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ARKONA

Butter 17c, eggs 16c.—J. G. BROWN.
 Miss Mabel Crawford is visiting friends in London this week.

A. feather renovating outfit is doing business in town this week.

Miss Elba Foster, of London, is visiting her mother here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Muma, of Sarnia, are visiting friends in town this week.

Mr. Ellis Augustine, of Aughrim, visited his brother Albert in town this week.

Special prices on screen doors and windows.—J. G. BROWN.

Mr. and Mrs. John Norton, of Owen Sound, are visiting friends and relatives in town.

Mrs. Campbell, of Ann Arbor, and Miss Campbell, of Texas, are visiting at W. J. Evans'.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Thorpe, of Nipigon, are visiting at Mrs. Thorpe's home here.

Walter McGillicuddy, Howard McKay and George Fair, of Buffalo, are in town this week.

Albert Lankin, of the Sovereign Bank, is spending his holidays at his home in Granton.

Miss Bernice Foster, who has been spending a few weeks at Pt. Frank, returned Saturday.

Secure your strawberries as soon as possible as the season is about over. Many of the smaller patches are already finished.

Sweet corn, millet and Lucerne clover.—J. G. BROWN.

Mr. Baker, who succeeds Rev. T. Suowden as pastor of the Methodist church has arrived and will occupy the pulpit of the Methodist Church on Sunday evening.

Rev. Dr. Wills, who has been a missionary in China for the last 39 years and who is on his way home to England by way of the Pacific route, is paying a few days visit with Mr. Harber. He will speak to the Mission Band Sunday afternoon and will conduct the services in the Baptist church on Sunday evening.

BASEBALL.

The games that the boys have been dreaming about for the past week are played and over. After trimming Old City on Monday nothing but Chicago or New York seemed big enough to go up against. However they condescended to play a couple of games with the McClarys, the champions of London, for a little practice as it were. A double header was played here on Tuesday afternoon. In regard to games we have few comments to make. The McClarys are a fast aggregation and a splendid lot of ball players. We think it did our boys good to meet them, they now know their class. The score tells the tale, yet not all. Attendance 400, gate receipts \$65.

1st game—1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
 McClarys—0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—12
 Arkona—0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1

Batteries, Kerr and Cook, Waddell, Towle and Smith.

2nd game—1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
 McClarys—4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—11
 Arkona—0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2

Batteries, Kerr and Cook, Smith and Towle.

McHugh, Costello and Towle carried off the batting honors. Stan Smith headed the list with strike outs.

ISLES-PERRY.

A pretty wedding was celebrated at the home of Mrs. W. P. Perry, Main Road, Warwick, on Monday afternoon, June 26th, when their only daughter, Drusilla E. was married to Mr. Andrew Isles, of Wisbeach. The bride party came out to the verandah during the playing of Mendelssohn's Wedding March, by Miss Jean Ross, and the ceremony was conducted by the Rev. E. B. Horne. The bride was dressed in a dainty gown of white silk and carried a bunch of bridal roses and white carnations, she was accompanied by her brother, James Perry, and was attended by little Alma Auld, carrying the marriage ring in a basket of orange blossoms, and Miss Merle Dodds maid of honor, both nieces of the groom. The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome Carmen bracelet set with pearls, to the ring bearer a pearl stick pin, and to the ring bearer a pearl stick pin. The numerous wedding presents were beautiful and useful. After a wedding dinner Mr. and Mrs. Isles left amid showers of blossoms and good wishes, on the evening express for a short trip.

HARPER-CAMPBELL.

A very pretty and happy event occurred at the home of Mr. Robert Campbell, 2nd line, N. E. R. Warwick, on Wednesday, July 3rd, when his daughter, Miss Mary Adelia, was united in marriage to Dr. A. W. Harper, a prominent young physician of Manion, Mich. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. F. Hoskings, of

Warwick, in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends of the contracting parties. Many beautiful presents were received by the bride, who is one of Warwick's most popular and esteemed young ladies. A dainty luncheon was served after the ceremony, and the happy young couple were the recipients of numerous congratulations on the happy event. Dr. Harper is an old Warwick boy, who is meeting with great success in his profession, and many friends join in wishing the young couple all happiness and prosperity.

London Won two Games From Arkona.

Arkona, July 9.—"Rube" Kerr, the big McClary twirler, put the "kibosh" on the local team to-day in a one-sided double-header. Waddell, from Forest, was on the rubber for the Arkonaites in the first spasm and was ripped and bruised to the tune of 18 bingles, most of them for extra bases. When the dust flew northward and all was peaceful once more, the score board read 12-1.

The second game was simply a continuation of the slaughter and poor Smith, the fast local man, was forced to stand there and watch the sphere go sailing off the willow with the rapidity and regularity that was certainly cruel to say the least. The Macs gained 11 runs in this game on 7 hits, while their opponents were content with two. "Rube" Kerr pitched both games and was it with a capital "I" all the time. In the eighteen innings he caused 21 to fan, allowed two to walk, while the hits numbered 7.

The Arkonaites played fair ball, but were outclassed. Special features were the fast fielding of Costello, Eccleston and McHugh, the latter doing exceptionally well. Costello and McHugh had six hits apiece, most of them for extra bases. They are a fast bunch and, as one of the spectators put it, "By gum, them cantankerous critters ought to be in Chicago, and not cavorting around these here pastures."

The score:

FIRST GAME.
 R. H. E.
 McClarys.....12 17 2
 Arkona.....1 4 7

Kerr and Pook; Waddell and Towle.

SECOND GAME.
 R. H. E.
 Arkona.....2 3 8
 McClarys.....11 17 1
 S. Smith and Towle; Kerr and Pook.—Free Press.

WARWICK COUNCIL.

The Council met July 8th, 1907, as per adjournment. Members all present.

The following accounts were passed:—Frank Cleland, cleaning gravel pit east of Arkona, \$5; Thos. Williams, 7½ days work in gravel pit, \$11.25; Geo. McDonald, 5 week's keep of Mrs. McDonald, \$7.50; Guide-Advocate, printing, \$22.75; N. H. Cleland, 2nd qrs. salary, \$20.00; Wm. Richardson, com. equalizing schools, \$2.16; H. Brain, work on McGill drain, \$138.25; Wm. Doan, ½ value of 1 sheep killed and one damaged by dogs, \$7.35; Jno. Leggate, sharpening pick and handle for same, \$2; Jno. Leggate, 282 loads gravel, \$28.20; Mrs. Dunlop, 3 months' keep of P. Thompson, \$20.00; Wm. Healey, 2 day's statute labor performed more than required in 1906, \$2.00; H. Waugh, to meet gratis work on 9 S. R., \$10.00; W. D. McKenzie, work in gravel pit \$20.00; W. D. McKenzie, 436 loads gravel, \$39.24; Thos. Luckham, for tile on 13 S. R., he to relieve the Council from maintaining open ditch for all time to come, \$20.

Hall—Graham, that the account of the Standard Printing Co. be filed and that the Clerk be instructed to write them for particulars.—Carried.

Edwards—Graham, that account of Robt. Fleming for gravel be filed and that the Reeve be instructed to see Mr. Fleming to arrange a settlement.—Carried.

Graham—Raycraft, that we instruct the Clerk to notify C. A. Jones to examine and continue to a proper outlet the Six Sideroad drain.—Carried.

Graham—Hall, that we give a special grant of \$50.00 on 18 S. R. to be met by the same amount as follows: Mr. Hall \$12.50, Mr. Raycraft \$12.50, and Mr. Edwards \$25.00, work to be done between the bridge and Mr. Leggate's bush and bridge at Mr. Fair's gate, and if not done by the 15 of Sept. the grant to be cancelled.—Carried.

Edwards—Graham, that the Clerk prepare a by-law for next meeting for raising \$1500 for improvements in S. S. Nos. 7 and 2 Warwick and Brooke.—Carried.

The Council then adjourned to meet on Monday, Aug. 5, 1907, at one o'clock p.m.

N. HERBERT, Clerk.

Died at Strathroy.

Strathroy, July 5.—The Union Jack is at half-mast today at the town hall in honor of the late ex-Mayor Wm. A. Armstrong, who passed away at the home of his mother on Victoria street yesterday afternoon.

The late Mr. Armstrong had been suffering from Bright's disease for a number of years, but was able to attend to his business affairs and had only been confined to the house during the last two months, when he passed peacefully away on Thursday afternoon. The late Mr. Armstrong was the second son of the late W. A. and Elizabeth Armstrong, and was born in Strathroy 49 years ago. With the exception of two or three years out West he spent his entire life in Strathroy.

Mr. Armstrong took a keen interest in the town's affairs and was not only a councillor for a number of years but mayor of the town for two years, 1897 and 1898. In the Methodist Church, where the deceased was a devout member, he occupied several important positions, and will be greatly missed.

REUNION NOTES.

Only five weeks away.

The official badges are in good demand. Better secure one early.

Procure your decoration supplies early. The supply is limited.

The Old Boys and Girls from the Canadian Soo are coming down in full force.

Addresses of welcome will be given from the bandstand the first day of the Reunion.

The concert the first night of the Reunion will be one of the best ever given in Watford.

The officers of the Watford Old Boys have been invited to attend the Kincairdine Old Boys' Reunion July 22-27.

The parade on Monday will be the finest ever seen in Watford. The societies will be well represented, and some special features put on.

Several applications are being received for positions in the Old Boys' base ball team. The sporting committee is very particular, and you have to show them.

The Watford Silver Band, although somewhat crippled in numbers, will take part in the parade, and will put on a specialty that will cause no little amusement.

A meeting of all committees is called for Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Council Chamber. Citizens generally are invited to attend. Any suggestions will be appreciated.

The Committee hope to have a membership fee of 1000. If you are not already a member get in line. Members tickets admit free to grounds both afternoons of the Reunion.

Only a few weeks until the Reunion. Order your official badge now as the supply is limited, will be on sale at Downing's, Guide-Advocate and Miss Nesbitt's studio, Main St., over Fitzgerald's law office.

The contract for decorating the town has been let to J. J. Turner & Sons, of Peterborough, who make a specialty of this business. They guarantee a first class job. The firm has the contract for the Ottawa Old Boys for which they receive \$1,500. The decorations will be placed in position on Saturday, and taken down on Wednesday.

THE Rev. R. W. Howard, M. A., has accepted the invitation to preach in Trinity Church on the Sunday before Reunion, and Rev. A. Legford, one of the first Methodist ministers in this district, has been invited to fill the Methodist Church pulpit, other denominations are arranging with former pastors.

Tickets for the Reunion will be issued on all roads in Canada, west of Pt. Arthur, from August 15th, good to return until August 24th. If 300 attend, which is practically certain, a single fare will be given. Where the return fare exceeds \$2.50, passengers are required to obtain standard certificates from the agent where tickets are purchased. These will be used by the railway representative in attendance at the Reunion, and, when presented according to conditions attached, will entitle holder to free return ticket in the territory of the Eastern Canadian Passenger Association. Circulars containing railway instructions will be forwarded next week.

Are you a member?

LIST NO. 30.
 Jno. Beattie, Brooke.
 L. H. Cook, Watford.
 Mrs. C. Salisbury, Watford.
 Miss M. S. Sabury, Watford.
 Miss Essa Howden, London.
 G. R. Baird, Simcoe.
 G. G. Imlay, Ethel.
 Mrs. G. G. Imlay, Ethel.
 L. J. Williams, B. A., Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.
 W. B. Race, B. A., Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

SERGEANT BATE'S GRIEVANCE.

Sergeant James Bates, late of His Majesty's Royal Infantry, having served for a quarter of a century in the British army is very sore at the treatment that has been meted out to him. The Sergeant has recently been released from the Sarnia jail, after spending nearly five months in that institution and claims that there was no cause for his committal. He was charged with a number of crimes, than poverty and considers his detention as a criminal unjust and illegal. It appears to be harsh treatment for an old veteran to be punished in this way. If he was unable to support himself the House of Refuge was the place for him. The attention of the Provincial Secretary will be called to the case.

KERTCH.

Miss Jessie Dewar, of Kertch, was very successful at her recent graduation examination at the London Conservatory of Music, winning the scholarship given by the Heintzman & Co., piano manufacturers to the best pupil at the examination. Mr. Rudolph Ganz, the celebrated Swiss pianist, was the examiner. Miss Dewar is now an A.L.C.M., piano graduate of W. Caven Barron, principal of the London Conservatory.

BROOKE.

The Rev. T. B. Conpland will (D. V.) give an instructive Lecture on the Holy Land, in the Bethesda Methodist Church on Monday night at 8.30 o'clock. Illustrated with lime light views of eastern scenery. Also 500 feet of life moving pictures. Admission, adults 20c, children, 10c.

Miner's Strike at Cobalt.

Ottawa, Ont., July 9.—Mr. F. A. Ackland, secretary of the Labor Department, left for Cobalt at noon to-day to explain to the striking miners the provisions of the Lemieux Act. The miners are evidently under the impression that the Act applies only to coal mines and not to

TEACHER WANTED

TEACHER WANTED for S. S. No. 11, Watford, duties to commence Aug. 11th. Applications received till the 20th of July. Apply to J. 12-21 J. OS. PARKER, Sec. Treas. Kenwood E.O.

silver and other metaliferous mines. The Act, however, requires an investigation by a board of conciliation and investigation before a strike or lockout can take place in any mine.

Mr. Ackland will endeavor to induce the miners now on strike to apply for a board and return to work pending its findings. The terms of the Act make the men liable to imprisonment for striking before an enquiry is held.

The annual Salvation Army S. S. picnic will be held at Port Frank on the 18th inst.

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