

## MAKING MORE ROOM FOR OUR EXTENSIVE CLOTHING BUSINESS

In order to do this we will have to dispose of our Millinery Department. Everything in MILLINERY must be cleared out. This will be a money-saver for you. Table No. 1 will include Hats and Shapes at unheard-of low prices. Table No. 2—Velvets and Fancy Ribbons at less than cost. Table No. 3—Flowers and Trimmings at nearly half price.

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### And now for a rousing whirlwind finish to our Big Clothing Sale

Some of the best bargains of the sale will be offered this week.

### The New Corset Fashions for Spring are here.

Spring Hosiery.  
New Neckwear Novelties.  
Spring special—A group of New Georgette Waists.  
Men! Choose your Spring Hat here.

### The Transcript.

THURSDAY, MARCH 28, 1918

### Cairo.

H. A. Summers visited in London during the week.

Miss Mildred McGugan of Glencoe visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. Gage on Sunday.

A yearling colt belonging to John Wehlann died very suddenly on Monday of last week.

Mrs. Fred Clements of Aberfeldy and her cousin, Mrs. W. C. Clements, visited at the Wehlann home on Monday.

The Cairo Red Cross Society met

recently and elected their officers for 1918. They purpose holding a bazaar shortly.

On Wednesday, March 20, a few relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McGugan to witness the marriage of their only daughter, Miss Ethel, to John A. Armstrong, a prosperous farmer of the community. Rev. Mr. George of Thamesville officiated.

Do it Now.—Disorders of the digestive apparatus should be dealt with at once before complications arise that may be difficult to cope with. The surest remedy to this end and one that is within reach of all, is Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, the best laxative and sedative on the market. Do not delay, but try them now. One trial will convince anyone that they are the best stomach regulator that can be got.

### Ekfrid Station

Wood bees are the order of the day here.

Miss Lou Cutler spent the week-end at her home in Lambeth. Mrs. Wilson McPherson is visiting friends at Cowal this week.

Miss Lillie Dickie has returned to her home in London after visiting friends here. The Patriotic Society held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Lee on Wednesday afternoon. A large number were in attendance and a pleasant afternoon was spent. Yarn and sewing were distributed among the members. The next meeting will be held on the first Wednesday afternoon in April at the home of Mrs. Christopher McCallum. All the members are invited to attend.

### Newbury

D. McRae of Windsor was in town last week.

Patrick Kane of Windsor was in town for the week-end.

Reeve Holman attended a special meeting of the county council last week.

Wm. Cucksey has bought the late Jacob Holman property from A. Holman and will occupy the dwelling.

The Red Cross Circle gave a pancake and maple syrup supper in the town hall Saturday evening, which was quite a financial success.

The Women's Institute sent in their monthly shipment this week. The bale contained 35 pairs of socks and 2 quilts. Total value, \$72.

Miss Jennie Weavers is with her sister, Mrs. Ed. Purcell, in Aldborough, who has been ill. Mrs. Yates is with her daughter, Mrs. D. L. Purcell, in Wardsville.

Pte. Jack Crimm arrived home quite unexpectedly Thursday last from England. He will not return overseas but he is in service here—just what, he does not as yet know. He looks well, but reports a rough passage home.

A former well-known resident, Mrs. Mary Ferris McDonald of 77 Vancouver Ave., Detroit, will celebrate her 92nd birthday April 1st, and she knits a sock a day for the Red Cross Circle in Detroit. Many of our readers know this lady and will be pleased to hear she is in good health.

The April meeting of the Women's Institute will be postponed until the last Wednesday of April, the 24th, by request of Mrs. J. H. Matthews of Delaware, the district president of West Middlesex. The meeting will be held in the town hall at 2:30 p. m. and will be an open one. All welcome. Mrs. Matthews will address the meeting. A good program will also be given. Roll call—What sacrifice have you made for your country? Luncheon served at close of meeting.

Shortly before one o'clock on Monday noon the alarm was given of fire. A spark from a passing train set fire to the roof of the brick building just south of the G. T. R. The high wind made it impossible to save it and in a very short time the old "Royal Exchange" was a heap of ruins—another landmark had disappeared. William Bayne owned the place. The only contents at the time were some seats belonging to Knox church and a large quantity of old papers which the ladies of the church had been collecting for a long time. All the paper had been tied in bundles and made ready for shipment and a car ordered. It was one of those strange happenings that the car arrived on Monday morning and some of the workers were on the way to assist in loading the papers out of the car and under a sudden stop to it all. A few bundles were taken out, but the fire spread so rapidly very few escaped outside even. The high wind blowing made lively work for a while. Fires kept starting in another and another house till very few south of the G. T. R. missed. But willing workers fought hard and all were put out. The most serious damage was done to Sanford Litch's house, next the one burned down, and Mrs. Lamb's, over a block away. All the places were insured.

### Kilmartin.

The dramatic club during the winter cleared \$144.10.

Duncan J. Campbell of Aylmer visited friends here last week.

Miss M. Leitch has returned after spending a few weeks in Sarnia and Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McAlpine visited their son J. D. in London during the week-end.

Mrs. Elliott Douglas and family of Walkerville are visiting her mother, Mrs. Hugh Munroe.

The Red Cross shipment for March includes 32 pairs of socks and 23 flannel shirts, sent to Hyman Hall, also 2 shirts and 2 pairs of socks, private parcels. Total value, \$84. The next meeting of the society will be held at the home of Mrs. James Douglas on April 3rd. Contributions for March, \$12.90.

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### Ferguson's

A very successful entertainment was held under the auspices of the Needle Club on Monday evening, March 18th, in S. S. No. 12, Mosa. The program presented by the Kilmartin Dramatic Club was very much appreciated and reflected much credit on the amateur artists. A buffet luncheon was served in the basement at the close of the program. Total proceeds, \$33.

The Needle Club will hold the next monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. A. Quick on April 2nd. Kindly bring all finished work, as the box will be packed ready for shipment. The last box shipped to Hyman Hall contained 11 shirts, 18 pairs socks and 12 cotton socks. Total value, \$45.

### Wardsville

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### Appin

Ploughing has begun.

Miss Mabel Darch is visiting in Glencoe.

James McDonald has purchased a new car.

Dan McIntyre has a new five-passenger car.

Miss Bertha McAlpine was home over Sunday.

Delco lights are a long time coming, but when they come—

Mr. and Mrs. Macraut spent Sunday with friends in London.

We are all glad to welcome Mrs. (Rev.) Parnaby out again.

Mrs. Jas. Macfie and Misses James Lotan are visiting at Durham.

Harry Underhill is home from the front on a three-months' leave.

Mrs. Peter McArthur is in Victoria hospital, London, taking the rest cure.

Miss Rosetta Lotan is home from London at her brother's, James Lotan, Jr.

Mrs. Tompkins is back to Appin again after spending the winter at her home.

Mrs. Philpot has purchased the house and lot of the late Archibald Black.

Mrs. John Macfie and Misses Marion and Margaret Macfie spent Friday in London.

Mr. and Mrs. Jermyn have come to Appin to live, having bought J. C. Lane's farm.

A service was held in the Presbyterian church Sunday evening. John Strachan preached.

Mrs. Mulligan of Wardsville spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. R. E. C. McDonald, here.

A telegram was received that the boat on which Capt. W. P. Spero, a former bank manager here, was crossing over to Egypt was sunk.

### Melbourne.

Mrs. E. L. Theaker received on Thursday of last week.

Mrs. John Harvey, sr., who has been ill for a short time, is improving.

L. Bartlett Long of Woodstock, formerly of this place, is visiting at his home here.

Will McDonald of the Canadian West, formerly of Appin, called on friends here last week.

Rev. Mr. McCulloch of Appin occupied the pulpit in the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening.

John Graham, sr., fell from a chair a short time ago, breaking a limb. We hope to hear of a speedy recovery.

The young ladies' knitting club was re-constituted at the home of Mrs. Geo. Bees on Tuesday evening of last week.

Miss Robertson addressed the girls at the school here on Thursday last, taking for her subject, "Sweet Sixteen."

We are pleased to report that Miss K. Wellman, who was taken suddenly ill about a week ago, is improving rapidly.

The Epworth League met on Tuesday evening as usual. The topic, "National songs," was given by a number of young men and women.

Mrs. Gunn, who has been a resident of this village for a number of years, passed away early Saturday morning. The family have the sympathy of the village and community in their bereavement.

### Strathburn

A pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Hurley, when the neighbors gathered to welcome home Pte. Charles Mitchell, who went overseas with the 135th and was wounded at Vimy Ridge. A musical program was rendered by Messrs. Dorland, Gould and Siddall and Messrs. Strachan, McCracken, Humphries, Gould, McAlpine, Walker and Simpson. Short addresses were given by D. C. McKenzie, J. Strachan and J. McKellar. Rev. G. S. Lloyd ably filled the chair. Miss Florence Hurley read an address and Mac. McAlpine presented Pte. Mitchell with a gold watch and chain and sum of money.

### Mosa

Stuart Nesbitt spent Sunday at his home in Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Eberts of Napier visited at Mac. McLean's last week.

The Red Cross Society of S. S. No. 9 will meet at Mrs. A. B. McLachlin's on March 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Walker of Walkers were visitors in this vicinity on Monday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac. McLean and son Hector attended the wedding of Miss Ethel McGugan at Cairo on March 20.

Misses Mary and Margaret McDonald and brother Allan of Euphemia visited their grandmother, Mrs. Mary McLean, on Sunday last.

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