

ARKONA

Miss Della Hume of Petrolia, is visiting her uncle, Dr. Hume, in the Ark.

Mrs. A. W. Hare is spending a couple of weeks at Rev. Hare's in St. Catharines.

Miss Nellie Nelson is spending a couple of weeks with her sister, Mrs. Clarence Wilson, in Glanworth.

Mrs. I. W. Showler has returned home after making a short visit with friends in Port Huron, Petrolia, Sarnia and Brooke.

Miss E. M. Irwin announces her spring millinery openings on Thursday, March 20th and following days.

Mr. Arthur Dale, of Oakner, Manitoba, is renewing old acquaintances in and around the Ark.

Messrs Geo. Huntley and Byron Smith went to Detroit on Tuesday to select several new instruments for the band.

Special meetings are being conducted in Methodist church every evening of this week, and one following commencing at 7.45 p. m. Rev. Reid, of Thedford, will conduct the Friday night meeting. All are invited to attend.

Mr. W. S. Fuller, of Watford, made a business trip to the Ark on Friday last.

We are now in a position to fill your orders for Red Clover, Alsike, Alfalfa and Timothy. Do not hold your orders as good seed is scarce.—Brown Bros.

Rev. Hare returned home last week from St. Catharines, where he attended the funeral of his father.

Mr. Otto Schmidt made a business trip to London last week.

Mr. Ray Morningstar attended the auto show in London, last week.

Dr. Hume, V. S., spent a couple of days in Watford last week.

Fuller Bros.—Headquarters for garden seeds.

Miss Gladys Fair returned home Wednesday from Durand, Mich., where she has been visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Corbit, who has been spending a couple of weeks at Mr. H. Stoner's, returned home Sunday.

Miss Elva Fuller returned last week from Toronto, where she attended the millinery openings.

Miss Mellor spent Sunday under the parental roof.

A full line of new gingham to be seen at Fuller Bros.

The first robin of the season was seen by Mr. W. Fuller, March 11th. Spring is coming.

Miss Hilborn, of Thedford, is visiting Mrs. Fred Jackson.

The Misses Fuller, Watford, paid Arkona a visit Friday.

The Baptist Sunday School entertainment will be held Friday evening, March 21st.

Special showing of rugs and carpets at Fuller Bros. commencing March 19th. Millinery openings at Fuller Bros. March 22nd.

Arkona School Report for February. IV Class.—The following is the per cent obtained in Arithmetic, Spelling, Geography and Grammar.—George Fuller 80, Lloyd Richter 73, Bert Baldwin 72, Orval Huntley 72, Morgan Copeland 68, Freda Thoman 64, Sanford Cornell 60, Lonnie Jackson 55, Marjorie Copeland 54, Averil Baldwin 40, Norville Knisley 42. III Class.—Arithmetic, Spelling, History and Literature.—Fred Dowling 80, Elsie Baynes 78, Beatrice Oakes 69, Bradford Smith 63, Stanley Stephenson 60, Mae Watts 60, Clara Richter 59, Bruce Augustine 56, Rhea Thoman 56, Nellie Donaldson 56, Albert Weedmark 54, Arthur Shirier 48, Harvey White 41.—R. MACLEISH, Principal. II Class.—Norman Crawford 82, Zilla Connolly 77, Clara Dunlop 76, Morgan Wilson 76, Charlie Lucas 63, Ruth Richter 60, George Rutter 60, Joe Stephenson 60. Pt. II Class.—Mable Topping 95, Eva Shirier 90, Lois Maurice Smith 69, Eva Shirier 56, H. A. Baldwin 53, Bertram Evans 51.—H. A. HILL, Teacher.

WISBEACH

Mr. Geo. Cleland and family are under quarantine with mild attack of scarlet fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coukey entertained a number of their friends on Friday evening of last week.

Mr. Geo. Hawkins has purchased Mr. Geo. Cleland's farm of 50 acres, lot 30, con. 1, N. E. R., Warwick, for \$2000.

Wm. Seymour arrived home from Philadelphia on Saturday, after a two months' visit with his brother, Dr. E. J. Seymour of that city.

Miss Isabel Shields and Mrs. D. Fletcher were in Metcalfe last week visiting Mr. John Mitchell, ex-reeve of that township, who is confined to bed with a severe attack of rheumatism.

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The good health of baby depends entirely upon whether his stomach and bowels are kept regular or not. Keep the bowels working regularly and the little stomach sweet and baby will be well and happy. To do this use Baby's Own Tablets—they are a gentle laxative and have no equal. Mrs. Chas. Lapierre, Les Boules, Que., says: "I have found Baby's Own Tablets very good for my baby and they kept him in good health." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

INWOOD

Mr. Alex. Blaikie is suffering from a severe attack of la grippe.

Mr. Wm. Warren is confined to the house this week with la grippe.

Miss Irene Morley spent last week with her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Munro.

Mrs. Jas. Brown is slowly recovering from a severe attack of pleurisy.

Lon H. Aylesworth, Watford, made a short visit at his home here Tuesday night.

Rev. N. A. Campbell attended the meeting of the Sarnia Presbytery held in Petrolia on Tuesday last week.

Jas. A. Campbell left on Monday for London, where he has secured a lucrative position in the Canada Life office.

A successful auction sale was held in the village, last Saturday, of choice dairy cows. Prices ranged high, some going at \$65 and \$70.

Blanche, the 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Warren, had the misfortune to break her collar-bone last week.

Mr. Joshua Thomas left for the West on Monday with a carload of settler's effects. Mr. Thomas intends settling on his farm near Provost, Alta., for the summer.

An excellent repeat concert was given on Friday night by the Inwood band and was thoroughly enjoyed by a fair-sized audience. Many excellent selections were rendered by the band and orchestra, while instrumentals and solos galore placed our excellent local talent in the spot-light. Mr. Bert McLachlan, who was in his usual good humor, again delighted his audience and had to answer numerous encores. Many of the residents are laughing yet at the "truthful drives" he handed out to them. The band boys were well pleased with their success, about \$35 being realized.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[We do not hold ourselves responsible for opinions expressed by correspondents.]

Editor Guide-Advocate:—

Dear Sir—In this week's edition of your paper, I noticed an item concerning the get-rich-quick system. It said if a person deposited 1 cent in the bank on the first day of the month and doubled the amount to his credit on each succeeding day he would have accumulated \$10,737,418.23 by the end of the month. I think that if the person who subscribed the item would work the problem out day by day he or she would arrive at a far different result. Not having anything to do at present I sat down and worked out the question, but the nearest I could get was \$11,370,680.00. If the party who furnished the puzzle would publish his method of arriving at such an amount I would be glad to see such in print.

Yours respectfully,

A. F. ADAMS.
Wisbeach, March 7th, 1913.

MARKETS

WATFORD.
GRAIN AND SHEEPS—
Wheat, fall, per bush... \$ 90 @ \$ 90
Oats, per bush... 30 30
Barley, per bush... 45 50
Peas, per bush... 75 75
Beans, per bush... 25 2 00
Timothy... 2 00 3 00
Clover Seed... 7 00 12 00
Alsike... 8 00 13 00

PROVISIONS—
Butter, per pound... 25 25
Lard... 18 18
Eggs, per doz... 20 20
Pork... 10 00 10 00
Flour, per cwt... 2 25 3 00
Bran, per ton... 20 00 30 00
Shorts, per ton... 26 00 26 00

MISCELLANEOUS—
Wood... 2 25 3 25
Tallow... 6 6
Hides... 8 10
Wool... 18 20
Hay, per ton... 10 00 11 00

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—
Potatoes, per bag... 1 00 1 00

POULTRY—
Turkeys, per lb... 17 20
Chickens, per lb... 9 14
Fowl... 6 9
Ducks... 12 14
Geese... 10 12

London!

Wheat... \$ 95 to \$ 95
Oats, cwt... 1 05 to 1 06
Peas... 1 00 to 1 10
Barley, cwt... 1 50 to 1 50
Butter... 23 to 28
Eggs... 22 to 25
Pork... 11 50 to 13 00

Toronto.

Toronto, March 11.—Receipts at the Union stockyards to-day were 125 cars, with 2,282 cattle, 896 hogs, 215 sheep, 111 calves and 36 horses.

There was a good brisk trade at this market to-day, choice heavy butcher cattle being much in demand and prices firm. Three loads extra choice sold to one firm at \$7.25. Several more loads sold for Montreal at \$7.00 to \$7.25. Choice fat cows and bulls firm and in good demand. Common to medium cows a little slow.

Fair to medium general mixed butchers steady at last week's prices, but not very much higher. Supplies of sheep and lambs is still very small and the market is strong.

Hogs are firm at \$9.65, fed and watered, a few hogs selling at \$9.70, but the bulk at the former figure.

To-day's quotations.

Butcher cattle, choice... 6 50 to 7 25
do., medium... 5 50 to 6 00
do., common... 5 00 to 5 25
do., cows, choice... 4 50 to 5 50
do., good... 4 25 to 4 75
do., medium... 3 00 to 3 50
do., common... 2 50 to 3 00
do., good butchers... 4 50 to 5 25
do., bulls, choice... 2 75 to 3 25
do., good butchers... 3 00 to 3 50
do., roughs... 3 00 to 3 50
do., feeders, 950 lbs... 5 00 to 6 00
Feeding bulls... 3 70 to 4 25
Stockers, choice... 5 00 to 5 50
do., medium... 3 00 to 3 50
do., light... 2 50 to 3 00
Canners good cutters... 2 50 to 3 50
Milkers, choice, each... 50 00 to 72 00
do., com. and med... 35 00 to 45 00
Springers... 40 00 to 45 00
Calves... 8 00 to 9 50
Lambs... 8 50 to 9 50
Sheep, choice, light... 6 00 to 7 00
do., heavy... 5 00 to 6 00
Bucks and culs... 4 50 to 5 00
Hogs, fed and watered... 9 65 to 9 70
do., f. o. b... 9 25 to 9 30

East Buffalo.

East Buffalo, March 11.—Cattle—Receipts, 450 head; active and steady. Veals—Receipts, 75 head; active, 75c up, \$4.00 to \$12.25. Hogs—Receipts, 2,500 head; active, 15c to 25c up; heavy and mixed, \$9.30 to \$9.40; yorkers and pigs, \$9.40 to \$9.45; roughs, \$8.25 to \$8.40; stags, \$8.50 to \$7.50; dairies, \$9.25 to \$9.40. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,000 head; active, steady and unchanged.

R. J. McCormick, M.P.P., on the Liquor Question.

R. J. McCormick, member of the Legislature for East Lambton, took part in the debate on the liquor question in the House last week. The Globe reports him as follows:—

Mr. R. J. McCormick (East Lambton) said he thought the time had come when the Province should make advance in the direction of temperance reform as well as in other directions. The very progress made by local option in recent years was the strongest indication of the need for more advanced temperance legislation. It was no argument to say that the late government had not done enough for temperance; for his own part he would admit it. But it was surprising to see the position taken by the hon. member for West Lambton (Mr. Hanna) in view of the recent local option contest in Sarnia. Coincident with the demand for the abolition of the bar there had come a call from all over the Province for men who would support the cause of temperance and carry its advocacy from day to day into the councils of the nation.

Mr. McCormick repudiated a statement published in The London Free Press, that the Liberal party would have to dispense with its present leader. "What has The Free Press to do with Mr. Rowell?" he declared amid applause. "We are proud of Mr. Rowell. He believes he is right and has the courage to stand for his convictions."

The mayor and clerk of Forest have been served with a notice of action by Cowan & Towers, Sarnia, acting for Miss Mary Brown, of that town, who broke one of her legs by falling on a walk here last week. Miss Brown evidently wants some compensation for the loss sustained.—Forest Free Press.

SALE REGISTER.

Friday, March 21st, Robt. McIlwain, lot 26, con. 2, Plympton, farm stock, implements, &c. 8 mos. credit. J. P. Elliot, auctioneer. See adv.

Tuesday, March 25th, Mortgage sale of farm lands, Cliff Hotel, Arkona, J. P. Elliot, auctioneer. See adv.

Wednesday, March 26, Jos. F. McCormick, lot 11, con. 2, N. E. R., Warwick, farm stock, implements, etc.; See adv.

Wednesday, March 26, Kerrigan Bros. lot 16, con. 4, Plympton, farm stock, implements. See adv.

20 cows and 5 yearlings, all Durhams, for sale by auction at the Roche House, on Saturday, March 23rd, at 2 o'clock. 6 months' credit, 5 per cent. per annum off for cash. Temple & Law, proprietors, R. Brock, auctioneer.

BORN.

In Warwick, on Friday, March 7th, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Routley, a daughter.

DIED.

In Allandale, on Sunday, March 9th, 1913, Donald Cameron, in his 62nd year.

At Moosomin, Sask., on Saturday, Feb. 1st, 1912, Mr. John Pratt Campbell, formerly of Bosanquet, aged 101 years and 6 months.

IN MEMORIAM.

SMITH—In loving memory of our dear James W. who died March 12th, 1912.

One year has passed, our hearts still sore, As time goes on we miss him more; His tender smile, his loving face, No one can fill his vacant place.

From mother, brother, sister.

Michael Murphy has sold his farm, 100 acres, 13th con., Plympton, to Matthew White, of Arlington Beach, Sask., for the sum of \$7,300. Mr. White is a son-in-law of W. Burnham, Warwick. He gets possession April 1st.



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