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## MUSIC.

**H. CUMBERLAND WILSON,** Organist and Choirmaster, Methodist Church, St. Thomas, will visit Aylmer every week this season, commencing Thursday, September 27th. Voice culture and piano. At E. L. Brown's music store.

## FRATERNAL.

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

## Clubbing List.

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| THE EXPRESS and Toronto Globe (including picture "The Canadians at the Battle of Paardeburg").....\$1 60 |
| " Toronto Mail-Empire.....1 75   |
| " Daily News.....2 20  |
| " Star.....2 50  |
| " Sun.....1 75   |
| " Montreal Herald & Star.....1 75  |
| " St. Thomas Daily Times.....3 75  |
| " Wkly.....1 90  |
| " Journal.....1 90   |
| " Daily.....3 75   |
| " Farmers Advocate.....1 90  |
| " London Free Press.....3 25   |
| " Morning Edition.....3 25   |
| " Evening.....2 75   |
| " Weekly.....1 75  |
| " Hamilton Spectator.....1 60  |
| " twice a week.....1 60  |
| " Buffalo Ill., Express.....2 50   |
| " London Daily News.....2 75   |
| " Advertiser.....2 75  |
| " Wkly.....1 50  |
| (without premiums)   |
| " Corticelli Home Needle work.....1 25   |
| " Canadian Horticulturist.....1 80   |
| " Toronto Ladies' Journal.....1 30   |
| " Farm and Home.....1 10   |
| " Montreal Witness.....1 80  |
| " Northern Messenger.....1 20  |
| " The Westminster.....2 10   |
| " Church Record.....1 55   |
| " Farming World (wkly).....1 55  |

Balance of this year free in most cases except dailies. Take as many other papers as you like with EXPRESS at the clubbing rate.

Mrs. Jas. Johnston left this week for Irvington Ind. where she will spend the winter with her son.

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

Our own baking powder, always fresh and pure. J. E. Richards.  
Miss Emma Baker spent last week with friends in Essex.

Writing paper and envelopes best at Caughells.  
Miss Eva Price is spending a week in Brantford with her friend, Miss Grace Treleaven.

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

The purse advertised in last week's Express as having been found by Dr. Augustine, has been claimed by a party who saw the add.

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

The citizens of Malahide at the nomination on Monday afternoon last raised the neat sum of \$1342 for the fund being raised for the Messrs. Harc and son. Good for Malahide.

Mr. Fred Johnston, whom we mentioned last week, as spending Christmas and New Years here with his mother is accompanied by his wife. They save for home today or Friday.

Mr. William Sett, while drawing logs for Mr. A. Bugner, one day last week, accidentally got in the way of the rolling log, which passed over him. Fortunately he escaped without any broken bones, but badly used up for a few days.

Aylmer wood yard, Queen St., opp. Mero House, in charge of Harry McMannus, who is authorized to sell wood and receive money in payment therefor, and to do all business in connection with the hauling and delivering of wood. J. H. STILL.

Messrs. Johnceers and John Carter left on Monday next on a trip to England, where they will spend the winter. Mr. J. E. Richards secured their passage by the Allen line. Mr. See must have some special attraction in England, as he makes the trip regularly every winter.

Mr. M. E. Jon is holding a series of meetings in Unity Council District No. 3, to which he invites the other candidates. Meetings were held at Vienna on Tuesday, Pt. Burwell on Wednesday, and there will also be a meeting at Mt. Salem on Friday evening.

Mr. Henri Palmer, of Griffin's Corners, has a goose which he thinks holds the record as an egg producer. During the last week in October of the first week in November she laid six eggs, and again in Dec., she got anxious raise a family, and commenced laying again. Can any person beat this.

It is indeed with grateful hearts, Mr. and Mrs. Drake and daughter wish to return thanks to the citizens of Aylmer, who have so generously contributed to the purse given to Miss Dike, and also to those who have shown the sympathy, and so kindly lent them aid in their time of trial and affliction during the year.

At the view of the Ladies of the Maocabees held Dec. 28th, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:—Lady command Mrs. John Trim; Lieutenant command Mrs. J. Huffman; Recorder, Mrs. W. R. Hare; Finance-keeper, Mrs. R. Soyle; Chaplain, Mrs. Herries; Sergeant, Mrs. J. Peckham; Mistress-at-arms, M. A. L. J. Haney; Sentinel, Mrs. W. J. Ma; Picket, Mrs. J. Bardick.

\$300,000 loan. \$100,000 of trust fund at 5 per cent. in sums of \$3,000 and over. \$100,000 5 1/2 per cent. in sums of \$1,000 and over. \$100,000 at 6 per cent. in sums of \$200 and over. Double security required on 5 per cent. loans; gilt edge security on 5 1/2 per cent. loans; good security on 6 per cent. loan, with privileges to suit the borrower. Land bought and sold on commission, real estate valued, rents collected, assignments, etc. C. O. Learn, real estate broker, Brown House block, Aylmer, Ont.

Our mail correspondent writes as follows: On Sunday last about 400 persons witnessed the dedication of the new Trinity church. The Rev. C. T. Scott, of Aylmer, preached an interesting sermon in the morning, from Matt. 22-21. Music was furnished by the Springfield choir. At the afternoon service the church was well filled, and R. Parsons, of St. Thomas, preached an excellent sermon from Acts 6:5. Trinity choir sang in the evening. The church was filled. Mr. Mason, pastor of the Street Baptist church, gave an impressive discourse from text Ephesians 2:20. The collection amounted to \$54. On Monday evening the last of Trinity gave a grand tea meeting. Tea was served at 6:30, and the well to do tables spoke for themselves. A well planned programme was enjoyed by the large number present. Addresses were given by Revs. Bethune, of Aylmer, Reid, of Cah, and Vase, of Springfield. Recited by Miss Wallace, of Corinth. Mr. B. Godwin, of Richmond, acted as chair in his usual good style. Proceeds at their \$96, subscriptions \$60, making a total of \$200.

One, silk and tapestry curtains, are best at Caughells. A. J. Anderson.

Extra value in 25, 35 and 50 cent tea at R. G. Moore's.  
Mr. Bert Savage, of Toronto, spent New Years with friends here.

Situation wanted in private house for general house work. Apply at this office.  
Mr. Rush, formerly of the Collegiate Inst. staff, spent New Years with friends here.

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

Miss Pettit, of Simcoe, has been spending the holidays with her parents here.

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

Mr. W. Atkin and family, of St. Thomas, were the guests of Mrs. E. H. Price for a few days this week.

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

Miss Livingstone has returned to Toronto after spending the holidays with her parents here.

Good servicable work horse wanted, weight about 1,200 lbs. Apply at Mero House.

The grocery stores have decided to close each evening during the winter at 6:30 o'clock except Friday and Saturday evenings. Our citizens should remember this.

Mrs. Duane and Miss Duane leave on Saturday next for California, where they will spend the winter. They will be followed by the best wishes of many friends.

Dog lost.—On Monday last, a yellow collie dog, short tail, answers to name of Chub. Last seen near Copenhagen. Finder will please communicate with W. F. Magee, Copenhagen.

The town of West Lorne has our sympathies in their loss by fire on Saturday night last, which destroyed the whole of one side of the business portion of the town entailing a loss of about \$125,000.

Mr. C. O. Learn wishes us to state that there is no ground whatever for the report that is being circulated, that he cannot qualify for the position of Mayor, and he cannot understand how such a statement could have originated.

Grovedale Farm, east of Mapleton, the home of Mr. Andrew Wismer, was the event of unusual festivities on Dec. 27th, it being a reception to Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Wismer, on the return from their honeymoon trip. An elegant spread was provided by Mrs. Wismer. The evening was spent in games, music, etc. The bride was the recipient of numerous and beautiful presents.

Mr. E. E. Davis has decided to remain with the old firm he has been with for several years. He will make Montreal his headquarters, and on his trips out from there will take in only the larger places, coming as far west as Brockville and going east as far as Halifax. Ed's many friends will be glad to know that his past services have been so highly appreciated that the firm would not let him go. He will not remove his family from here until he sees how the climate down there agrees with him.

Pleasant View, Orwell, was the scene of a very happy gathering and re-union of relatives and old acquaintances on Saturday last, when Mr. and Mrs. Simpson celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary in right good style, beginning with a most bountiful dinner, to which sixty guests did full justice. A short programme was rendered, in which the following took part: Speeches were made by Rev. G. Cross, G. Westlake, J. Locker, W. Elliott and T. Bener. Music by Mr. and Mrs. C. Clarke, Mrs. Lewis Timpany and Mr. G. L. Fisher, of St. Thomas, who also played the wedding march. Recitations by the Misses Kidd and Hughes, and little May Simpson. The day's festivities closed with singing "God be with you till we meet again," and congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Simpson and many happy returns.

Hockey sticks at Caughells.  
On Monday last Aylmer lost by death a lady who will be as deeply mourned, and as sadly missed as anyone who has ever lived here, viz., Louisa, relict of the late W. A. Glover. Mrs. Glover has been failing for some time, and her death was not unexpected. She has been a resident of this section all her long life of nearly 75 years, and for many years has resided in Aylmer. There are many families here who have realized her liberality and kindness of heart in times of sickness and trouble. No one was more ready or willing to assist the needy or sick than she, and no one knew better how and when to act. It is no wonder she will be missed, and that many a silent, unseen tear will be shed in her memory. She leaves two sons, Alex., of Chattanooga, Tenn., and William, of Buffalo, and two daughters, Mrs. L. C. McConnell, of Port Burwell, and Miss Susie, at home. The funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon, there being a large attendance.

Great bargains in crockery. China T House.

Try our China T House tea. Young & Caven.  
Miss Winnie Ashbaugh is spending a week or so with Dr. and Mrs. Ashbaugh of Wigwag.

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

Misses E. Marshall and N. Farthings were visiting friends in Detroit for a few days last week.

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

Miss Eliza Fothergill, of Lansing, Mich., has been spending the holidays at her home here.

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

Mr. D. S. Atkinson, organist of Bathurst street Methodist church Toronto, spent a few days in town last week with D. H. Price and other friends.

Mr. John H. Smith, of London, was in town for a few days last week, on his return from Vienna, where he had been spending Xmas. He has bought a shop at Glenworth, and will start in business for himself about the first of February.

We are sorry to report the death on Dec. 23rd last, of Mr. Wm. S. Humphrey, who removed from Aylmer to Moosajaw about a year ago. He was taken sick about three weeks previous and sent to the hospital at Medicine Hat, where he died from a disease which the physicians said was glanders, contracted from horses which had the disease. He was a hard working, honorable man, and he has been sending money home ever since he went out there to take his family out, one by one, his wife and two remaining children having joined him but recently, making it a very sad case.

Beginning next Sunday evening the Rev. A. H. Ranton will commence special services in the Methodist church. He will preach each evening during the week on the following subjects:—Sunday evening, "Bargain Makers;" Monday evening, "The Unpardonable sin;" Tuesday, "Auld Lang Syne;" Wednesday, "The Greatest Mystery in the World;" Thursday, "A Point Blank Question;" Friday, "Come and see." Mr. Ranton is an exceptionally strong pulpit orator and the church will no doubt be full each evening. All are invited.

The home of Mr. Jacob Bener, of Malahide, was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Dec. 26th, when his daughter Amy Lu was married to Mr. Robt. Herries, of Caltou. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Geo. Mason in the presence of about forty guests while Miss Bessey Pressey, of St. Thomas, played the wedding march. The bride looked very pretty in white organdie over silk, and was assisted by Miss Pearl Herries sister of the groom and Mr. Walter Bener as best man. After a sumptuous repast the happy couple left on the evening train for Detroit and other points, the many presents showed the esteem in which the bride was held.

A meeting was held in the town hall on Wednesday evening of last week to consider what step should be taken to welcome back to Aylmer the Hare boys on their return from South Africa, which will probably be some day early next week. There was a large attendance of citizens and it was decided the municipality should present each of them with a gold watch, and that a purse should be raised for them by the public generally. They will also be tendered a public reception, which will take the form of a monster procession, and a patriotic entertainment in the town hall in the evening. Strong committees have been formed to attend to each detail, and when the boys get here they will have a hot time. Citizens from both town and township are just waiting to take hold of the matter, and we expect to have a big time.

A very pretty home wedding occurred at the residence of Mr. A. C. Graham, on Tuesday last, when his daughter Miss Anna, united her fortunes for life with those of Mr. Hann Miller, of Cleveland, son of the late Mr. Asa Miller. The house was handsomely decorated throughout, the room in which the ceremony took place, looking extremely pretty, smilax and holly being the prevailing decorations. The good old Canadian flag hung gracefully above the heads of bride and groom during the ceremony, which was performed by the Rev. Geo. Cross, M. A., Ph. D. As the bride entered the room the wedding march was played by Miss Nellie Graham, her sister. She looked very handsome in a beautiful dress of white organdie trimmed with lace and pearls, and was followed by little Cora Williamson, her niece, who acted as flower girl. After the ceremony all repaired to the dining room, which was decorated with Union Jacks, and Stars and Stripes, and after partaking of the many good things prepared, bride and groom left on the M. C. R. for their home in Cleveland. The bride who is very highly esteemed by a large circle of friends, received many handsome and costly presents.

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

Mr. Jas. Herendeen, of Niagara Falls, was in town for a day or so last week.  
Good house to rent. Apply to M. Leeson.

Messrs Clarence and a sister Learn, of Chicago, have been spending the holidays with their mother here.

Mr. A. Harper, of Woodstock, is visiting friends in this section for a few weeks.

Messrs Herb and Leonard Hogan, of Tilsonburg, spent New Years in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Price.

The W. C. T. U., will meet at the home of Mrs. Hill on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Old, of California, have been spending a few days in town this week, with their daughter, Mrs. C. F. Caven.

If you own one or more horses do not fail to read the white drug store ad on the back page of this issue of the EXPRESS.

Mayor W. B. Graham, wife and daughter, of Ridgeway, were in town over New Years.

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

Mr. John Backhouse, of Pt. Rowan, spent New Years with his sister, Mrs. Dr. Backhouse.

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

An interesting and impressive watch night service was held in the Methodist church on Monday night last.

\$25,000 private funds to loan on real estate mortgages 4 1/2 per cent, 4 3/4 per cent, and 5 per cent. Charges very reasonable. A. A. Leslie.

Quite a number of young people from here attended the ball in St. Thomas on New Years night, and had a very pleasant time.

Mr. J. E. Richards recently secured a handsome picture of one of the fine Allen line steamships, which he has hung in the post-office.

Mrs. T. M. Nairn is enjoying a visit from her sister Mrs. Kerr of California, who arrived here last week, and will remain all winter. She has not been in Aylmer before for about twenty-five years.

A number of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Whitney assembled at their home on John St. south, one day last week, to congratulate them on the 58th anniversary of their wedding day. They had dinner with them, and spent a few pleasant hours together.

Last week Verne Mitchell and another little fellow were playing on the ice, when the latter broke through and Verne being he was going down, seized him by the coat collar and pulled him out, took him to his home, where he was given dry clothing and cared for.

Mr. Martin Kidd is entertaining the patrons of the Malahide cheese factory this evening, he having given up the position of cheese maker which he has held there for so long a time. Mr. Kidd and his family will remove shortly to Aylmer, and occupy the handsome brick house recently purchased from H. H. McDiarmid. We are glad to welcome them, as they will make excellent citizens.

The following from the Greenwood, B. C. Times, will be read with much pleasure and interest by many old friends of the groom in this section. "On Monday, Dec. 3rd, the bonds of matrimony were thrown around two of our estimable young people at the home of Mrs. Keiser, the contracting parties were her daughter, Miss Freda, and the trusted and worthy agent for the Columbia and Western railway, Mr. O. H. Becker, at this place. The young couple have been residents of the town for about a year, but cupid, who believes in annexation, threw his meshes around them and the two are now one. Rev. H. McKay performed the ceremony. The happy couple left Tuesday on their honeymoon for Victoria, and from there they will go to California, where they intend to remain a short time when they will take up their abode in Ebbett."

On Friday evening last about 70 friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kidd assembled at their home on Talbot St., to have a good time, and to express the general regret felt in the neighborhood at the removal of Mr. and Mrs. Kidd to Aylmer. The large room in the cheese factory was put in order, and tables laid, which fairly groined under the load of oysters and other good things, which were piled on them. No crowd ever enjoyed themselves more, or had a better time. Speeches were made by Elder Mason, Mr. Cohoon and others. Both old and young were there, and the young people soon learned that the old folks could "go some" yet. In fact they stayed the young people out, and after they had gone, the fun really began, and lasted until near morning, including another meal, which answered for breakfast. The older crowd around Seville are dandies, and it will keep the rising generation hustling to keep in the swim with them.

Fresh oysters at the China T House.

**Sale Register.**  
Tuesday, January 15th.—Farm stock and implements, the property of Lewis 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, 8 fat hogs, 30 hens, 1 maver, 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 bus. 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. Lindsay & Moore, auctioneers.

**Seeds That Surely Grow.**  
The cost of seeds compared with the value of the crop is so small that a few cents saved by buying second rate seeds will amount to many dollars lost when the harvest is gathered. Farmers have found out by many costly failures what a risky thing it is to buy seeds without being pretty sure that they are reliable and true to name. The latest catalogue of the seed house of D. M. Ferry & Co., of Windsor, Ont., is a reminder that thousands of farmers in the United States and Canada have pinned their faith to the reputation of this great firm. During a business career approaching half a century in time, Ferry's seeds have won an annual increase in popularity, which is perhaps the best evidence that they grow and give satisfaction. Ferry's Seed Annual for 1901 is a useful guide in selecting seeds for the farm, the truck garden and the flower garden. It is sent free on application.

**MARRIED.**  
HERRIES—BENER.—At the residence of the bride's parents, on Dec. 26th, by the pastor, George Mason, Robert L., son of Mr. Robert C. Herries, of Bayham, to Amy L., daughter of Mr. Jacob Bener, of Malahide.

**CORINTH.**  
On Wednesday the 26th inst. a pretty wedding occurred at the home of Mrs. Thos. Moore when her only daughter Eva was united in marriage to Mr. D. C. Floto, of Pt. Elgin. At a few minutes past one o'clock the strains of the wedding march announced the approach of the bridal party. Mr. Floto was supported by his brother of Detroit and Mr. Stubbs of Culloden, and the bride by Miss Pearl Firby and Miss N. Donaldson. Miss S. McCall took held the important piece of honor. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. L. W. D. of Corinth. After the happy couple received the congratulations of their guests all partook of a beautiful dinner. The bride looked charmingly gowned in white cashmere with the usual veil and orange blossoms and carrying a bouquet of white carnations while the bridesmaids wore white organdie with lace trimmings. The wedding gifts were numerous, handsome and useful and indicated the good wishes toward the bride. Mrs. and Mrs. D. L. Floto left on 3:48 train for east, amid the shower of rice, followed by most kindly wishes for their future happiness after their return.

Mr. Wm. Evans, of St. William is home again. He is looking well and his many friends are glad to see him.

Mrs. Lindsay and Mr. and Mrs. Emerson, of Springfield were the guests of Mrs. Connor New Year's day. Mr. John Emery, of Pt. Hope, who has been visiting his cousin Mrs. Harry Cascaden returned home on Monday.

**COPENHAGEN.**  
Our Sabbath school entertainment was very successful, proceeds \$45. We are very grateful to Mt. Salem string band for helping us out and Mr. Roekoy for bringing the boys over. We had a disappointment in our Aylmer friends but under the circumstances could not very well be avoided. Miss Bessie Dodds, of Mr. Salem, gave two recitations, which were highly appreciated. Thanks, Bessie. The treasurer's report for the year, Receipts \$88.57; supplies for school \$47.65; Indian famine fund \$10; Red cross, \$5.18; S. S. extension fund 96c; D. Leeson, Treas.

Secretary report:—No. on roll, 140; average attendance, 100; teachers and officers, 20; classes, 10; volumes in library, 137;

Miss E. Whiterof, Sec. Bruce and Ross Lindsay are visiting friends at Iona Station.

Miss Green conducted services here on Sunday morning last.