

BROOKE

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Christ church, Sutorville, harvest thanksgiving service will be held next Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m. The special preacher will be Rev. Canon Collins of Sarnia. A good attendance and a liberal thankoffering is requested. All invited and welcome.

The death took place in Brooke last week of James Hill, an old resident of these parts, in his 73rd year. Deceased had been ill for about a year with a lingering ailment, and his death was not unexpected. The funeral took place to Alvinston cemetery.

St. James' church, sixth line, has been much improved in appearance by exterior repainting. The annual harvest thanksgiving service will be held on Sunday next, Sept. 23rd, at 11 a.m., when Rev. Canon D. W. Collins, B.A., rector of St. George's church, Sarnia, will preach. A liberal thankoffering is requested. Come and give thanks for the blessings of harvest.

WARWICK

Ford closed cars down \$100 today. Wat-Ford Garage. R. Morningstar. Service at Knox Presbyterian church Sunday 7.30 when Rev. Dale or Arkona will preach.

Miss Bertha Kersey, Windsor, visited her uncle, Mr. T. H. Fuller, 2nd line, last week.

Miss Bertha Kersey of Windsor spent a few days with her cousin, Mr. Arthur Kersey, 2nd line south.

Northway coats for women, Fur and Tulp collars in a wonderful range of styles and fabrics. Save 20% on your fall coat.—A. Brown & Co.

Miss Pinchard, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Baird for some time, is leaving this week for London, Toronto, and the West. She has just returned from a very pleasant visit in Sarnia.

Mrs. (Dr.) L. V. Jones, and sixteen months old twin boys, of Edmonton, Alberta, who was visiting at the home of Mr. Wm. Jones, Warwick, and intended to stay a month, got word on Tuesday of the serious illness of her father at Edmonton, and she started for her home on Wednesday. On Thursday word was received here that he had passed away. Mrs. Jones has been doubly afflicted recently, her mother having died last May. She expected to arrive in Edmonton on Saturday.

A GOOD WINTER WHEAT

Farmers May Try Free a Well Tested Variety.

The O. A. C. No. 104 is a Proven Success — Other Experimental Tests Suggested—All Material Supplied Free of Charge—A Chance for Enterprising Farmers.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

The market value of the winter wheat of Ontario amounts to over fifteen million dollars annually. It is, therefore, one of the most important of the money crops of the Province. The acreage of winter wheat during the past year has been about the same as the average annual acreage for the past forty years. There is not a county or district in Ontario in which winter wheat is not grown, although in New Ontario the average annual amount is not more than about 20,000 bushels. Owing to the comparative low price of winter wheat at present, strict attention should be given to economic methods and to large yields.

O. A. C. No. 104 a Carefully Chosen Cross.

The Dawson's Golden Chaff is still the variety most largely grown according to the December Bulletin of the Ontario Department of Agriculture for 1922. With the object of securing even a better variety, crosses have been made at the Ontario Agricultural College between the Dawson's Golden Chaff and some other varieties, such as, Tasmania Red, Crimean Red, Turkey Red, Buda Pesh, Imperial Amber, and Bulgarian. A new variety has been originated at the College by crossing the Dawson's Golden Chaff and the Bulgarian, and this is now known as the O. A. C. No. 104. In both the College and the co-operative tests this new variety has made an excellent record, surpassing the Dawson's Golden Chaff in both yield and quality of grain. It is a white wheat, and resembles the Bulgarian in possession of a white chaff and the Dawson's Golden Chaff in a beardless head. It is a vigorous grower, and has been less subject to winter-killing than the Dawson's Golden Chaff.

The Value of Using Good Seed.

It is also important to use seed of high quality. The results of six years' experiments at the College show an average increase in yield of grain per acre of 6.8 bushels from large as compared with small seed, of 7.3 bushels from plump as compared with shrunken seed, and of 55.6 bushels from sound as compared with broken seed. Seed which was allowed to become thoroughly ripened before it was cut produced a greater yield of both grain and straw, and a heavier weight of grain per measured bushel than that produced from wheat which was cut at any one of four earlier stages of maturity. In each of two years when winter wheat was sown in the fields, germination tests of the grain were made. The following results show the average percentage of germination from each selection: Skin over germ, unbroken, 94; skin over germ, broken, 76; sprouts one-quarter inch long, 30; and sprouts one inch long, 18. Not only was the sprouted wheat low in germination but the plants produced were very uneven in size.

White Wheats vs. the Red Varieties.

White wheats as compared with red wheats yield more grain per acre, possess stronger straw, weigh a little less per measured bushel, are slightly softer in the grain, are more useful in the manufacture of shredded wheat and of pastry, and furnish a somewhat weaker flour for bread production.

Winter wheat which was grown on clover sod yielded much better than that which was grown on timothy sod, and that which was grown on land on which field peas were used as a green manure yielded 6.5 bushels of wheat per acre more than that grown on land on which buckwheat was used as a green manure. Several Experimental Union Tests to Choose From.

In time for seeding this autumn, valuable material will be sent out from the College to those farmers residing in Ontario who wish to conduct experiments upon their own farms through the medium of the Experimental Union. The material will be supplied, free of charge, to those who wish to conduct the experiments and report the results in the early autumn of 1924. Any Ontario farmer may apply for the material for any one of the following seven experiments: (1) Three choice varieties of Winter Wheat (including O. A. C. No. 104); (2) One variety of Winter Rye and one of Winter Wheat; (3) Spring applications of five Fertilizers with Winter Wheat; (4) Autumn and Spring applications of Nitrate of Soda and Common Salt with Winter Wheat; (5) Winter Emmer and Winter Barley; (6) Hairy Vetches and Winter Rye as fodder crops; (7) Mixtures of Winter Rye and Hairy Vetches for seed production.

The size of each plot is to be one rod wide by two rods long. Fertilizers will be sent by express for Experiment No. 4 this autumn, and for Experiment Number 3 next Spring. All seed will be sent by mail except that for Number 4 which will accompany the fertilizers. The material will be sent out in the order in which the applications are received, and as long as the supply lasts.—C. A. Zavitz, O. A. C., Guelph.

"If you are going to do anything permanent for the average man, you must begin before he is a man. The chance of success lies in working with the boy, and not with the man."—Theo Roosevelt.

SALE REGISTER

Thursday, Sept. 27th, farm stock and implements, Eli Taylor, lot 1, con. 12, Brooke, proprietor. Sale at one o'clock, Terms 12 months credit. George Brown, auctioneer.

Thursday, Sept. 27, farm stock and implements of Neil Fair, 18 Sideroad, Warwick. No reserve as proprietor is giving up farming. Sale at one o'clock. Terms 12 months credit. J. F. Elliot, auctioneer.

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GLEN GRAHAM

St. Clair St. Watford, Ont.

CHOP STUFF

Glencoe schools closed for a day to give teachers and pupils an opportunity of attending the Western Fair.

Parkhill hydro rates have been reduced as follows: domestic rate, 5c a kilowatt hour; business rates 10c a kilowatt hour; street lighting \$15 per pole; minimum rate \$1.25.

The onion growers of Jeanette's Creek are realizing good returns from their crop. Every farmer has from 10 to 12 acres, and from the prices paid about \$300 will be realized from each acre.

There will be a splendid crop of potatoes in Caradoc this season, if nothing happens, said a well-known grower of that township on Saturday. The recent rains have done inestimable good, and there is now every prospect of splendid good yield.

Mrs. R. M. Jaffray, 53, wife of a well-known Windsor businessman, died suddenly Wednesday night at the Lake Huron Beach cottage of H. A. Nesbit, following a stroke. Mrs. Jaffray had spent the summer season at Lake Huron Beach for several years.

J. W. McMillen, of Olinda, who was taken suddenly ill with an attack of appendicitis on Wednesday, Aug. 29th, was taken to the hospital at Leamington, where he was operated on and died Thursday. He leaves a wife and several children to mourn his loss.

The postoffice at Newbury was robbed last week and \$70 in bills taken from the safe. Investigation fastened the crime onto four boys ranging from 14 to 16 years. The money was nearly all recovered and the boys were allowed to go with a stiff warning.

Monday last, Mr. John Brown, a farmer living near Leamington, was at the pickle factory along in the evening to get some empty tomato crates. His team came home alone and on going to town to investigate Mr. Brown's lifeless body was found beside the pile of crates, where he had evidently been stricken with heart failure.

The 1923 tobacco crop, in so far as Kent County is concerned has suffered an irreparable loss as the result of the white frost which settled over the county last Friday night. Approximately 2,000 farmers, according to the latest report, are losers, and their loss varies from a half-acre in the holdings of the small farmer to over 400 acres on the part of a large holder.

Internal parasites in the shape of worms in the stomach and bowels of children sap their vitality and retard physical development. They keep the child in a constant state of unrest and if not attended to, endanger life. The child can be spared much suffering and the mother much anxiety by using a reliable worm remedy, such as Miller's Worm Powders, which are sure death to worms.

A well-known Thedford man bought some bootleg stuff when at the London Fair and police court proceedings cost him \$200.

The death took place on Friday at his late home on the Ward line, Sombra township, of Thomas Conlin, farmer, aged 75 years. Deceased had been ailing for about three weeks. He was well known and highly respected throughout the township. Five sons and two daughters survive.

Stepping from a small boat in which she had crossed to the west side of the Sydenham River, Gladys Lubenko, an 18-year-old girl of Wallaceburg, lost her balance, fell into the river and was drowned Saturday night. The accident occurred at 8.30 and fireman located the body at 10.30 after dragging the river bottom with grappling irons.

George Graham, foreman at the car barns at Kingsville suddenly expired at his home there on Monday, Sept. 10th, of heart failure. He had been around during the day attending to his duties and was seemingly enjoying good health. He was about 50 years of age and leaves a wife and son. The remains were shipped to his home in Quebec.

A quiet and pretty wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Johnston, Alvinston, on Wednesday, when their daughter Eva became the bride of Mr. Frank Northcott, also of Alvinston. Prior to their marriage the bride was showered by her many friends in the township and village with best wishes and many useful gifts.

Michigan plowmen have assured officials in charge of the provincial plowing match to be held at Sarnia that there will be a large entry list from the American state as well as hundreds of spectators on hand. W. Dougherty of Toronto, director of the Provincial Plowing Association, attended the plowing match in Memphis, Mich., and reported great enthusiasm there.

Mrs. Herbert Calkins, an employee of the Strathroy canning factory, was badly scalded just before noon Wednesday in the syrup room where she was in charge of preparing syrup for the corn. The syrup boiled over and Mrs. Calkins tried to turn off the heat, the syrup overflowing, scalding her fingers, back, hips and limbs. She was hurried to the Strathroy hospital.

Joseph Wolfe of Essex had his right leg broken above the ankle Thursday morning, and as a result will be laid up for some time. Mr. Wolfe was getting his truck out of his garage, and cranked same, but omitted to put on the brakes, when the car started and caught his leg between it and a gasoline engine on a frame, with the above result. Fortunately he could reach over and shut off the engine, and he was then assisted to his office and medical aid summoned.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

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THURSDAY, SEPT. 27th.