payson, were entertained at the home of Miss Lillian Strachan, one of their number. A very pleasant evening was spent during which time Miss Payson was presented with some pieces of Haviland China, accompanied by an address showing the esteem she is held in by her pupils, and expressing their sorrow at her departure from their midst.

John H. Glover's is the spot to buy

axes and X-cut saws. As the Rev. A. B. Farney is about renoving from Aylmer, a number of the citizens met at the town hall and arranged for a public reception to him on Thursday vening, 6th inst., at the opera house at 8 o'clock. There will be good music, instrumental and vocal, short addresses and other interesting features. The committee consists of the mayor, chairman of the committe; Town clerk Bradley, secretary of the committee, and Messrs. Case, Haines, repeating the telephone message some will occupy the chair. All are most cordially invited.

\$5.00 buys a good 2nd hand coal stove of that kind. at Glover's.

Make hens lay with Panacea, sold by Caughell, Druggist.

Miss Haight, of Alma College, spent Sunday with her parents here.

Farmers! remember to buy your next coal at Gillett's, you will sure get satisfaction.

Mr. F. Matthews, of Detroit, attended the funeral of the late Dr. Kennedy last week.

J. R. Summers, reeve of Aylmer, wa in St. Thomas last week attending the meetings of the county council. Try Cream of Menthol and Witch

Hazel after your next shave and you will always use it. J.E. Richards & Co. The many friends of Miss Effic Turrill are glad to see her home again after spending the past four or five menths

in Charlottetown, P. E. I. To Rent- Good comfortable brick nouse on Talbot St. East, furnace, electric light, town water and everything

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"Give me another bottle of Cream of Menthol and Witch Hazel. The best I ever used." One of the many testimon monials we get daily for our king of

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Having gone into partnership with John H. Strachan, I will be pleased to see all of my old customers at our place of business (Liddle's old stand). Thank ing the public and customers for past patronage, I solicit your patronage in future. Fred D. King.

The Travel Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Silas Hemmingway. Vienna and musicians of Austria will be the subject. Four of the greatest Austrian by selections on the piano illustrative an illness of several months. Decease

ch, by young ladies of the club. Malahide Conservatives-The annual meeting of the Malahide branch of the East Elgin Liberal Conservative Association will be held at the Conservative club rooms over Heiter's grocery on Saturday Feb. 8th, at 2 o'clock p.m., for election of officers and other business. All are requested to be present. T W. Benner, pres.

New wall papers in at the White Drug Store.

Having entered into partnership with F. D. King I desire to thank all my old customers for their very liberal patronage in the past, and, on behalf of the new firm, solicit a continuance of the same. The new firm will occupy my old stand on King St., and as there will be three of us in the shop there will be no long waiting. Yours truly, J. H.

Mr. J. W. Harris opened his new bowling alley to the public on Tuesday night last and the place was crowded from 6 o'clock to 11. Everything in connection with it is first class and upto-date. The alleys are regulation length, the room is beautifully lighted and all the apparatus the best. That it will prove a popular place of amusement is certain, not only on account of the arrangements mentioned, but also because Mr. Harris will insist that it be conducted properly. He has the best conducted billiard and pool room we know of anywhere. No boys under the prescribed age are allowed to play at any time. Promptly at 11 o'clock the room is closed. Bad language and, all the presses, cutters &c., planing maungentleman'y conduct is not countenanced in any form- The same rules teith an | Bridgman; male quartettee; died, the mistake having been made in and Backus. His Worship, the mayor, alley, and nothing will be left undone to make it a place where no one need be ashamed to go, if they desire exercise

Fresh white fish. Young & Caven.

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Valentines, all kinds at Caughell's. Scott's Scranton coal is the standard

Just received, another car of old corn at the Kingsmill elevator.

For Sale-New milch cow, 5 years old. Apply to Jas. Martin, Lyons.

The best coal on the market, hard bright and well screened at J. A. Gillett. Mrs. (Dr.) Miller who was visiting her parents in Chicago, has returned

Annual teameeting, Methodist church Monday evening next, you are invited only 25c. Mrs D. B. Davidson of Alpena Mich.

has been a guest in town during the past week.

Mrs. Cowling will go Toronto this week to join her husband who went

there a few weeks ago. Miss Beulah Emmett has recovered from her recent illness and has again

resumed her music class. A good supper followed by a fine pro gram and all for \$50 is what you may have at the Methodist church on Monday night next.

Hear Jim Fax, Canada's leading humorist singer at Geo. L. Fisher's concert, Town Hall, Tuesday Feb. 11th. Admission 25 cents. G. A. Bingham & co. will move their

seed and produce business this week to the Brown House block in the store adjoining H. B. Hodgkins grocery. Albert Bradford and Mary J. Cott both of Aylmer will be united in wedlock in Trinity church on Saturday

afternoon at 2 o'clock by the Rev. Rural Dean Farney. The regular meeting of the Mothers' Union will be held Tuesday, Feb. 11th, at 4 o'clock in the kindergarten room. Miss McCausland will give a reading on literature. All are invited.

Turn out and help the firemen and hear the best concert of the season at the opera house on Wednesday evening Feb. 12th, when the Royal Scots just out from Glasgow will have charge of the program. It will be a dandy, Miss Helen Kirby Ferguson, well

known to the people of Aylmer, and now Canada's leading soloist, will appear in a concert at the Baptist church. on Monday evening, Feb. 17th. This will be the concert of the season. Don't forget the date. You are cordially invited to attend the evangelistic services now in pro- on Sunday evening last v hen a class of gress at Church of Christ, conducted by twelve were confirmed and taken into

the pastor, W. N. Arnold, each evening the church. The ceremony was a very at 7:30. Read Heb. 10-24 and Acts 17-11. impressive one and the Bishop's address Bring your friends and bibles and hear the gospel in sermon and song. Mrs. Thomas Matthews, of Kinglake, composers will be dealt with, followed died at her home on Monday last after

> ried at Kinglake on Wednesday after-The death of Martha Wiley, wife of James Ward, took place at their home on Tuesday last. Mr. Chute who was near Kingsmill on Wednesds y, Jan. 29. Mrs. Ward was in the 23rd year of her age. She was the youngest daughter of Thomas Wiley, and is survived by her parents, two brothers and two sisters. Her early death is a cause of profound regret to many friends and

relatives in this vicinity. Try our coffee. It will please you. Young & Caven

About 2 o'clock on Saturday morning last while the worst storm of the season was raging, the fire alarm argused the citizens of Aylmer, or at least a large number of them, and the brightness of the light caused much uneasiness, as it appeared to each that the fire was very close. Probably no fire that has occurred here for years burned so fiercely or made a greater blaze. It proved to be the large cider mill of Caughell & Gillett in the south west part of the town the main building of which was about 35x100 feet, 2 stories high. The fire had gained great headway before being discovered and the deep snow and storm made it slow work for the firemen getting there so that the building and all its contents were totally destroyed, including about forty barrels of vinegar, chine, boring machine, saws, engine boiler &c. The owners paid \$2,100 for the building, and last fall put a lot of repairs on the plant. The insurance was \$800 on building and \$500 on plant and mechinery.

quart at Red Star.

Bright hard, clean, coal at Gillett's.

Miss Helen Youell is visiting relatives in Woodstock.

If you have never had a ton of Scran ton coal try one from J. E. Scott. Miss Ethel Legg, of Alma College, was the guest over Sunday of Mrs. R.

Learn. Do not forget the big teameeting in the Methodist church ion Monday even-

Mr. McGregor began his work as principal of the public school on Monday

Dr. Homer McLay, physican and surgeon, office hours, 10 to 12 a. m. 2 to 4.80 p. m., 7.80 to 9 p. m.

Miss Holmes, of Yarmouth Centre, has been spending the past week or so with her sister, Mrs. Frank Wagoner.

Did you know that Cream of Menthol and Witch Hazel is the best cure for chapped hands? For sale only by J. B.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Timpany entertained a number of their friends Tuesday evening, in honor of their 40th wedding anuiversary. Miss Nellie Mann has so far recover-

ed from her recent illness as to be able to dispense with the services of the nurse, Miss Brown, of St. Thomas. Dr. Anna A. Backus has opened an office at her residence Talbot St. West. Special attention given to diseases of

women and of the eye and ear. Telephone No. 79.

Valentines, all kinds at Caughell's. Mr Isaac Davidson, of Jaffa, moved a barn for Mr. R. H. Lindsay on Friday last in what we believe is record time. The barn was 30x50 and it was moved one and a half miles across fields in just 25 minutes without a hitch or a stop. Can anyone beat it.

Mrs. Colborn the mother of Mrs. P. Zaff and Mrs Chas. Cascadden died last Thursday at her home in Tilsonburg aged 90 years. Beside the two daughters mentioned above, she is survived by four sons and two daughters, one of whom resides at Kingsmill. The snow storm of Friday night and

Saturday, last was the heaviest and worst we have had here in some eight or ten years, although the roads are not as badly drifted as they have been sometimes Zero weather for the first few days of this week makes everyone know that winter is here. Bishop Williams, of London, held confirmation services at Trinity church

was uplifting and inspiring to both candidates and congregation. The report of the Public Library for the month of January, 1908, is as folwas a sister of the late Thomas Ken- el and Adventure 22, Science and Art nedy of this place, and was well known 18, General Literature 32, Poetry and and highly esteemed by a larg circle of Drama 26, Religious Literasure 31, Ficfriends in this section. She was bur- tion 688, Miscellaneous Books 18, Refer-

ence 17, Total 1,138. The death of Wm. Hanvey Chute took place at his residence near Calton 55 years of age, was born at Vienna and spent the greater part of his life in this section. A widow, one daughter, Nina, and a son, Earle, are left to mourn his loss. Their many friends will extend sympathy in this time of sorrow.

Under the leadership of Miss Luella Drake, some forty of Aylmer's local artists presented, "Scenes in a Union Depot" at the opera house here on Friday evening last to a large and appreciative audience. The principle characters taken by local talent were almost without exception good, although but a very short time was given them to prepare their parts. This speaks well for the ability of our citizens and also for the ability of Miss Drake in training

Glover's for horse blankets and mitts.

On Wednesday, Jan. 29th, death removed one of the early residents of Aylmer in the person of Mr. Richard C. Wright. The deceased was born in England 85 years ago and came to this country when a young man. For a number of years he conducted a bakery and confectionery store here. He was a prominent member of the masonic order and the funeral services were conducted under the auspices of that organization. He is survived by a widow, four sons, Horace H., of Aylmer; Owen S., of Seskatoon; S. W., of Detroit, and A. R., of Port Burwell, also four daughters, Mrs. E. A. Smith, of Sparta; Mrs. D.B. Davidson, of Alpena, Heinz shredded saur kraut, 10c. per Mich.; Mrs. John Granger, of Walkerton, and Mrs. J. E. Boss, of Idaho.