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A GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS TRANSACTED

WATFORD BRANCH - F. C. Smyth, Manager

Second Annual Lambton County Corn Exhibition PETROLEA

JANUARY 27, 28, 29, 1915

Special Rates on All Railways

For prize list and full information
apply to the Secretary.G. G. BRAMHILL, CHAS. M. FLECK,
Secretary, President,
Petrolea, Ont. Corunna, Ont.

ARKONA

Mrs. H. J. Fair has returned home
after spending a few weeks in Camlachie.
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Eastman, of Tilbury,
are visiting Mr. N. C. Eastman.Mr. Archie Boyd has returned home
after spending several years in the West.
Mr. A. A. Towns, of Coronation, Alta.,
is renewing old acquaintances in town this week.Miss E. McKnight, of Kerwood, is
visiting Miss Lila Dowding.Our special January sale continues
until the end of the week. Don't fail to
get some of the bargains.—Brown Bros.Rev. Hare will preach next Sunday
evening in the Methodist Church a
special sermon to young men. Special
music, a quartette of young men and solo
by Mr. L. Grogan.The Laymen's Missionary Banquet
held in basement of Methodist Church
last Monday night was a decided success,
over 150 laymen being present. Mr.
Caskey is a powerful speaker and handles
his subject well.Misses Maud and Elva Fuller are visit-
ing at Mrs. Geo. McCormick, London.Mr. B. Blake, member of the 2nd con-
tingent, London, is spending a few days
with Mr. Wm. Baldwin.\$1011.50 Voluntary Donation
to the Patriotic Belgian Relief
Fund From the Township
of WarwickThe committee of the Patriotic Fund is
glad to report a most generous response
to the appeal sent out to the Township of
Warwick.The amount of \$843.00 was collected,
and the members of the council voted that
the balance of \$157.00 be added to this
amount so as to make up a total of \$1,000.
\$11.50 has since been contributed, and
the whole amount forwarded to the
treasurer of the Belgian Relief Fund.The committee has received the follow-
ing grateful acknowledgment for this
much needed donation for the relief
of the victims of the war:"Words fail to express our gratitude
for your magnificent activities on behalf
of the destitute Belgians. This gift will
be doubly appreciated by us at this
period of our campaign, when we must
rely on our good friends in Canada for
help in collecting money to buy wheat,
the most urgent need of the population
of Belgium at the present time."The following collectors kindly gave
their time to accomplish this worthy
object:—Messrs. John McKenzie, G.Mitchell, W. Pike, J. Miller, E. Collier,
James Wynn, G. Bryson, A. Baird, Geo.
Baird, W. Seymour, J. Law, J. Mc-
Chesney, W. Butler, W. J. Moffatt,
Chas. Joynt, W. McKenzie, Chas. Haw-
kins, Robert McKenzie, F. Wordsworth,
Sam. McClelland, C. E. Smith, James
Brandon, Shirley Karr, John Farrel, Ed.
White, Duncan Campbell, W. Bowden.

MARKETS WATFORD

GRAIN AND SEEDS—
Wheat, fall, per bush... \$1 25 @ \$1 25
Oats, per bush... 50 50
Barley, per bush... 55 55
Beans, per bush... 1 50 2 50
Timothy... 2 00 3 00
Clover Seed... 7 00 12 00
Alsike... 7 00 8 00PROVISIONS—
Butter, per pound... 24 24
Lard... 18 18
Eggs, per doz... 30 30
Pork... 9 00 10 00
Flour, per cwt... 2 90 3 75
Brar, per ton... 25 00 26 00
Shorts, per ton... 29 00 30 00MISCELLANEOUS—
Wood... 2 00 2 50
Tallow... 6 6
Hides... 8 10
Wool... 16 23
Hay, per ton... 10 00 11 00VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—
Potatoes, per bag... 50 60
POULTRY—
Turkeys, per lb... 10 14
Chickens, per lb... 7 9
Fowl... 6 8
Ducks... 7 10
Geese... 7 10London
Wheat... \$1 20 to \$1 20
Oats, cwt... 1 70 to 1 75
Butter... 23 to 24
Eggs... 35 to 36
Pork... 10 00 to 10 50Toronto
Toronto, Jan. 19.—Receipts at the
Union stockyards to-day were 89 cars,
with 302 cattle, 125 calves, 1,758 hogs
and 645 sheep and lambs.The cattle trade was again very slow
and prices made a further decline of 10c
to 15c on heavy steers and medium but-
cher steers and heifers. A few choice
handweight butcher cattle sold about
steady around \$7.30 to \$7.50, but there
were not many of that class available and
the demand for anything else seemed to
be about down to zero. One extra choice
steer topped the market at \$7.90. Stockers
are easier and about 25c lower than last
week's best prices.

Lambs steady. Hogs steady.

To-day's quotations:
Extra prime steers... 7 25 to 7 50
Butcher cows, choice... 6 00 to 6 25
do, good... 5 50 to 5 75
do, medium... 5 25 to 5 50
do, common... 4 50 to 5 00
Butcher bulls, choice... 6 25 to 6 75
do, good... 6 25 to 6 30
do, medium... 5 75 to 6 00
Feeders 900 to 1,000 lbs... 6 50 to 6 75
do, bulls... 5 25 to 6 00
Stockers... 6 50 to 6 75
do, medium... 5 50 to 6 00
do, light... 4 25 to 4 65
Canners... 3 50 to 4 00
Cutters... 4 25 to 4 75
Milkers, choice... 6 00 to 8 00
Springers, each... 50 00 to 95 00
Calves, veal... 9 00 to 10 00
do, medium... 7 00 to 9 00
do, common... 2 00 to 5 00
Spring lambs... 7 50 to 9 00
Ewes, light... 5 25 to 6 25
Sheep, heavy and bucks... 3 50 to 4 50
Culls... 2 00 to 2 50
Hogs, weighed off cars... 7 75 to 7 80
do, fed and watered... 7 50 to 7 75
do, f. o. b... 7 15 to 7 25East Buffalo.
East Buffalo, Jan. 19.—Cattle—Receipts,
700—slow; prices unchanged. Veals—
Receipts 50; active; \$4 to \$12. Hogs—
Receipts, 4000; active; heavy, \$7.15 to
\$7.25; mixed \$7.15 to \$7.60; Yorkers
and pigs \$7.45 to \$7.50; roughs \$6.25 to
\$6.50; stags, \$5.50 to \$6. Sheep and
lambs—Receipts 10,000; steady; sheep
active; lambs slow and unchanged.J. G. Crosby's store at Highgate was
entered by burglars, who forced open
the safe, but secured nothing for their
pains.

A GENERAL CONVENTION OF FARMERS WILL BE HELD IN PETROLEA Thursday, January 28, 1915, AT 10.30 A.M. TO DISCUSS

CO-OPERATION
Lambton County Farmers'
Co-Operative Association
PETER GARDINER, COVENOR
CORUNNA, ONTARIO

Lambton Corn Growers' Association

The Lambton County Corn Growers'
Association has been very fortunate in
securing Prof. A. L. Stone, of the Wis-
consin Agricultural College, as their
special speaker for the Corn Exhibi-
tion in Petrolea on January 27, 28 and
29. Prof. Stone comes highly recom-
mended. He has been connected with
the Agronomy Department of the Wis-
consin Agricultural College for many
years and has assisted in breeding Wis-
consin No. 7 and Golden Glow corn. He
has also charge of the State Seed Inspec-
tion and handles the work on weed con-
trol.Prof. Stone will speak each afternoon
and on Friday morning will take up a
practical study of corn. On Wednesday
afternoon, January 27, Prof. C. A. Zav-
itz will give an address on Crop Pro-
duction in the County of Lambton. F.
C. Hart, Director of the Co-operation
and Markets Branch, will speak on
Thursday afternoon, while on Friday
afternoon, L. H. Newman, Secretary of
the Canadian Seed Growers' Associa-
tion, will give an address on the
Farmer's Club as a pure seed centre and
will explain the production of pure bred
seed.On Thursday evening will be held a
public meeting, the speakers being G.
Creelman, President of the Ontario
Agricultural College and Hon. W. J.
Eanna. A musical program of patriotic
numbers is also being arranged.
Farmers of Lambton County would do
well to avail themselves of the education-
al advantages which these meetings af-
ord.

HOCKEY

Those Awful "Invincibles" Win Another

Playing fast hockey, in their usual
manner, and anxious to keep up their
winning streak, the Watford H. S. "In-
vincibles" trounced the St. George's, of
Sarnia, on Fowler's rink last Thursday
evening. The half-time score was 9-2,
and, being satisfied with the lead they
had obtained, the "Invincibles" slack-
ened their speed and seemed content just
to shove a goal in now and then to keep
the goal-judge in practice, but they
stopped their scoring machine at 13,
while the total count for the visitors was
4. "Chatty" Johnston, as usual, was the
naughty boy of the home team, scoring
7 of their goals, while "Dug" Stewart,
an old "Invincible" player, seemed to be
the pick of the Sarnians. The line-up:
Watford. Sarnia.Russ... goal... Knowles
Kay... defence... Stewart
Tom... defence... Neal
Vee... rover... Sedwick
Eg... centre... Spence
Chatty... wing... Lucas
Reg... wing... Harris

BORN.

In Plympton, on Wednesday, Jan. 6th,
1915, to Mr. and Mrs. C. Switzer
Douglas, a son.
In Euphemia, on Saturday, Jan. 9th,
1915, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert McAus-
lan, a son.
In Watford, on Monday, Jan. 18th, 1915,
to Dr. and Mrs. T. A. Brandon, a son.

MARRIED.

At the Manse, Camlachie, on Wednesday,
Jan. 6th, 1915, by the Rev. R. Simp-
son, Mr. Russell Williams, of Warwick,
to Sarah E. McKinley, daughter of
Mrs. Archie Smith, of Plympton.
At the residence of the bride's parents,
on Wednesday, Jan. 13th, 1915, by the
Rev. J. C. Forster, Alex. Logan Laird,
of Warwick, to Eva Violet, daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Johns, 1st con.
of Plympton.
At the home of Mr. Jas. H. Bryce, 4th
line, Warwick, on Tuesday afternoon,
Jan. 19th, 1915, by the Rev. J. C. For-
ster, Arthur Guess to Sara Frances
Bryce.

DIED.

In Oil Springs, on Friday, January 8th,
Emma, relict of the late James Herren.

aged 55 years, 3 months and 19 days.

In Watford, on Monday, Jan. 8th, 1915,
Johannah Kieley, relict of the late
David Maher, aged 88 years, 2 months,
27 days.In Metcalfe, on Wednesday, Jan. 13th,
1915, Caroline Moore, widow of the
late John Mortimer, in her 78th year.In Thedford, on Wednesday, Jan. 13th,
1915, Mr. Thos. Parkinson, aged 58
years.

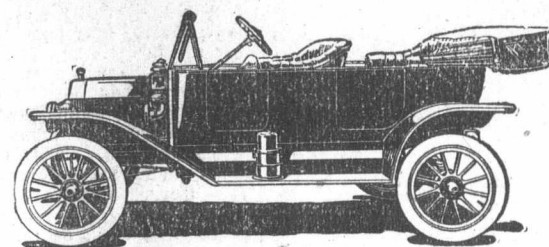
A MOTHER'S ANXIETY

Most mothers are anxious when their
little ones are teething, for at this time
the baby's stomach gets disordered and
there is a grave danger of convulsions.
This anxiety can be lessened, however,
if the mother keeps a supply of Baby's
Own Tablets in the house and gives an
occasional dose to her teething baby.
The Tablets are the very best medicine
in the world during the teething time.
They regulate the bowels, sweeten the
stomach, promote healthful sleep and
make teething painless. They are sold
by medicine dealers or by mail at 25
cents a box from The Dr. Williams'
Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.Lieut. Ross, who was accidentally
killed at Salisbury Plains, was a former
bank clerk in Petrolea.

The Sterling Bank OF CANADA

TEACH YOUR CHILDREN TO
SAVE, because-- No. 229

Children who save learn one of the secrets of success.

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GENERAL MANAGER—A. H. WALKER.
WATFORD BRANCH F. O. McILVEEN, Manager.

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Your harvest will be bigger, better next year, if you put
in more time on the farm. Drive a Ford—and reduce from
a matter of hours to a matter of minutes, time spent in
those necessary trips to town during the busy season.
Seventeen thousand Canadian farmers drive the Ford be-
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Coupelet \$850. Ford Sedan \$1150. Ford Town Car \$840.
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ODD LINES SPECIAL SALE

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\$1.50 complete.

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