

**Guide-Advocate**  
HARRIS & CO. PROPRIETORS.

WATFORD, MAY 29, 1914.

**BROOKE**

Arch. A. Fisher left for Regina on Tuesday.

John Zavitz went to Windsor on Wednesday to drive home his new Ford touring car he recently purchased from G. A. Hadden, of Alvinston.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Sunday School are observing next Sunday May 31st as Children's Day. The children of the school will recite, a number of passages from the Bible, and take part in the singing. The choir has prepared special music. The church will be decorated throughout with flowers. Services begin at two o'clock. A special offering will be taken up for the aid of missions.

Sarah Marella, beloved wife of Mr. Donald McEachern, 10th line, passed away Tuesday morning after thirteen weeks of very painful illness from cancer of the stomach, aged 56 years, 11 months and 16 days. Deceased was the daughter of Mr. T. W. Showler, of Arkona, and was twice married, her first husband being John Cutler, of Arkona. She is survived by Mr. McEachern, three daughters and one son, namely, Mrs. C. W. Connor, Port Huron, Mich.; Mrs. Frank Lucas, 12th line, Brooke; Miss Sadie McEachern at home, and Edward Cutler, Sutorville. Three brothers also survive her, John, of London, Robert, of Cape, Mich., and Ernest, of Collingwood, and a step-son, John McEachern, and step-daughter, Katherine McEachern, at home. Deceased made many warm friends during her sojourn on earth and bore her long and painful illness with true christian fortitude. The funeral was held on Thursday morning from the family residence, lot 5, con. 10, Brooke. Service was held at the house by the Rev. N. A. Campbell, of Inwood Presbyterian church, and interment was made in Arkona cemetery. The pallbearers were Ed. Peasley, W. J. Higgins, August Fisher, Alex. Watson, James Coke and Alex. McDonald.

**Gallagher-McAlpine**

A very pretty, though quiet, wedding took place Tuesday morning in the Catholic church, Forest, when Miss Helena May McAlpine, one of Forest's popular young girls, was married to Charles Gallagher, of New Liskeard, by Rev. Fr. Gleason, of Stratford. During the signing of the register Miss Loretta Roche sang an appropriate solo. The bride wore a gown of ivory satin with trimmings of silk shadow lace and pearl, carrying white roses and wearing the regulation wedding veil. The bridesmaid, Miss Veronica Pierce, a cousin of the bride, looked sweet and pretty in pink crepe de chine and carried pink roses.

while Frank Gallagher, a brother of the bridegroom, acted as best man. Miss Nora Pettypiece played the wedding march. A wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. R. McAlpine, after which the happy couple left on the westbound afternoon train for a short trip. They will return to Forest for a few days before leaving for their future home in New Liskeard.

**MARKETS**

**Toronto**

Toronto, May 28.—Calves were the feature of a light day's trading at the Union stockyards to-day, reaching 11c. There was a light market, as the drovers did not ship much on the holiday. Cattle were up 10c all round, but heavy fat sheep were a drug and hard to sell.

Hogs were steady to weaker. Receipts at the Union stockyards to-day were 33 cars, with 592 cattle, 361 calves, 675 hogs and 122 sheep.

To-day's quotations:  
Butcher cattle, choice... 8 00 to 8 50  
do., medium... 7 00 to 8 25  
Common cows... 5 00 to 5 25  
Canners and cutters... 3 60 to 4 00  
do., cows, choice... 6 50 to 7 00  
do., bulls, choice... 6 50 to 7 50  
Stockers and feeders... 7 25 to 7 75  
do., medium... 7 00 to 7 50  
do., light... 6 50 to 7 25  
Calves, veal... 8 75 to 11 00  
do., common... 4 00 to 7 50  
Hogs, fed and watered... 8 25 to 8 25  
do., off cars... 8 50 to 8 60  
Hogs, f. o. b... 7 90 to 8 00  
Sheep, ewes, light... 6 50 to 7 00  
do., heavy... 5 00 to 5 50  
do., bucks... 5 25 to 5 75  
Spring lambs, each... 5 00 to 8 00  
Yearling lambs... 7 00 to 9 00

East Buffalo, May 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 25; active and steady; prices unchanged. Veals—Receipts, 25; active and lower. Hogs—Receipts, 1,300; active and strong to be higher; heavy and medium, \$8.65; yorkers, \$8.65 to \$8.70; pigs, \$8.65; roughs \$7.35 to \$7.50; stags, \$6.50 to \$7; dairies, \$8.40 to \$8.65. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,400; heavy weights, active and steady; common and heavy, slow; lambs, \$6 to \$8.40; yearlings, \$5 to \$7.25; wethers, \$6.10 to \$6.50; ewes, \$2.50 and \$6; sheep, mixed, \$5.85 to \$6.15.

**English in the Orient**

The proprietors of a newspaper in Siam have distributed the following notice: "The news of English we tell the latest, write on perfect style and most earlier. Do a murder commit, we hear of it and tell it. Do a mighty chief die, we publish it and in borders of sorrow. Staff has each one been college and write like the Kipling and the Dickens. We circle every town and extortionate not for advertisements. Buy it."—Belfast Daily News.

**SWIFTS**

# A BIG MONEY-SAVING EVENT

**BARGAIN No. 1**

Smart up-to-the-moment Ladies' Suits, good range of sizes, all the new Skirts, silk and satin lining; you will **SAVE FROM \$3.00 to \$4.00 A SUIT** and get nifty style, no old stock, all crisp and new.

**Swift, Sons & Co. - Direct Importers**

**BARGAIN No. 2**

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**BARGAIN No. 3**

Greatest Carpet Sale in the history of the store; hundreds of yards of regular \$1.00, \$1.20, \$1.25, \$1.45 all marked at **ONE PRICE, 89 CENTS**. You can buy them with and without borders. Figure out your savings on the lot and come quick as soon as you see this Ad. Our aim is to clear this lot this month; every yard should go at such a price; they cost more in England at the looms. Again we mention the price, **89 Cents**.

**Swift, Sons & Co. - Carpet Warehouse**

**BARGAIN No. 4**

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**BARGAIN No. 3**

Hundreds of pairs of Lace Curtains direct from Nottingham, in mostly 2½ yards long, cream, white, ivory, tan, all the new weaves, the prices run from **\$1.00 to \$2.50**, all showing a big saving in the price. We have them on display on the second floor—Carpet Department.

**Swift, Sons & Co. - Direct Importers**

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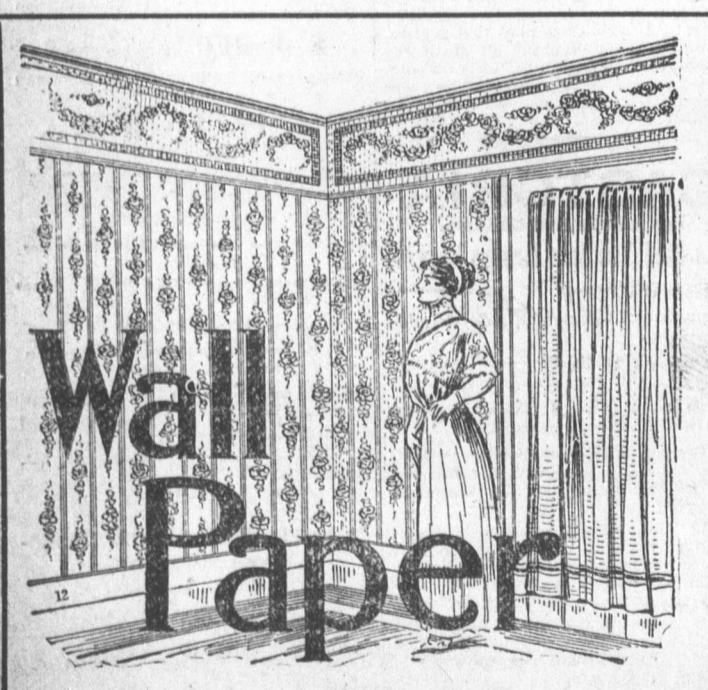
**BARGAIN No. 4**

Small Rugs from 18 by 27 and 22 by 34 and 27 by 72, piles at each size and the price will surprise you; we buy them direct from the looms at special discount price and you will say you never saw such goods at the price; all ready for your inspection.

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**SWIFTS**



**BEFORE** you decide on that wall papering come into this store and see the latest designs that we have just taken into stock. Much of the value of wall paper depends on effect and artistic combination.

Let our experience with hundreds of other customers help you. Come in to-day.

Have you seen our spring stock of shoes? Some odd lines to be cleared out regardless of cost.

**P. Dadds & Son**

**WANT COLUMN.**  
Five lines and under 25 cents. Over five lines five cents per line.  
All notices in this column are strictly cash. If orders are telephoned The Guide-Advocate kindly arrange to pay the amount the first time you are in town, so they will not have to be carried through the books.

Wool wanted—At Strathroy Woolen Mills, 17 to 18 cents per lb paid for unwashed wool until June 30th. m15-4t  
FOR SALE.—3 choice young York sows due in June. Apply to JAMES B. PARKER, ½ lot 28, con. 2, S.E.R., Warwick.  
I. J. Hastings has put in a new up-to-date machine for sharpening lawn mowers. Good work guaranteed. Shop, Warwick street. m15-3t

PLACED in wrong buggy Saturday night, I pair high legged boots, newly soled. Will finder please leave at Guide-Advocate office. By doing so you will oblige.  
The Watford Citizen's Band is open for engagements at garden parties, socials etc. Six-piece orchestra in connection. For terms and dates apply to P. J. Dodds. my22-3t

CARD OF THANKS—Mrs. Geo. Graham and family wish to sincerely thank all the friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness and sympathy extended to them in their bereavement.

SUMMER Cottage at Hillsboro for rent by week or month during the summer. 2 storeys, convenient, nicely situated. Eggs, milk and ice can be had on the ground. For particulars apply to W. R. MARSH, P.O. Box 57, Watford. m22-3

A LARGE amount of private and other money to loan on farm property. A few good dwelling house properties in Watford and two good 100-acre farms in this vicinity for sale. Apply to W. E. FITZGERALD, Barrister, etc., Watford.

There may possibly be lawyers in heaven. A lot of us are prepared to be somewhat disappointed when we get there.

**THE MERCHANTS' BANK OF CANADA**

President.....SIR H. MONTAGU ALLEN  
Vice-President.....JONATHAN HOBSON, Esq.  
General Manager.....E. F. HEDDEN

**Paid-up Capital.....\$6,000,000**  
**Reserve Fund and Undivided Profits.....5,458,878**  
**Deposits Nov. 30, 1911.....63,494,580**  
**Assets Nov. 30, 1911.....81,928,960**

197 BRANCHES IN CANADA.

General Banking Business transacted. SAVINGS DEPARTMENT at all Branches. Deposits of \$1.00 and upwards received and interest allowed at best current rates.

**Watford Branch: F. KENWARD, Manager**

**WISBEACH**  
Lola Rose, London, spent a few days with her mother.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Watson visited friends in Stratford.  
Mr. Geo. Conkey motored to Mt. Bridges on Sunday last.  
Miss Margaret Bryson visited Stratford relatives on Wednesday.  
Mr. Geo. McIntosh attended the funeral of the late James Wallace.  
Mrs. James Watson, London, visited Mr. Wm. Watson on Sunday.  
Mrs. W. E. Parker spent a couple of days in London visiting her niece.  
Miss Gladys Shrapnell spent the holidays with her aunt, Mrs. Geo. Iles.  
Miss Ethel Bolton has returned after spending the holidays with her mother.  
Mr. Hy Macklin, Sarnia, made a business trip to Mr. Robt. Watson's this week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Williamson were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Watson last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Jones and son Johnnie, and niece, Miss Pauline Jones, of Detroit, and Mr. C. Vail and sons, Dot and Willie, called on Mrs. Jno. Watson on Monday.  
The funeral took place of the late James Wallace on the 19th inst., after a short illness, which was a shock to all his friends and neighbors. He was beloved by all who knew him and he was an affectionate husband and father. He leaves to mourn his loss a bereaved wife and four sons: Dr. Chester, of Ingersoll, and Earl, Stanley and Lester, at home. The funeral service was conducted by the Rev. A. Hare, of Arkona, interment at the West Adelaide Cemetery, the pallbearers being his six cousins, John, Robt. and James Watson, William and David Skillen and Samuel Wiley.

**MERCHANTS' BANK**

The fifty-first annual meeting of the Board of Directors of the Merchants' Bank of Canada was held at the head offices at Montreal, Quebec, on April 28th and 29th, 1914. The meeting was held in the presence of the President, Mr. H. Montagu Allen, and the Vice-President, Mr. Jonathan Hobson, Esq. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Board have much pleasure in announcing that the average capital rate for the year 1913 was 10.5 per cent. The Board also have the honor to announce that the dividend for the year 1913 has been declared at the rate of 10 per cent on the paid-up capital of \$6,000,000, amounting to \$600,000. This dividend will be paid on May 1st, 1914.

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