

## Guide-Advocate

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WATFORD, APRIL 18, 1913.

## SPRING ASSIZES

## The Dillon Case.

The only action to come to trial was that of the Dillon estate vs. the County of Lambton, County of Middlesex, township of Warwick and township of West Williams, to recover damages for the death of the late W. C. Dillon, of Sarnia, who came to his death as the result of an automobile accident occurring on the townline of Warwick and West Williams on the 19th of August, 1912, also for \$2,500 value of motor car destroyed in same accident. The hearing of the case occupied the attention of the court until very close to seven o'clock on Tuesday evening and it was then adjourned until 9:30 on Wednesday morning. Some eight or nine witnesses on the plaintiffs' side testified on Tuesday afternoon. Before the court opened on Wednesday morning counsel for both sides conferred and the action was settled by the defendant townships agreeing to pay to the plaintiffs within sixty days the sum of \$5,000 in full of claims and costs. The counties were relieved of any liability.

## General News Items

Washington, April 15th.—By an overwhelming vote, after 90 minutes' debate, the caucus refused to put wheat on the free list.

Kingston, Ont., April 15th.—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brou, Plevna, in North Frontenac, lost their two children, a girl of two years and a baby of four months. It is thought that their deaths were caused by milk from a cow which ate poisonous weeds.

The home and foreign mission department of the Methodist Church has submitted an estimate of \$900,000 as the amount required for the payment of salaries and other necessary expenses in connection with home and foreign missions.

London, Ont., April 15.—Norman McPherson, aged 68, and for over half a century one of the best known millers in the district, is dead at his home in Kincardine, after a brief illness.

Regina, April 15.—Regina's check for one thousand dollars for the relief of sufferers of the recent floods in Dayton and other American cities, has been returned with a note saying: "No foreign contributions are now being accepted."

Amherstburg, April 15th.—While engaged in a stump blasting expedition this afternoon on the farm of Leonard Atkin, a number of dynamite caps, which Albert Fox, aged 55, of Amherstburg, carried in his pocket, were accidentally exploded and Fox will probably die as a result of it. The explosion tore a hole in the man's right side, destroying his right eye, and otherwise injuring him, and he may not live until morning. Fox is married and has three children.

The Canadian Pacific, the Grand Trunk and the Canadian Northern Railways have completed arrangements for the carrying of delegates from all points of Canada to the conventions of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church and the Christian and Missionary Alliance, to be held in Toronto this summer. Provision has been made for the accommodation of 4,000 delegates to the General Assembly and 10,000 delegates to the Missionary Alliance. It is estimated that the combined railway fares of the two conventions will reach almost \$300,000.

## CHOP STUFF.

Forest pays its assessor \$70.  
Strathroy horse show May 1st.

Watford horse show Friday, April 25.  
Essex Board of Trade has adopted the words, "Essex, the town with a purpose" for a town slogan.

The 95-foot flag pole at the Commercial Hotel, Wyoming, is no more, having rotted at the base after over 20 years' use.

Hugh Montgomery's handsome stallion "McKinney Costs" was sold by auction lately for \$5,000. A Sarnia township farmer was the purchaser.

While descending the steps of her sister Miss Polley's residence, Wyoming, Mrs. R. S. Pritchard had the misfortune to fall, breaking her right wrist.

Mr. Tom Simpson was hit on the top of the head by a table base at the Strathroy furniture factory Wednesday morning, which cut a deep gash three inches long.

The business men of Amherstburg held a meeting last week and decided to resurrect the Business Men's Association. Ways and means of advertising the town were discussed.

Hopini McFarlane, Forest, has received word from his son John, who is living at Columbus, Ohio, that they lost their home, household effects and clothing in the recent flood.

The water in Lake Erie is still very high. Old logs that had remained undisturbed for 20 years are afloat. It is not likely that any damage will occur as a result of high water.

The county of Middlesex plans the expenditure of \$500,000 on good roads, and a by-law authorizing this expenditure will be presented for ratification of the Legislature as soon as possible.

The property on south Christina street, Sarnia, known as Dufferin park, has been purchased from the town by the Imperial Oil Company for \$5,500. The proceeds will be used to provide a park in another section of the town.

The auditor's report for the town of Kingsville shows that the available assets on December 31st last were \$7,005.69, and the direct liabilities \$11,159.77, leaving a deficit of \$4,154.08. The bonded

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debt of the municipality on December 31st was \$29,283.82.

The Church of England, Thedford, will build a new church, to replace the one wrecked by Good Friday's wind storm. The remains of the old building is being torn down this week, and the new structure will be erected on the old site. Over \$2000 has already been subscribed towards it.

Horses are decreasing in price, dealers say, and the prospects are that they will go lower. This is particularly true of heavy horses. The country is full now of heavy horses from one to three years of age and the crop of foals expected this year will be the largest in recent years.

During a recent electric storm lightning entered the barn of Mr. G. Stoner, 2nd con. Bosanquet. The hired man was rendered unconscious and one cow was killed and another injured. The bolt entered the basement on the litter-carrier cable and passed through the cement wall to the lightning rod on the other side of the building.

T. L. Borrowman, Wyoming, last Wednesday succeeded in securing an excellent flow of gas from his well drilled by Jolley Bros. at the rear of his residence on Thames street. The supply thus far has been sufficient for his own family and that of his son, Elmir, north of the village, who has connected with the pipe previously laid.

The contractors have the foundation for the new waterworks tower at Parkhill excavated. The foundation is 4½ feet deep, 6 ft. wide. The outside diameter is 20 ft. 4 inches. The tower is 107 feet 4 inches high from bottom of base to top of dome. The tank on top of the tower will be 27 feet in diameter inside and 29 feet high, holding 100,000 gallons of water. When finished Parkhill will have the most complete, strongest and best concrete water tower in Canada.

A farmer was boasting of his habits of early rising. "I get up every morning at three o'clock," he remarked to a neighbor. The latter responded, "I get up at two, and have most of my chores done by three." The first speaker suspected misrepresentation, so the next morning at 2:30 he went over to the neighbor's house and knocked at the door. The man's wife answered the summons. "Where's your husband?" was the enquiry. "He was around here early this morning, but I don't know where he is now."

## WANT COLUMN.

Five lines and under 25 cents. Over five lines five cents per line.

WANTED—200 people to pay their accounts at Swift's this month.

COLLIE PUPS—Two or three of those well-bred pups left.—P. E. FULLER, Watford.

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FOR SALE—Sow and litter of young pigs, two weeks old.—CHAS. CATES, lot 25, con. 1, N.E.R., Wisbeach, Ont.

BARN FOR SALE, 37 x 60 feet, on lot wj 29, con. 4, S.E.R. Will be sold cheap to a quick purchaser.—HENRY RIVERS, 3 PASTURE to rent by the month. 10 head of cattle or over, taken.—JOHN MCPHERSON, lot 30, con. 2, Plympton, R.R. No. 3, Wyoming.

TO RENT—Old established blacksmith stand in Watford. Present occupant vacates on account of poor health. Best stand in town.—R. E. PRENTIS, merchant tailor, Watford.

FOR SALE—International fifteen horse power gasoline engine, in first-class condition. Can be seen running. Want to replace it with a twenty horse power. Price \$500.00. Apply to TRENTON & CO.

THE Yorkshire Insurance is the oldest, largest and wealthiest office transacting live stock insurance against death by accident or disease. Persons desiring such insurance may apply to W. E. FITZGERALD, Watford, the representative of said Company for this district.

DR. WARNER CORNELL, the well-known eye, ear, nose and throat specialist of Port Huron, will resume his visits to Watford, and will be at the Roche Hotel on Friday afternoon, Jan. 24th, when he can be consulted on all diseases of those organs. Glasses properly fitted,

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—ON—

SATURDAY, APRIL 19th, 1913

at 1 o'clock p. m.,

for the purpose of considering applications for Liquor Licenses for the License Year 1913-14.

All persons interested will govern themselves accordingly.

P. D. McCALLUM,

License Inspector.

Dated at Forest this 2nd day of April, 1913. ap4-3

## BORN.

In Wood, on Tuesday, April 8th, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Richardson, a son, (stillborn).

In Brooke, on Tuesday, April 8th, to Mr. and Mrs. Archie P. Campbell, a daughter.

In Wyoming, on April 9th, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Young, a daughter.

On 14th line, Ennisville, on March 22nd to Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Napper—a son.

## MARRIED.

On Tuesday, April 8th, at the Rectory, Alveston Mr. James H. Chivers, of Wyoming, was united in marriage to Miss Ellen N. J. Kenning, of Arkona, by the Rev. J. H. McLeod.

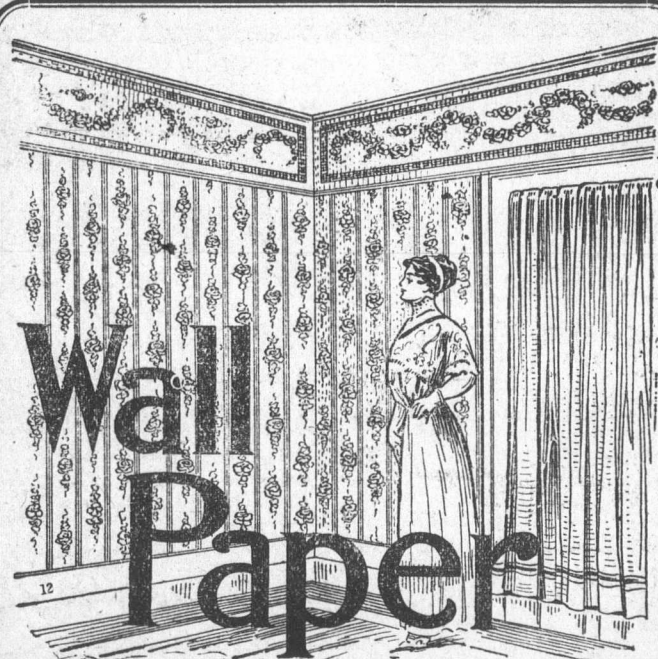
## DIED.

In Petrolia, on Monday, April 7th, Margaret Isabel McKay, beloved wife of William Clark.

In Plympton, on Saturday, April 5th, 1913, Martha Cooper, relict of the late John Cooper, in her 76th year.

In Sarnia, on Thursday, April 10th, James London, aged 68 years, 8 months, 20 days.

In Arkona, on Tuesday, April 8th, 1913, Mr. Charles Mellon, of Warwick, in his 90th year.



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## ARKONA

Rev. J. A. Baldwin returned Saturday after spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. J. A. Pentwater, Mich.

Mrs. Jno. L. Fuller made a trip to Sarnia last Wednesday. Mr. Bert Miller, who has been in treatment in London hospital, is home much improved.

Mrs. L. Jacques, of Windsor, the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Jackson, here, on Thursday last. Mr. and Mrs. Will Jackson, hill, wish to thank the ladies who rendered assistance during mother's recent illness.

Mrs. Will Cope has secured with the C.P.R. in Windsor.

We know a farmer very close to 50 acres, who has made to six hundred dollars each year the past five years out of alfalfa seed. There is big money in alfalfa seed. We have a few bushels of alfalfa seed, specially for those who want to grow alfalfa.

Rev. J. H. McLachlan, of will occupy the pulpit in Baptist next Sunday, morning and evening.

Miss Irene Dickson has returned spending a few weeks with her in Columbus, Ohio.

Mrs. Davidson and daughter have returned home from London.

A shipment of very choice Geeps have arrived at Brown Bros. Subject in Methodist church evening will be "Through the Christ." Special music, an solo.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jackson, hill, were in town attending to the late Mrs. B. Jackson, 1st.

Miss Ida Smith, who has been a few weeks at her home turned to Port Huron, where she is in a term training as a nurse.

Two of Arkona's oldest brokers, Jackson and Mr. Char passed away on Tuesday, April 15th.

Mr. Ernest George made a trip to Sarnia last week.

"Empress" Shoes for women who need no "breaking in" shoes.

Mr. Arthur Jenkins, of Stratford, is spending a few days in town.

Mr. John Showler and 1 Showler spent a few days in town.

Mr. W. S. Fuller, of Watford business trip to town Tuesday.

Mr. Russell Brock, of Stratford Sunday with Mr. Norman St.

Our tailor shop is very busy your order early.—Fuller Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. James Evans, spent Sunday with Arkona friends.

Miss Rose McLeish spent London and Stratford.

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Mr. Hooper, classical music Strathroy Collegiate Institute Strathroy for Lindsay.

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