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H. CUMBERLAND WILSON, Organist and Choirman, will visit Aylmer every week this season, commencing Thursday, September 6th. Voice culture and piano. At E. L. Brown's music store.

FRATERNAL.

AYLMER LODGE No. 94, I. O. O. F. meets every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock sharp in their hall, upstairs in the Waiko Block. Visiting members of the order always come.
Geo. LEMON, Rec. Sec. R. MIDDLETON, N. G.

Hockey sticks at Caughells.

We are glad to see Master Verne Fish-leigh out on the street again this week, after the serious time he has had.

\$10 will buy the fountain feed coal oil lighting plant, recently used by Young & Caven for lighting their store here. Enquire of The Electric Light Co.

Bro. E. A. Miller, P. D. D. for Elgin and Oxford, installed the following officers of Prince Albert Lodge S. O. E. on Thursday night last. W. P. P., Jno. M. Hale; W. P., Jas. Anger; W. V. P., N. Newell; W. E., Jas. Cann; Rec. Sec., C. E. Kaiser; Fin. Sec., G. A. Harris; Committee: P. Paupst, G. Hallowell, F. Gould, E. Richards, I. G., Wm. Peckham; O. G., M. Mathews.

District Deputy Crick, of Star lodge, Crampton, with a team of assistants, installed the officers of Aylmer lodge, No. 94, I. O. O. F., on Tuesday evening last, and did it in a manner that was most creditable to all. In fact, the installation ceremony has, perhaps, never been gone through with here so perfectly. At the close of the business lunch was served, and a very pleasant hour or two spent in speeches, songs, etc. The following officers were installed:—P. G., R. Middleton; N. G., C. Emmett; V. G., C. Laur; Rec. Sec., Geo. Lemon; Fin. Sec., A. A. Leslie; Treas., Dr. Clark; R. S. N. G., J. McNally; L. S. N. G., John Allen; R. S. V. G., S. Mann; L. S. V. G., W. Wagner; Warden, J. Clines; I. G., H. Freeman; O. G., R. Anger; Concl., N. Wright; R. S. S., F. French; L. S. S., C. Phelps; Chap., N. Newell.

A nice tin of plum pudding for 10 cents. China T. House.

Our own baking powder, always fresh and pure. J. E. Richards.

Dr. and Mrs. Sowler returned to their home in Chicago last week.

Writing paper and envelopes best at Caughells.

Messrs. Austin and Clarence Learn have returned to Chicago accompanied by their brother, Mr. H. Learn.

Leave your skates at the EXPRESS office, if you want them sharpened well. Robt. Rose.

Mr. E. A. Hemstreet, of Corinth, is rejoicing over the advent of a fine baby boy who arrived on Friday last, the 4th inst.

No substitution. Every sale made on honor. Every customer satisfied. E. L. Brown.

Mrs. Eisele and son, of Stratford spent Sunday last in town, the guest of Miss Van-Buskirk.

Our endeavor.—To handle all modern and tested medicines and drugs. J. E. Richards.

The many students from different colleges in Canada and the U. S., who spent Xmas at their homes here, have all returned to their work again.

\$25,000 private funds to loan on real estate mortgages 4 1/2 per cent, 4 1/2 per cent, and 5 per cent. Charges very reasonable. A. A. Leslie.

There is some talk of a match skating race being arranged between Robt. Rose, of this place, and E. Batisle, of St. Thomas, at an early date.

To-RENT—House on Water Street, one hundred dollars per year. Key next door. Apply Mrs. Thos. Dredge, 20 Washington Avenue, Toronto, Ont.

Mr. Bert C. Wales is learning telegraphing and is located at present at New Sarum. Bert will no doubt make a success of his work and his many friends here will be glad to see him succeed.

Mr. A. Mann, of London, died suddenly on Wednesday last week, of pneumonia, in his 75th year. He was a brother to Mr. T. T. Mann, of this place. Mrs. (Dr.) Mann and Mr. T. T. Mann attended the funeral on Friday.

At Springfield on Tuesday night, of last week, a number of young people surprised Miss Georgia Dexter previous to her departure for Toronto Conservatory of Music and spent a very pleasant evening, starting for their homes in the wee hours of morning.

Mr. Geo. Caughell on several occasions recently, has missed bread tickets and small sums of money, from five to twenty-five cents, which were taken from pitchers and baskets left on his front stoop for bread and milk man. On Saturday last he caught a young boy who had been in the habit of coming around every day for skimmed milk and was never turned away empty. It seems useless to try to be kind and helpful to some people.

The special services that are being conducted in the Methodist church by the Rev. A. H. Ranton, assisted by the pastor, are increasing in interest and attendance each night. Mr. Ranton is away above the average as a pulpit orator, and is always interesting and instructive, the consequence being that when you hear him once, you are always anxious to hear him again.

We wish to call special attention to an important change in our clubbing list this week, whereby we can give the EXPRESS and Toronto Daily Star hereafter for \$2.20 or by the addition of \$1 extra we will send a beautiful edition of Picturesque Canada, such as formerly sold for \$2.16. This is a snap. We also wish to say that after Feb. 1st five cents extra will be added to each outside paper sent for, to cover postage and money order, as each order will have to be sent separately after that.

On Thursday last the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clutton, of Malahide, was the scene of a very pretty home wedding, when their daughter, Miss Myrtle, was united in marriage to Mr. H. Draper, in the presence of a few near relatives and friends. Both bride and groom are highly esteemed by a large circle of friends, who will wish them a long and happy journey together through life. After a week or so in Toronto and other places they will return and settle down here.

We have received the following for publication from a friend of the family mentioned.—We gratefully acknowledge our appreciation through the press of the faithful and devoted services of the Luton friends to their late pastor and family. Special mention needs to be made of three or four families who made every possible sacrifice to render needed assistance. Such service cannot be rewarded by any words that may be spoken here. We also thank the friends of Grovesend for their kindness and assistance.

Frank G. Carpenter's 20,000-mile tour, begun last year, furnished him so much interesting matter that his letters on the Far East and British colonies in the Southern Pacific will continue in The Illustrated Express during the present year.

After leaving the Philippines, Mr. Carpenter went to Australis, Tasmania and New Zealand, where he made a careful study of the progress and problems of that important English part of the world. He also visited the Straits Settlements, Sumatra, Indo-China, Java and—on the way home—Samoa and Hawaii.

Mr. Carpenter has travelled upward of 100,000 miles, but has never before made a tour which has offered his readers so much up-to-date information and pleasure as this one. The weekly letters are beautifully illustrated in The Express.

Good house to rent. Apply to M. Leeson.

Miss Hornabe, of Toronto, is visiting her sister, Mrs. James Horne, Jr.

You can buy a piano from us by paying \$6 or more per month. E. L. Brown.

Mrs. E. Stack, of London, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Boughner, returned home on Tuesday last.

The White drug store ad on back page of this issue is written for farmers. Do not fail to read it.

On New Year's Eve Miss Regina Reavie gave a watch-out party to about twenty of her young friends. All seemed to enjoy it immensely.

Pianos at all prices from \$250 up. You can't beat our prices, we don't want the. See us, we can save you money. E. L. Brown.

Messrs. Gardner & Hillburn are shipping two carloads of flour to the eastern markets this week. They are making the city mill hum these days.

Our lace, silk and tapestry curtains, are best and cheapest. A. J. Anderson.

Mr. H. Bodman, of Dutton, called on his Aylmer friends on Monday last.

Use Richard's Cascara Tablets for constipation, headache and biliousness: 24 doses 25c.

The Rev. C. Caracallen has been calling on his Aylmer friends during the past few days.

Why not buy the very best? Syrup of Tar and Wild Cherry, for that cough. J. E. Richards.

Mrs. Jas. McGrath, of Winnipeg is spending a few days with friends and relatives in Aylmer.

Wanted.—Quantity of 20 inch stove wood Apply to J. R. Woods over the Traders Bank Aylmer.

Mrs. M. Hicks and Mrs. M. Boughner, of St. Thomas, are spending a couple of weeks with Mrs. G. H. Caughell.

Girl wanted.—To do general house work, steady position and good wages. Apply to C. Churchill Grovesend.

Mr. A. A. Morse druggist, of Lansing, is home visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morse.

Private funds to loan, lowest rates of interest. A. E. HAINES, Brown House Block, Aylmer.

Mr. Wm. Morse, who has been confined to his bed for the past nine weeks, is still growing weaker, his condition is very low, which gives his family much uneasiness.

We will accept your old piano or organ in exchange on a new one and allow you an honest valuation for it. Come in. E. L. Brown.

The members of the Canadian Order of Foresters will hold a smoking concert on their next regular meeting night, Wednesday, the 16th inst. All members are urged to be present.

All kinds piano and organ repairing and tuning. Send us word and we will call and tell what it would cost to repair or what you should get in exchange for a new instrument. E. L. Brown.

Meetings of the Farmers Institute which takes place in the town hall here today and tomorrow are open to all citizens of Aylmer as well as surrounding country, and a cordial invitation is extended to all. They will no doubt be very interesting and instructive.

Messrs. Prouse and Ferguson, agents for Maxwell Bros', and Coulthard Scott & Co., have got nicely settled in their new warehouses in the Charlton block, which are among the most convenient and commodious in town. They also carry a nice line of cutless and buggies, and will be pleased to have a call from all their friends.

The finest car load of horses ever shipped from here in some time was shipped on Saturday last to the American markets. They were bought of Mr. Alva St. Clair, for Mr. Skeid, of Ottawa and the price paid ranged from \$125 to \$200. Mr. St. Clair has engaged to Mr. Skeid for a year to purchase his class of horses. They were inspected by Mr. Mason and every one accepted.

Last Thursday evening Mr. Martin Kidd entertained over three hundred of the patrons of the Malahide cheese factory, in which he has been engaged for the past eighteen years, and treated them to a grand oyster supper. While tea was being prepared games were played and music was furnished by the graphophone. Three large tables were spread in the cheese factory, and about 8 o'clock the guests began to do ample justice to the sumptuous repast.

After tea, all retired to the dry room, where seats had been arranged, and a lengthy and spicy programme began. The chair was occupied by Mr. H. T. Godwin, ex-M. P. P. Addresses were delivered by Rev. Mason, Mr. S. Staley, Mr. McLaughlin, Traders' Bank, Aylmer; Isaac B. Haney, Aaron Dalby, Chas. Hodgkins, Aylmer; Wm. Chamberlain, Bayham; O. Baker, Dr. Riddell, Bayham; F. Leeson, Chas. Timpany; O. Westover, E. Coloon, Stephen Pound and Robert Abell. All expressed their pleasure at attending such a gathering, and great sympathy with the work and its advancement. When Mr. Kidd first began work here about thirty-five tons of cheese was manufactured in a season; at the present time over two hundred tons are being manufactured. Great improvements have been made in the factory buildings and a butter plant has been added. All regretted the removal of Mr. and Mrs. Kidd from our midst, but are pleased to have such a worthy successor as Mr. C. Travis. Music was furnished by Miss Haney and Mr. Porter, Miss Dora and Master Greenville Charlton, Somers' Corners S. S., Misses Firby and Bradley and others. The graphophone, under the management of Mrs. S. Pound, talked, laughed and sang. After singing "He's a Jolly Good Fellow," a vote of thanks, moved by Mr. F. Leeson, seconded by Mr. O. Baker, was tendered to the host and hostess, to which Mr. Kidd made a suitable reply. In the wee morning hours the gathering dispersed, all having thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

A good rifle to exchange for a shot gun. Apply to R. Anger.

Mr. Spencer, of Pt. Rowan, is the guest of Mr. W. E. Smith of Grovesend this week.

Our watchword.—Purity and reliability in compounding prescriptions. J. E. Richards.

Mrs. C. T. Scott is enjoying a visit this week from her sister, Mrs. Richardson of Detroit.

Lovers of horse flesh are earnestly requested to read the White drug store ad on the back page of this issue of the EXPRESS.

Mrs. (Dr.) Ashbaugh, of Windsor, is spending a week or so in town, with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Kingston.

Wanted.—Old cotton rags for washing presses, for which we will pay a cent a pound cash, until supplied.

Miss Nellie Hallowell has returned to Toronto, after spending the holidays with her mother here.

W. V. Emery noted buckwheat flour, best in the world. For sale by R. G. Moore.

Messrs. M. Wood, of Yale, Mich., and John Wilcox of St. Thomas, spent Monday last with Mr. Geo. Wilson.

Olive oil and Cucumber soap, best "every day" toilet soap made. 3 cakes 10c at Caughells.

The mission band of the Methodist church gave a very pleasant little programme at their meeting this week.

Curtain poles, window shades, lace, chenille and tapestry curtains, large line and price low at Anderson's.

For Sale.—One Borland buggy, nearly new; one jogging cart, with rungers; one bike; one speeding sleigh; one pair pairing hobbles. Samuel Anger, Mero House.

Mrs. D. Westover, of Copenhagen, and Mr. Jas. Mos left on Tuesday last for Brantford, to be with their sister Mrs. Hillyard, who is undergoing an operation for a cancer of the jaw and tongue.

Begin the New Year by sending in items of news you may know of. If you have visitors, or are going to be away, it will, be of interest to your friends, just as much as their doings will be of interest to you.

On New Year's evening about fifty friends and relatives assembled at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Summers Dingle St., to pay their respects to Mrs. Jas. McGrath, who is visiting here from Winnipeg, Manitoba.

Robert Anger, D.D.G.P., I.O.O.F., assisted by Aylmer brethren, installed the officers of Elgin Encampment No. 20, at St. Thomas on Monday evening. The boys speak in highest terms of the entertainment extended, as St. Thomas Oddfellows know so well how to entertain.

Miss Riddon will resume her class on the violin here on Saturday next. She should have a class of 25 this winter, and will have them, if our citizens fully appreciate the advantages of having such an accomplished teacher of this beautiful instrument in our town.

For your reputation's sake, your pocket's sake and your own personal benefit you cannot afford to pass lightly by the fact that only that piano which has proved itself best adapted to fulfill in every respect the requirements of the great number of our colleges, convents, conservatories, etc., is surely most suitable for your own home use. Read E. L. Brown's ad, last page.

The case of Glover vs. Southern Loan Co., of St. Thomas, which has been in court for several years and has been carried from one court to another, from time to time, until the law costs amount to about \$1500, several times as much as the original amount of the suit, has just been settled at Osgoode Hall, Toronto, in favor of Mr. Glover. The case has been very ably handled by Mr. John Crawford, of this place, and Mr. Aylesworth, of Toronto, for Mr. Glover, who is certainly to be congratulated on winning so long, hard and expensive a suit. The legal report of the case reads as follows:—Glover vs. Southern Loan & Savings Co.—Judgment on appeal by defendants from order of a Division Court reversing judgement of Meredith, J., dismissing the action. One George Ballah was the owner of a farm subject to mortgages to the defendants, and subject to a lien for the price of a machine purchased from the Sawyer-Massey Co. by one Taylor, who bought it and given as surety for Ballah certain endorsed promissory notes as collateral. The plaintiffs are execution creditors of Ballah. The defendants exercised the power of sale in their mortgage but after paying their claim and discharging the lien by paying the Sawyer-Massey Co. did not hold the notes for the plaintiff, the next incumbrancers on the land. The division court held that the defendants were bound on paying the Sawyer-Massey Co. their lien to get in the notes that were for the same debt, and deliver them to plaintiffs and that the notes had not been paid by the payment of the lien. Appeal dismissed with costs. Osler, J. A., and MacClennan, J. A., dissenting. Armour, Q. C., and Fasley, Q. C., for defendants. Aylesworth, Q. C., and Crawford, (Aylmer,) for plaintiffs.

Tamworth sow for sale. Apply to L. E. Hutchison.

The skating on the pond is first-class again after the storm.

A nice hand-leigh for the boys and girls given with a 1 lb. tin baking powder, for 50c at the China T. House.

Mr. W. R. Will, of New Denver B. C. arrived in town yesterday, and is visiting his sister, Mrs. W. J. Nesbitt for a short time.

Miss Della Wilkinson has secured a position as teacher for school section No. 1, Bayham, and commenced her duties there on Monday last.

Last—An overcoat, in the pockets of which were a pair of mitts and a bank book. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at Mero House.

Mr. Percy Stacey, of St. Thomas, has been spending a few days in Aylmer this week. He does not look any the worse for his recent experience in South Africa.

Mr. A. C. Graham was taken suddenly ill in the lodge room on Monday night, after installing the officers of the A. O. U. W., and fatal results were feared for some time. The trouble was with his heart, but we are glad to say he is much better again.

Louis Beebe, who returned from the Northwest some months ago in poor health, died at his home on South St. on Wednesday, 9th inst., in the prime of life, being in his 23rd year. He was very popular with a large circle of friends, who will mourn his loss deeply, and sympathize with his bereaved mother. The funeral will take place from the house at 2 p. m. on Friday.

The Canadian contingent from South Africa arrived at Halifax on Tuesday night last, and telegrams from W. A. Harv, Major Hurdman and L. H. Colborn contain the news that Mr. W. R. Hare is in the hospital in England, but getting better, and that W. A. will arrive in Aylmer next Tuesday. A reception will be given him on his arrival, but the absence of his father will cause a change in the programme, and the big blow out, entertainment and presentation will be postponed until the arrival of W. R., and both are together.

On New Year's afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Allen, of Crosswell, occurred a quiet but pretty wedding, at which their daughter, Bertha M., was united in marriage to Mr. Leonard Robb, of this place. The bride was attended in a lawn colored travelling suit and was assisted by Misses Francis J. Baker, of Detroit, while Mr. H. P. Allen, brother of the bride, acted as best man. The Rev. A. J. Holmes officiated with a brief, but impressive ceremony. After the congratulations these present partook of a sumptuous dinner after which Mr. and Mrs. Robb took the evening train to spend a week among friends in Aylmer, Ont., and vicinity. The young couple are held in high esteem by a large circle of friends who heartily wish them a long and prosperous voyage through life. — Pt. Huron Herald.

Various rumors have been in circulation in this section for some time to the effect that Mabel Etherington, who died at the home of Mr. H. Pullen in October last, did not die from natural causes, and the attention of the County Crown Attorney having been called to them, he communicated with the Attorney General, with the result that Government Detective Greer was sent up here to make an investigation. He was assisted in every way possible by Mr. Pullen, and after interviewing every witness who knew anything in connection with the death, and after consulting the attending physician, Dr. Smith, of this place, also with Coroner Sinclair, Crown Attorney Donahue came to the conclusion that the young woman unquestionably came to her death from natural causes and that an inquest is unnecessary. The opinion of the above named medical men, viz: that the deceased died from hemorrhage of the bowels, was also agreed in by Dr. Johnson, of Toronto, to whom the facts and circumstances surrounding the young woman's death were submitted. It is but fair to say that no imputation whatever can be cast upon anyone in connection with this young woman's death, as the evidence is unquestionable that she died from natural causes. We are glad this matter has been finally settled in a manner that will not be questioned by anyone, and so there will be no more doubt.

Sale Register.

Tuesday, January 15th.—Farm stock and implements, the property of Lewis B. Brown, lot 18, con. 12, tp. Dereham, 1 mile north and 1 mile east of Corinth, or 2 miles south and 1 mile east of Brownsville, at 1 p. m., the following:—10 dairy cows, served; 2 two year old steers, 4 yearling heifers, 1 yearling bull, 4 spring calves, 2 work horses, 1 brood mare, 1 driving horse, 3 fat hogs, 30 hens, 1 mow, 1 pair farm trucks, 1 drill, 1 corn cultivator, 1 set of harrows, 1 hay rack, 2 buggies, harness, 1 plow, 2 milk cans, 1 cook stove, 1 parlor stove, 20 cheese boxes, 1 bedstead, 300 bush, corn in ear, 10 bus. potatoes, quantity timothy hay, oats and barley. Everything will be sold without reserve as the proprietor is giving up the farm. Lindsey & Moore, auctioneers.

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