

# Assigned

We have found it necessary owing to pressing obligations to make an assignment, and stock-taking is now going on.

## The Difficulty . .

Was that we were carrying far too heavy a stock, in fact more than any two other firms in Aylmer.

We thank our customers for their patronage in the past, and can assure them that whoever gets the stock will have the best lot of bright, new goods ever shown in Aylmer, and will no doubt be slaughtered at a rate on the dollar in the near future.

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**The Bicyclists' Lament.**

He's a wise wheelman whose tool bag contains something besides medicine for a damaged machine. He is just as liable to puncture his own skin as to puncture his tire—more liable to bruise himself, than to break his wheel.

Now if I only had a little pot of Quickcure in my tool bag.

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**CORINTH.**

The peach social at the North Hall church on Tuesday evening was a grand success. A good programme was provided. Rev. B. Snell occupied the chair. The receipts were \$42.00.

The At Home at the residence of Mrs. C. Firby on Thursday evening under the auspices of the Women's Missionary Society was a very pleasant affair. The receipts were \$10.00.

Mrs. M. Price, of this place received a telegram on Friday from Chicago announcing the death of her daughter, Mrs. Durand. The body was brought to London for interment on Monday. Mrs. Price has the sympathy of her many friends in her sad bereavement.

The funeral of Mrs. John Pearson, of South Dorchester, took place here on Monday afternoon; she had been a great sufferer for a long time and bore her sufferings with christian patience. Elder Leverton, of St. Mary's, performed the funeral ceremony. Her remains were placed in the Firby cemetery.

Miss Reid, who has been visiting her brother, Rev. L. W. Reid, has returned home.

Miss Louise Morgan is confined to the house with the measles.

Quite a number from here attended the Harvest Home at Springfield.

The Rev. F. Elliott, of Pt. Rowan, will occupy the Baptist pulpit on Sunday evening.

Mr. Fisher, assistant post office inspector, London, paid this office a visit last Tuesday.

**Popular Hotel Man.**

"I was troubled with pimples on my face and head which caused me much annoyance. After trying many remedies without benefit I was advised to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. The first bottle helped me and I took four bottles. I am now completely cured." James Reilly, proprietor Chapman House, Sarnis, Ont.

Hood's Pills act easily and promptly on the liver and bowels. Cure sick headache.

**GROVERSD.**

Mrs. M. Lyons spent a few days at Mapleton last week.

Mr. Jas. Burdick, of Aylmer, spent Sunday and Monday with friends in this place.

Mrs. W. Haggan presented he has band with a young daughter on Sunday last.

Mr. Carl Williams, the miller, has taken a life partner in the person of Miss Miller, of Luton. May their life be one of happiness.

A load of young people and some older ones picked at White's mill pond on Saturday last. They were very nicely entertained by Mr. White who showed them all through his fishery.

Some mean sneak or sneaks thought they would do Geo. Lightfoot an injury on Sunday night by taking all the tools from his threshing machine putting him to quite a lot of trouble. They, who did it, should be found and punished.

There's no question about it. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the best blood purifier. This is proven by its wonderful cures of blood diseases.

**For Hygiene.**

Dr. Collins, in a report on the above subject, read at a county farmers' institute, made some very pertinent remarks which will bear repetition.

The farmer's family ought, he said, to be the healthiest in the world. They are entitled to pure air, pure food and pure water, the three great essentials of life. But how often do we find the wife or daughter afflicted with some mysterious ailment which defies the doctors and seems most benefited by a change of air. Remove them from home for a time and they regain health; let them return, and it is not long before they are sick again. What can we conclude except that there are unsanitary conditions round or in the house which produce illness?

Houses ought to be built over a cellar, which is carefully cemented, or what is better, asphalted. The cellar is really the most important room in the house. The air in the cellar goes all through the building. Even the reason for the importance of a good, dry, clean cellar is very great. A damp cellar leads to rheumatism and other ailments. Keep but few vegetables in the cellar, and if you have a furnace, don't take the air from the cellar for heating purposes.

As for water, a driven well is the safest; there is less danger from percolation and surface drainage. Wells should be laid up in water lime cement. There should be no drain, stable, outhouse or barn yard within 100 feet of the well. It will drain an area equal in diameter to its depth, and often greater if the soil is loose and porous.

Ventilation is often greatly neglected in farm homes. Ventilation does not mean a gale blowing through the house, but it does mean a quiet but continuous current of air, proportioned to the number of persons in the room. An excellent method of securing fresh air is to raise the window a little at the bottom and have a board made to fit the space. A continuous current of air comes in then from between the upper and lower sashes.

**Favorite Concoctions of Tomato.**

**Tomato Catsup.**—One bushel tomatoes, 1 1/2 pounds of brown sugar, 1 pint vinegar, 1 1/2 pound salt, 1 ounce ground black pepper, 1 ounce allspice, 1/2 ounce black pepper, 1 1/2 tablespoons red pepper, 1 tablespoon mace, 1 tablespoon mustard, 2 large onions. Scald the tomatoes and remove the skin, then break in pieces and put in boiler, and when thoroughly soft strain through a fine sieve. Then add the other ingredients and cook three hours. When cold, bottle, cork and tie.

**Chili Sauce.**—Eighteen ripe tomatoes, 6 onions, 3 green peppers, 1 cup sugar, 2 1/2 cups vinegar, 2 large onions, 1 teaspoon each of cinnamon, allspice and nutmeg (ground), 1/2 teaspoon cloves (ground). Scald and skin the tomatoes and cook with the onions and peppers until tender, then add sugar, vinegar and spices, and cook 10 minutes longer. Heat jars, pour in and seal.

**Piccilli.**—Take 1 1/2 pecks green tomatoes, 7 large green peppers, 4 onions. Chop into piece about the size of your finger, cover with 1 1/2 cup salt, and let stand 24 hours. Then draw off the water. To each 2 quarts of the mixture add 1 teaspoon each of mustard and pepper, 1 cup brown sugar, add ground cloves and cinnamon to taste. Cover with elder vinegar and boil until soft. Put away in glass jars.

**Best Button Bag.**

The simplest and most convenient button bag I have ever seen was made from two circular pieces of goods of pretty contrasting colors, sewed together around the edges. Then a number of small brass rings were caught to the edge at equal distances and a piece of ribbon or tape ran through these to gather and hang the bag by. When hung, the bag is closed, and the right hand button, through a hole in the bag, is inserted into the hole in the bag, and when a button is wanted, one has only to lay it upon the lap when he is seated. It opens and the buttons may be looked over without removing them. The ribbon or tape should be long enough to admit of the bag opening that when in the lap.

**To Stop Sneaking Hoofs.**

To bore a hole half way through the sole of a shoe is said to prevent its squeaking. The reason assigned for this is that the air between the layers of leather is released by the boring.

**Suffocated by Gas.**

Winnipeg, Sept. 5.—(Special.)—Willie Spencer, 22 years old, working for Charles Andrews and Sons, was suffocated in a well to remove some boards and was suffocated by gas. Another man was lowered, but had to be pulled out before reaching Spencer. Spencer was got up several hours later with hoofs, quite dead.

A boy named Willie Parker was drowned in the St. Lawrence Saturday. He was shot, and got beyond his depth.

**Gold at Michipicoten, Ont.**

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Sept. 1.—Late developments tend to substantiate all that has been reported concerning the richness of the recent gold find at Michipicoten, and there is no end of excitement here in consequence. The big Annie Clarke returned from the new gold fields last evening with Mackie, one of the owners of the best location. Mackie brought down with him 30 oz. of gold, valued at about \$700. This gold was extracted from surface quartz.

**Car and Driver Strangled.**

London, Sept. 6.—The Constantinople correspondent of The Standard says he is credibly informed that the Sultan has been in direct communication with the Czar, and that the correspondence has resulted in the making of mutual arrangements by which the Sultan agrees never to use his influence against Russia in Central Asia, and the Czar pledged himself to uphold Turkish rights in Europe.

**Orakal Tribes scattered.**

Bombay, Sept. 2.—Col. Abbott, with two guns and a squadron of the 18th Bengal Lancers and the First Regiment of Sikhs, attacked 1500 of the enemy at Dabhan, on the road from Hangu to Orakal. The Orakal tribes are Hangu and Shabadar, where serious fighting is imminent.

**Over 17 Cents per Bushel.**

Winnipeg, Sept. 2.—(Special.)—The first large sale of this season's grain is reported from Boissvain, where some 12,000 bushels of wheat was disposed of on Wednesday. It is said the price paid was in excess of 17 cents per bushel. This is the highest price secured by farmers of the province for many years.

**The Queen at Balmoral.**

Aberdeen, Sept. 1.—Queen Victoria arrived at Balmoral Castle today. Her north, Aberdeen and Ballater entourage, the crowd's ardor, to greet Her Majesty. Decorations were plentiful, and at 4 o'clock a handsome jubilee arch was erected.

# YOUELL & WRONG'S Dress Goods Novelties

Ladies can appreciate what is new and novel in Dress Goods displays. We have far exceeded our own previous efforts in every respect. The assortments are greater; the styles richer; the qualities finer, and the better than ever before.

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- 50-inch Covert Suitings, pretty shades, special \$5c.
- 45-inch silk and wool Paris Poplins, a novelty for this season, \$1.50.
- 54-inch Victoria Broadcloths, fine soft finish, perfect shades, \$1.20.
- 45-inch French Coating Serges, in six shades, the greatest Cloth ever shown at the price, 45c.
- 42-inch Scotch Tweeds, the right weight for this season's styles, 45c.
- 40-inch Tweeds, Serges, two tones and Broches, at 15c., 20c. and 25c.

## Full new Stock of Linens and Cottons Direct from the Maker

- 70-inch 1/2 Bleach Damask Table Linen, worth 75c., for 50c.
- 60-inch 1/2 Bleach Damask Table Linen, 25c., 30c., 35c.
- 72-inch Bleached double Damask Table Linen, Irish, special, 60c.
- Pillow Cottons, plain, 9c., 10c., 12c., in 42, 44 and 46 inch.
- Pillow Cottons, circular, best quality, 12c., 14c. and 16c., in 42, 44 and 46 inch.
- 72-inch Unbleached T will Sheeting, 16c.
- Flannelettes in all qualities, 5c., 6c., 8c. and 10c.

## Try our New Coupon System

Cash purchasers get 10 per cent. discount, whether for ten cents or ten dollars. Call and have the scheme explained.

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**ADDITIONAL LOCALS.**

Messrs. J. C. Haggan, R. Locker, O. Westover, John Richardson, E. VanPatter, M. NanPatter, A. Herod and others, have placed notices on their farms prohibiting anyone from shooting or trespassing. They claim that the game is being so thoroughly cleaned out, that unless some means is taken to preserve it, there will soon be none left.

They have also been bothered by persons stealing nuts, etc., from the premises, and intend to enforce the law in every case, should no attention be paid to the notices.

**COPENHAGEN.**

Picking swine corn is the order of the day.

Miss Nellie Wonnacott has gone on an extended visit to St. Thomas and London.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Leeson attended Toronto fair for a few days.

Mrs. Fairbrother spent a few days of last week in London visiting a sister from Iowa.

Miss Eleitha and Minnie Corner have returned to Hamilton after spending a month at their home.

Leslie Berdan has gone to Strathroy on a business trip.

Miss D. Clemens and E. McTaggart spent Sunday at Middlemarch.

Mr. Jacob McNece, of London, and Sheriff Garner, of Flint, Mich., are visiting relatives in this vicinity.

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**FOR SALE**—300 acres of choice land, in the Township of Yarmouth, being the north half of lot in the tenth concession. The barn buildings are in good condition. The house is a brick, in not very good repair. The farm is located 1 1/2 miles from Kingsmill Station, and one mile from Mapleton Cheese and Butter Factory. Will be sold neat, and on easy terms. Apply to C. O. LEARN, Real Estate Broker, Brown House Block, Aylmer, Ont.

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**MISS NORA MORSE** has opened up a Dress and Mantle making shop in the Bright Block, over the Express office. All styles and new ones. Those who are customers and want new ones. Those who work up-to-date should give her a call. Work guaranteed. Prices moderate.

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**VOTERS' LIST ACT, 1897.**

**MUNICIPALITY OF MALAHIDE.**

Notice is hereby given, that a Court will be held, pursuant to the Ontario Voters' List Act, 1897, by His Honour, the Judge of the County Court of the County of Elgin, at Aylmer, on Monday, the twentieth day of September, 1897, at 9 o'clock a. m., to hear and determine the several complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters' List of the Municipality of Malahide for 1897. All persons having business at the Court are required to attend at the said time and place.

**TONY HAGOAN, Clerk.**

Dated September 6th, 1897.

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