

CHOP STUFF

Leamington council gets a revenue of \$600 a year from two pool rooms.

Thorold has raised the transient trader's fee from \$50 to \$500 a year.

C. R. Code, of Alvinston, passed the recent examination and is now a full-fledged Civil Engineer.

D. A. Goring, M. C. R. agent at Petrolia for some years, has been transferred to Windsor.

The mild weather of this winter has been very favorable to the peach orchards of the Niagara district and an abundant crop is anticipated next fall.

D. J. McEachern has been elected President and H. A. Gilroy secretary of the Brooke and Alvinston Soldiers' Memorial Committee.

As a result of the voting on Thursday last the Alvinston power plant will be managed by a commission, the bylaw carrying practically by acclamation.

The commission will consist of the reeve and two other men, who will be nominated immediately, and the plant will be managed by this body as a public utility.

That the law has a long arm was proved the other day when a young farmer of Howick Township got married, and when the marriage certificate was forwarded to the registrar-general it was found that he had not registered on June 22, last, and as a consequence he is under arrest and will be prosecuted.

Miss Minnie Faust, a middle-aged lady, who was employed as housekeeper at the home of W. H. Kenny, London road, was seized with an attack of heart-failure early Saturday morning and was found dead at 8:30, lying on the floor of her room. Deceased came from Theford, where the remains were sent for interment.

The Orillia Packet says that a party of Orillians motoring through Western Ontario called around to see Peter McArthur and his Red Cow. They did not see such a farm—or perhaps such a cow—as they expected, but, as the Packet says, "there wasn't a practical farmer among them, and they may all be poor judges."

Another link with the past has been broken with the death on Saturday of Essie Egan, beloved wife of E. A. Archer of Petrolia, after an extended illness. Mrs. Archer had been a resident of Petrolia for more than forty years coming here as a young girl. She was devoted to her home and family and was highly respected by a large circle of friends. She is survived by her husband and three children—Mrs. Clara Fraser, (Essie) of Vancouver, B. C.; Mrs. Walter Faulds, (May) Hastings, Ont., and George, of Toronto.

A Great Conference

A big Forward Movement Conference was held in Jarvis St. Baptist Church, Toronto, the first three days of last week when some 1500 representatives of the Ontario and Quebec Baptist Churches were present. Rev. H. H. Bingham, of London; Dr. H. E. Whitten, president of Brandon College; Dr. Patterson, of Winnipeg; Dr. J. Brown of McMaster University and other prominent men were among the speakers. Jos. N. Stinson, a leading business man of Toronto, presided. Much time was spent in the sessions in special intercession and informal conference over the opening peace opportunities confronting the church.

BOHN

- In Warwick, on Wednesday Feb. 26, 1919, to Mr. and Mrs. M. Sitter (nee Beatrice McAdam) a daughter—Esther Magdalene.

MARRIED

- At the residence of the bride's parents, on Wednesday, March 5th, 1919, by the Rev. A. C. Tiffin, Lillian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John V. Humphries, Watford, to Clarence Richard Home, of Crystal Springs, Sask., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Home, of Watford.

DIED

In Plympton, on Sunday, Feb. 16th, 1919, Esther McPhedran, relict of the late Benjamin Schram, in her 84th year.

WATFORD PUBLIC SCHOOL

HONOR ROLL, JANUARY AND FEBRUARY

Class IV—Sr.—Honors—Gwendolyn Cook, Charlie Barron, Stanley Trenouth, Dorothy Fowler, Douglas Weight, Stanley Mitchell, Margaret Irwin, Elgin Kersey, Phyllena Rapson, Clarence Letherland. Pass—Gifford Fortner, Wesley Shepherd, Alberta McNaughton, Isobel Newell, Mabel McNaughton.

Class IV—Jr.—Honors—Reginald Logan, George Willoughby, Mary Edwards, Donald Vail, Florence Lovell, James Kinneil. Pass—Daisy McNally, Beatrice McNally, William Fitzgerald, Frank McCormick, Elva Peart, Jean Rapson.—W. H. SHRAPNELL, Principal.

Class III—Sr.—Honors—Wilson Houden, Kenneth Fulcher, Teresa McManus, Eric Craig, George McCormick, Esther McKercher. Pass—Durwood Butler, Burton Roberts, Ella Pearce, Dorothy McLeay, Keith Dodds, Gladys Kersey, Donald McKercher.

Class III—Jr.—Honors—Eleanor McIntosh, Doris Kelly, Mary Connolly, Maxine Rogers, Roy Cooke. Pass—Sadie Harper, Reta Stephenson, Mildred Fulcher, Lloyd McGillicuddy, Marjory Prentis, Eleanor Thomas, Geraldine Darston.—E. HUME, Teacher.

Second Class, Sr.—Honors—Olive Lovell, Alex Rapson, Gordon Kelly, Jessie Jackson, Doreen Millar, Donald Prentis, Fred Fuller. Pass—Richard Rogers, Rae Cook, Gordon Jackson, Edwin McNally, Vance Kersey, Dorothy Smith.

Second Class, Jr.—Honors—Marjory Stephenson. Pass—Ora Kersey, Billie Vail.—M. WAUGH, Teacher.

Part Second Class, Sr.—Honors—Gwendolyn Craig, Regina Stapleford, Violet Smith, Mary McGillicuddy, Marjory Callahan, Constance Kelly, Muriel Howden, Alberta Lovell, Edward Logan, (Bobbie Chambers and Marguerite Kersey) equal. Pass—Beth Letherland, Harold Caughlin, Dennis Goodman, Gordon Sargent, T. J. Kersey, Carl Class.

Part Second Class, Jr.—Honors—Leslie McIntosh, Robert Bruce. Pass—Lyle McIntosh, Ross Kersey, Henry Newell.—L. M. CAMERON, Teacher.

School Reports

Report of S. S. No. 17, Brooke, for the month of February. Percentage given. Class IV—Jr.—Verlie Williamson 95, Beulah Saunders 90, Lena Healy 89, Muriel Parker 80.

Class II—Honors—Frank Jackson, Harvey Stapleford. Pass—Marion Roberts, Henry Thomas.

Class III—Honors—Doris Howden, Irene Jones, Bettie Kersey, Keith Hollingsworth, Jack Caley, Elmer Doan, Claire Caughlin, Vena Routley, Mabel Spalding. Pass—Charlie Edwards.—M. REID, Teacher.

The following is the report of S. S. No. 6, Warwick for February 1919. Class IV Sr.—Hilda Morris, Mary Smith.

Class IV Jr.—Agnes Bryce, Kenneth Smith.

Class III Sr.—Freida Manders, Harold Manders, Arthur Harrower.

Class III Jr.—Manville Bryce, Allan McNaughton.

Class II—Marguerite Smith, Dorothy Morris, Burton Duncan, Nina Chambers, Doreen Manders.

Class I—Maud Williamson, Amy Duncan. Primer Class—Mary Manders, Ivie Peaslie, John Bryce, George Manders.

No. on the roll 20. Average for month 71.

WATFORD COUNCIL

Watford, March 3, 1919. Regular meeting of Council. Present—Reeve, Harper, Doan, Hollingsworth and Stapleford. Minutes of former meeting read, no objection. Reeve confirmed same.

Doan—Harper, that Clerk place our local hydro system on record before Hydro Electric Power Commission of Ontario for a reduction in rates.—Carried.

Harper—Doan, that owing to no oil being distributed over the bridge on Main street that rebates of one-half be made of the amount assessed on frontage.—Carried.

Doan—Hollingsworth, that Clerk acknowledge communication from Goderich Board of Trade and state that the Council agree in the move for equalizing the rate charged for Hydro power.—Carried.

Stapleford—Hollingsworth, that the rescinding of license charged to shows in the Lyceum be extended to and include Mr. Coupland's Music Hall.—Carried.

Finance Committee examined accounts and recommend payment. Treas. Board of Education, P. S., \$325 00. Walter Scott, cleaning crossings, 8 50. Jas. McManus, rebate, oil tax, 4 00. J. F. Elliot, salary \$15, drawing engine to church, \$1, 16 00. Hydro Commission, light acct., 130 81. Harper—Stapleford, that accounts be passed and Reeve grant his order.—Carried.

Harper—Doan, that we adjourn.—Carried.

FOR SALE

100 ACRES, all clear, 30 acres fall plowing, 10 acres wheat, balance in hay and pasture. This farm is well situated and well fenced, good barn and frame house. Apply to H. K. LAIRD, Watford P. O.

Grand Collection of Spring Dry Goods

Cottons, Prints, Shirtings, Gingham Galateas, Drills, Duck and Sateens.

Special Display of Curtains, Curtain Netts and Scrims. Colored Marquisette for over-drapes. New patterns.

Our Men's Wear Department is showing Hats, Shirts, Caps, Neckwear, Hosiery, Gloves, Underwear, Clothing, Spring Overcoats and Trench Waterproof Coats.

Goods are scarce and are going to be so for some time—possibly 24 months. We are pleased with our showing for this season.

Swift, Sons & Co.

DIRECT IMPORTERS WATFORD

WANT COLUMN

MILLINERY APPRENTICES Wanted. Apply at Miss Williams' old stand.—M. GEORGE.

THREE new Aladdin table lamps at a discount during this month.—C. M. FITZGERALD, Watford.

100 Bushels SEED PEAS For Sale.—Pure Seed. Price \$2.00 per bush.—Wm. K. PARKER, R.R. 8, Watford.

COURT LORNE will meet on Monday evening next at 8 p.m. All members requested to be present.—A. D. HONE, C.R.

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.

FOR SALE—One eight-room House and one acre of land on Wall street, Watford. Good barn and chicken house, also hard and soft water. For particulars apply to Mrs. JOSEPH COOK, Coronation, Alberta. d1a

ONE 200-acre Farm and several other farms in this vicinity and a few dwelling house properties in Watford for sale and private and other funds to loan on farm property security. Apply to W. E. FITZGERALD, Barrister, etc., Watford.

GOOD SECOND-HAND LUMBER—joists, scantling, flooring, siding, 12 pairs sash, etc.—for sale by auction Saturday, March 8th, at 2 o'clock, on the premises, John street.—J. F. Elliot, auctioneer; G. Goodman, proprietor. 2

THE WATFORD CO-OPERATIVE ASSOCIATION are Agents for GUNN'S FERTILIZER. Buy your fertilizer wholesale and Save Money. Apply to DAN McDONALD, Manager, Watford, R. No. 7. ja10-8

SEED CORN FOR SALE—A quantity of white cap yellow dent. High germination test. Price \$3.00. Orders from the north can be filled and left at the Farmers' Supply Rooms, Watford. For further particulars apply to W. B. ANNETT, lot 18, con. 10, Brooke, Alvinston R. R. 2. f211f

CARD of THANKS—At a meeting of the Board of Managers of the Presbyterian church it was moved by Mr. Hone and seconded by Mr. Laws and carried that a hearty vote of thanks be tendered the Watford Firemen for the prompt and efficient way in which they handled the fire in the church steeple, and to the Methodist church officials for the use of their church. f211f

FOR SALE—Friday, March 14, farm stock of F. B. Kingston, Brooke. See ad.

Wednesday, March 12, farm stock of Arthur and Orville Stoner, Bosanquet. See ad.

Tuesday, March 18, farm stock of A. M. Crawford, Bosanquet. See ad.

Monday, March 17, farm stock of F. Westgate, Warwick. See ad.

Temple University, over which the celebrated Dr. Russell H. Conwell presides, recently conferred the degree of Doctor of Divinity upon Rev. John Morrison of Sarنيا.

The old Travis homestead near the Indian Reserve, Bosanquet, comprising 240 acres, owned by Caleb Travis, was sold last week for the handsome sum of \$18,000.

MARKETS WATFORD

GRAIN AND SEEDS—Wheat, fall, per bush. \$2 11 @ \$2 11. Oats, per bush. 55 55. Barley, per bush. 65 65. Timothy. 5 00 6 00. Clover Seed. 20 00 24 50. Alsike. 13 00 16 00.

PROVISIONS—Butter, per pound. 43 to 43. Lard, 27 28. Eggs, per doz. 36 36. Pork. 20 00 22 00. Flour, per cwt. 6 00 6 25. Bran, per ton. 42 00 44 00. Shorts, per ton. 46 00 48 00.

Potatoes, per bag. 1 00 1 25. MISCELLANEOUS—Wood. 4 00 4 25. Hides. 9 10. Wool. 0 00. Hay, per ton. 15 00 17 00.

LONDON—Wheat. \$ 2 00 to \$ 2 00. Oats, cwt. 1 87 to 1 91. Butter. 50 to 52. Eggs. 42 to 42. Pork. 22 00 to 23 00.

The committee appointed to put up decorations in Glencoe to welcome returning soldiers have some very attractive designs conspicuously displayed, including a large evergreen arch illuminated with colored electric lights.

Most Attractive Prices Still Exist in Our Big Annual

SHOE CLEARING SALE

If you have not already taken advantage of this opportunity to save considerable money on your shoes, we advise you to come in this Friday or Saturday and secure your share of this money-saving sale. It won't last much longer. You need the Shoes and we need room for our big Spring stock which we are beginning to open up. We quote prices on a couple of lines to show you how prices have been cut. Dozens more the same way.

Ladies' Fine Shoes

\$4.00 to \$4.50 value, clearing at \$2.49. See our window.

Men's Fine Shoes

Gun Metal and Patent Button \$5.00 and \$6.00 value, clearing at \$4.50.

Girls' Shoes Clearing at \$2.00

Size 11 to 2.

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