

Watford Guide-Advocate

Volume XXXIX—No. 33

WATFORD, ONT., FRIDAY, JULY 23, 1913.

IN UNITED STATES, \$1.50 IN ADVANCE ELSEWHERE, \$1.00 IN ADVANCE Single Copies 5 Cents.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

THE GUIDE-ADVOCATE welcomes all items of interest for this column. Call Phone 11, send by mail or drop item in GUIDE-ADVOCATE Letter Box.

COCA-COLA at Lovell's.
LOOK for a rise in the price of sugar. TORONTO barbers have raised the price of a shave to fifteen cents.

If you want to reduce the high cost of living try a hunger strike. GET your share of the clothing bargains at Swift's Sale.

BRITISH GUIANA will be an exhibitor at the Canadian National Exhibition this year.

WITH the farmers busy and many citizens away, business men are not rushed these days.

A LARGE quantity of wheat has been cut this week. The crop is a good one, heads long and full.

THE new Bell Telephone Directory is to hand. Subscribers can obtain a copy by calling at the Central office.

TIMETABLE, fare and other particulars about the band excursion to Sarnia and Detroit will be found on last page of this issue.

THERE was a lively session of the town council Friday night, and the "scrapping" caused amusement for the audience.

A GOOD stock of straw hats at sale price.—SWIFTS.

AUSTRIA is making an exhibit at the Canadian National Exhibition this year that will show the products of sixty of her largest manufacturers.

A SPECIAL meeting of Watford Tent, K. O. T. M., will be held at the Guide-Advocate office this (Friday) evening at 7.30 o'clock. Important business.

REV. J. D. McLACHLAN, B.A., of Strathroy Baptist church, will preach at Calvary Baptist church at 3.00 o'clock and Watford Baptist church at 7.00 o'clock.

THE Pioneer, the organ of the Dominion Alliance, is to hand in its new and improved form. We commend it to those who are in sympathy with the Abolish the Bar policy.

At the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Masons held in Ottawa last week, Wor. Bro. Thomas Paul, of Wyoming, was elected District Deputy Grand Master for St. Clair District, No. 2.

NOBODY seems to think any the less of money because it gets tight every now and then. Even hot-headed temperance cranks love it just the same in spite of its shortcomings in that direction.

14 two-piece suits, 34 to 42. Sale price.—SWIFTS.

THE "tiger dance" has been originated by Urel Davis, an English dancing master. It is a combination of the turkey trot and the tango, but it also involves some contortions hitherto unknown to modern science.

THE Guide-Advocate reaches everybody within trading distance of Watford. Every member of almost every family reads its every page. A business man who does not use its advertising columns is the loser thereby.

THE Wire Works will resume operations on August 4th. The closing down for a couple of weeks was necessary to take stock, overhaul the machinery, and ease up on a time on certain lines of their output.

FIFTEEN ladies' coats. Nifty styles. Sale price.—SWIFTS.

ALARMED at the increased consumption of cigarettes in Canada, the W.C.T.U. will endeavor to induce the Federal government to introduce a measure to prohibit the manufacture, sale and importation of cigarettes in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brock, Oakdale, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Mabel Louise, to Rev. T. Edgar Armstrong, B.A., of Carstairs, Alberta, formerly of Montreal. The marriage will take place August 20.

SIXTEEN thousands automobile licenses have been issued by the Provincial Secretary's Dept. so far this year. The auto has evidently come to stay and is now considered one of the necessities of the day for professions and business where much travelling is required.

RANGE of dollar shirts, 79 cents.—SWIFTS' SALE.

MR. ORLO JACKLIN left for Sarnia this week and will move his family there shortly. We are sorry to lose Mr. and Mrs. Jacklin from the town, as during their sojourn here they have proved themselves estimable citizens and carry the best wishes of many friends to their new home.

THE new livestock department at the Canadian National Exhibition is paved from end to end with concrete, so that everybody can view the prize animals in cleanliness and comfort. Everybody should see them, too, for the prize animals at Toronto class with the finest in the world.

THE Lambton Old Boys' Association of Toronto will run an excursion to Lambton on August 16th good to return 19th. They have secured the low rate of \$2.60 Toronto to Sarnia and return, and no doubt a goodly number of Lambton Old Boys will avail themselves of the opportunity to visit their old home.

WATFORD has 167 telephone connections. THE Cadet movement for Watford has collapsed.

ANOTHER bunch of young people leave for the lake to-day.

COUNCIL meetings galore this week—Friday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday.

SCRIM and bungalow nets at sale price.—SWIFTS.

THE massive foundation of the Armory is about completed. The imitation stone facings have arrived from Guelph.

FOREST baseball team journeyed to Watford to play a friendly game and were defeated by our local nite by the score of 10-1, last Friday evening.

MRS. FREDERICK PERCIVAL, Toronto, recently returned from the Weston Hospital, where she underwent a major operation performed by Dr. Herbert E. Clutberck.

ON Wednesday evening the Alvinston ball team handed our boys the short end of a 7-0 score. The visiting team played good snappy baseball, while the playing of our local bunch was "rotten."

THERE was no quorum at the meeting of Council Wednesday night. We believe that the matter of procuring better fire protection will be discussed at a meeting of the ratepayers, to be called shortly.

THE following young people who were successful in passing the Faculty of Education exams, were students of the Watford High School:—K. Anderson, B. Currie, A. C. McDonald, G. H. Patterson, R. H. Trenouth, L. A. Fuller.

COLONEL JOHN W. LITTLE, one of the best known wholesale drygoods men in Western Ontario, died in London on July 22nd. The funeral was held on Thursday and was strictly private, and friends were particularly requested not even to send flowers.

A QUIET marriage of two well-known local people took place at the Brooke Parsonage on Wednesday morning when Rev. S. V. R. Pentland joined in wedlock Mr. James Craig and Mrs. Ruth E. Patterson. The couple were unattended and left on the noon train for London and Chatham where they will spend a few days.

NEW suitings for early fall clothing, open Saturday.—SWIFTS.

To clean a panama, scrub the panama with a nail brush dipped in a lather made with white castile soap and a few drops of ammonia. Then rinse it in warm water, to which a little glycerine has been added. The rinsing should be done in a large basin, the hat well shaken and the water pressed out with a folded towel. Dry in the air, but not before a fire or in the sun.

ONE HUNDRED and eight tickets were sold at the G.T.R. station Wednesday morning for the Presbyterian and Methodist Sunday school picnic to Lake Huron Park, Sarnia. The children and their elders were a happy looking lot as they crowded into the train carrying well-filled baskets of supplies for the day. A most enjoyable day was spent at the Beach.

THE old buildings on the new postoffice site have all been pulled down or removed, the last of them, that purchased by Dr. Kelly, being removed on Friday last by Sharp & Sons to a vacant lot on Front street. Nothing but a litter of refuse now remains. It is now up to the government to get busy and call for tenders for the new postoffice building.

THE BAND gave an excellent program of music on Friday evening. When they were playing at the park the music could be heard for a long distance and sounded better than when confined by surrounding buildings. Why not place the bandstand in the park? It would be convenient for Fair game purposes and better for children to congregate there than on the dusty Main street.

ARRANGEMENTS are being made for laying the corner stone of St. Armory, but up to the time of going to press the date has not been definitely fixed. Hon. S. Hughes, Minister of Militia, will perform the ceremony and a military guard of honor composed of members of the 27th Regt. and the 1st Hussars will attend him. J. E. Armstrong, M. P., and other government representatives will be present and deliver addresses. Full particulars will be given as soon as the date has been decided on.

THE weed inspectors should see that the law is enforced. Some vacant lots in town are covered with noxious weeds, the seeds of which are about ripe and ready to be scattered wherever the wind may carry them. The law is strict regarding this matter and should be enforced. The weeds have been cut on some of the streets but not destroyed. A little attention to these small matters would help to preserve the enviable name Watford now possesses of being the most attractive village of its size in Western Ontario.

Faculty of Education Exams

The following list contains the names of Lambton Candidates who have passed in one or more parts of the upper school examination for entrance into the faculties of education at the University of Toronto and Queen's University, Kingston. The examination passed is indicated after each name.

LAMBTON—K. Anderson (part II.), B. Currie, (part I.), L. A. Fuller (part I.), P. W. Hene (part I.), honors, W. L.

Oliver (part I.), A. C. McDonald (part I.), I. C. McCordie (part I.), V. C. McDonald (part I.), G. H. Patterson (part I. and II.), M. G. Rattray (part I.), K. R. Somerville (part I.), R. H. Trenouth (part I.), H. A. Wheeler (part II.), K. S. Wrightman, (part D.H.), M. Wilson (part I.), M. Young (part I. and II.)

PERSONAL

Mr. James Roy, Sarnia, spent Sunday at his home here.

Mrs. W. H. Harper is visiting her mother in Windsor.

Rev. H. E. Currie is spending his vacation in Toronto.

Miss Jean Fitzgerald is away visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. T. Dodds, Hensal, spent the weekend at his home here.

Miss Jean Stapleford, Yale, is visiting at Mrs. S. Stapleford's.

Mrs. Ward, Oil Springs, is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. Lambert.

Miss Blanche Stapleford is visiting at Rev. Mr. Ford's, Glencoe.

Mr. Cal. Johnston, Detroit, is spending his vacation at his home here.

Rev. S. P. Irwin is spending part of his month's vacation in London.

Mr. Chas. Potter, B.A., and Miss McCaw have returned from Toronto.

Manager Cook, of the Bell Telephone Co., Sarnia, was in town Saturday.

Miss Mary Glenn, Brantford, is spending two weeks holidays at her home here.

Dr. Bentley, Sarnia, District Medical Health Officer, was in town on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will H. Lovell, Champaign, Ill., are visiting at Mr. J. Lovell's.

Miss Anna Cochrane, of Dutton, is spending several days with relatives in town.

Mr. R. W. Marshall, Buffalo, visited his aunt, Mrs. W. D. Cameron, this week.

Clarke Knowles, Fort William, was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Wm. Fowler, this week.

Miss Dorothy Wade, Sarnia, is visiting her cousins, the Misses Tanner, Ontario street.

Miss Lizzie Nixon, London, is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. W. J. Howden, Erie st.

Miss Gladys Shrapnell is spending a few days with friends in the vicinity of Alvinston.

Mr. E. D. Swift was in London Thursday attending the funeral of the late Col. Little.

Miss Verna Wright, Chicago, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Willoughby.

Mrs. W. D. Cameron and Mrs. Wm. Wilson are visiting their sister, Mrs. Wm. Spalding, Forest.

Mrs. Galloway and children, of Sarnia, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Parker.

Miss Margaret Carson, Sarnia, returned home after spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Jas. Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Fuller, London, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Fuller, Simcoe street.

Mr. W. R. Williamson, of the G. T. R. Yards, staff, Port Huron, made a hurried business trip to Watford on Tuesday.

Mr. W. J. Foster, of Fort Saskatchewan, was in Watford on Friday, Mr. W. A. Thompson, left Monday for Buffalo and New York.

Mr. G. W. Kinder, G. T. R. ticket agent, Strathroy, and Mrs. Kinder, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Marwick on Sunday.

H. E. Hume, Ottawa, and S. W. Hume of Boston, Mass., were here this week attending the funeral of their father, the late Mr. Henry Hume.

Mrs. (Dr.) James McGillicuddy, Ovid, Mich., and two children, are visiting at Mr. E. McGillicuddy's and other relatives. Dr. McGillicuddy spent Sunday here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Wanless, Mr. and Mrs. J. Mavity, and Miss J. Mavity, Sarnia, motored to Watford Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Class.

Mr. Jas. Adams, of the Adams Waggon Works, Brantford, with Mrs. Adams and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mihell, of Strathroy, visited at Mr. T. G. Mitchell's Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Haskett, Palmerston, were here this week on their way to attend the funeral of Mrs. Haskett's sister, Mrs. N. Claude Bright, of Bosanquet, who died last Saturday.

Mr. C. E. Phillips, of East Tawas, Mich., was a Watford visitor on Friday last. Some 35 years ago Mr. Phillips' family lived in Watford, his father being the contractor who built the Lawrence planning mill. The son, when here, was known by the nickname of "Yankee."

Among those from a distance who attended the funeral of the late Mr. Henry Hume on Sunday, were—Mr. and Mrs. J. Downhama, Strathroy; Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Carr, Mr. and Mrs. G. Brown, Sarnia; Mrs. H. Turnbull, Traverse City, Mich.; and Mr. Alex. McLachlan, Wyoming.

A gentleman from Chicago, who has been over a large part of Michigan and western Ontario, says the crops in Lambton County are the best he has seen.

Death of Mr. Henry Hume.

The decease took place on Friday last of one of Watford's oldest residents in the person of Henry Hume, well known in the district as a contractor and builder. His last illness was a long and painful one, borne with much patience and fortitude. Born in Warwick township in 1838, son of James Hume and Elizabeth Hume, his long and active life was identified with Watford and its immediate vicinity, and many substantial buildings bear testimony to his energetic labors.

The late Mr. Hume is survived by a brother John, resident of Elkhorn, Man., and two sisters, Mrs. Arch McLachlan, of Wyoming, and Miss Annie Hume, still residing on the old homestead in Warwick township, also his wife, two sons and four daughters.

The funeral was held on Sunday, the service being conducted by Rev. J. C. Forster, pastor of the Presbyterian Church. The pall bearers were J. H. Hume, W. Marwick, S. Louks, J. Stanger, J. Livingston and J. S. Williams.

The family express their most grateful appreciation of the kindnesses shown by friends during the past few weeks.

BORN.

In Brooke, July 24, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Edwards, a son.

In Warwick, on Monday, Aug. 21st, to Mr. and Mrs. John Cooper—twin boys.

On Thursday, July 10th, at Balgonie, Sask., the wife of J. P. Laugan, formerly of Arkona, a daughter.

In Adelaide, on July 13th, to Mr. and Mrs. Loftus Muxlow, a daughter, Adeline Serene.

In Caradoc, on June 20th, to Mr. and Mrs. John Ogg, a son.

In Warwick, on July 11th, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stewart, Jr., a son.

At Kingscourt, Township of Warwick, on July 14th, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Birkinshaw, a son.

In Watford, on July 19th, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pearce, a daughter.

MARRIED.

At the Brooke Methodist Parsonage on Wednesday, July 23rd, 1913, by the Rev. S. V. R. Pentland, Mr. James O'Connell, to Mrs. Ruth E. Patterson, both of Watford.

DIED.

In Watford, on Friday, July 18th, Henry Hume, in his 76th year.

In Bosanquet, on Sunday, July 13th, Mira, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rawlings, aged 4 years.

In Bosanquet, on Thursday, July 10th, 1913, Mr. John O'Hara, in his 83rd year.

In Napier, on Friday, July 11th, Nina Vera, youngest daughter of Ogle R. Vera, and Eliza Gough, aged 14 years and 10 months. Intermment made in Gough's burying grounds.

In Strathroy, on Saturday, July 12th, 1913, Beatrice Dyke, aged 69 years.

In Plympton, on Saturday, July 12th, Catharine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Blunden, aged 10 years.

In Weidman, on Thursday, July 17th, 1913, Jessie Balie, relict of the late Henry Groff, aged 89 years.

In Sarnia, Saturday, July 19th, 1913, William Needham Hossie, of Moore, aged 32 years, 11 months, 20 days.

WATFORD COUNCIL.

Watford, July 18th, 1913.

Special meeting of Council at call of Reeve. Present—Reeve, Fowler, McKercher, Hawn and Doan. Meeting called to confer with Fire Co. committee re purchasing a chemical fire extinguisher, and roof on the Wire Works.

McKercher—Fowler, that we consider it is not advisable to purchase a chemical engine at the present time, as we would prefer spending our money in fire protection that would reduce our rate of insurance, and that the Reeve call a meeting of ratepayers to discuss the question at the earliest date possible.—Carried.

Fowler—McKercher, that we adjourn.—Carried.

July 21st, 1913.

Special meeting of Council called by Reeve to consider tenders for roof on Wire Works and communication of Andrews Wire Works. Present—Reeve, Fowler, McKercher and Doan.

Fowler—McKercher, that we leave tenders for roof on Wire Works over until Tuesday, 22nd inst., to meet at 8 o'clock p.m.—Carried.

July 22nd, 1913.

Adjourned meeting of Council. Present—Reeve, Fowler, McKercher, Doan and Hawn.

Fowler—Hawn, that the repairing of Wire Works roof be left to Commissioner McKercher.—Carried.

Hawn—Doan, that we adjourn.—Carried.

W. S. FULLER, Clerk.

Mrs. William C. Dillon, Sarnia, announces the engagement of her daughter, Mabelle Maude, to Dr. Don. R. Callum, Toronto, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Callum, Sarnia. The marriage will take place in September.

WARWICK.

Mrs. Conkrite and daughter Verna, are visiting at F. Cook's.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Stevenson visited Mrs. John Bartley, Sr., this week.

Rev. H. Willams, Nile, Ont., called on his cousins, I. J. Kadey's, this week.

Miss Annie McLaren, Tiverton, visited her cousin, Miss Annie Ross and friends.

Misses Irene and Lena Kerr, of London, are visiting relatives on the 2nd line east.

Mrs. E. J. Griffith, Sr., London, was the guest of her brother, Mr. Wm. Holbrook, on Saturday last.

Misses Leda and Reta McJennett, of Smith's Creek, Mich., have been visiting relatives on the Main Road.

Misses Lizzie and Rheta Higgins returned home last week after spending a few days with relatives in Sarnia.

Mrs. E. J. W. Griffith, London, and baby Olive, is visiting her uncle, Mr. Wm. Holbrook, for a month or so.

Miss Irene Kerr, of London, has returned home after spending a week's vacation with relatives on the 2nd line.

P. E. Fuller, Watford, purchased lately from W. H. Eastbrook, 6th line, the pure bred registered cow "Pearline" 85928.

William Ross, of Warwick township, purchased the Crawford farm, being the east half of lot 25, con. 4, N.E.R. in said Township. Consideration \$4450.

The many friends of Mrs. John T. Muxlow, who is taking the rest cure at St. Joseph's Hospital, London, will be pleased to know that she is progressing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and Master Nelson and Gordon Smith, of Niagara Falls, have returned home, having spent the past few days with relatives at Wisbeach.

Mr. O'Connor, of the Petrolia Bridge Company, is erecting a fine new bridge on the Main Road, and has made arrangements to build the bridge at Warwick Village.

BROOKE

Miss Gertrude Burton, Kirkton, is visiting at Mr. J. Kelly's, 12th line.

Mrs. L. O. Watcher, of Hamilton, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Edgar, 10th line.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Price and family of Toledo, Ohio, arrived at Mr. Wm. Green's on Saturday last. Mr. Price left on Monday to join a party who will tour the Canadian West.

The Brooke Municipal Telephone Co. would consider it a favor if subscribers when in Watford would drop into the Sterling Bank and pay their accounts. The bank has a statement of all accounts due. j18-4t

John Pollock, of the 12th line, while unloading wheat with slings, had the misfortune to have his hip dislocated. The trip rope broke and a large quantity of sheaves fell on him with the above result. It required the services of Dr. Sawyer, of Napier, and Drs. Newell and Kelly, of Watford, to reduce the dislocation.

CHOP STUFF.

Forest will hold a race meet on August 20th.

Leamington has a Chink with a white wife.

Sanford S. Finch, one of Sarnia's oldest pioneers, died on Monday, aged 91 years.

Strathroy Dominion Day Committee placed \$300 in the bank, the surplus from the 1st July celebration.

The Strathroy barbers have formed an association and have issued a revised price list and schedule of closing hours.

W. R. Brown, B.A., of Sarnia, has been engaged by the Forest High School Board, to teach English and classics, at a salary of \$1,200 per annum.

The Muxlow farm on the 12th line, Enniskillen, was sold under a mortgage last week, the purchaser being Mr. J. N. Metcalfe. It was sold for \$5700 or at the rate of \$57.00 per acre.

William H. McGhee, for many years clerk and treasurer of the township of Sombra, has resigned his positions. Mr. McGhee, who is a farmer, is postmaster at Wilkesport, and is getting up in years.

H. J. Miller, clerk of Adelaide, has resigned on account of poor health, and Ambrose Topping, reeve, resigned to take Mr. Miller's place as clerk. An election is now in order to secure a new reeve.

A stiff fine was levied on a Tilbury man last week for attempting to dispose of a case of rotten eggs. The law is very strict in regard to the sale of impure food, and imprisonment can be added to the more flagrant abuses.

A subscription of \$44.50 was raised in Leamington for the erection of a boat and bath house at the lake there for the use of the town's citizens, the town council passing a resolution for the balance necessary to make up the \$1,000.

On Monday last Mr. W. J. Jackson's barn on the townline of Enniskillen was destroyed by fire along with one horse and two colts that were in it. The loss will be a heavy one to Mr. Jackson, as part of his season's cut of hay had just been drawn in.

ing.
to meet August 2nd
ownership and general
current year and for

ice to be Closed

Department have is-
close Widder Post-
one of the very
ublished in Western
lished in the late-
go. Mail reached it
in Wisbeach on the
courier met the Lon-
Wisbeach and deliv-
and Widder. A few
route was extended
d "Proctor's Mills,"
ll, familiarly known
from which place he
er 50 years, was the
Sylvan. He started
l at Widder, then
red his bag to the
each. No doubt by
e rural mail delivery
ach and Sylvan will
existence then will
on to be forgotten.
after Mr. Widder,
yors of the Canada
ed to lay out where
en called the Huron

urse in High
ols

the course for high-
ers, the Education
nounced its intention
se of study in agri-
schools and college-
they open next
minations in which
bonus options for
al schools and the
All institutes are
h suitable plots of
ments and demon-
ed on. Plots will
ious students, and
carried on in the
nine the nature of

nts of \$100 will be-
r collegiate institute
work, and of \$75-
achers engaging in
at, until a teacher
y representative of
griculture may con-

cus clown to turn a
ng a new joke.

re easy marks for
ite that can throw

hose faces are their
to the hands of re-

LL
ERS

SAMPLES
MAKING
ECTION

r patterns
etting low
l in price
t in short

convenient
ome down
nd for one
ple books.

LAREN

TATIONER,
se Licensee

Stor