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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Men's heavy work sweaters \$2.25
A. Brown & Co.
Mrs. Nagle, Mr. Brydges, is the guest of Mrs. Davidson.
Miss V. Kennedy, London, was the weekend guest of Mrs. C.C. Leich.
Attend Swift's Sale of Ladies' Coats.

It would take 4,377,500 German marks to buy a ton of Canadian newsprint.
Mr. and Mrs. W.C. Aylesworth and baby Phyllis visited relatives in Michigan last week.
Remember the Presbyterian Bazaar on Dec. 8 and 9, in the Armory. Full particulars next week.

10 only Burberry style ladies' and misses pure wool coats. Regular up to \$21.75 for \$14.95.—A. Brown & Co.
The United States Thanksgiving will be observed on Thursday, Nov. 30th.

Christmas is only four weeks from next Monday. How is the Christmas shopping progressing?
First snow of the winter in Watford on Nov. 21. Just a sprinkle, gone in a few hours.
Mrs. A. J. Weight and daughters Elsie and Edith have returned after spending five months in England.

Choice currants, raisins, candied peel, nuts and everything required in the grocery line for Christmas at P. Dodds & Son.
Hockey meeting at the Roebuck House this (Friday) evening 8:30. Everyone interested urged to attend. All military at clearing prices.—A. Brown & Co.

Don't miss Bebe Daniels in her latest snappy motor comedy success "The Speed Girl" at the Lyceum next Thursday night.
Wm. Williamson the coal dealer has secured T.G. Mitchell's old early Tuesday afternoon Dr. James Allen Milne, London dentist, was acquitted of the charge of perjury preferred against him in connection with testimony given by him at the trial of Edward McMullen, charged with robbing the bank of the Bank of Toronto at Wyoming.

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Ladies! A fur trimmed suit, regular \$60.00.—Swift's Sale \$45.00.
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THANKOFFERING DAY
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Special music was rendered by the choir, with Miss Estelle Craig at the organ. Miss Elsie Brown and Mr. Rayner were soloists at the morning service, while at the evening service a duet was well rendered by Mrs. J. Brush and Miss Ida Richardson. Special anthems were sung at the services, a difficult one, Gounod's "Send Out Thy Light," being well rendered at the evening service.
The financial objective for the day was \$150 and the offerings totalled \$195. Delayed offerings which are expected next Sunday will bring the total to over \$200. In addition to this the church decided to dispense with a supper, and instead received voluntary contributions from members of over \$65.00. This brings the grand total up to over \$260.

Wheat \$1.10, oats 40c, butter 30c, eggs 47-48c.
We are rapidly becoming a soft people. First it was soft collars and cuffs, then soft drinks, and now we are asked to use soft coal, and many people are looking for soft jobs. Are we developing into a race of softies?
At the recent meeting of the Y.P.S. of the Presbyterian Church, Miss Margaret McLeay, the Warwick Township Sunday School Association's delegate to the recent convention of the Ontario Religious Education Council in Toronto, gave an interesting report of the convention.
Extra heavy, pure linen damask \$1.45 per yard.—A. Brown & Co.
There is not much talk about municipal elections yet. Reeve Harper will not be a candidate for the reeve's chair next year, as he will move to Calgary in the spring. W.G. Connolly, W.E. Fitzgerald and Paul Kingston are spoken of for the office but have not yet declared themselves.
Now is the time to secure rubbers, before the weather is bad. He keeps them to fit any kind of shoe for women, men or children. Call and see them.—P. Dodds & Son.

Travellers on the Sarnia branch of the G.T.E. will soon miss the pleasant smile of Conductor J.B. Richardson, who goes on the pension list on Dec. 1st. Baccageman William Rodgers will also be retired on that day. Two popular and well-known old timers that will be long remembered.
Our Christmas Handkerchiefs are at hand.—Swift's.
Each citizen can make the Guide-Advocate news columns more interesting by sending in news items regarding trips, social events, successes of former residents in other places, marriages of local people or their relatives, bereavements of local families or deaths in other places of former residents.
Linen Towelling, 6 pieces, 4 yards for \$1.00.
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CHOP STUFF

Petrolia people complain that there are chicken thieves and dog poisoners in their midst that they could do without.
The new \$20,000 combination school at Melbourn was opened last Friday with an interesting program of addresses and music.
The death occurred on Wednesday of Mr. John Dodge, former resident of Alvinston, at the home of his son, Walter, near Sarnia.
E.V. Thornicroft, of Appin, has sold the old Beakerville home in Strathroy to L. Thomas of Adelaide. Consideration in neighborhood of \$4,000.
Mr. J.C. Wilkes, who passed away last Friday at his home in Mount Forest at the age of 85, had held the office of Division Court Clerk continuously for the long period of 63 years.
Two men were arrested in Thamesville for stealing geese and were given a term in the Reformatory. They were arrested while attempting to sell them.
On Friday last Kenneth Bondy, son of Pierre Bondy, South Colchester, had a close call to losing his life when his pant leg became caught in the tumbling rod driving a cement mixer and his leg was badly twisted and broken.
Fishing in Lake Huron at present is reported as being the best in years. Monday afternoon Norman Ferguson of Sarnia took from his nets over 10,000 herring besides a number of lake trout, pickerel and whitefish.
John Chivers, of Belmont, applied for \$420.50 for the new public library in that village. This amount was collected by the township with the feat of the taxes, at the request of the village, and turned over to Mr. Chivers.
Forrest poppy sale realized \$30.
At the Bruce county sale of lands at Walkerton in the year 1892 a number of 100-acre farms on the Bruce Peninsula were purchased for 25 cents cash. The same farms are now valued at between \$5,000 and \$10,000.
On Tuesday, November 14th, at midnight, Albert Tobias Sr., of Moravia, had his house and contents all burnt. A grandson coughed, because of smoke, which aroused the other inmates otherwise they would likely have been consumed by the fire.
A happy gathering was held a few days ago of the family and near relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kenning of Lobo Township. In honor of their golden wedding anniversary the aged couple were presented with a purse of gold by the family and other tokens.
James G. Mickelborough of the second line of Plympton had 34 turkeys stolen from his farm Wednesday evening. Mr. Mickelborough had marked them by cutting off a toe nail on one of the feet and would be pleased if any one would report finding any of the birds on the market.
Hector Smith, little son of Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, who recently moved to the 4th con. Bosanquet, was knocked over by a cow he was driving to the new home, and was tampered with the head, sustaining cuts requiring a number of stitches to close, but is making a nice recovery.
\$200,000 has passed into the hands of the Sarnia Reserve Indians from the Department of Indian Affairs, for the land sold by them to the Alloy Steel Corporation. The amounts paid vary from \$350 to \$3,500. The department is holding back \$100,000, the balance of the purchase price in trust for the Indians.
There passed away some days ago the oldest resident of this district in the person of Mrs. Lammpan, mother of T.A. Lammpan, J.P. of Wainstead, and Mrs. Wark of Wyoming. Mrs. Lammpan is also survived by fifteen grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Mr. Wark reeve of Wyoming, is her son-in-law.
William Thomas Banton Lewis, a resident of Strathroy for the past thirty years, passed away on Friday evening at his home on Carrie street, adjoining the Hospital property. The deceased was in his 85th year and was born in Devonshire, England, coming to Canada with his parents when five years old.
Alvinston skating rink this year will be conducted under the same efficient management of the past three years, by Mr. Mark Mulholland, who has already started the preliminary work. With the fine material on hand for a hockey team, and the early start, a winning aggregation may be expected to represent the village.
William Armstrong of Parkhill was taken to Victoria hospital at 4.30 o'clock Monday afternoon suffering from a serious gunshot wound in the foot. Doctors decided an amputation was unnecessary. Armstrong was wounded when a shotgun accidentally discharged while he was on a hunting trip in the vicinity of Parkhill.

JACK MINER COMING TO WATFORD

Under the auspices of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Congregational Church Jack Miner will give his most interesting lecture on bird life illustrated by Moving Pictures in the Lyceum, Watford, Tuesday, Nov. 28th, at 8 p.m. Mr. Miner owns a large farm near Kingsville and a part of it is used for a large park where the feathered creatures find a real home and plenty of food. His lectures are all based on facts gathered from experience and observation. His coming means a real treat for the citizens of Watford and the surrounding country.
Don't fail to hear him. Admission Adults 50c, children 35c.

VISITOR FROM LAMBTON

Mr. J.W. Edwards, of Watford, is a visitor in town this week. He left here a couple of years ago when he sold his farm in Nottawasaga, just outside of the town and since has been located in the Lambton town, where he is engaged in operating a meat business.
Speaking of his western Ontario home Mr. Edwards said that it was prosperous and progressive. It is a small town, yet nevertheless the centre of quite a large business.
Speaking of the newspaper there, The Guide-Advocate he mentioned the fact that it is edited by Mr. Thomas Harris, which in turn recalled another fact, namely, that Mr. Harris was, half a century ago, a resident in Collingwood and foreman in the Bulletin office.
While in Collingwood Mr. Edwards renewed acquaintances with many of his friends in town and in the surrounding country, all of whom gave him a very cordial welcome.

WARWICK

Mr. Russell Smith, 12 sideroad, has purchased a new black driver.
Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Barnes visited friends in Camlachie recently.
Misses Margaret and Deliah Hawkins spent Sunday with Miss Mildred Barnes.
Mr. and Mrs. George Cundick of London visited with Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Barnes last week.
Mrs. H. Moon has returned from Camlachie, Alta., and is staying with her brother, Mr. Jas.H. Bryce, 4th line.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cable of Detroit visited their cousin, Mrs. Sidney Barnes and other relatives last week.
There will be no evening service at Sharon Free Methodist on Dec. 3rd on account of quarterly meeting service at Theodora.
Mr. Charlie Cable of Detroit, has been visiting his cousin, Mr. Harry Cable, fourth line, returned home this week.
Evening service in Zion Cong'l church on Sunday at 7.30 p.m. The Rev. A.R. Johnston of Warwick Village will preach. Everybody welcome.

The ladies of Grace Church, 4th line, Warwick intend having a bazaar and also a home-made baking sale in Watford on Dec. 2nd. Watch for particulars next week.
The Women's Missionary Society of Knox church, Main Road, will hold the annual Thankoffering meeting in the church on Monday evening Nov. 27th, at 8 o'clock, to which all are cordially invited.
The annual entertainment of Grace Church Sunday School, fourth line east, will be held in the school house of S.S. No. 12 on Tuesday Dec. 19th. A good program of dialogues, recitations and drills.
The Warwick Methodist Sunday School anniversary will be held next Sunday, Nov. 26. Rev. Mr. Hager will reach at 10.30 and Rev. Mr. Rayner at 7.30. Special music will be rendered at both services.
A meeting of D.O.B. Club was held at the home of Miss Vera Williamson on November 8th. Most of the members were present and the time was spent sewing and considering the work was accomplished. When the business meeting was ended, Mrs. Williamson served a dainty lunch, and a social half hour was spent over the teacups. It was decided that the next meeting would be held at the home of Miss Jean McCormick on Wednesday, Dec. 13th.
Mrs. Neal A. Edwards, Thornloe, wishes to thank her many friends and neighbors in the vicinity of her old home in Warwick for such a generous contribution of wearing apparel, bedding and other comforts. She will write them personally when settled in her own home. The settlers are busy rebuilding and quite a few are in their new homes. They still think old Temiskaming is the place to live.
The fire caused a lot of inconvenience and blackened things up in general but any portion of the bush which was a dry slash is now very easily prepared for the crop where it would have cost thousands of dollars to clear before the fire. A great many were discouraged and left right after the fire but are now returning to make a fresh start.

BROOKE

Rev. Steadman will conduct two weeks special services at Bethesda this week.
Mr. Thos. Kidd and his mother, Mrs. John Kidd returned Tuesday from a three weeks visit with friends at Smith Falls, Pembroke, Medcalf and Ottawa and report a splendid time.
The masquerade party held at Mr. and Mrs. Walter Annett's was a success in every way. Many of the young folk came in costume. Darksies, clowns, Red Riding Hood, fairy, Pierrette, Uncle Sam, Queen of Hearts and many other varieties of costume were noticed. Messrs. H. Lett and Wallace Watson were judges. Games spelling matches, singing and lunch brought a very pleasant evening to a close.
Fire completely destroyed the fine large barn of Archie McLachlan on the 15 sideroad. The fire which started in the hay mow, was discovered about nine o'clock in the morning and the flames soon gained such headway that the barn and entire contents was soon consumed. Mr. McLachlan informs us that it is a mystery how the fire started as none of the family had been near the barn that day. The barn was full of hay and grain. There was only about \$750 insurance on the building and contents.
The November meeting of the Brooke W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. Roy MacGregor. The meeting opened by the singing of the Maple Leaf. Roll call was well answered by "Exchange of Pickle Recipes." The minutes of the October meeting were read and confirmed. The delegates gave their reports of the Convention. A solo by Miss Clark was much enjoyed as were also the paper by Mrs. J. Steadman entitled "Pioneer days" and the solo by Fern MacGregor. The National Anthem was sung and refreshments were served by the hostess.

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