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INSURANCE.

Mrs. M. BLACK, Springfield, Ont., real estate. Money to loan on mortgages, fire, life and accident insurance in best companies. \$25,000 private funds wanted to loan on 5% edge farm property. Address Mac. Black, Box 350, Springfield P. O.

LADIES' INSTITUTE.

The Aylmer branch of the East Elgin Ladies' Institute will meet in the Town Hall, Aylmer, the first Wednesday in each month. Dr. ANNIE BACROS, Miss NELLIE CORLEAND, Secretary.

Read Christie's ad on page 6.

Mrs. Hugh Patrick, of St. Thomas, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Finch.

We pay 20c for eggs and 30c for butter at Filby's.

Lorne L. Miller has sold the Stanley Seelgrove property at Orwell, to Byron Cutler, of St. Thomas.

We are offering a great bargain in a China Dinner Set, only \$12.50. See it. Young & Caven.

Hayler's Ganong's and Nylo Choco later. Did anyone ever have a greater agency for high class chocolates? J. E. Richards & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward McKinney spent a couple of days in Hamilton this week.

It's time to start aster, salvia, cabbage, cauliflower, tomato and celery seeds in doors, and a little lettuce, radish and doors. Caughell's seeds are the kind that grow.

Next Sunday the Aylmer Baptist Church will celebrate their 98th anniversary. The pastor Rev. T. J. Mitchell will occupy the pulpit both in the morning and evening and a feature of the services will be the leading of the music by the Old Boys' Choir. Further particulars of the services will be found in another column.

The last meeting of the Travel Club was well attended and interesting. Mrs. Caughy read an excellent description of the Catacombs of Rome, while the secretary gave an informal talk on "Rome of today." The next meeting, April 7, will be held at the home of Mrs. Kidd. Subjects, Andrea del Sarto, taken by Mrs. Hicks, and Cavour by Miss Murray.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at high noon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clarke, of Varna, on Wednesday, March 18th, when their daughter Emily, was united in marriage to Mr. R. S. Evans, of Corinth. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. R. A. Miller, of Auburn, only the immediate relatives being present. After a short trip to New York City, they will be at home to their friends in Weyburn, Sask.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC—A. W. Pierce is selling the following lines:—Rolled Oats, Whole Oats, Bran, local and western, Shorts, local and western, Corn Chop, Whole Corn, Cracked Corn, Flour, Biscuits, Oat Meal, Corn Meal, Cream of Wheat, Bibby's Cream Equivalent, Molasses Meal, Chick Feed, Oyster Shell, Grit, Poultry Bone, Beef Scrap, Oil Cake, Pure Lined Meal, Cotton Seed Meal, Hay Straw. All kinds of flour for household use. Bring your wheat and exchange it for flour. Salt in sacks, cheaper than in barrels. Call and see us.

Talbot street between Raglan and St. Andrew, which was last fall prepared for concrete, is in a very bad condition. When four autos got stuck in the mud last week, the authorities thought it time to close this road until it dried up, which was done. The engineer of the Provincial Highways Commission, however, was in town a few days ago, and we understand the building of this important piece of road will be commenced at the earliest possible moment. The street is certainly in a deplorable condition, and as south street is very little better, those coming to town from the west are going to have a pretty hard time of it for some weeks.

Miss Charlotte Mallory, who has been a resident of Aylmer and vicinity for the past three years, passed away Saturday last in her 79th year. She had been a victim of Bright's disease for the past sixteen months. Deceased was born and spent nearly all her life at Forest, Ont. She was a life-long member of the Baptist church and was highly respected by all who knew her. By her quiet Christian character and kind and patient life she has made many warm friends during her residence in Malahide. She is survived by three brothers: John A., of Alliance, Neb.; Samuel, of Spokane, Wash.; and Arthur, of Saskatchewan. James and Samuel Rogers of Aylmer are cousins. After a short service on Monday morning at the home of Mr. James Rogers, the remains were taken to Forest, where the funeral took place to Forest cemetery.

St. Paul's Church

AYLMER, ONTARIO

REV. A. E. M. THOMSON, PASTOR

11 a. m. and 7 p. m. the pastor will preach.

Sunday School 3 p. m.

MUSIC

MORNING

Antem by the Choir: "When the Lord shall build up Zion." Herbert.

Duet, Mrs. McCrimmon and Mr. Bridgman.

EVENING

Antem by the choir, "I'm a Pilgrim" Lorenz

Solo, Mr. H. M. Hambridge.

OUR BIBLE CLASSES

Are profitable and interesting. C. E. Kaiser, Rev. A. E. M. Thomson Teachers. COME!

Class meeting, 10 a. m.

Epworth League, Monday 8 p. m.

Prayer Meeting—Wednesday 8 p. m.

Everyone Cordially Invited.

Baptist Church

AYLMER, ONTARIO

REV. T. J. MITCHELL, Pastor

98th Anniversary Sunday, March 29th

11 a. m. subject—"The Greatest Thing in the World."

7:00 p. m. subject—"The Agnostic Answered."

MUSIC

"The Old Boy's Choir"

Messrs. G. R. Christie, J. Curtis, Dr. Sinclair, H. Rusling, G. Lemm, C. A. Filby, D. M. Chute, O. Baker, E. Clarke, E. L. Crane, O. and A. Treadwell.

A cordial welcome extended to all.

Wanted—Man to work 40 acre farm on shares. Apply to this office.

Mr. Ghent, of Toronto, has been engaged as clerk at Farthing's store.

Fresh lettuce, green onions, rhubarb, etc., at Filby's grocery.

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A few baskets suitable for clothes baskets. 2 for 25c. at E. Trim's.

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FOR SALE—100 acre farm in South Dorchester. Good house, good barns, splendid sugar bush with sugar house, good orchard, well watered, well drained. Convenient to church and school and other conveniences. Can be bought cheap and on most favorable terms with immediate possession if desired. Apply to J. C. Dance, Kingsmill, P. O.

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Clover honey in sections, 18c. Filby's.

Green ground bone at E. Trims.

Mrs. John Thody, of Hamilton, spent Sunday with friends in town.

Garden and Field Seeds at Young & Caven's

Harold Yonell, of Petrolia, spent the week-end with his parents here.

Lobsters, best quality, 25c. a tin, at Filby's.

Mrs. Geo. Roberts underwent a serious but successful operation at a London hospital last week.

Choice Jersey cow, also Grade Holstein, will sell either. H. L. McCConnell, Grovesend.

It is estimated that the Hydro Radial deputation that went to Ottawa numbered over 1,000.

We're selling more Syrup of Tar and Wild Cherry than ever. There's a reason. J. E. Richards & Co.

Miss Ruth Booker, of Alma College, St. Thomas, accompanied by her friend Miss Luella Lowrie, spent Sunday at her home here.

For Sale—3-year-old colt sired by Corn; grade Jersey heifer, new milch. B. Brian, Stratfordville, Ont.

D. B. Jenner of the Dominion Campers, Hamilton, spent Sunday with his mother.

The Aylmer Canning Co. are prepared to contract with farmers for a limited number of acres of Seed Peas. For particulars apply at the factory.

C. B. Huffman has purchased the M. C. R. cartage business from Mr. Mahlon Griffin, who has given splendid satisfaction for several years. Mr. Huffman took possession last Saturday.

We want you to visit the new 5-10-25c. store on Friday afternoon. We won't sell you anything, as it is a visiting day only, but we want you to see the wonderful things you can buy for 25c. on Saturday. Nothing over 25c.

A very large crowd of ladies visited Aylmer last Saturday, it being the opening day of the Spring showing of Millinery here. Both Youell & Wong and J. M. Farthings, had their stores and windows decorated for the occasion and attracted much attention.

EVERGREENS—We have a large block of Norway Spruce, Red Cedar, American Arbor Vitae, etc., that we must clear off the ground this spring and are offering this splendid stock at very low prices. Don't miss this chance. H. L. McCConnell & Son, Grovesend, Ont.

The persons who were compelled to rest Sunday morning between the hours of two and four o'clock on my curbing may receive their watch and ring by proving property and paying for this notice. No extra charge for the inconvenience of being kept awake. L. A. Ball.

An old time sugar social will be held in Jas. Dangerfield's sugar bush, Dunboyne, next Tuesday afternoon, under the auspices of the Dunboyne Union Club. Go to the bush by way of Mr. John Gillett's. All the sugar you can eat. Admission 15c. and 20c. Everybody invited.

A very enjoyable time was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Howe last Friday evening, when their son Greaves, entertained his Sunday School class in honor of their teacher, Mrs. L. A. Ball, who leaves shortly to make her home in Toronto. The pleasing feature of the evening was the presentation to their teacher, of a marble clock accompanied by the following address: Dear Mrs. Ball; We boys, members of your class, have felt and do feel a very keen sense of disappointment in the fact that you are so soon to leave us. We want to say that we have appreciated, more than we can express, your work with us and our best, we cannot say as much for ourselves. Many times you must have been discouraged. But please forget those times and remember that, notwithstanding our oft times apparent indifference we had a deep interest in you and your message, and a great appreciation of your efforts. You have been faithful and true, and with splendid ability taught us the way of life. We wish to thank you, also to say that our lives will be stronger, nobler and better because of your association with us. Please accept this clock as a token of our esteem and regard, and may we hope that your recollections of your work with us will be as pleasant as ours is of our association with you. (Signed by the class) Mrs. Ball made a very suitable reply, after which a dainty lunch was served and the evening spent in music and games.

Cash price paid for hides at E. Trim's

Read Bridgman's Imperial ad on page 12 this week.

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Wanted—Anything fat for the butcher, including calves, hogs, etc. Call up W. H. Chute, rural phone No. 333, P. O. box 220, Aylmer.

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W. J. Mann was in St. Thomas on business Monday.

Krinkle Cornflake, 7c. box, Saturday only, at Filby's.

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Leave your measure for your new suit at Christie's, and do it now.

Mrs. John R. Summers entertained a number of her friends very pleasantly on Thursday afternoon last.

If you are papering this spring be sure to read every word of Caughell's ad. on back page.

Thor. A. Barnecott is spending a few weeks with his daughter, Mrs. Sandy, at Peterborough.

The will of the late Sir George Ross leaves an estate amounting to \$55,000 including life insurance.

Watch next week's EXPRESS for the opening ad of C. & R. W. Thayer's new Gent's store in the Nairn block.

J. G. Heiter was in Toronto Saturday visiting Mrs. Heiter who underwent a successful operation a week ago.

Clover Seed for Sale—Ten bushels of red clover seed, No. 2, G. S., \$10 per bushel. Apply to Arthur Chambers, Aylmer.

Visit the new 5-10-25c. store, next Friday and get a sample bag of candy free. For particulars see the big ad. in this issue.

The G. R. Christie Co. have made extensive improvements to their clothing department.

Parties having Panama hats that need cleaning and bleaching, leave them at the Aylmer Steam Laundry by April 15. They are making a shipment to a first class cleaner on that date.

By a majority of 1,284 Brantford ratepayers on Monday voted in favor of the purchase of the street railway and Grand Valley Railway from Brantford to Galt, for the sum of \$233,000.

I will sell eggs from my 4th Toronto Exhibition Cockerel. His dam laid 28 eggs in 31 days. He is a large, blocky Barred Rock, weighing nearly 12 lbs. Eggs \$2 for 15. Wm L. Powell, Aylmer.

Harry Schneider, of Guelph, spent a few days this week in town the guest of his parents and two brothers Norman and Rennie before they left for Canadian West on Tuesday where they will take up homesteads.

Malahide Circuit, March 29—Services at Luton 10.30 a. m.; Mt. Salem 2.30 p. m. Grovesend 7.30 p. m. Rev. A. S. Doan will preach, subject, "Busy bees," in the form of a special song service. You are cordially invited to any of these services.

Lorne L. Miller was in Royal Oak, Mich., last week, and while there purchased the Red Cross Pharmacy, for J. M. Boughner, of Orwell. Mr. F. W. Wilkinson, an Aylmer boy, son-in-law of Mr. Boughner, will manage the business. Frank's many Aylmer friends will wish him every success.

Married—In Vancouver, B. C., on Thursday evening, March twelfth, at the First Presbyterian church, Ethelwyn B. Marlatt and William Niel Bee, both of that city. The bride is a former popular Aylmer young lady, whose many friends here, will wish her the greatest of happiness. Mrs. Bee is a grand daughter of Mr. Wm. Monteith, of this place.

A very pretty event took place on Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Crickshank, Orwell, when their only daughter, Ina Myrtle, was united in marriage to Mr. Edward Gard, of Aylmer. Promptly at high noon, led by the sweet strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, played by M's. (Rev.) Conway, of Yarmouth Centre, the bride entered the parlor, leaning on the arm of her father, where the bridal party took their positions, under an arch of evergreens and white ribbons. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Conway, of Yarmouth Centre, assisted by Rev. Mr. McGillivray, of Knox church, Aylmer, and Rev. A. M. Stuart, of Toronto. After the customary congratulations the guests, numbering 75, repaired to the dining room where they partook of a sumptuous wedding dinner prepared by the hostess. The bride's wedding gown was of canary satin, trimmed with tulle and lace, with veil and orange blossoms, while her travelling suit was of tailored Alice blue, with picture hat to match. The bride received a large number of pretty and costly presents and will be missed by a large circle of friends in Orwell. Mr. and Mrs. Gard left by auto for Detroit and Chatham and after a short trip will be at home to their friends after May 1st, at No. 10 Walnut street, Aylmer.

In another column will be found a most interesting program to be given in Knox church next Monday evening by the pupils of Miss Berda Pettit organizer of Knox church, assisted by Miss Denton, of Tillsonburg, Miss Haight, of Aylmer and other local talent. No doubt the evening will be an enjoyable one.

The funeral of the late John Locker, who died on Saturday last, after a lingering illness, took place from his late residence, Fifth Ave., on Monday at 2 p. m. Interment took place in the Luton cemetery. Deceased, who was in his 72nd year was a well known Malahide farmer, although for the past few years he had given up active work and settled just on the outskirts of the town. Besides his widow, one brother, Ambrose survives him. His brother the late Richard Locker was at one time warden of the county.

Many from this section left for Ottawa yesterday to accompany the hydro radial deputation which will wait upon the government to secure a subsidy of \$6,400 a mile to assist the building of hydro radial lines, and other important legislation that the people of Western Ontario want. Mayor Wazner was appointed delegate by the council, Messrs. J. M. Wrong and G. R. Christie by the Board of Trade. The Malahide township council went in a body, and a large number of private citizens accompanied them at their own expense, including John Saxton, H. L. McConnell, James Chute, Syd. McDermond, J. Marr and Roger McConnell, of Lakeview and Grovesend, and Geo. VanOrder, of Pt. Burwell. St. Thomas city council went as a body. Representatives from nearly every city, town and township as far west as Chatham, accompanied the delegation.

Bridgman's ad page 12.