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EXPRESS and St. Thomas Daily Times	\$3.75	
" " " " Daily	1.90	
" " " " Daily Journal	3.75	
" " " " Weekly Journal	1.90	
" " " " Toronto Daily News	2.20	
" " " " Toronto Weekly Sun	1.75	
" " " " Toronto Ladies' Journal	1.35	
" " " " Toronto Weekly Globe, includ-	ing premium picture of the	
" " " " Duke and Duchess of Corn-	wall, and "Farm Pets".....	1.60
" " " " Toronto Ladies' Magazine, in-	cluding 3 of Gibson's famo-	
" " " " ous drawings as premium	.....	1.60
" " " " Toronto Weekly O. A. and	Empire, with premium.....	1.75
" " " " Toronto Westminster, combin-	ing Weekly and Monthly.....	2.50
" " " " Toronto Westminster, monthly	.....	1.75
" " " " Farming World.....	.....	1.75
" " " " London Weekly Advertiser.....	.....	1.30
" " " " London Weekly Free Press.....	.....	1.75
" " " " London Daily Free Press, a.m.	edition.....	3.25
" " " " London Daily Free Press, p.m.	edition.....	2.75
" " " " London Weekly O. A. and	Empire.....	2.20
" " " " Farmers' Advocate.....	.....	1.85
" " " " Montreal Daily Herald, and	picture of Edward VII.....	2.75
" " " " Montreal Daily Witness.....	.....	3.00
" " " " Montreal Weekly Witness.....	.....	1.60
" " " " Montreal Northern Messenger.....	.....	1.20
" " " " Montreal World Wide.....	.....	1.50
" " " " Montreal Herald and Star, in-	cluding premium pictures of	
" " " " King Edward VII, Queen	Alexandra, and the famous	
" " " " Gainsborough picture of	the Duchess of Devonshire.....	1.75
" " " " Buffalo Illustrated Express.....	.....	2.60
" " " " McCall's Magazine.....	1.30
" " " " Farm and Home.....	1.10
" " " " Poultry Weekly.....	1.10
" " " " Lipincott's Magazine.....	1.70
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" " " " half-volume, half instrumental,	every month.....	2.30
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" " " " People's Home Journal.....	1.25

Papers marked thus * include balance of
this year free. The EXPRESS goes balance of
this year free in all cases.
Don't ask us for credits on this list. We
cannot afford to give it, and do not like to
refuse to do so.
Prices given are subject to change at any
time without notice.
Subscriptions for outside papers will be
sent every Monday. An additional five
cents will be charged in each case, after
Feb. 15th 1902, to cover cost of postage and
money order, as it costs us as much to send
one name, as it does what a dozen.
If you don't see what you want here, ask
for it. You may take as many other papers
as you want at a cheap rate, with one
copy of THE EXPRESS, but they must all go
to the same address, or same family.

Rooms to let at 136 John street south
Price reasonable.
Mr. E. E. Davis, of Montreal, was in
town over Sunday.
Mr. Johnson will be in Aylmer in two
weeks.
Miss Flo Gould is visiting friends in
Toronto.

To Let.—Rooms suitable for dressmaker,
over Christie & Caron's shoe store. Apply
to Christie & Caron.
The Methodist Sunday School are adding
new hymn books and also replenishing the
library.

20,000 rolls wall paper to hand to select
from at A. J. Anderson's. Prices very
reasonable.
Bran new bibles arrived last week to
gladden the hearts of W. A. Bothwell and
O. S. Wright.

Keep an eye on our window from now
until Xmas. We start displaying Xmas
goods this week.
Mr. H. E. Sherck, of Hamilton, is spend-
ing a few days in town with Mr. Charles
Clarke.

Another consignment of those memorial
weathes to arrive this week at A. J.
Anderson's. Call early for selection.
The many friends of Charlie Grill will be
pleased to see him back to town again after
his severe illness with typhoid fever.

Now is the time to get your furs made
up by a first-class lady furrier from Mont-
real. Leave them at J. A. MacKenzie's
gallery.
Dr. M. L. High, of Detroit, spent Satur-
day and Sunday in town among relatives
and friends. The Dr. is looking a trifle
older, but is enjoying the best of health.

Head dining room girl wanted at the
Queen's hotel, Tilsonburg. Good wages.
Also first-class cook wanted. Write John
Mero, Tilsonburg, Ont.

The Gospel Mission, opened their new
church building, on Sunday last, and the
services were all largely attended. There
was a baptismal service at the pond in the
forenoon.
A most enjoyable evening was spent at
the C.O.F. lodge rooms last Wednesday
evening. About 75 were present and par-
took of a nice lunch, prepared by Bro. W.
C. Talbot, after the business of the evening
had been completed.

Send THE EXPRESS to your friends direct
from this office, instead of wrapping them
up and mailing them yourself, after they
get old. We will send it regularly to any
address in Canada or the U. S. from now to
Jan. 1903 for \$1.00. It will cost you 60
cents to mail it yourself besides the bother
and work.

Report of S.S. No. 13, for the month of
October. Class IV.—Claude Summers 689,
Shirley Fisher 685, Bert Summers 575.
Class III.—Frank Fisher 995, Ada Lesoon
986, Clara Summers 901, Ethel Harper 747,
Bruce Harper 537, Walter Wolfe 438,
Tamson Kyte 289. Class II.—Wray Chee-
man 425, George Wolfe 423, Harold Miller
406, George Franklin 221, Earl Franklin
206, Flossie Harper 203, Maude Harper 201.
Part I, jr.—Charlie Jackson, Harry Rid-
dell. Part I, jr.—Vernie Franklin, Wray Sum-
mers, Fanny Wolfe, Mart Jackson, Willie
Franklin.

"How are you off for soap." Splendid
stock at J. E. Richards' cheap and good.
A great surprise party gathered on 30th
Oct., at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Wm.
Hoshal, it being the former's birthday, and
also their wedding day. The weather being
favorable, the tables were spread on the
front lawn. The baskets were brought
out filled with dainties which the ladies
spread on the already groaning tables.
The feast now over, the guests assembled
in the drawing room, where they played
games and music until a late hour. The
presents which they received, showing the
high esteem in which the happy couple
were held. Guests were present from
Mapleton, Orwell, Luton, Stratfordville,
and Pt. Burwell. We join in wishing them
many happy returns of the day and hope
they may live to have many more such
happy gatherings.

Munsey, Ladies Home Journal, by the
year \$1.00 at Caughell's.
Port Burwell School Report. The follow-
ing is the result of the regular weekly exam-
inations for the month of Oct. held on the
following subjects, viz.—Composition,
grammar, history, dictation, writing,
literature and reading. Class V.—Marks
200. Annie Collins 168, Susie McConne
138, Beatrice Brown 136, Alma Ball 134.
Class IV.—Marks 275. Lena Jackson 222,
Gertrude Johnson 189, Jessie Buchner 176,
Willie Drake 173, Susie Walker 171, Hattie
Milne 171, Edith Penaste 169, Mary Light
168, Bessie Burge 165. Class III ar.—Mark
270. Alma Brown 213, Mayme Burgie 195,
John McPherson 176, Gordon Ball 152,
Lily Smith 139, Newel Wright 138. Class
III jr.—Mark 270. Lawrence Jackson 186,
Eva McKenney 172, Hattie Clark 148,
Arthur Buchner 138, Hugh McConnell 137,
Henry Temple 128, Stella Lewis 125.

Pansy, Elsie, Henty, and Ballantyne
books, at Caughell's.

Tennyson's poetical works, 65c up, at
Caughell's.
Miss Tena Heather, of Hespler, is the
guest of Mrs. Karch at the Central.
Chamois vests, felt chest and Lung Pro-
tectors, cheap and good at J. E. Richards.
Mr. H. P. McMahon was in Toronto on
business, last week.

Messrs. Earl King, of Fingal, and Emery
King, of Sault Ste. Marie, are visiting
friends and relatives in town.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Taylor, of Ridgetown,
spent Sunday and Monday with the Misses
Taylor, John St. south.

All of the services at the Methodist church
opened by singing "God Save the King," on
Sunday.
Harold Arkell, of the Imperial bank, St.
Thomas, spent Saturday and Sunday, at his
home here.

Syrup of Tar and Wild Cherry. The best
for coughs and colds, 25c per bottle, at J. E.
Richards' only.

Evans Brown, of St. Thomas, was in town
on Monday and Tuesday in the interests of
the Nordheimer Piano Co.
Head dining room girl wanted at the
Queen's hotel, Tilsonburg. Good wages.
Also first-class cook wanted. Write John
Mero, Tilsonburg, Ont.

Lord Minto gave a state dinner at Ottawa
in honor of the King's birthday, and Lady
Minto's reception was attended by about 800
people.
We are working overtime to get out our
many orders of upholstered goods. Our
line was never more complete or of greater
variety. A. J. Anderson.

The evaporating factory at Dutton was
burned to the ground on Saturday night.
The fire was supposed to be of incendiary
origin. No insurance.
The hardware store of A. D. Ellis & Co.,
of Simcoe, was entered by burglars on Fri-
day night and a number of articles taken
among which was an expensive gun, 125
rounds of ammunition and a revolver.

The King's birthday was celebrated very
quietly on Monday, places of business being
closed and the day spent mostly indoors
visiting friends etc., and a large number
attended the Guy Bros. show in the evening.
It rained nearly all day, and spoiled the fun
of many, who had arranged to go shooting.

Miss Young is being kept busy these days.
On Monday evening, she addressed the
members of the Epworth League, in the
basement of the Methodist church, and on
Tuesday evening, she gave an address in the
kindergarten room. Both addresses were
full of interest and instruction.

Every farmer should take some paper
or magazine, which is edited specially to
suit and benefit his profession. There are
scores of ideas and suggestions to be picked
up in this way, which are worth many
times the cost of these papers, to every
farmer. There is no better publication for the
farmer, than the "Farmers Advocate."
We will send it, and the EXPRESS, from
now to Jan. 03 for \$1.85.

\$300,000 to loan. \$100,000 of trust fund
at 5 per cent. in sums of \$3,000 and over
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assignee, trustee, etc. C. O. Learn, real
estate broker, Brown House block, Aylmer.

F. H. Miller, dentist, Charlton block.

The congregations of Knox church,
Aylmer, and the Springfield Presbyterian
church, extended a unanimous call last week
to the Rev. J. W. Rae, of Toronto Junc-
tion. A meeting of the Presbytery was held
in St. Thomas, on Tuesday, which was
attended by Mr. Andrew Murray and Dr.
Fear, when it was expected that the call
would be endorsed, and the matter settled.
Mr. Rae had given the members of Knox
church reasons to believe he would come to
Aylmer, but for some unexplained reason,
he wired the moderator at the last moment,
that he would not accept the call.

Weston's fresh bread daily. China T
House.

The following is the report of Luton
public school for the month of October.
Names in order of merit. Class V.—Bessie
Brown, Hazel Miller. Class IV, ar.—Fred-
die Westover, Charlie VanPatter, Charlie
Haggan. Class IV, jr.—Norman Miller,
John VanPatter, Hope Hill, Annie Griffin,
Emerson Brown, Bessie O'Bryan, Alice
Huffman. Class III.—Annie Williamson,
Fred Haggan, Claire Hoffman, Hugh Van-
Patter, Geo. VanPatter, Eerie Miller,
Homer Haggan, Agnes Hale, Howard
Brown. Class II.—Earl Schooley, Marie
Hale, Oril Williamson, Henrietta Griffin,
Violet Brown, Charlie Briggs, Meridith
Hale. Class I, pt. II.—Alta Richardson,
Lee Miller, Willie Haight, Clifton Huffman.
Class I.—Susie Dickout, Harold Haggan,
Brett VanPatter, Earl Arnold, Lorne Har-
riss, Martha McConnell.

Clutton's yarns at 3 Farthings.

Have you seen the splendid stock of ele-
gant toilet soaps at J. F. Richards.
Miss Ferguson, of London was the guest
of Mrs. T. F. Young, on Monday.
Will Carleton's poems and Kipling's
poems complete, at Caughell's.
Deer are beginning to be shipped in along
the line. We haven't received ours yet.
Xmas goods are arriving and being opened
up now, Caughell druggist.

Mr. E. G. Johnson, of the Molsons bank,
spent last week in Toronto.
WHITE BEANS.—Bring in your samples.
Highest prices paid for a few cars choice
quality. G. A. Bingham & Co.
Mr. E. Hilborn shipped in a carload of
the celebrated "Gladstone" flour, from
Tavistock, this week.

Just in. Latest styles ladies' rain coats,
guaranteed not to get hard. Prices from
\$3 to \$6. 3 Farthings.
Mr. Darrough has moved into his house
recently purchased from Mr. Newell, on
the corner of Chestnut and Cedar streets.
Richard's Cream of Menthol and Witch
Hazel, "The best for rough skin, chapped
hands etc., 25c per bottle.
Miss Carrie Price spent a few days
during the past week with Miss Florence
Treble, of Windsor.

Simpson & Case have just received another
shipment of their celebrated overcoats and
suits.
Mr. John W. Hunt, Aylmer, and Miss
Adelia Chute were married by the Rev. Mr.
Vining, at the residence of the bride's
father, on St. George street, on Tuesday.

Mr. Herbert H. Green, of the Merchants
bank, Ingersoll, Mr. C. Oswald Smith, and
Dr. Clifford H. Reason, of London, were
guests of Mr. W. S. Case, over Sunday.
Soon winter, putting fall to flight,
Will rule this earth once more;
And in his train will come the night,
Who never shuts the door.

Mr. John Hanson, well known in this
section, has bought out the hotel business
of H. Darby, of Port Rowan, and will take
possession on Dec. 1st.
Dr. Youell has arrived home from New
York, where he has been for two months
taking a post graduate course. The Dr. is
keeping up to the times in his profession.

Mr. Jas. Lees took advantage of the
holidays, during the past week, to visit
some of his old friends in and around Paris,
and had a good time.

Mrs. John Risdon and her daughter,
Miss Lulu Risdon, of St. Thomas, were the
guests of Mrs. J. E. Scott over Sunday and
Monday last.

Read the ads. There is more money in
this for you, than any other part of the
paper. Every merchant who has a snap
takes mighty good care to let you know it
through the papers. No snaps, no ads.
Dr. W. McDonald and wife returned to
their home in Lake Geneva, Wis., last
week, after spending a couple of weeks in
town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. E.
McDonald.

Thomas E. Rahey, a painter in St.
Thomas, who resided over the Lindop
block, missed his footing and fell to the
bottom of the stairs and broke his neck, on
Monday night.

T. Horstop's livery, at St. Thomas, was
gutted by fire on Friday afternoon about 4
o'clock. The fire started in the hay loft at
the rear of the building and is thought to
have originated from boys playing with
matches.

On Saturday last Mr. Harry Fisher, of
Malahide, presented us with a nice handful
of fine ripe strawberries, grown in his
garden. This is the first time we can
recall a year when a second crop of straw-
berries, matured in November.

Rain did not prove the largest audience
of the season at the opera house on Monday
evening last, to hear the Guy Brothers.
The show was up to the usual mark, which
is all that need be said of this well known
organization.

Lost.—A cheque for \$29.18, on
Henry Herron, Avon. Finder will please
leave at the Traders bank, Ingersoll, or
with the owner. Persons are hereby
cautioned against negotiating same, as
payment at the bank has been stopped.
HENRY HERRON, Avon.

Mrs. H. O. Robinson, of Winnipeg,
spent a few days in town last week, the
guest of her aunt, Mrs. M. A. Bothwell, of
Warren St. Mrs. Robinson is a native of
Ontario, but has lived in Winnipeg for the
past twenty years. She is enthusiastic in
her praise of the Prairie Province and its
Capital.

Report of S. S. No. 10., S. Dorchester,
for the month of October—Class IV.—Berta
Ballah, Stella Weir, Bessie Renison, Alma
Ballah, Earl Warren, Duston Ballah, Earl
O'Neill. Class III.—Lizzie Weir, Alma
O'Neill, Mamie Ballah. Class II.—Ellen
Weir, Wallace Coleman, Clara Bowen,
Dannie Taylor, May Warren, Leslie Mc-
Intyre. Pt. II.—Vera Fleming, John Mc-
Vicar, James Archer, Maud Brown, John
Rennison.

Grapes-to-day. China T House.
Rev. I. W. Groh, of Berlin, visited Mr.
E. Hilborn last week for a few days.
Highest price for dried apples. 3
Farthings.

The wife of Mr. J. M. Wrong, of a son,
on Tuesday, Nov. 12th.
Mr. Frank Teetzel enjoyed a visit from
his parents from Fingal, on Monday.
Arthur Ambridge, of the Molsons bank,
Norwich, was in town, over Sunday.

The W.C.T.U. will meet at the home of
Mrs. Hill on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.
Mrs. Clarence Huffman spent part of last
week with her parents in Springfield.

Dried apples. Highest prices paid for
choice stock, G. A. Bingham & Co.
Miss Ethel Bucknell, of Ingersoll, will
be the guest of Miss Flo Elliott on Monday.

Why not keep your paper paid in advance
and take advantage of our clubbing list? It
will pay you to look the list over.
We are glad to report Mrs. C. Strong is
able to be around the house again, after her
recent illness.

New raisins, currants and peels for the
Christmas trade now in stock at R. G.
Moore's.
Mr. Alex. Milne, of St. Catharines was in
town on Sunday, calling on his many
friends.

Almond Bowlby and Lorne Lang, who
have been employed at the Pan, are home
for a few weeks.
Eugene Davis, of the Traders Bank,
Toronto, was in town Saturday and Sun-
day.

The Ladies Aid, of Fairview United
Brethren church held their 10c tea at the
home of C. Durdle last Thursday evening.
Proceeds \$7.00
Mr. J. Sisler will start buying dried
apples on Monday Nov. 18th. He
will be found at the warehouse in the rear
of Tibbitt's grocery.

It is just as easy to pay for your paper in
advance, as to let it run over a year or so,
and much better for both of us. Try it for
one year and see how it feels for a change.
Mr. J. B. Hambridge returned last week
from Arkansas, where he has been buying
apples for the past couple of months. He
reports the apple crop as good, but all other
crops were a total failure, or account of the
drought.

Taking into account the bad weather of
Monday evening, there was a good atten-
dance at the Epworth League to hear Mr.
Young's address on her work in Japan as a
missionary. The address was full of interest,
and was listened to intently from start to
finish.

Is it any wonder that bridgman gets in-
surance risks when he has such a company
as the Imperial. This Co. has the largest
government deposit of any Canadian Co.,
and has a board of directors that any Co.
should feel proud of. The plans, rates, es-
timates etc., are fair and easily understood.
Ask bridgman at this office for particulars.

The G.T.R. trains going east at 3.36, and
west at 9.12, which were taken off on Nov.
3rd, were put on again on Monday last, at
the request of the different towns along the
road. The inconvenience of not having
these trains was very great, and there would
have been a big rampus, had they not been
put back on again.

We learned last evening, just before
going to press, that the Rev. C. H. Kim-
ball, formerly pastor of the Baptist church
here, had died a few days ago, at the home
of his daughter, Mrs. (Rev.) W. E. Stevens,
in New York, but did not hear the
particulars. We are very sorry to hear this
news, as will also be many other citizens of
Aylmer.

We have received the October number
of the Music Journal, published in Phila-
delphia, and it is a fine number. Every
lover of music should take this magazine.
Each issue contains 64 pages of the latest
music, vocal and instrumental. The Oct.
number contains 21 different pieces com-
plete, and at our clubbing rate, 21 pieces
only cost 12 1/2 cents, or a trifle over 1 cent
each. If you want anything better and
cheaper than this, we do not know where
to find it. See our clubbing list.

Warm underwear saves doctors bills
you will find the best at Simpson & Case's.,
Mr. John Kinsey, well and favorably
known in this section, passed over to the great
beyond, Saturday in his 85th year. He has
been in poor health for over a year, so the
end was not entirely unlooked for. He was
born in Pennsylvania and came to this
section when a mere lad, 3 years of age, and
can be numbered among the pioneers of
Esqin County. He leaves to mourn, a wife
and three daughters, viz: Mrs. A. E.
Adams, Mrs. John Bradley, and Mrs. John
Hammond, all of Aylmer. Mr. Kinsey was
a member of the Society of Friends, and
was buried in their cemetery Monday, the
funeral being largely attended. Uncle John,
as he was familiarly known, has been a good
citizen and an honorable man in every way,
and his example has been a blessing to all
who came in contact with him. May he
rest in peace.

The best in hosiery at Simpson & Case.
Class 8 herring. China T House.
W. C. Talbot has secured the services of
a new baker during Mr. Laur's illness.
Special blanket sale this week at 3
Farthings.

Mr. W. W. Rutherford paid a short visit
to his son Fred in Toronto on Monday.
Simpson & Cases for stylish millinery and
dress goods at economical prices.
Honor McKay, of London Medical
College, spent Sunday and Monday in town.
Mrs. H. P. McMahon is the guest of Lady
Meredith, in Toronto, for a short time.

J. W. James, route agent, of the American
Express Co., paid the Aylmer agency
an official visit on Saturday.

Mr. Geo. Mathews, of Springfield, will
assist Mr. Sisler in his apple packing
establishment.
A number from here attended the funeral
of Mr. W. E. Leonard at St. Thomas on
Friday.

The meeting of the Bible Society which
was to be held on Friday evening, was
postponed, owing to the small attendance.
Mr. Bottinger has bought the barn in the
rear of Dr. Augustine's dwelling, and re-
moved same to his lot on Creek St.

Miss Lizzie Jones, of Mount Elgin, who
was visiting Mrs. H. Pullen for the past
week, returned home on Saturday last.
The representative of the Wallaceburg
Sugar beet Co., is expected here today or
tomorrow, to take over the sugar beets con-
tracted for in this section.

A Japanese "At Home" will be held at the
residence of Mrs. Wm. McKenzie tonight,
in charge of Miss Young. Silver collection.
All are invited.

The by-law to grant Shirley and Dietrich
of Galt a bonus of \$10,000 to remove their
plant to Tilsonburg, carried by a sweeping
majority, the vote standing 332 for and 8
against.

Mr. D. Ferguson, of St. Thomas has been
appointed collector of Customs, in the place
of Mr. Alex. Darrah, resigned. The new
appointment will give general satisfaction
to everyone.

An interesting letter written by Mr. G.
R. Christie giving an account of his expe-
riences last summer, while on a visit to the
Shetland Islands, and other points in Great
Britain, will be found on another page of
this issue.

Three contracts in connection with the
extension of the waterworks system were
awarded yesterday, amounting to nearly
\$21,000. Messrs. Harding and Leathorn,
of London, were awarded the contract for
laying and applying the pipes, hydrants,
and other iron work. The Canada Supply
Co. will erect the standpipe, and the
Hunter Bridge & Boiler Co. of Collingwood,
will put in the cement foundation for the
standpipe.

An Old-Fashioned Boy.

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