

ADDITIONAL LOCALS

Miss Mary Gracey returned last week to her position at Mortlach, Sask., after spending the winter with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Carter, a daughter.

Miss Eliza Fothergill has returned to Detroit, after spending a week at her home here.

Sapper Grant Vanslyke, who has been at his father's bedside, has returned to Toronto.

Miss Iris Pineo has accepted a position as assistant in the office of the H. M. Hambidge Co.

We are pleased to hear that Miss Laura Chiverton, of Talbot street, east is recovering and able to be up after an attack of the "flu."

her mother in Springfield, and sister, Mrs. John VanPatter, Luton. Before leaving a number of friends met at her mother's home and a most enjoyable evening was spent.

Mrs. S. W. Sparkman and son, Earl, have returned to their home in Niagara Falls after spending a couple of weeks here and attending the funeral of her sister, Mrs. J. C. Smith, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ralph are moving back to Aylmer from Detroit, where they have made their home for the past few years. They have purchased a farm just out of town.

Auction sale of dairy cows, horses and vehicles and household furniture, Saturday, April 12th, commencing at 1 o'clock, South street, east of Baptist church. Full particulars next week. Lindsay & Pound.

The W.C.T.U. will meet at the home of Mrs. R. W. Kenny, Talbot St., east on Tuesday, April 8th at 3 o'clock p.m. All members are requested to be present, and a cordial invitation is extended to all ladies of the town.

Mrs. Grover I. Willis has returned from a two weeks visit at her home in Toronto where the family reunited to receive their brother, Sig. P. A. Beattie who returned with the C.M.R. Although only nineteen years old, Sig. Beattie has been in active service for over two years, winning honorable recognition at Passchendaele. He has returned unhurt and was given a royal reception by his family and friends. Sig. Beattie was on the official examining staff coming over and deploring the conditions of the service given the private in comparison to that of the officers.

Alfred Walters, a returned soldier, with his bride, spent a few days recently with Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Ingram. Pte. Walters was wounded while in service in France.

Chas. Willison, who had his eye severely injured some weeks ago, has returned home from a London hospital, where he has been receiving treatment. The doctors now hope to save the eye and did not remove it as was expected.

An old colored man was burning dead grass when a "wise guy" stopped and said, "You're foolish to do that, Uncle Eb; it will make the meadow as black as you are." "Don't worry 'bout dat, sah," responded Uncle Eb. "Dat grass will grow and be as green as you is."

Mr. L. E. Benner left on Monday for Markham, Ont., where he has accepted a position with T. H. Hassard, as manager of his large importing horse stables there, during Dr. Hassard's absence in the West on business. Mr. Benner will return home in May to look after his farming interests here for the summer, and in the fall accepts a permanent position with Dr. Hassard. For seven years Mr. Benner represented this importer of horses, one of the largest in Canada, and knows the business thoroughly. Lou is also a member of the Aylmer Minstrel orchestra, and he is not forgetting the boys, for he will return to take his part in the performance on the 8th and 9th of April.

The work of stopping the erosion of the banks of the Stalter Gully, is not meeting with the success expected. On Wednesday noon of last week, the dam, which has been under construction for some months, went out, and we understand the contractor is very much discouraged with his efforts. The question of building a bridge over this now notorious gully, which is demanded by the residents of that district, and has been passed by the township and county councils, and left for the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board to decide, has been the cause of much controversy. The Railway Board ordered that some means be first taken to stop the constant erosion of the treacherous banks at this point, and it was hoped that the construction of a dam would do the trick. The dam, however, does not seem to hold, and has washed out now for the third time. Evidently some other method will have to be employed in construction.

We quote the following from the Vernon, B.C. News, concerning Mr. G. E. Whiten, father of Mrs. H. E. Armstrong, of this place, who is a veteran curler: "One of the most interesting side games played during the season at the curling rink was pulled off on Monday night when two rinks, skipped respectively by G. E. Whiten and W. Forester upheld the prowess of the local Methodist and Presbyterian "Knights of Besom." Victory on this occasion fell to the Methodist rink by a score of 13 to 8. Mr. Whiten had with him Messrs. Jacques, McBride and Howe, while Mr. Forester's players included Messrs Muir, Pell and Ferguson. As the seventieth birthday of Mr. Whiten came on the 5th inst., this triumph of the veteran skip comes as a fitting celebration of the anniversary and his host of Vernon friends sincerely hope that he may be able to whirl the rocks with undiminished vigor for many years to come."

\$10 REWARD

A reward of Ten Dollars will be given to any person, who will give information as to who caused the damage to the Aylmer Fair Grounds buildings. One dollar will be paid for information as to trespass upon these grounds after that date. Parents will need to beware and govern their children accordingly. Wm. H. Ashton, Pres. Aylmer, Ont., April 1st, 1919.

(P.F. 5228)

IN THE MATTER OF

the application of the Malahide and Bayham Telephone Company, Ltd., for authority to increase its charges for telephone service from \$5.00 to \$7.00 per annum.

Appointment for Hearing—The Ontario Railway and Municipal Board hereby appoint Thursday, the Tenth Day of April A.D., 1919, at the hour of Two o'clock in the afternoon, at the Town Hall in the Town of Aylmer, for the hearing herein.

Dated at Toronto this Twenty-sixth day of March, A. D. 1919. (Seal) H. C. SMALL, Sec.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned as manufacturers of brick and tile and operators of a saw mill at the Township of South Dorchester under the firm name of "McCredie & Reid" has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to Wilson McCredie, Esquire, Belmont, Ontario, R. R. 3 and all claims against the said partnership are to be presented to the said Wilson McCredie, by whom the same will be settled. Dated at Aylmer this 31st day of March, A.D. 1919.

Signed, W. McCredie Jas. E. Reid Witness, W. Harold Barnum. April 3, 10, 17, 24, 1919.

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Easter this year more glorious than ever

And women will honor the day in chic new clothes of Springtime. Some buying Suits, while others decided on Dresses. Either will serve for hosts of others occasions than Easter Suits, Coats, Dresses The Suits for instance, such quality, all wool Serge at \$25.00. Then the style of them, a Coat or a Dolman, their lines are very graceful. Why one could spend hours just looking at them. You'll adore them.

Modish and Smart our New Clothes

For men. Made from the best makers in Canada. We have made selections of Men's Clothes for this spring and summer. The styles are dressy and in the models are embodied many of the effects so strikingly predominant in the modish Suits of the younger men.

Boy's Knicker Suits

Novel effects in new Spring Styles. Yes boys the new "Nicks" are just fine, "Swell" you'll say when you see them. You won't be satisfied until one of those Suits is bought for to school, of dress, in fact anywhere. Come in boys and have like big brother has in his suit and you can wear these knickers quality of the fabrics of which they're fashioned—and one wants a look at them.

Easter Blouses

Beautiful as blossoms—white blossoms and varied colored blossoms—and rare exotics—the like of which one sees only once in a lifetime and somehow they seem just made to peep from out the half-open coats of fashion or to wear with the pretty sports skirts and skirts of regulation blouse—costumes. Particularly will you think of this when you see the delightful blouses at \$4.00. Looking them over one is conscious of the quality of the fabrics of which they're fashioned—and one wants a half-a-dozen of each. Come and see them for yourself.

Strangers Visit Us

We welcome the stranger in our midst. They are indeed as welcome as the flowers that bloom in the spring and how the posies bloom in the peaceful springtime. It is hoped strangers will become acquainted with us while they are here. We have two stores of high grade merchandise for Men Women, Misses and Boys. Our hand of welcome is extended to you.

Low Priced Footwear

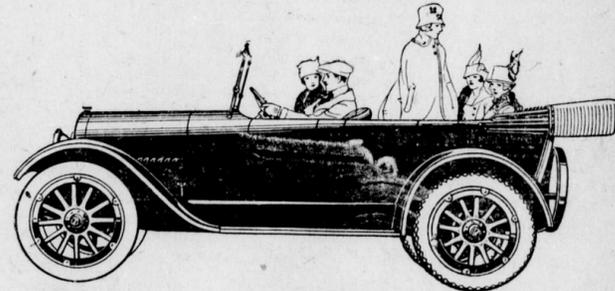
Many women will not ignore our low prices on our Footwear, they are stepping briskly out. It's not easy to outshine former events in the shoe section. It's hard enough to live up to them for this department has long been noted for its good values, ever since we went into the shoe business we have made our reputation by giving shoes that give 100 cents worth of wear for every \$ invested. We have the shoes that wear well look well and are comfortable to wear.

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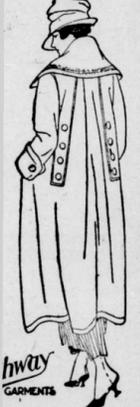
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