

**LAMBTON FALL FAIR
WATFORD
TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY
September 2nd and 3rd, 1917**

How to Can Carrots

When thinning carrot beds be careful to row away vegetables as large as possible for this size is the best for canning. Carrots thoroughly with a stiff brush, blanch for four to six minutes then plunge into cold water for a minute and remove outer skin with a paring knife. The carrots may be cut into cross sections or used whole. After packing into jars add a spoonful of salt per quart of water, fill jars with hot water, and partially tighten them for an hour and a half. If cans seal completely before opening. Remove jars from boiling water and invert out of a tray, wrap jars in dark paper to prevent bleaching.

Read This out Loud

There is one who sleeps. A sleeper in which a sleeper sleeps. A sleeper that on which the sleeper runs. The sleeper sleeps. Therefore the sleeper sleeps in the sleeper. The sleeper carries the sleeper over the sleeper. The sleeper under the sleeper. The sleeper carries the sleeper jumps the sleeper. The sleeper wakes the sleeper in the sleeper. The sleeper on the sleeper. The sleeper is no longer any sleeper in the sleeper on the sleeper. I readily understand that one who sleeps referred to are the sleepers, upon which the rails are astonishing how intensely one can become upon attempted this aloud at any speed.

Left For The West

I. Hume, C. P. R. agent ticket-selling persons for the West. Tickets—Mrs. John Hall and Mrs. Dan Thompson. Tickets—Mrs. John Hall and Mrs. Dan Thompson. Tickets—Mrs. John Hall and Mrs. Dan Thompson.

BOWLING

Members of Sarnia bowlers were here for afternoon to play a County match with Watford. The score: Watford 117, Sarnia 108. In attendance: J. McCrecher, F. A. M. Cleas, J. W. McLaren, F. O. McIlveen, skip 8. L. Kinnell, G. Harper, S. Stapleford, S. P. Irwin, skip 19. Tickets will pay for the Guide-Com now until Jan. 1st, 1918.



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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

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

READ THE ADVERTISEMENTS.
FINE STOCK of Plush and Sealtette Coats.—SWIFTS.
NEXT Wednesday is the last half-holiday for the year.
If this one be finished up right there "ain't going to be any next war."
THE hen is regaining her dignity. The price of eggs is once more soaring.
HYDRO LIGHT was off for the best part of half an hour Sunday evening just before nine o'clock.
WATFORD BOWLERS play a County League game at Wyoming next Tuesday.
LONDON HOUSEWIVES' recipes now being: "First catch your sugar, or your eggs."
Now the housekeeper is beginning to get more concerned over the winter's coal supply.
EAST LAMBTON Liberals meet in convention at Alvinston next Tuesday, Sept. 11th.
THE oat crop of Ontario is 125 million bushels as compared with an average of 100 million.
TALL corn stories are on the rounds. A Petrolia man claims stalks 10 feet, 4 inches, and a Dresden man 11 feet.
ASK TO SEE the new Ladies' Frieze Coats at SWIFTS'.
BATHLESS days will have little effect on Germany. Eighteen baths a minute would not wash away the Prussians' sins.
EVERY household in Canada will be furnished by the government with a pamphlet telling "How to live in war time."
THREE good second hand base burners taken in exchange for furnaces. Also full line of ranges and oak heaters.—T. DODDS & SON.
SINGLE FARE on the G. T. R. on Tuesday and Thursday next to the London Fair, and fare and one-third other days next week.
JOHN WISE says: "Another advantage of khaki is that it don't show face powder on the left shoulder as the old army scarlet did."
THOUGH, as vehicles of pleasure, motor cars are fine and fleet, as a vehicle of courtship.
THE old top buggy can't be beat.
HAVE YOU placed your order for your Fall Suit? Do it now at SWIFTS'.
ONLY a few more weeks and the fall fairs will be with us again. Now is the time to start to get your exhibits ready if you want to win the prizes.
REMEMBER there is an embargo on the use of canned vegetables until further notice. The penalty is \$200 under the War Measures Act for violation of the order.
ONTARIO'S crops for 1917, as forecast by the returns made to the provincial Bureau of industries, promise to be the largest in history, both in size and in value.
MISS ESTHER HUME of the public school staff, was successful in her examination for Part I of the Summer Course of 1917 in Household Science recently held at Toronto.
AS the price of wheat will likely continue abnormally high until after the war it is expected that a much larger acreage than ever before will be prepared for fall wheat in this district.
DRYING fruit and vegetables is an old art that is being revived this year. The housewife can use this method without trouble and with the simplest facilities. A few vegetables may be put aside to dry any time.
MANY households have put into effect beefless and baconless days Tuesdays and Fridays each week and have no apprehension of any bodily calamity. They rather feel cheerful at the sense of duty accomplished.
NIFTY SUITS for young men, ready to wear.—SWIFTS'.
THE Lambton exemption tribunals under the Military Service Act will be located at Petrolia, Alvinston, Theford, Forest, Watford, Dresden, Thamesville, Bothwell, Sarnia, Wyoming, Bridgen, Courtright, Wilkesport, Edy Mills.
No matter what the boys do after they come back, try and remember what they did in France for you. They are not angels. But "some of the worst and some of the best" are standing between our homes, our daughters and the fate of Belgium and all deserve equal credit.
COMMISSIONER Johnston of the Fruit Branch of the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, reporting on peaches in Lambton on Aug. 28th says:—"While a good deal lighter than usual the crop is fair, particularly along Lake Huron, where there is perhaps 50 per cent. of a normal crop."
A COPY of the Canada Gazette extra containing the order in council regarding the sale of canned vegetables can be seen at this office. The order prohibits the sale or purchase until further notice of canned peas, beans, tomatoes, beets, celery, corn, spinach, rhubarb and pumpkins.

EGGS still keep soaring. FLORENCE bows here on the League schedule to-night.
MR. THOMAS FORTUNE is ill, having had a stroke on Tuesday.
THE new Caps and Hats are in. Get the latest style.—SWIFTS'.
WATFORD public school opened Tuesday with an attendance of 165 pupils.
POTATOES are in little demand as most people are using the home-grown article.
R. BROCK has moved his implement business into the north end of the Wagon Works building.
THE next meeting of the Lambton I. O. D. E. will be held at the home of Mrs. Connelly on Sept. 18th, instead of the 11th.
THE Annual Harvest Thanksgiving Services will be held in Trinity Church on Sunday, Sept. 23rd. The Rev. H. B. Ashby, rector of the Church of the Redeemer, London, will be the special preacher.
AT the annual bowling tournament held at Petrolia on Labor Day the Watford players did some good work. In the contest for the Corey Cup they reached the semi-finals and in the consolation games they bowled in the finals.
BUY your Sweater Coats and Underwear now.—SWIFTS'.
THE Presbytery of Sarnia, will meet in Alvinston Presbyterian Church on Friday afternoon at 2.30. Rev. Mr. Woodside, of Brantford, and Rev. D. C. McGregor, of London, are to be present and give addresses on War Conditions.
REV. GEO. W. CONNERS, pastor of the Baptist Church will preach next Sunday, Sept. 9th, on the subject "Personal Responsibility." Services on the field at the usual hours, Wyoming 11 a.m., Calvary 3 p.m., Watford 7 p.m. Everyone cordially invited.
THE casualty list published Wednesday contained the name of Signaler Harold Ketch, of Alvinston, killed in action, Aug. 15. Signaler Ketch was publisher of the Alvinston Free Press at the time he enlisted and relinquished the business to do his bit for King and Country.
OWING to the unprecedented need of farm laborers in Western Canada and the lateness of the harvest, arrangements have been made by the Canadian Northern Railway for an additional excursion on September 10th and September 12. See ad. elsewhere in this issue.
PRIOR to leaving Sault Ste. Marie for Brantford, Mr. W. B. Race, formerly of Watford, was presented with a handsome gold watch by the citizens of the Sault, as a mark of their appreciation of Mr. Race's work as Principal of the High School there.
We are showing a fine range of Plush and Sealtette Coats.—SWIFTS'.
NITRO bulbs make a nice white light for reading. Frosted bulbs make a nice mellow light for bedrooms. 10-watt bulbs are just the size to have burning all night. We also carry all sizes of tungsten, nitro, electric irons, toasters, and radiant electric stoves.—T. DODDS & SON.
THE Labor Day holiday passed off very quietly in town. Four rinks of bowlers went to Petrolia for the day, and a number attended the celebrations at Arkona and Wyoming. The lakeside also claimed its usual number. The day was an ideal one for a holiday and all report a good time.
WE now have beefless days, baconless days, canned vegetableless days, and motorless days are spoken of for the near future. If we have many more coalless days they will bring some cheerless days, and moneyless days, but it these days will grumble much.
LAMBTON FARMERS should be truly thankful to Almighty God for the abundant harvest. The thanksgiving collections in the churches this year should be the largest on record. Europe starves. Lambton grows fat in pocket. Let all do their bit in helping to relieve the distress across the water.
BUY your Ladies' Coats now. Stock full and complete.—SWIFTS'.
A COMMUNICATION from Militia Headquarters, Ottawa, states that owing to there having been a sufficient number of successful candidates at the recent examinations for admission to the Royal Military College for the year 1917, no applications by matriculants, for entrance to this college, can be considered.
PUBLISHERS of a Montreal paper were unable to obtain newsprint to continue publication although they offered spot cash for it. Manufacturers of paper are intimating that they expect the Government to permit them to raise prices again, but this is the first instance on record where a newspaper with adequate cash has been forced out of business.
A LETTER issued by the assistant adjutant-general of this district urges that all matters relating to soldiers and kindred subjects should be taken to the military authorities, who will give prompt and sympathetic attention to any grievance. Military district headquarters should receive all complaints arising in the counties of Essex, Kent, Lambton, Elgin, Middlesex, Oxford, Waterloo, Wellington, Perth, Huron and Bruce. Letters addressed to the assistant adjutant-general, militia district headquarters, London, Ont., will receive attention, and if information is desired it will be furnished.

THE Boy's new bloomer pants, pinch back suits.—SWIFTS'.
THIS week Lambton's 149, I. O. D. E. shipped parcels, each containing two pairs of socks, gum, and milk chocolate to the soldiers from Watford, who are now in France. At the end of the week the bale of clothing for Belgian children, which the chapter has been working on during the summer months, will be completed and sent to the Belgian Relief Fund.
A NUMBER of Masonic lodges in Canada are providing each of its members who serve in the war with a Masonic passport, commending to the brotherly care of all Masons who may find him in need of help. The passport will be printed in English, French and German, and will be on parchment. It will be carried in a folder attached to a belt to wear next to the body.
HAVING had a good deal of trouble with autoists and other drivers of vehicles a rural mail carrier in Elgin county waited on County Magistrate Hunt to make inquiry as to his rights on the road. It appears that the carrier had been receiving much abuse from drivers because it is necessary in his delivery of mail to drive on both sides of the road. The Magistrate was of the opinion that the carrier has a perfect right on all sides of the road in the performance of his duties.
THE Watford Baptist Church has arranged to hold their Anniversary Services on Sunday and Monday, Sept. 16th and 17th, next. Rev. H. C. Newcombe, B. A., B. Th., Pastor of the Simcoe Baptist Church has been secured for the occasion. Pastor Newcombe is Chaplain of the 133 (Norfolk) Battalion and has recently returned from overseas. His address on the war on Monday evening will be of intense interest to all. Detailed announcement will appear on the bills and in next week's issue of the Guide-Advocate.

PERSONAL
Mrs. T. A. Adams is visiting friends in Orillia.
Mrs. W. S. Fuller is visiting friends in Toronto.
Miss Jesse Hume returned to Galt for school opening.
Miss E. Isabel Harris returned to Welland on Monday.
Miss Mildred Fortune, London, was home for the holiday.
Mr. Steele and Mr. F. Pritchett motored to London last week.
Dr. A. C. Tanner, Chatham, spent Labor Day at his home here.
Mr. and Mrs. W. Raper have returned from their two weeks' vacation.
Miss Stella McMann left on Monday for her school in Thornbury.
Mrs. Sidney Brown and family visited friends in Petrolia last week.
Miss Maze McMann, Chatham, spent the holiday at her home here.
Miss Winnie Harper, of London, spent the holiday at her home here.
Mr. Harold Howden, Kitchener, spent the week end at his home here.
Dr. Howden and family returned from an extensive motor trip Monday.
Mr. Herb. Willoughby, London, spent the week end at his old home here.
Miss Fern Robinson was the guest of Miss Winnie Harper for the holiday.
Mrs. Thomas, Detroit, spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. A. Mitchell.
Mrs. Wm. Wamsley, of Toronto, spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Thos. Woods.
Mrs. Chas. Thorne, of Port Huron, spent the week end with Mrs. Thos. Woods.
Miss Mary Mansfield will teach the school on the 12th line east, Brooke, this term.
Miss Gladys Shrapnell has resumed her position at the Ingersoll public school.
Miss Davidson has returned to her position on the public school at Melborne.
Miss Crawford, London, spent the week end with her brother, Mr. W. Crawford.
Miss Adams, who has been visiting friends in Toronto, returned home Saturday night.
Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Haldane, Strathroy, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Bate over Sunday.
Mrs. W. A. Wykesmith, Sarnia, is spending a month with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Dodds.
Mr. Walter Scott is spending a few days visiting his two sons, Harry and William, of Detroit.
Mr. F. J. Dodds went to Toronto on business this week and while there will take in the big fair.
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Silverthorn and daughter, London, spent the week end with Mr. Thos. Norris.
Miss Sandford and Miss Henry of London were the guests of Sadie McCausland for the holiday.
Miss Helen Anderson, who has been visiting Mrs. Adams, returned to her home in Orillia last week.
Mrs. R. Armstrong, of Richard's Landing, spent her holidays with her sister, Mrs. Thos. Woods.
Miss Bawden, Clinton, has taken charge of A. Brown & Co's millinery department for the season.
Miss J. MacMillan, Toronto, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. C. Forster, returned home on Wednesday.
Miss Florence Johnston left on Sunday for Burk's Falls, where she has accepted a position on the teaching staff in that town.
Mr. John McGill and niece, Elsie, of Whitenville, Mass., spent the holiday with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott.
Mr. Frank Reid, Sarnia, was in town Wednesday. He is leaving Sarnia for Toronto to look after the interests of his firm in that city.
Mr. Burton Lucas is filling the position of principal of the Point Edward public school. Miss Reta Logan is on the staff of the same school.
Petrolia Advertiser:—"Mrs. Thomas Kelly, of Watford, spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Hopkins, who has been ill for some time."
Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Elliot, Miss Mattie McLeay and R. J. McCormick motored to Kitchener and spent Labor Day with Mrs. R. Moody.
Mrs. D. G. Parker and daughter, Gertrude, and Miss Verna Noble, of Leamington, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Parker.
Mrs. J. M. MacKay and daughter, Florence, and Miss Lorena Humphries returned to Galt after spending their holidays with Mr. and Mrs. J. Humphries.
Mrs. Peter Spence and two children, Marion and Helen, of Brantford, returned home after spending their holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott.
Mr. Con. Roach, Bethesda, Penn., and Mr. Wm. Roche and family, Detroit, motored from Detroit here on Saturday. Mr. Roach Sr. spent Sunday with friends here.
Miss Alice Tanner left on Monday to resume her work at the St. Thomas

BROOKE
Frank Doman has purchased a new improved Ford car.
Miss Gladys Lucas, of Brooke, is spending a week with her friend, Verna Smith, Sarnia.
Mr. and Mrs. H. Swan, of Brooke, motored to Sarnia and spent a few days with friends there.
Mrs. W. S. Shugg and son Orville returned Monday after visiting friends in Brampton and Toronto.
Miss Hazel Saunders returned to her home in the West, having spent the past eight months with her sister, Mrs. A. W. Griffith.
Mr. and Mrs. Herman McLellan have returned to their home in Detroit, after spending two weeks with Mr. McLellan's mother.
Mrs. Colin Campbell of Brooke, while at Hillsboro on Friday, had the misfortune to slip while descending the hill, falling and fracturing her leg. A doctor was called, who reduced the fracture, and she was able to return to her home on Saturday morning.—Forest Standard.
The funeral of Elmer Swartz, of Weidman, was held from his father's residence on Friday afternoon. Elmer went West last spring and with his brother was engaged in carpenter work near Druid's Sack. On August 11 he was taken ill and operated on for appendicitis but failed to recover and a second operation was resorted to but was of no avail. He died in hospital at Druid on August 24th. He was eighteen years of age and well known in Brooke.

WARWICK
Miss Loretta Brady, Strathroy, visited her cousin, Miss Sybil Routley last week.
Miss Sara Caughlin, graduate nurse, Mt. Clemens, spent the week end at her home here.
Hugh McKenzie left on Tuesday for a trip West. He was ticketed for Provost, Alberta.
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Richardson, of Mr. Brydges, spent Labor Day with relatives in Warwick.
Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Sumner and son, Wilfred, Cairngorm, were the guests of Mr. Sidney Routley, Sunday.
Mrs. Frank Lucas and little daughters Evelyn and Eleanor spent last week at the home of W. G. MacKenzie.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Geoghegan and Mr. and Mrs. E. Geoghegan, of London, spent Labor day with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cook.
Miss Donalds MacKenzie, who has spent the past two months at her home here, returned to Winnipeg Saturday via steamer Noronic.
Miss Nellie Leggett, trained nurse, Toledo, O., formerly of Warwick, has joined the Nursing Sisters and will leave soon for France to do her bit.
Mr. and Mrs. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Clark, Mrs. Russell Clark and daughter Helen motored to Petrolia Sunday last and spent the day with Mrs. Beasley.
Mr. Fred Cook and son Lee and Mrs. S. Gilmore and daughter, of Brandon, Man., motored to Westminster and St. Thomas on Saturday, calling at Mr. Cook's old home and relatives in the vicinity.
Mr. B. F. Gregory, second line, wishes to thank the following Watford men who last week came out to his place and helped to stook (thresh) 1200 bushels of grain: J. Mitchell, R. Dodds, F. O. McIlveen, C. Lambert, O. Jacklin and R. McCormick.
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Barnes, Mrs. Allan, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Barnes and two children, Dorothy and Charles, motored from their home in North Branch, Mich., and spent the past week visiting at the home of Reeve Hobbs and other relatives. While here a family picnic was held at Pt. Frank.
On Friday, August 31st, there passed to the great beyond after an illness of about ten weeks, Katharin, beloved wife of Alex. Stewart, Warwick Village, at the age of 60 years, 8 months and 5 days. The late Mrs. Stewart was born in Montague, Ont., and was married to Mr. Stewart about 33 years ago. Besides her husband she leaves two children to mourn her loss, namely, Mrs. Bert Barnes, of Watford, and Robert at home. She is also survived by four sisters, Mrs. Chas. Willoughby, Watford; Mrs. Ellen Douglas, Smith's Falls; Mrs. Devlin, Carleton Place; Mrs. Splane, Appleton; and one brother, Alex. Edwards, of Smith's Falls. The funeral was held from the family residence on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock to the Watford cemetery, the service being conducted by the Rev. W. M. Short, rector of St. Mary's Church. The pall bearers were Harold, Charles and Joseph Stewart, Albert, William and Roy Brush.
Another of the old and much respected residents of the township of Warwick joined the great majority on Friday last, August 31st, in the person of Mr. Andrew Harrower, who passed away at his home on the fourth line in his 76th year, after an illness of about two weeks. The deceased was born Jan. 16th, 1841, on the farm where he died and where he spent his entire life. He was the son of Andrew Harrower and his wife Sarah Williamson. On February 23rd, 1862, he married Miss Isabella McDonaid, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald, of Lanark county, who predeceased him May 22nd, 1910. Four children survive, James and Andrew Harrower, of Warwick, Mrs. Walter Morris, of Windsor, and Mrs. Frank Ward, of Warwick. One sister, Mrs. James Morgan, 4th line, also survives. In the early days Mr. Harrower experienced many of the hardships and drawbacks of the time. He saw the village of Watford, which almost adjoins his home, grow from a few straggling houses to its present prosperous condition. He was a man of quiet disposition, known to everyone in the town and district and was highly respected as a kind-hearted, courteous gentleman. In politics he was a Liberal of the old school, firm in his convictions, but paid every respect to the opinions of others. The funeral took place from the family residence, lot 20, con. 5, S.E.R., on Monday afternoon and was largely attended. The service was conducted by the Rev. R. M. Stevenson, pastor of the Congregational church, of which deceased was a member. The pall bearers were John, William and Richard Williamson, J. S. Williams, I. J. Kadey and John Bryce.
When one of the Russian regiments on the eastern front refused to advance, 48 officers of the same marched steadily and alone towards the enemy until all had been shot down.

THRIFT EXHIBIT NOTES
The "Thrift Exhibit" will be held in the Armories, Watford, on the afternoon of Sept. 13th. Prize lists for vegetables, etc., have been posted in the Public Library, High School and Public School also special prize lists. The judges of the gardens have completed their work and the names of the ladies, Public School pupils and men who have won will be announced at the Exhibit on Sept. 14th. First prize \$3, second \$2, third \$1 awarded in each class. Mr. Brown gives a special prize of \$1 for the tidest back yard in Watford. Entry must be made for this prize on or before Tuesday, 11th Sept. Hand your name to Mr. Brown or Col. Kenward.
Eat what you can—what you can't eat—you can.
Special prize of \$1 will be given for the best collection of canned vegetables. At least three varieties to be shown.
Please bring all articles to be exhibited to the Armories from 4 to 6 o'clock on Sept. 9 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 13th. So that the judges may do their work Friday forenoon.
Doors will be open at 2.30. All Public School pupils admitted free.
Admission for adults 10c. Musical program and refreshment booth as special attractions. Watch next week's Guide for last minute announcements.

CHILDREN'S PERSONALS
Miss Eric Potter has returned home after spending her holidays with her aunt and uncle at Inwood.
Franklin Potter has returned home after spending part of his vacation on the farm.
Among those killed in action, reported this week, appears the name of Pte. G. Ritchie, of Camlachie.