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NOTE AND COMMENT

Kitchener was the great exemplar of duty, and there were those who shuddered at the thought of his unswerving code of efficiency. In the great testing times of life there is no other code that serves. And it is as a testing time of the nations, and of the individuals of the nations, that the present crisis in the world's affairs must be considered. As month after long month rolls on, and the ghastly list of the dead lengthens out, this must be more and more apparent to anyone who thinks, and who sees more in life than a wild night-mare of inhuman butchery.

A peculiar feature of the new liquor law is the failure to impose any limit upon the quantity of liquor that a householder may lawfully import and keep in his residence. Under the Ontario Temperance Act it will be quite lawful for a householder to import, say, forty barrels of whisky if he can find storage room for them on his home premises. He may import a barrel a day if he sees fit, subject only to the cubic capacity of his cellar. Many think this leaves a wide open door through which that ubiquitous creature the "blind pig" may enter.—Toronto World.

CHOP STUFF

Sarnia does not favor the daylight saving scheme.

The horse show at Glencoe has been postponed until June 21st.

Thos. Quinn a well-known Sarnia man died at the age of 80 last Friday.

Mrs. W. K. Gibson, one of Petrolia's oldest residents, died last week.

Wyoming is troubled with dispicable people who despoil flower gardens.

Henry Frayne, Bosanquet, lost a valuable horse by lightning last week.

Mrs. Patrick Dalton died at her home in Ennisville, on Saturday May 27th.

Pte. John Wilson of Petrolia was killed in France May 19. He was a member of the 27th Regt. for six years.

Miss Ottway Pearson and Dalton F. Siston, two Metcalfe young people were married last week.

A steam heating system, will be installed in Strathroy Methodist church at a cost of over \$2,000.

Thirty-five youthful celebrants of the 24th paid fines of \$3.25 each to Magistrate McTavish at Parkhill.

It is proposed to establish a pickle factory at Bothwell if residents of the vicinity can be induced to grow cucumbers.

The Farmers' Club will hold a picnic on the Fair Grounds, Alvinston, on June 20th. The B. & A. Agricultural Society has charge of the program.

The Bell Telephone Co. has notified the Leamington council it is their intention to cancel their franchise with the town as soon as it expires.

Sergt. Thos. Henry May who died from the effects of wounds while a prisoner in Germany, was a son of the late John May of Forest.

Four head of cattle belonging to Henry Hodgson, Lake road, Bosanquet, were killed by lightning on Saturday morning, in the field.

Operations have been started to raise the hull of the sunken steamer Charles S. Price which was wrecked two years ago last November.

One day last week John Graham of the second line Ennisville, while working around his barn fell from a ladder and seriously injured his back.

The Huron Battalion has the distinction of three ministers in the ranks as privates: Rev. T. M. Wesley, Presbyterian minister of Wroster, Rev. A. F. H. Free, Anglican of Gorrie, Rev. J. K. Fairfull, Baptist of Clinton and Auburn.

The death of Kitchener gave a stimulus to recruiting at Windsor, 40 men being passed the next day. It has been stated that offers of units have been made to the dominion Government, including two squadrons of cavalry offered by Reeve Whitsitt of Courtwright.

THE WESTERN FAIR

The Grounds and Buildings at Queen's Park, London, are being put into shape as rapidly as possible for London's great Exhibition to be held this year, September 8th to 16th. The entire park has been in use by the Military authorities since last September and a lot of work will have to be done, in order to be ready for the Exhibition. The fine new steel Grand Stand will be in readiness to accommodate the large crowds expected. The management have under consideration now the installation of a new system of admission turnstiles for both outside gates and Grand Stand. The amusement program this year will be the best possible to secure and the Midway will be a way above the average. There will be two Speed events each day and it is expected that the entire program both afternoon and evening, will be the best ever offered. Prize Lists, entry forms and all information given on application to the Secretary, A. M. Hunt, London, Ont.

WANT COLUMN.

MAN'S COAT FOUND, on 4th line on Tuesday. This office.

ORGANIST WANTED for the Baptist Church, Watford. Apply to S. W. LOUKS.

PAINTERS WANTED—Experienced or beginners. Apply to A. D. HONE, Watford.

WANTED, a Girl or Woman for General Housework. Apply to Mrs. R. M. PINCOMBE, Strathroy, Ont.

GERANIUMS, salvia, hanging baskets, Boston ferns, foliage for sale.—S. STAPLEFORD, Produce Store.

LOST, on Tuesday of last week, on the Nauvoo Road, a man's raincoat. Finder please leave at this office.

FOR SALE.—Brick residence on corner of Front and Warwick Streets. For particulars apply to A. DUNLOP, 237 Grand Ave. E., Chatham, Ont. m31-tf

FOR SALE.—Building opposite Baptist Church known as Salvation Army Barracks. For particulars apply to HARRY WILLIAMSON, Watford. a14-tf

WORN OUT HORSES and fallen animals of any kind bought.—LETT BROS., fur ranchers, lot 18, con. 13, Brooke; Rural phone 4821. Watford P. O. Phone messages at our expense. tf

CONSIDERABLE private and other money to loan on farm property. Several dwelling house properties and two business properties in Watford for sale. Apply to W. E. FITZGERALD, BARRISTER & C., Watford.

TENDERS FOR COAL.—The Board of Education ask for Tenders for Furnace Coal for the Public and High Schools, the same to be in the Secretary's hands by the 17th of June, 1916. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.—D. WATT, Secretary. j9-2

MARKETS

WATFORD

GRAIN AND SEEDS—

Wheat, fall, per bush.....\$0 95 @ \$0 95

Oats, per bush..... 40 40

Barley, per bush..... 48 50

Beans, per bush..... 4 00 4 50

Timothy..... 4 00 5 00

Clover Seed.....12 00 16 00

Alsike..... 9 00 12 00

PROVISIONS—

Butter, per pound..... 22 22

Lard, "..... 18 18

Eggs, per doz..... 23 23

Pork.....13 00 14 00

Flour, per cwt..... 2 50 4 20

Brar, per ton..... 25 00 26 00

Shots, per ton.....26 00 28 00

MISCELLANEOUS—

Wood..... 2 00 2 75

Tallow..... 6 6

Hides..... 12 12

Wool..... 32 42

Hay, per ton.....12 00 14 00

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—

Potatoes, per bag..... 2 00 2 25

POULTRY—

Turkeys, dressed..... 18 21

Turkeys, per lb..... 15 17

Chickens, per lb..... 10 12

Fowl..... 7 10

Ducks..... 11 12

Geese..... 9 10

LONDON

Wheat, fall, per bush.....\$ 95 to \$1 00

Oats, cwt..... 1 75 to 1 75

Butter..... 20 to 23

Eggs..... 22 to 23

Pork.....14 00 to 14 50

TORONTO

To-day's quotations:

Choice heavy steers..... 9 30 to 9 90

Butcher steers, choice..... 9 00 to 9 10

do., good..... 9 00 to 9 10

do., medium..... 8 50 to 8 55

do., common..... 7 75 to 8 00

Heifers, good to choice..... 8 50 to 9 00

do., medium..... 7 50 to 8 00

Butcher cows, choice..... 7 50 to 8 25

do., good..... 5 75 to 6 50

Butcher bulls, choice..... 7 75 to 8 50

do., good..... 7 25 to 8 50

do., medium..... 6 75 to 7 00

Feeders..... 8 00 to 8 25

do., bulls..... 5 50 to 6 00

Stockers..... 7 00 to 7 50

do., light..... 6 00 to 6 50

Canners..... 4 00 to 4 25

Cutters..... 4 50 to 4 75

Milkers, choice, each..... 60 00 to 85 00

Sheep, light, clipped..... 7 50 to 8 00

do., heavy, clipped..... 6 25 to 6 75

do., light, unclipped..... 10 00 to 10 50

do., heavy, unclipped..... 8 50 to 9 50

Spring lambs, each..... 10 50 to 11 50

do., medium..... 6 00 to 9 00

Calves, veal, choice..... 9 00 to 12 50

Hogs, fed and watered..... 10 40

do., weighed off cars.....10 65 to 10 75

do., f. o. b..... 9 90

Kitchener and Staff Drown

London, June 6.—All Britain was stunned to-night by grief over the tragic loss of Earl Kitchener, who, with his entire staff as secretary of state for war, was drowned last night off the Orkney Islands when the cruiser Hampshire, on which they were voyaging to Russia, was sunk either by a mine or torpedo.

Admiral Jellicoe reports to the Admiralty as follows:

Four boats were seen by observers on shore. The wind was northwest and heavy seas were running. Patrol vessels and destroyers at once proceeded to the spot, and a party was sent along the coast to search, but only some bodies and a capsized boat have been found up to the present. As the whole shore has been searched from the seaward, I greatly fear that there is little hope of there being any survivors.

H.M.S. Hampshire was on her way to Russia.

Magistrate Alex. McDougall, who is in his ninth year, has sent in his resignation to the council, after holding the position in Wallaceburg for fifty years.

Three Special Ranges of Boys' Suits

Sizes 26 to 34, good patterns, smart styles, \$2 75, \$3 75, \$5 75 each and every Suit a Bargain. This lot of goods arrived late and to sell quick we have marked them at unusual prices. About 42 suits in the lot.

15 Ladies' Suits. 20 Ladies' Coats

In a good range of sizes, 34 to 40. This is a chance to get a nice Suit or Coat at about Half Price as they must be sold this month.

A BIG RANGE OF LADIES' AND MEN'S RAIN COATS from \$3 75 to \$7 50. A range of Boy's and Girl's Coats with Hats to match \$3.50 to \$4.50.

GIRLS' AND CHILDREN'S GINGHAM AND PRINT DRESSES starting at 35c and ending at 98c. Each and every dress smart, natty styles, and the price will surprise you. Our range at 88c is a winner, 4 to 8 years, larger 8 to 12, good easy-washing styles.

Our Range of Middy Blouses and White Skirts—from 88c to \$1.25 for Blouses and \$1.00 to \$1.50 for Skirts. Later prices will be higher. Buy now while stock is complete.

Ladies' House Dresses in Print, Gingham and Lawn, \$1.29

SWIFT, SONS & CO., DIRECT IMPORTERS

Population of Canada

In answer to the following questions in the federal parliament regarding the population of Canada, Sir George Foster replied as follows:

1. What is the total population of the Dominion? 7,205,643.

2. What is the male population from 10 to 19 years inclusive? 706,155.

3. What is the male population from 20 to 29 years inclusive? 758,349.

4. What is the male population from 30 to 39 years inclusive? 568,214.

5. According to the above statistics, what proportion of the male population from 19 to 40 years of age would remain in the country after the recruiting or enlisting of 500,000 men of that category? Sixty-two per cent.

ARKONA

A RARE OPPORTUNITY

Mr. F. A. Graham, the eminent eye specialist of Montreal, will be at Porter's Drug Store, Arkona, from Thursday, June 8th to Saturday June 17th, giving free demonstration in his wonderful "Shadow Test" system. This is truly a great opportunity to consult a specialist whose reputation and ability are known from coast to coast and who, as a practitioner in the optical profession has few rivals and no superiors. Hours 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Write or phone our store and let us make an appointment for you.

CLAIR J. PORTER
Druggist and Optician.

SCHOOL REPORTS.

Report of S. S. No. 10, Warwick, for month of May.

Class IV.—Basil Watson, Arthur Minieley, Linda McIntosh, Russell Parker

Class III.—Alma McGillicuddy, (Franklin Adams, Willie Minieley equal, Zelma Conkey, Mary Williams.

Class II.—Gordon Adams, Ina McIntosh, Mac Wiley.

Pt. II.—Sr. Keith Howden, Elsie Minieley, Sarah Williams.

Jr.—Gordon Minieley, Fred McIntosh, Ivan Parker.

Pt. I.—Martha Williams, Harold Howden.

Primer.—Alvin Cundick, George McIntosh.—MARY MANSFIELD, Teacher.

BORN.

In Warwick, on Sunday, May 21st, 1916, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shepherd, a daughter.

MARRIED.

At St. Paul's Church, Thedford, on Friday, May 26, by the Rev. W. Asher-Everest, William Patterson, of Bosanquet, to Mabel, daughter of William Tanton, of Warwick.

At the Presbyterian manse, on Thursday May 25, by the Rev. James Foote, John Menhenick, of Thedford, to Mrs. Jessie Stevenson, of 6th con., Bosanquet.

At the residence of the bride's parents, Ashgrove Farm, Lobo, on Wednesday, June 7th, 1916, by the Rev. Mr. McCullough, Christina Isabel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Crawford, to W. G. Siddall, M.D., of Watford.

DIED.

In Brooke, May 26th, Mary McLean, aged 49 years, 7 months and 21 days.

In Parkhill, on May 28th, Wm. H. Taylor, in his 69th year.

In Enumclaw, Wash., on April 30th, 1916, Elizabeth, beloved wife of George Nash, formerly of Watford, in her 50th year.

In Leamington, on Wednesday, May 31st 1916, Elizabeth Fraser, relict of the late Hugh McKenzie, of Warwick, aged 74 years.

Watford's Busy Store

Now is the time to Paper, as next year prices will be much higher on account of coloring material. We have a large stock of distinctly new patterns at old prices—some odd lines, enough for one room, at bargain prices. Call and let us show you our patterns and prices.

SHOES of all descriptions, including Pumps, Colonial and Strap Slippers. Roman Sandals for children, also patent button with blue top or white top.

CHINA—a large assortment suitable for Wedding presents, also Dinner Sets and Toilet Sets, a large assortment at low prices. Call and let us show you our stock.

OUR GROCERIES will please you; they are always fresh. A trial order will convince you we can serve you well.

P. DODDS & SON
Watford's Busy Store

You can feed the fire with utmost ease owing to the generous double feed doors—no scattering of fuel and room to insert big chunks of wood.

**McClary's
Sunshine
Furnace**

If you have five or ten minutes to spare come in and I'll show you the other advantages of this splendid furnace.
Sold by T. Dodds & Son, Watford, Ont.