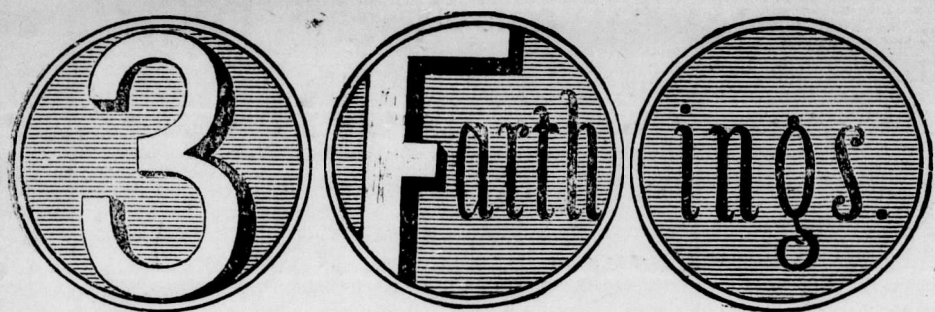


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Aylmer's Leading Store Spring Freshness

Its reflected in every nook and corner of our store. At every turn you will find newness, newness of material, newness of style, newness of workmanship—in short, the world's greatest and best, direct from the world's great centres of fashion. Hard work and careful planning have succeeded in raising the store above the common-place at almost every point. Never before have we had anything like such stocks, such variety, such values. The more you examine and compare our Goods and prices, the better you will like them, no matter what you have seen elsewhere.

Spring Hosiery

Your Hosiery needs are well looked after at this store. It is our interests to serve your best interests. We show the best assortment of Hosiery and Underwear to be seen anywhere. Ask for the "Mule Skin Stocking for Boys."



COMFORT HOSE
Glove Special

5 dozen undressed Kids, in Tans and Browns, sizes 6½, 6¾, 6⅞ and 7 only, regular \$1.00 Goods, special 69c.

FANCY PLAIDS.

5 pieces of fancy Plaids, in all the new colorings, Goods usually sold at 35c. to 40c. pair, special at..... **25c.**

SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY.

\$1.00 and 1.25 Waists for 49c. Real bargains can be had only at somebody's real loss. In some instances the loss is ours—in others the makers. In this case it is the makers. On Saturday morning we will put on sale one hundred and twenty ladies' waists, manufacturers odds and ends, half dozen of each design, including Black Satana Waists, with ten rows of bias tucks in front, and tucked yokes and stock colors to match these Goods are actually worth \$1.00 to \$1.25; also a fine assortment of fancy colored Blouses. Your choice of the entire lot Saturday, only..... **49c**

SEE EAST WINDOW.

Men's Furnishings

The men who are the most particular about the style of their out-fittings are the ones we aim to please. We have opened up a fine stock of new Neckwear and Regatta Shirts this week. The assortment may be seen in our window.



COMFORT HALF HOSE
A Special in Men's
Waterproof Collars

15 doz. of Men's Waterproof Collars, in two of the leading styles. Sizes 14½ to 16, regular 15 to 20c., special at 10c., or 3 for 25c.

MILLINERY & DRESS GOODS An elegant Hat is at times out of place—a stylish one never. It isn't always the case, because sometimes the simplest Hats are most stylish. We see that what you get is right. Our milliners study individual tastes. That's one reason for our superiority in this line. **DRESS GOODS**—We are the largest providers of Dress Materials for the ladies of Aylmer and vicinity. Visit our Dress Goods department. See the display of fine materials gathered from the leading markets for your inspection.

3 FARTHING'S

The Great Bargain House.

The Busy Store.

Shoe Bargains

Shoes are a staple, and usually there are no bargains. We have no absolute styles, and foolish purchases to unload upon you. Our goods are new, fresh, and up-to-date. By keeping in touch with the most progressive shoe manufacturers, and adding only the narrowest margins of profit, we are in a position to offer the best Shoes at the lowest prices every day in the year. We carry a large stock of Trunks and Valises, and the very best Shoe Polishes in the world.

EGGS TAKEN AS CASH.

WALKER & LOVE.

r. William Livingstone will continue to do all kinds of repairing our store, Marshall Block.

Bristow's New Store

...IS...

everybody's Store

All are cordially invited to call and examine the stock of Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes and Groceries. The prices are right. Butter and Eggs wanted.

Remember the spot—Right opposite the Central Hotel, and first door west of Trim Bros' Aylmer.

G. C. BRISTOW.

Aylmer, March 29th, 1900.

FARMER'S WANT COLUMN

I will exchange a house and lot with barn, in Aylmer, all in first-class condition for 50 acres of land, and pay the difference. Apply to F. H. TRIM.

FOR SALE—10 acres of land in Aylmer, south of Clarence street. Apply to Miss Garrett.

FOR SALE—New milch cow and good work horse. Apply to Oscar McKeown.

CATTLE FOR SALE—Ten head of fine two and three year old grade steers in good condition. WILLIAM HARP, Dingle Street.

FREE

Package of Tobacco with every 25 cent. PIPE for

ONE WEEK ONLY.

BERT. C. WALES.

While You Are Cleaning House

You had better have your

Organ Cleaned and Polished Over!

We can do it for you RIGHT, and our charges are very REASONABLE.

Call and see us about it.

J. T. ROWE,

Organ and Piano Manufacturer, AYLMEER, ONT.
Opp. Knox Church, John Street, north.

Municipal Notice.

The Municipal Council are prepared to receive applications for street watering on other portions of streets than now under service, by petition, such petition to be subject to the Local Improvement Act.

JUNIUS BRADLEY,

Municipal Clerk.
Aylmer, Ont., April 24, 1900.

All Ready for the Horse Show.

Toronto, April 25. — Word was received yesterday that, unless Parliamentary duties prevented, Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier, and Sir Louis and Lady Davies, and the Hon. Sydney Fisher, will arrive from Ottawa on Friday morning, and will be present at the Horse Show on Friday and Saturday. The Premier and Lady Laurier, Sir Louis and Lady Davies, will stay at Government House, as guests of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor. His Excellency the Governor-General also leaves Ottawa on Thursday evening, and will be accompanied by Captain Mann, A.D.C., and Captain Guise, A.D.C., and the vice-regal party will stay at the Queen's Hotel.

The structures in the Armouries are almost complete, and the show could be given this afternoon instead of to-morrow if necessary. Visitors from a distance began to arrive yesterday.

The Queen's Daily Program.

Dublin, April 25. — The Queen and the Princesses, during the course of their afternoon drive, visited the Mater Misericordiae Hospital, where the mother superior and various sisters were presented to Her Majesty. A further stop was made at the Royal Masonic Institute. The Queen returned to the vice-regal lodge amid scenes of enthusiasm. Owing to the death of the Duke of Argyll, Her Majesty has ordered the concert at the vice-regal lodge to be discontinued.

THE RELIEF OF COOMASSIE.

Situation in the Gold Coast Country is Much More Hopeful.

Accra, April 21. — The official announcement is made that Captain Middlemiss and the relieving troops have reached Coomassie. No details are given, but the situation is considered very much more hopeful, although there is great uncertainty as to the outcome of the uprising. A quantity of ammunition for the Maxim is being forwarded to Cape Coast Castle and to the front.

United States Claims on Turkey.

Washington, April 23. — Ali Ferrou Bey, the Turkish Minister, had another conference with Secretary Hay at the State Department on Saturday, which, in his opinion, tended to still further enhance the prospect of a complete and amicable settlement of the disputed American claims upon Turkey.

Turkey Again Promises.

Constantinople, April 22. — The Porte has replied to the American demands, stating that Turkey will compensate American missionaries under the same conditions as in the case of other foreign subjects.

STREET PARADE FLOATS.

Many Difficult Problems to Be Met in Their Construction.

"The making of decorative street floats is a difficult trade," said a New Orleans scenic artist who has had plenty of experience in the line he mentioned. "There are so many things to be considered. For instance, a float must look well both near and far. It must be able to stand a dash of rain. It must be light enough to go over any kind of street and solid enough to resist a gust of wind, and, most important of all, it must be so constructed that it will appear all right to folks in upper windows."

"Some years ago a young designer from the north made several small models for tableau cars that charmed everybody who looked at them. They were certainly very beautiful and novel, but when I was called in as an expert I said at once that they wouldn't do. They were designed to be viewed from the banquettes only, and from a second story window, every particle of effect would have been lost. Moreover, a lot of hidden mechanism was certain to be discovered at any elevation above 15 feet."

"The young artist frankly admitted I was right and abandoned the job. He said it involved entirely too many optical problems to suit him. When I make my drawings for a float, I calculate on a visual sweep of 30 degrees. That goes from the level of children on the pavement to people looking almost straight down from the upper floors of tall buildings. Unless such a precaution is taken the car is certain to be a failure."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Man and His Smoke.

Every little while you read that a man 56 years old and still hale and hearty has smoked all his life, but it is nevertheless a fact that smoking is very injurious. Men should be ashamed that they are unable to quit the habit. This is not written by a man who has no desire to smoke, but by a man who smokes a great deal, has tried several times to quit and couldn't do it.

When you find a boy who is pale and sick from his first smoke, remember that his father and his grandfather are to blame. It will take thousands of years to reform the world if we begin now. A boy is as certain to look for a pipe as he is to look for a sweetheart. His father was guilty of both offenses before him.—Arlington Globe.

Her Little Confidence Game.

"We're playing railroad train," she said as she pulled her father's paper away. "And I'm the conductor. Tickets, please."

He took a card from his pocket and handed it to her. She looked at it intently for a minute and then handed it back. "That was issued yesterday," she said, "and isn't good today. You'll have to pay cash or get off the train."

He gave her a dime. He knew he had been "worked," but what else could he do?—Chicago Post.

THE BUSY CORNER

We were unable to make our usual spring opening display on Saturday last, the cold weather having delayed our building alterations. The work is now being rushed along, and in another week we will have a convenient modern store. An up-to-date stock and values that will make the Busy Corner more popular than ever.



Gentlemen! Our New Clothing Store

and new Clothing Stock is ready for your inspection. We have gathered together some very special values in Men's, Youth's and Children's Suits, values that won't be picked up again for many a day, and marked them at prices that will make this the banner season in our clothing department.

MEN'S TWEED SUITS—Perfect fitting, well trimmed, properly tailored, every suit worth more than we ask for it, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50, \$6.00, \$6.50, \$7.00, \$7.50, \$8.00, \$8.50, \$9.00, \$9.50, \$10.00.

MEN'S SERGE SUITS—Made from pure wool Serges, in black and blue, perfect at every point, very special values at \$6.50, \$8.50, \$10.00, \$11.00 and \$12.00.

REGENT SUITS FOR YOUNG MEN—The very newest creation for young men who dress well, in sizes 34 to 37, \$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.00, \$7.50, \$8.00, \$9.00, \$10.00, \$11.00, \$12.00 and \$14.00.

BOYS' THREE-PIECE SUITS—The kind that look well and wear well; every stitch true and firm. \$3.00, \$3.25, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4.00, \$4.25, \$4.50, \$4.75, \$5.00 and \$5.50.

BOYS' TWO-PIECE SUITS—Dress your boy well. Do not injure his pride by forcing him to wear cheap looking clothing. It costs no more to get the right kind when you buy them here. Dressy, serviceable Suits at these prices, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.75.

OUR NEW HATS ARE IN.

Simpson & Case

Dry Goods Importers and Clothiers.

Good and Best



That expresses it for Shoes exactly. You can go to other stores for Shoes, but we have the **SOLE AGENCY** in town for this strictly reliable and up-to-date line of ladies' footwear. The "Empress Shoe" is something entirely new, and to have attained such a reputation as it already has, is proof conclusive that its qualities, both of style and stock are exceptional. We have just opened up a large assortment of **SPRING EMPRESS GOODS** in great variety. Laced, buttoned and Oxfords and we are

Prepared to Meet the Demands of The Most Critical Customers

We cannot recommend this Shoe too highly, and we know what we are about when we place a new article so prominently before our customers. The prices are right. Call and examine them. The reliable old stand.

Christie & Caron

The Mammoth Shoe Store.
The Little Wonder Clothing and Furnishing Store.



FREE DAISY AIR RIFLE
We give this splendid Rifle for selling only two dozen packages of our best Pea Seeds at 10 cents each. Each large package contains 65 most fragrant varieties. All colors. This Rifle is of the best make and latest model, well finished nickel plated, carefully sighted and tested before leaving the factory. It is just the thing for target practice or for shooting cats, rats, sparrows, etc. Return this advertisement with your address and we will send you the Rifle. Send no money and we will forward your Rifle all charges paid. The season for selling seeds is short so order as quick. Our Sweet Pea packages sell themselves. Premium Supply Co. Box A. Toronto.