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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

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

FORD size guaranteed tires at \$17.00 up. —RAY MORNINGSTAR.

TWENTY DURNHAM Cows for sale at the Roche House, Saturday afternoon.

THE discourses in some of the churches last Sunday were exceedingly "dry".

AN exchange remark—"Old King Coal is a costly old soul." Yes, costly and deteriorating in quality.

THE contents of the Rogers' Hotel will be sold by public auction on Saturday at 2 o'clock. See ad.

WE NEED money and will appreciate it if you will let us have your account by November 1st.—P. DODDS & SON.

THE administrator of the estate of the late Mrs. Wm. Restorick will sell the heavy stock, house and stables by auction on Nov. 1st.

THE FOUR MORRISON GIRLS will charm you with their song and story in the Lyceum on Tuesday next. You will like these gifted ladies.

Daylight-saving time will cease and standard time be resumed on all Canadian railways at 2 a.m. on Sunday, the 26th instant.

WE REGRET to state that there is no improvement in the condition of Mrs. P. Dodds and that her illness is considered extremely serious by her medical adviser.

SO FAR it has been impossible to get anything like complete returns from the referendum voting outside of Watford, but what have come in show overwhelmingly strong for prohibition.

WHAT a relief it is to be free from those ponderous ads. reading "Vote four Nos" and "Vote four Yesses". One wonders if the result would not have been the same without them. They began to be burdensome.

THE political campaign closed on Thursday evening by the meeting in the Lyceum by the U. F. O. at which several prominent farmers made addresses. The prohibition workers had a fine meeting on Friday evening.

DON'T fail to hear the Morrison Girls at the Lyceum on Tuesday evening next. This entertainment is something out of the ordinary and well worth hearing.

ONE hundred and eighty-eight out of the two hundred and eighty-eight male voters on the village list seem to be in favor of something a little stronger than 2 per cent. beer, but they still have to be content with some of the no kick beverages in times of thirst.

THERE were more ladies on the main street Monday morning than one usually sees before noon. They all had a business look about them and made straight for the polling booth. It also seemed odd to have half a dozen ladies loomed after the polling booths.

MR. AND MRS. FRED KINGSTON have the sympathy of the community in the death of their baby boy, Melvin Emerson, aged four months and 7 days, after a day's illness. The funeral was held on Friday to the Watford cemetery, the Rev. J. C. Forster officiating.

RECTOR (to parishioner)—Good morning, Thompson. I hear you have a son and heir. Parishioner—Yes, sir; our household now represents the United Kingdom. Rector—How so? Parishioner—Why, you see, I am English, my wife's Irish, the nurse is Scotch and the baby wails.

THE death occurred at St. Williams, on Saturday, Oct. 11th, of apoplexy, of Mrs. I. W. Johnson, mother of Mrs. Cecil Butler of Watford. Deceased was ill only a few days and was in her 60th year. The funeral was held the following Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Butler attended the funeral.

MR. DANIEL MCINTYRE, of Dorchester, well known in Watford, died on Sunday last. The funeral was held on Tuesday at St. Peter's cemetery, requiem high mass being held at St. Paul's Cathedral, London. Mr. and Mrs. D. Roche, of Watford, and Mr. M. J. Roche, of Forest, attended the funeral. Deceased was a brother-in-law of Mrs. D. Roche.

THE popular Marks Bros. will give two dramatic performances in the Lyceum, Watford, on Friday and Saturday night. On Friday they will produce "A Runaway Wife" dramatized from the famous novel. Miss May Bell Marks will play the leading roll of this delightful drama. The Marks Companies have always given satisfaction in Watford and we bespeak for them a full house on each evening. See bills and dodgers for further particulars.

A GROUP conference of the following circuits of the Methodist church adjacent to Watford, viz; Alvinston, Brooke, Kerwood, Arkona and Warwick will be held in the Watford Methodist Church on Tuesday evening, Oct. 28th at 8 o'clock. The purpose is to further the organization and intensify the spirit of the United National Interchurch Forward Movement. The Quarterly Official Boards of all these and as many members of the church as possible are expected to attend. Rev. W. H. Graham B.A., president of the conference and Rev. J. C. Reid B.A., chairman of the Strathroy district are expected to be present and will give informing and arousing addresses. All friends of this movement whether Methodist or not are invited to attend.

SOME real bargains in used Ford and Chevrolet cars.—R. MORNINGSTAR, Watford Garage.

HEAR the Morrison Girls at the Lyceum on Tuesday next, Oct. 28th, in "Songs and Stories of Today and Yesterday."

THE Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will hold a supper on Halloween, Oct. 31st, at the home of Miss Ella McLeay, from 4 to 7. Admission 25 cents.

And now they say they are going to be almost a record-breaking crop of potatoes in Caradoc township. According to report, one man's patch looks good for 500 bushels to the acre.

The gate receipts at Leamington fair for the two days were \$2255.70, while the total receipts of the Fair were about \$5650, with expenses of about \$3400, leaving a balance of about \$2250.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Breton, Wanstead, was the scene of a pretty wedding, Wednesday, Oct. 15, when their only daughter, Miss Jessie, was united in marriage to Mr. Chester Williams, of Wanstead, by Rev. Mr. Barnes, of Watford.

MRS. R. A. MITCHELL, M. D., of Wethwei, Honan, China, will give an address in the Presbyterian church, Watford, on Sunday at 11 a. m. The members and friends of the Women's Missionary Society are asked to bring to this service their annual thankoffering, which it is hoped will be generous and in keeping with the unprecedented blessings of this wonderful year. All are invited. Mrs. Mitchell will also give an address in the Arkona Presbyterian church on Monday evening at 8 o'clock, under the auspices of the W. M. S.

Victory Loan Drive Starts Monday

The campaign will last three weeks. During that time it will be carried into every corner and center of Canada. If you are not visited by one of the army of canvassers, you will be able to make your investment in this new issue by obtaining application forms from any Victory Loan committee or from the branches of any chartered Canadian bank.

The details of the loan are as follows: Canada offers for public subscription \$300,000,000 of 5 per cent. gold bonds at par, bearing interest of 1, 1.191, and offered in two maturities of five years and 15 years, the choice of which is optional with the subscriber. The interest will be payable half-yearly with charge on May 1 and Nov. 1, at any branch of Canada's principal banks.

The denominations of the bonds are \$50, \$100, \$500 and \$1,000. Subscriptions may be paid in full at the time of application or on any of the following dates: 10% on application, 20% Dec. 9, 1919, 20% Jan. 9, 1920, 20% Feb. 10, 1920, and 31.21% March 9, 1920. The latter includes 30% balance of principal and 1.21% representing accrued interest at 5 1/2% from Nov. 1, 1919, to due dates of respective instalments. A full half year's interest will be paid on May 1, 1920, making the cost of the bonds 100 and interest.

Of the \$300,000,000 and over that will be spent in Canada. The proceeds will be used to pay the indebtedness incurred during the war and to meet the expenditures to be made in connection with demobilization and the re-establishment of our soldiers in civil life.

PERSONAL

Mr. Wm. Harper spent the week end in Detroit with his daughter.

Mr. W. D. Lamb, Frontier Printing Co., Sarnia, is held a couple of days at his home here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Luckham, of Richardsdale, Alberta are guests at Mr. Jos. McCormick's.

Lieut. J. B. Tiffin of London, spent himself Monday in town and availed himself of the privilege of his franchise.

Mrs. Margaret Cooke and little sons, Clair and Kenneth, left on Wednesday for a month's visit with friends in Hillsburg, Ont.

Mrs. T. Gaffney, of Vancouver Island, and three children, who have been visit-relatives in this vicinity for some weeks, will start for home next week, accompanied by her father, Mr. Jas. Griffith, who will spend the winter on the Pacific coast.

WARWICK.

A. A. Kerr is offering his fine farm for sale.

Hear the Morrison Girls in "Songs and Stories of Today and Yesterday" in the Lyceum, Watford, next Tuesday night.

James McIntosh has disposed of his farm, lot 25, Main Road, in Bryson and will have a clearing sale shortly.

Anniversary services will be held in Bethel church, on Sunday and Monday, Nov. 2 and 3. The Rev. J. M. Keyes of Brigidon, will preach morning and evening on the Sunday. Particulars later.

Quarterly meeting services will be held in the Sharon Free Methodist church, 6th line cor. 12 S. E., beginning this Friday evening, Oct. 24, at 7.30. Service Saturday afternoon and evening. Love feast Sunday morning at 9.30, preaching at 11 and again in the evening at 7.30. Rev. A. D. Demille (D. V.) will conduct the services. All welcome.

BROOKE

Sugar beet forks now in stock at T. Dods & Sons.

Hear the Morrison Girls in "Songs and Stories of Today and Yesterday" in the Lyceum, Watford, next Tuesday night.

Squire Lucas, Sutorville, will have a sale of his farm stock on Thursday next, the 30th, prior to moving into Watford where he has purchased the up-to-date residence of Mr. Leander Griffith.

The Thanksgiving services held on the Brooke circuit last Sunday were well attended. The churches were beautifully decorated, in keeping with the season of the year. The choirs performed their parts very commendably and the day was very profitable to all the participants.

Next Sunday, October 26th, there will be services of song conducted on the Brooke circuit. Special effort is being made to make this a very enjoyable day.

Old-time hymns will be sung and will comprise the greater part of the services. The subject will be "The Fairy-land of Childhood." Come everyone and bring your children. Time of services: Bethesda 10.30 a.m., Walnut 3 p.m., and Salem 7 o'clock in the evening.

Fire, supposedly of incendiary origin, completely destroyed the fine barn and buildings of Mr. Malcolm McPhail, of concession line, Brooke, on Monday night of last week. The origin of the fire is unknown, as none of the family had been near the barn since noon of the same day, and the fire was first noticed about 5.30 in the evening when the roof became ignited. It is presumed that it started in the peak of the barn as that was the portion to first burn. When the fire broke out the family were sitting in the house, and by the time that they were aware of it, it was too late to save anything from the barn except a hay-loader. One calf was burned in the barn. All the machinery was in the machinery sheds, and this was all destroyed, together with all their threshed grain and hay. The loss will be a heavy one, as nothing was insured except a little on the barn.

THE MORRISON GIRLS

"Stories and Songs of Today and Yesterday" by the Morrison Girls in the Lyceum, Tuesday next, will be an entertainment long to be remembered and cherished in the minds of all who hear them. The program is an ever-changing succession of melody and entertainment—a rich soprano solo, a vocal duet, a pleasing piano or a charming costumed recitation, followed by solos and duets on the saxophones and ensemble numbers—such is the opening half of the program.

Then suddenly out of the "Long Ago" step four charming girls bewitchingly attractive in hoop skirts, hand mitts and "bunnets." In minute they sweep aside the work-a-day worries, cares and troubles by carrying you back with them thru story and song to the olden golden days.

CHOP STUFF

Forest has a window-peeper. Mr. John Oke, a former well-known resident of Petrolia, died recently in Detroit.

The wide circle of friends of Mrs. C. Sutherland, of Sarnia, mother of Mrs. W. S. Calvert, will regret to learn that she is lying critically ill and little hope is held out for her recovery.

The Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., has declared a dividend of 59 per cent. on its common stock, the annual statement showing profits amounting to \$1,632,516. No wonder the price of flour keeps up.

The total estimated agricultural wealth of the Dominion of Canada for the year 1917, is \$8,830,145,000, according to data compiled by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

Dougald McIntyre, the last of the pioneer settlers of his vicinity, died Oct. 7th, aged 81 years. He was a native of Scotland but came here when quite young. He married Elizabeth Beer, who survives him with one son, Frank McIntyre, of Bosanquet. For many years the deceased has been an elder in the lake road Presbyterian church. The funeral took place Friday from his late residence corner 10, Bosanquet, to Ravenswood cemetery.

Gordon, the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brock, of the 8th line, died at the C. E. Hospital on Saturday night under sad circumstances. He underwent an operation at eleven o'clock in the morning for the removal of tonsils and adenoids. He came out of the operation all right and was quite bright. About eleven o'clock at night he complained of a pain in his stomach. His parents were called in, and at twelve o'clock he passed away. Ten minutes before he died he was quite bright and knew every person in the room. The young lad was thirteen years of age, and previous to the operation was attending school regularly. Burial took place in Hillsdale Cemetery on Monday, Oct. 13.

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EAST LAMBTON ELECTION

L. W. OKE, the U. F. O. Candidate, Has Immense Majority.

Below are the returns as far as could be obtained. There are no returns for No. 2 Plympton, but these, when received, will likely increase Mr. Oke's majority. The details for Euphemia are not to hand. The official count will be published next week.

WATFORD
 Div. No. 1..... 174
 2..... 127
 3..... 301
 4..... 214

ARKONA
 Div. No. 1..... 66
 2..... 112

THREDFORD
 Div. No. 1..... 182

ALVINSTON
 Div. No. 1..... 187

FOREST
 Div. No. 1..... 83
 2..... 93
 3..... 129

BROOKE
 Div. No. 1..... 11
 2..... 27
 3..... 76
 4..... 13
 5..... 24
 6..... 9
 7..... 11
 8..... 34
 9..... 4
 10..... 34
 11..... 55
 12..... 14

BOSANQUET
 Div. No. 1..... 19
 2..... 68
 3..... 30
 4..... 11
 5..... 17
 6..... 13
 7..... 13

PLYMPTON
 Div. No. 1..... 15
 2..... 14
 3..... 18
 4..... 10
 5..... 27
 6..... 11
 7..... 34
 8..... 17

WARWICK
 Div. No. 1..... 38
 2..... 57
 3..... 57
 4..... 27
 5..... 15
 6..... 11
 7..... 19

EUPHEMIA
 141

MAJORITIES
 Martyn McEachern Oke
 Watford..... 87
 Arkona..... 1
 Wyoming..... 2
 Euphemia..... 70
 Brooke..... 499
 Warwick..... 632
 Forest..... 39
 Alvinston..... 10
 Bosanquet..... 531
 Plympton..... 751

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Votes polled for Martyn..... 2084
 Votes polled for McEachern..... 1836
 Votes polled for Oke..... 4341
 Total votes polled..... 8261
 Oke's majority over Martyn..... 2257
 Oke's majority over McEachern..... 2505
 Oke's plurality..... 421

THE latest election returns give 45 seats to the U. F. O., Lib. 19, Cons. 25, Labor 11, Soldier 1. The U. F. O. have decided that it would be unwise for them to enter into an alliance with either of the old parties and are prepared to assume full control and form a government.

THE VISIT OF THE PRINCE OF WALES

The Prince of Wales will end his Canadian tour in a few days much to the regret of all Canadians. He has certainly endeared himself to all who have had the good fortune to meet him. A splendid portrait of the Prince size 16x22 inches and bearing a copy of the Prince's autograph, has been issued by the Family Herald and Weekly Star, Montreal. Every subscriber for 1920 is to receive a copy of the portrait free. The Family Herald and Weekly Star has been vastly improved lately and is without doubt the greatest value for the money the world over. The subscription price is \$1.25 a year including the Prince's portrait. To old and young, rich and poor, the Family Herald and Weekly Star is a great favorite and the publishers are to be congratulated in supplying such a handsome portrait of the Prince. As might have been expected the Family Herald and Weekly Star's circulation is increasing by leaps and bounds. It is in the highest sense a great paper.

The Referendum Vote in Watford

DIVISION NO. 1
 Question No. 1—Yes 39 No 267
 2— 48 256
 3— 46 260
 4— 69 237

DIVISION NO. 2
 Question No. 1—Yes 24 No 252
 2— 33 243
 3— 28 248
 4— 39 237

124 980

BORN

At the Manse, Petrolia, on Saturday, September 27, 1919, to Rev. and Mrs. J. D. McKee, a daughter.

On Sept. 30, at the C. E. Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. L. Doman, a daughter—Doris Elaine.

MARRIED

At the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spurr, King street, at high noon on Wednesday, Oct. 15, by the Rev. J. E. Richardson, Fern spirit to Capt. George Hunter Stritree, of Petrolia.

At the Church of St. John the Evangelist, on Tuesday, September 30, 1919, by Rev. S. F. Robinson, pastor, Mr. Walter Moran, late of the 13th Battalion, to Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Moran, daughter of Mr. Thomas Benstead, Strathroy.

DIED

In Watford, on Thursday, October 16th, 1919, Melvin Emerson, infant son of Fred L. and Mabel Kingdon, aged 4 months.

In Watford, on Tuesday evening, October 14, Laura Dorothy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Denning, aged 6 years, 9 months and 2 days.

In Bosanquet, on Tuesday, Oct. 7th, Dougald McIntyre, aged 80 years.

At his late residence, lot 4, con. 3 North Dufferin, on Sunday, Oct. 19, 1919, Daniel McIntyre, in his 65th year.

Death of Andrew Whitehead

Three passed away at his home on the 12th line, Brooke, on Thursday, Oct. 9, one of its first residents, in the person of Mr. Andrew Whitehead at the age of sixty years, his death being due to heart trouble. Deceased was born in the township of Onondaga, county of Hamilton, in the year 1859. When quite a young man, he came with his parents and brothers and sisters, to the 12th line, and proceeded to hew out a home for themselves in what was then an unbroken forest. Being of a strong and cheerful nature, he endured the hardships and privations of the early settlers at that time and succeeded by a steady perseverance and industry in building up a home for himself and family. By honesty and uprightiness he won the respect of all who knew him. In the year 1887, he married Miss Elizabeth Kerr, of Plympton, and settled on Lot 30, Con. 13, where he resided continuously until his death. He is survived by his widow and one son, Mel, residing on the homestead, another son, Norman, having died in childhood, also two brothers, James and David Whitehead, and one sister, Mrs. William Ramsay.

The funeral on Saturday was largely attended. The services were conducted by Rev. J. D. McCrae of Petrolia. Among the beautiful floral offerings was a wreath from St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, of which deceased was a faithful and constant member.

KERWOOD

Mr. Fysh and family have moved to Strathroy. Mr. Edward Manicom, Sarnia, was a week end visitor.

Miss Erna Wright, Melbourne, spent Sunday with her parents.

Mrs. Orville Dowling, Port Huron, spent a few days in the village.

Mr. Rowan preached a very interesting sermon in the interest of the Bible Society in St. Paul's Church Sunday.

Mrs. and Miss Wright, Mr. and Miss Ellis and Finley of Sarnia, motored and spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kerr.

Mrs. Johnston and little daughter have returned to their home in Holly, Mich., after spending a few weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Gilbert Dowling.

At the League rally held in the Methodist Church Sunday evening very instructive and interesting addresses were given by Rev. Dr. Brown, Mr. Eldon Langford and Mr. Richard Foster. League will be held next Friday evening as usual. The topic will be taken by Miss Freda Richardson.

The Women's Institute held a very successful meeting at the home of Mrs. Kerr. The showering of the Red Cross and Women's Institute was well patronized the following being donated: lbs. tea, 1 package coffee, 3 tins cocoa, 3 tea towels, 1 hand towel, 1 bath towel, 8 jars fruit, 2 jars pickles, 11 jars liquid soap, 2 boxes toilet soap, 3 tins Dutch cleanser, one tin talcum powder. The program given was on "The Life and Works of Pauline Johnson." A dainty luncheon was served by the committee.

ARKONA

Mr. Sanford Cornell spent Thanksgiving in Sarnia.

Mr. Robert Crawford spent last week with his son in Milverton.

Heavy Shoes for Boys and Men. The best makes. Special values.—Brown Bros. Mr. Chelsea Rowe, of Toronto, spent Thanksgiving with friends in and around the Ark.

We handle the celebrated D&A Corset. A style for every figure. For sale by Brown Bros.

Mrs. Henry Rook left Monday for Grand Rapids where she will spend a month visiting her sister.

THERE were 27 fires in Lambton during the month of August, 1919, with a loss of \$19,676, and an insurance of \$10,725.

The Rev. W. H. George, of Parkhill, will occupy the pulpit in the Methodist church next Sunday, morning and evening.

Communion service will be held in the Reformed Mennoite church, near Arkona, on October 26th. The Rev. Mr. Steele of Humberston, will conduct the service. Everyone welcome.

Mrs. R. A. Mitchell, M. D., of China, will give an address in the Presbyterian church, Arkona, on Monday evening, at 8 o'clock under the auspices of the Women's Missionary Society.