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Soul Health cannot be had by taking religion as a dose—Anon.
ST. PAUL'S CHURCH
Aylmer, Ontario
A. E. M. THOMSON, Pastor

SUNDAY, APRIL 2nd, 1916
11 a.m.—The Pastor.
7 p.m.—The Pastor.

MUSIC
Anthem—"O worship the Lord," Blose.
Violin Solo—Mr. Seed.
Anthem—"Seek ye the Lord," Roberts.
Solo and Chorus—"Drifting Away."
Rehearsal, 7:30 Friday evening. Full attendance requested.

3 p.m., SUNDAY SCHOOL
Men's League
Speaker—Rev. A. E. M. Thomson.
All men invited

Epworth League Monday 8 p.m.

THE BAPTIST CHURCH
AYLMER, ONTARIO
THOS. J. MITCHELL, PASTOR

SUNDAY, APRIL 2nd, 1916
11 a.m.—The Pastor.
7 p.m.—The Pastor.

MUSIC
Anthems by the Choir Morning and evening.
Duet—Mrs. Monteith and Mr. Hambridge—at the Evening Service.

Organist—Mrs. E. H. Smith.
Choir Leader—Mr. E. C. Monteith

Young Business Men's Class
Special meeting Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.
ALL ARE INVITED

ST. JOHN'S
CATHOLIC CHURCH
MASS

APRIL, MAY AND JUNE
All are invited.

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We have an ample supply of both private and Loan Company money to loan on Mortgages on real estate. Some money at five per cent. Reasonable terms, and repayments allowed.—**Miller & Backus, Solicitors, Aylmer.**

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A. E. Haines, Barrister, Solicitor, Notary Public, Conveyancer, etc. Money to loan. Office Brown House Block, opposite Town Hall, Aylmer, Ont.

LADIES' INSTITUTE
The Aylmer Branch of the East Elgin Ladies' Institute will meet in the Town Hall, Aylmer, the first Wednesday in each month. **MRS. M. GRIFFIN, MRS. G. MCCONNELL** Secretary.

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Mac M. Black, Springfield, Ont., Real Estate, Money to loan on Mortgages, fire life and accident insurance in best companies. \$50,000.00 private funds wanted to loan on "hill edge" farm property. Address Mac M. Black, Box 598, Springfield, P.O.
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FOR SALE, TO RENT, LOST FOUND, WANT ADVS., ETC.
Use This Column. It Will Pay.

Wanted—Cabbage and White Beans at Filby's Grocery.

Farm for Sale—63 acres, being lot 7, concession 5, Malahide. Apply to Randall Cline, Kingsmill, Ont. **Found**—A Post Office and desk key. Owner may have same at this office by paying for this notice.

For Sale—Quantity of O. A. C. Seed Barley, No. 21. Elgin Chute, R. R. No. 1, Pt. Burwell, or Rural phone.

Notice—All accounts due George Laing & Son, Mt. Salem, must be settled at once.

Incubator for Sale—100 egg Incubator. Apply to Mrs. Johnson, Warren Street.

For Sale—Quantity O. A. C. No. 21 Seed Barley.—Apply to Robert J. Ferguson, R. R. No. 2, Springfield, or Rural Phone.

For Sale—Three modern houses, two minutes walk from Post Office. An investment. Apply to C. O. Learn, Aylmer.

For Sale—A good Phonograph in good condition, also 50 Records. Apply to Albert Gard, Condensery, or Box 607, Aylmer, Ont.

Notice—Will all parties having Sale Accounts due and not settled for, with Thomas Doan, kindly leave money at June Bradley's office, Aylmer, Ont.

Wanted—General maid with knowledge of cooking, \$5 per week. Mrs. S. K. Stewart, Aylmer, Ont. Bell phone 90b. P. O. Box 31.

For Sale or Exchange—Imported Clyde Stallion, weigh 1900; or will exchange for property in Aylmer. Apply at this office for particulars. 30

For Sale—A frame house and a nice lot on Fourth ave. Aylmer. Will be sold reasonably, \$600.00 if taken at once. Apply at this office. 31

For Sale—Chester White Brood year-old high-grade Holstein Heifer, due to freshen in April—Apply Amos McShane, R. R. No. 1, Dunboone. 13

For Sale—Quantity of Alyske and Timothy seed, also mixed Timothy and Alyske seed. Apply to Albert Trim or Fred Trim, Aylmer. 6

For Sale Cheap—Frame House and Barn on good lot, at 30 St. Andrew st. Water and gas in house. Apply at this office. 6

For Sale—A brick house with slate roof and furnace; new coal house and store room; also lot on which they are situated. Apply to H. Johnson, Water street, Aylmer, Ont. 20

Seed for Sale—I have a quantity of No. 1 Government test Clover, Alsike, and Timothy Seed for sale. Farmers should call and inspect this seed and get my prices before buying. T. G. Winder, General Merchant, Lyons.

For Rent—An up-to-date residence on St. George St., with all modern conveniences, hard and soft water, also city water; first-class garden and fruit. Apply next door to Thos. Hammond.

Baby Chicks and Hatching Eggs—from our bred-to-lay strain of S. C. White Leghorns. Last year we had orders for 50 per cent. more than we could supply. Place your order at once to ensure early delivery. H. G. Hicks, South st., Aylmer. Rural Phone 2203.

Money to Loan—on Chattel Mortgage.—A. H. Backus.

Rev. R. J. Bowen, of London, preached two excellent sermons here on Sunday in the interests of the Bible Society. He occupied the pulpit in the Methodist church in the morning, and Trinity church in the evening, and afterwards addressed a mass meeting in Knox church.

Made in Canada—A cure for Rheumatism or La Grippe. Dr. Monks' Kidney and Liver Pills. The best medicine on earth, made entirely from Roots and Herbs from a recipe obtained by Dr. Monks of the Hudson Bay Company from the Indians of Northern Ontario. Dr. Monks spent thirty years in perfecting this cure and never knew it to fail. Full directions on wrapper. Price 50 cents per bottle, or 6 bottles for \$2.50. Dr. Monks' Medicine Co., Address, Ryan & Timpany, Agents, Cobalt, Ont., Box 256.
Dr. Miller, Dentist.

Eat Willoughby's Bread.
Over 400 Patterns of Wall Papers at Caughell's to choose from.

Mr. R. Jones, of Toronto, has accepted a position with Wm. Stevenson, as coatmaker.

Dr. Augustine has been confined to the house from illness for the past few days.

The Travel Club will meet next Tuesday, April 4th, at the home of Mrs. Robert Jenkins.

Small Smoked Hams, by the ham this week, only 24c lb.—H. L. Charlton.

Mr. H. N. Glover, of Toronto, has been spending a few days with his father, Mr. John H. Glover.

Mr. E. W. R. Hill has received a letter from his son, Hugh, who is now in England with the 43rd. We hope to be permitted to publish the letter next week.

Dr. Smith—Specialist, eye, ear, nose and throat, St. Thomas, 430 Talbot st., opposite the post office. Phone 1384; Hours 10 to 4 and by appointment.

Mesdames Warnock and Lapham, and Rev. A. E. M. Thomson, left on Tuesday to attend a convention of the Dominion Alliance at Massey-Hall, Toronto, this week.

Thursday, April 6, at Knox Church, Lenten Cantata "Penitence, Pardon and Peace," under auspices of choir. Admission 15 cents. Keep this date open.

Mr. J. C. Crane, of New York, has purchased the brick cottage on Victoria street, owned by Harry Paupet. We understand it will be occupied by Mrs. George Robins.

Mrs. Frank Sandy, of Lindsay, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Barnecott. Miss Annie Barnecott, who is rapidly recovering from her recent illness, will return with her and spend a few weeks.

New department at Thayer's—Hand cleaning and pressing. Our expert treats the clothes and puts new life in your suit. No glossiness of machine work. Hand work costs no more, but is much cheaper to our respected customers, and all work is guaranteed.

Mr. John Anderson, the new linotype operator on the staff of the Express, rendered a solo with pleasing expression and in good voice at Knox Church on Sunday evening. Mr. Anderson, who comes from Peterborough, will be an acquisition to Aylmer's musical circle.

Glencolin Trinity Ladies' Aid will hold a sugar social at the church on the evening of April 10th. A programme will be given, consisting of the Richmond Quartette, Miss Moore of Springfield, soloist; Miss Annie Nesbitt will recite; Miss Middleton and Mr. Beattie in duets. Admission, 15c and 20c.

Lawn Grass Seed at Caughell's.

COMPARISON
Comparison will prove our Home Grown seeds real honest value, and of highest order. We have never broken faith with the farmer, and our success this year in getting such a good line of Clover, Timothy and Alsike, more than ever substantiates our reputation for reliable seeds. Look our seeds over before you buy. J. A. Gillett.

A great line of Bedroom Wall Papers at Caughell's.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Andrew Turnbull, Bayham, on Wednesday of last week, when his eldest daughter Florence Leola was united in marriage to Norman Allen, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. George Allen, of Delmer. Rev. I. W. Blatchford, of Brownsville, officiated. The bride was given away by her father. Her wedding dress was of ivory silk crepe de chene. Miss Florence Scott, of Hamilton, acted as bridesmaid, while Rev. John Allen acted as groomsmen. Miss Lucille Bate, of Alma College, St. Thomas, played the wedding march. The groom's gift to the bride was a beautiful pendant of diamonds and amethysts, to the bridesmaid a gold brooch with birthstones, to the pianist a gold brooch with birthstones, and to the groomsmen gold cuff links with initials engraved on them. After the ceremony a dainty buffet lunch was served by 10 girl friends. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful presents. On their return from Chicago and Wisconsin, they will make their home in Delmer. Friends from St. Thomas, Ingersoll, Hamilton, Tillsonburg, Detroit, Mich., and Woodstock attended the wedding.

Fishing Tackle at Caughell's.

Room Mouldings at Caughell's.
Mr. Albert Nelson has removed to Courtland, where he has opened out a barber shop.

Fresh Roasted Peanuts, 10c per qt.—H. L. Charlton.

Mrs. H. G. Hicks has been confined to the house for the past few weeks on account of illness.

Best hard beech and maple stove wood \$3.00 a cord at E. R. White's flour and feed store.

Every Suit we Clean and Press is an advertisement.—Aylmer Steam Laundry.

Dr. Homer McLay, physician and surgeon, office hours 10 to 12 a.m., 2:00 to 4:30, 7:30 to 9 p.m.

Mrs. David Adams left yesterday for Michigan, where she will spend a few weeks with relatives and friends.

Cabbage, Carrots, and Onions Wanted at the China T House—Young & Caven.

Miss Mildred M. M. Hunter, of Buffalo, is the guest of her niece, Mrs. T. L. Barnecott.

We still have Wall Paper as low as 5c a Roll, and some as high as \$1.25, at Caughell's.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Barrett, of Tillsonburg, spent Saturday with relatives in Aylmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Moore, of Hamilton, spent the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Newman Boker.

Dr. Annie Backus, Talbot street west, Special attention given to diseases of Women and Children, and of the eye and ear.

Mrs. James Marsh, of Brantford, has returned home after spending a couple of weeks at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. H. McDonald, South st.

We give all Cleaning and Pressing our personal, undivided attention, and we have the experience. No war prices here.—Swackhammer.

Wm. Powell, of Toronto, spent the week end with his family here, and made arrangements to move his family to Toronto this week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Westover, of Walkerville, on Thursday, March 23rd, 1916, a daughter, Jean—Mr. Westover is a son of Mr. O. L. Westover, of Luton.

Syd. Sheppard has purchased Mr. Soper's interest in the firm of Soper & Karn, blacksmiths. A notice regarding the dissolution appears elsewhere in this issue. The new firm will be known as Karn and Sheppard.

Mrs. Norman C. MacGibbon, of Pentanguishene is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Bottomley. Mrs. MacGibbon will attend the military wedding of Miss Jessie Lea and Lieut. Walter Durward at Simcoe today.

D. T. Augustine V. S. Aylmer, wishes to deny all rumors that he has sold himself out of Aylmer, or that he ever intends or expects to, but is still in the veterinary business and with the assistance of Dr. Fraayn V. S., will promptly attend all calls, day or night.

The unearthly sounds which for some days and evenings past have had a tendency to puncture the tympanum of Aylmer adults, are, we might explain, made by members of the Public School Cadets with bugles. We note that the boys have created a substantial fund by the sale of old rubbers, etc., and will purchase more bugles and drums. Cheer up! the worst is yet to come.

Lieut. Winfred Davis, formerly of this place, and a son of the late Edward Davis, has been reported wounded in France, suffering from a gunshot wound in the shoulder. Winfred enlisted in the West in the battalion of which his uncle, Lt.-Col. Mahlon Davis, also a former Aylmerite, was commander. Lt.-Col. Davis, it will be remembered, was thrown from his horse in England and seriously injured. Winfred was then transferred to another regiment and made a lieutenant.

Sporting Goods at Caughell's.

CLOVER SEED
We have what very few dealers have this season, and that is a first-class Ontario Grown Clover Seed. We have the irrigation grown seed of Idaho, too, which so many are depending upon, but all seed authorities recommend the home grown seed for our rigorous climate.
Anyway we are from \$1.00 to \$2.00 per bushel cheaper.
Lots of Alsike and Timothy too. The progressive farmer prefers to buy his seed from our exclusive seed store.
G. A. BINGHAM & CO.

Have your Spring Cleaning done at the Aylmer Steam Laundry.

Mrs. G. Youell is spending a few days with her daughter in Toronto.

Choice Ripe Tomatoes at the China T House—Young & Caven.

Mrs. G. M. Standing has been visiting friends at Niagara Falls and St. Catharines.

Ripe Tomatoes, 15c per lb. Also fresh Lettuce and Green Onions.—H. L. Charlton.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. George Ellis, on Wednesday, March 29th, a daughter.

Alex. Stewart has resigned his position as coatmaker at Youell & Wrong's tailor shop, and left on Monday to accept a position in Toronto.

The engagement of Mr. Edward R. Clement and Miss Mary Neslin is announced. The marriage will take place during the month of April.

Don't pay the pedler \$3.75 for 25 pounds Stock Food, when you can get 24 pounds of Dr. Hess' Stock Food for \$2.00, at Miller's Hardware.

Measles are very prevalent among the children of the public school, and consequently the attendance is very small.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid will hold a tea at the home of Mrs. Willoughby on Friday afternoon, March 31st, from 3 to 6 o'clock.

Miss Myrtle Teeple sang a solo in her usual splendid voice at the morning service at St. Paul's Church last Sunday.

A nice line of wood serving trays and Electric Reading Lamps at \$1.75 and up, at J. T. Rowe's Arts & Crafts Co., John st., north of the bridge.

The schools were closed on Monday afternoon, in respect for the late Inspector W. Atkin, whose funeral took place from the family residence to St. Thomas Cemetery.

For Sale—One year-old Turkey Gobbler. Apply to Mrs. John Trim, Dingle St. The age of this bird was wrongly stated last week.

Mrs. W. White and Mrs. N. C. McGibbon are in Simcoe attending the wedding of their cousin, Miss Lea, to Lieut. W. B. Durward, of the 133rd Battalion C.E.F.

Citizens of Aylmer and Vicinity—We don't expect all your business, but we will appreciate any Cleaning and Pressing you may have to do.—Swackhammer.

Mr. J. W. Banfield, of the Grand View Ave., Vancouver, Branch of the Royal Bank, has been appointed manager of the Aylmer branch to succeed Mr. Booker. Mr. Banfield's duties commence May 1st.

The Aylmer Women's Institute will hold their regular monthly meeting on Wednesday, April 27th, at 2:30 p.m. in the Council Chamber. The programme will be given by the Luton Branch. Everyone is cordially invited.

The Inspector from Underwriters' Association paid Aylmer an official visit on Monday, and turned in a fire alarm. The Fire Company made record time and in short order had two long lines of hose stretched and two big streams of water playing up and down Talbot street.

Owing to the growing demand and popularity of the McLaughlin Cars, I find it impossible to personally take charge of the repair work in my garage, and have leased the repair shop to one of the best automobile men in Ontario in the person of Mr. R. G. Norton, of St. Thomas, who for the past four years has worked in our Webster's garage of that place. Mr. Norton's ability as an expert mechanic is unquestionable, not only in the mechanical part of a car, but he is thoroughly versed in the electrical end as well, namely starters, coils, lighting, and wiring. He can tackle a carburetor to death. If your car needs a spring tonic, bring-it in and we will guarantee to make you happy. He has the magic touch. Aylmer and vicinity should congratulate themselves on being favored with the privilege of having their work done by such an able man as Mr. Norton, making it unnecessary to go to large centres, where only the large garages can afford to pay such competent men. We solicit your repair business and as much of your accessories as you deem pleased to turn our way. Our oils, greases, and gasoline are of the best quality, and can supply you with any tires you may desire, along with all other automobile accessories. Give us a trial and be convinced—Ark Garage, Ern. Millard, Prop—the home of the McLaughlin and Chevrolet, and the service station of all cars on the road, from the Ford to the Packard.

See Ern. Millard's Sale adv. of Bicycles and Motor Oils.

Mrs. A. Wiggins is visiting her sister in Jarvis.

Plant "Caughell's" Garden Seeds this year. The kind that grow.

Dr. Pickering's new office is now completed and ready for occupancy.

Don't forget the Bicycle and Auto Oil Sale at Ern. Millard's Ark Garage.

Mrs. Fred. Morse, of Hagersville, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Turner.

Crown Edwardsburg Syrup, 5c per lb., at the China T House—Young & Caven.

Mrs. Ed. Lemon and granddaughter of Detroit, are visiting at Emery Mills.

Before buying a car, call at the Ford Garage. We have something in 1916 models that will interest you. Mrs. E. E. Martin spent a few days last week, the guest of Mrs. James Martin, Lyons.

Cleaning, Pressing, Repairing—that's our business. Work and prices right.—Swackhammer.

S. McCrimmon left on Monday on a four weeks' business trip to the Canadian West in the interests of the Aylmer Condensed Milk Co.

Make your hens lay. Pratt's Poultry Regulator will do it. We have it. Price 25 and 50 cents. J. E. Richards & Co.

Mr. E. McKinney, manager of the Aylmer Condensed Milk Co., has been in New York for several days on important business.

Syrup of Tar and Wild Cherry, just the thing for that cough. We pay the war tax. Price 25 cents. J. E. Richards & Co.

Born, on March 22nd, 1916, to Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Arkell, Hamilton, Ont., a daughter.—Mr. Arkell is a former Aylmer boy.

Applications—for Town Teamster will be received by D. C. Davis, Clerk, up till 5 p.m., April 3rd. Wages, Four Dollars per day while on duty.

Rev. W. Fansher, Talbot Street West, took part in the memorial services for the Rev. Dr. Gundy in St. Thomas on Sunday last.

Rags! Rubbers! Papers! Kindly save for the King's Daughters' gathering in April. Any society out of town wishing to ship papers at the same time please communicate with Mrs. A. Connor or Mrs. W. Warnock.

Hurrah! Come to Copenhagen Hall, Wednesday eve, April 5. John Howse will bring gallons of fine, thick Maple Syrup, and will make it into sugar at the hall. You will have a feast on new sugar and hot biscuits. Programme to follow. Admission 15c and 20c. Rev. M. Wright, Chairman.

RE-ORGANIZATION OF EAST ELGIN FAIR ASSOCIATION

Committee Have Secured Option on Grounds—Big Meeting to be Held in Aylmer, Saturday, April 1st, to Re-organize.

For the past few weeks a number of enthusiastic citizens of Aylmer and district have been quietly working to revive the East Elgin Agricultural Fair in Aylmer, which for the past three years has been allowed to subside. These gentlemen have secured an option on the beautiful grounds, and it is now up to everybody to boost and make the Fair as big a success as in years past.

We are living in one of the best agricultural districts in Canada, and it is a disgrace to us that we have allowed our interest and support in our Fair to drop. An agricultural exhibition is the big live wire in any community. It brings out results in production and encourages competition. We are proud of the agricultural products in East Elgin, and every year East Elgin men are taking the big prizes at all the surrounding big fairs. Why not have a fair all our own?

Next Saturday the committee want all stock men and everybody interested in agricultural pursuits to be present, and the Reeves and councillors of both town and townships. Everybody should consider it their duty to lend support to this movement, and the least you can do is to be present and bring some one with you. Turn out as of old, and by so doing show that you are in favor of the movement.

Wouldn't you like to see the once beautiful grounds again put in a respectable condition, and the same enthusiasm of old taken in the exhibition?

Aylmer never had a better advertisement than when our fair was in its prime. It is up to everybody to put their shoulder to the wheel and push the thing along.

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