

ADDITIONAL LOCALS

Mrs. T. F. Young and Mrs. Gerald Tighe spent Tuesday in St. Thomas.

The funeral was held on Sunday at 2 p.m. from her late residence, Talbot street west, to the Aylmer cemetery of Mrs. C. A. Filby. Mrs. Filby who was in her 53rd year was highly respected by all.

On Saturday evening a musical concert was given under the auspices of the King's Daughters in the town hall by the Hawaiian Quartette and on Sunday evening the quartette rendered some greatly appreciated selections at St Paul's church. These entertainments brought by the King's Daughters are all good and the best procurable. They are worthy of your patronage.

The remains of the late Levi Brooks, of Windsor were brought to Springfield, his old home town and buried in the Springfield cemetery on Sunday. Deceased, who was in his 81st year, was born on the 9th concession of Malahide and was engaged in farming until he moved to Windsor to make his home with his daughter, Mrs. Minnie Stanton. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Stanton and Mrs. Laidlaw, of Windsor, two sisters, Mrs. Stevens, of Michigan and Mrs. Chas. Newell, of the 9th concession of Malahide, also one brother, Daniel, of Michigan. The funeral was under the direction of the Masonic Order of which Mr. Brooks was a member.

ST. PAUL'S METHODIST CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY

Rev. Wm. K. Hager, Pastor

10 a.m.—Fellowship Meeting.

11 a.m.—Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

3 p.m.—Sunday School.

7 p.m.—Rev. W. H. Graham, B. A. President of London Conference. Methodist National Conference.

Week of Prayer, 27 to 31st October.

Monday at 8 p.m.—The Rev. Capt. J. A. H. McLean, B. A., Knox church.

Tuesday, at 8 p.m.—Rev. George T. Watts, B. D., Grace Church St. Thomas.

Wednesday at 8 p.m.—Rev. Dr. Barnby, Springfield.

Thursday at 8 p.m.—Rev. George A. King, B. A., 1st Church, St. Thomas.

Friday at 8 p.m.—Rev. Dr. Henderson, Central Church, St. Thomas.

YOU are cordially invited to all of these services.

Choir practice Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. C. A. Howey, director and organist.

Geo. Dunning, President

THE BAPTIST CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY

11 a.m.—Rev. W. A. Ashmore, B. A.

3 p.m.—Sunday School

7 p.m.—Rev. W. A. Ashmore

Everyone is cordially invited to these services.

Monday, 8 p.m.—Young People's meeting.

Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Prayer meeting

Mr. E. C. Monteith, Choir Leader

Mrs. E. H. Smith, organist

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Minister, Rev. (Captain) J. A. H. McLean, B. A.

Sunday Services

Morning at 11 o'clock, subject, "Over Forty."

Evening at 7 o'clock—Fifteen minutes musical service introducing Prof. F. C. D. Bristowe, the newly appointed organist. Subject, "The Case Against Spiritualism."

Sunday School at 3 o'clock.

Junior Christian Endeavor, Monday afternoon at 4.30. Leader, Miss O'Neill.

Wednesday at 8 o'clock, prayer and Fellowship service.

The Junior Christian Endeavor on Monday afternoon at 4.30.

Superintendent of Sunday School, Mr. Howard McGregor.

ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Mrs. Ed. McCausland is visiting her daughter in London.

Official figures show that the Referendum carried in Essex Elgin 6-1.

Mr. E. B. Kennedy, of Detroit, spent Sunday and Monday in Aylmer.

Mr. Clifton Firby has accepted a position with the local branch of the Merchants Bank and will begin his duties there on Monday, Nov. 10.

Mr. Austin Learn, while on his way to London in his car, met with a serious accident. His car was struck by another auto and badly wrecked.

A letter was received at the Express office last week from Rev. Chas. T. Homuth. It was written from Alsbek, Sask., where Mr. Homuth is now living. Both Mr. and Mrs. Homuth say that they are enjoying the best of health and are very much in love with their surroundings. They have already had a blizzard there and many of the farmers were taken unaware and their potatoes, which is one of the chief crops were in many cases totally destroyed. Mr. Homuth says he has seen potatoes weighing as much as four pounds. The letter concludes, "Wishing you and the old town continued prosperity, I still feel one of your number. Chas. T. Homuth. Continue to send my weekly letter, the 'Express'."

The death occurred on Sunday in St. Thomas, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harris, of Mrs. Annie Smith, wife of the late Oscar Smith, who predeceased her some twenty-five years ago. Deceased who was in her 72nd year had enjoyed the best of health until a week before her death when she was taken with a paralytic stroke and since then never regained consciousness. The funeral took place yesterday to the Aylmer cemetery. She leaves to mourn her loss, four sons and one daughter; Allan, Murray and Arthur of the North-west, Beecher of St. Thomas, and Mrs. Harris, of St. Thomas; also the family of the late Charles Smith, her eldest son, of Aylmer, Talbot Street, west. Mrs. Smith spent nearly all her life in Aylmer and vicinity and had a host of friends here to whom her sudden death was a great shock.

Last week a meeting of the canvassers for the New Victory Loan for Elgin County was held in St. Thomas. There are to be sixty-six canvassers in the county and it is to be a real drive. The sum aimed at for the county is \$2,100,000. Other loans in the past have been great successes and greater success than ever is looked forward to for this one. Following is a list of the canvassers for this district:—South Dorchester—M. M. Black, Capt., Springfield; J. C. Dance, Belmont; C. O. Luton, Belmont; S. Charlton, Springfield. Aylmer—Wm. Warnock, Capt., J. M. Farthings; C. S. Bridgman. Malahide—J. M. Hale, Capt., Aylmer; J. S. Skinner, Aylmer; Geo. E. Harp, Aylmer; R. B. Lindsay, Aylmer; Levi Young, Port Bruce. Bayham and Vienna—F. W. Fay, Capt., Pt. Burwell; C. L. Laing, Bayham; Arba Johnson, Stratfordville.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

A most enjoyable surprise was tendered Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cochran at their home "Spruce Villa," Niles-town, on Tuesday, October 21st, when guests to the number of sixty, gathered reminding them it was their 40th wedding anniversary. Present at the occasion were seven daughters and four sons, with their husbands, wives and children as well as other relatives and friends from Vienna, Stratfordville, Tillsonburg, Mt. Elgin, Springfield, Salford, Belmont, London and Detroit.

The Rev. C. C. Cousin, who officiated at their wedding was present and spoke feelingly upon the occasion.

Of the guests present at the wedding 40 years ago, only five are living, four of which were present at the renewed festivities.

A feature of the day was the baptism of their youngest grandchild, Alice Annie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Garlick, London.

Mr. and Mrs. Cochran were presented with two leather chairs from their children, a server and clock in memory of the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cochran left on a wedding trip to Lakeview, Michigan to visit Mrs. Cochran's sister, Mrs. Will Kincaid. They were accompanied by their aunt, Mrs. Waggoner, of Vienna.

SPENCER—BACKUS

A quiet wedding took place at the home of Mr. Burt Backus of Thornloe, New Ontario, on Thursday, Oct. 16th, when his daughter, Ethel Ruby Spencer was united in marriage to Mr. Thomas Spencer of Earlton. The bridal party entered the parlor to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march played by Miss May Gardiner of Oshawa, a friend of the bride, and took their places under an arch of evergreens and a white bell. The bride who was given away by her father looked charming in a gown of white silk crepe-de-chene with crystal, pearl and brilliant trimming and wore the customary veil and coronet of orange blossoms.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. L. Halfyard, of Thornloe.

After congratulations a dainty buffet luncheon was served by two girl friends of the bride.

The presents were both numerous and costly including several cheques.

The groom's gift to the bride was a

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handsome piano and to the pianist a bar brooch set with pearls. The happy couple left on the evening train amid showers of rice and confetti and best wishes of their many friends, to spend a honeymoon in Old Ontario. The bride's travelling dress was brown novelty satin cloth, plush coat and black hat. On their return they will reside on the groom's farm at Earlton.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Crawford visited in London last week.

Mrs. Grover I. Willis has returned home after a visit in Toronto

Mrs. Farr, of Toronto, is the guest of Mrs. J. L. Thayer, John street south.

Mrs. Robert Fletcher, of Toronto, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. C. Hagan, Malahide, this week.

Bert Chambers and Harry Gunstone are out again after their illness.

Miss Ethel McDonald spent a few days in London and St. Thomas last week.

Edwin Harris who has been seriously ill following the effects of an operation for appendicitis is slowly recovering.

T. Merritt Moore and Chas. E. Clark, of Springfield, will leave on Monday for a hunting trip in North-ern Ontario.

PAPER NAPKINS TO SPARE LINEN

Most housewives are buying table linen sparingly and are planning to take very good care indeed of what they already have on hand. This is really the part of good judgment, for it will be a long time before the linen market will be normal again. Even cotton fabrics must be treated with respect.

When many fresh fruits are being used and table linen is likely to be stained, it is a good plan to get the heavy-grade, large-size paper napkins, to use old linen napkins, or less expensive ones of Union cotton and linen or all cotton. By this means the staple supply on hand may be conserved, and if the paper ones are used laundry saved as well. When laundry is saved, soap and coal are conserved likewise.

Make a dressing by adding to half be removed before such articles are laundered. Hot water for tea and coffee will answer nicely in most cases. As soon as the stain disappears, rinse out thoroughly.

The runners and individual doilies of cretonne and Japanese towelling are attractive and likewise save table linen, and lace-paper doilies answer the same purpose.

Star Theatre TWO SHOWS EACH NIGHT Aylmer

<p>Friday & Saturday Oct. 31—Nov. 1</p> <p>BESSIE BARRISCALE in A TORCH OF FATE Episode 7 of the LIGHTNING RAIDER Comedy</p> <p>Matinee Saturday, 3 o'clock</p>	<p>Monday & Tuesday November 3rd, 4th</p> <p>ALICE JOYCE in EVERYBODY'S GIRL</p> <p>Episode of THE IRON TEST</p> <p>Pathe News</p>	<p>Wednesday & Thursday November 5th, 6th</p> <p>Extra Special DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS in MR. FIX IT Big V Comedy</p>
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