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MISSIONARY SOCIETY MET IN STRATHROY

The Women's Missionary Society of Sarnia Presbyterian held an executive meeting in Strathroy on Tuesday afternoon, January 11th at which ten representatives were present and much important business transacted. The President, Mrs. Sturtevant, of Petrolia, presided and Mrs. (Dr.) McDougall, acted as secretary pro tem. Arrangements were made for holding the annual Presbyterian meeting at Watford next May, 4th and 5th, provided speakers can be secured for that date, several

missionaries being home on furlough at present. Miss Mitchell the Field Secretary is expected to visit through the Presbytery in February. Reports were read from various secretaries and different phases of the work discussed. It was decided that executive meetings should be held more frequently affording as they do an opportunity to discuss problems in the work which it is felt must be carried on more vigorously than ever to help along the great Forward Movement. The meeting closed with a social half-hour spent with Miss Geddes, Presbyterian treasurer, at whose home the meeting was held.

LAMBTON COUNTY WINTER FAIR

The Lambton County Annual Winter Fair will be held in Petrolia on February 9th, 10th and 11th, 1921. This Annual Exhibition of the resources of Lambton County is becoming more popular every year. The influence of the annual event has made itself felt in the agricultural life of the county in better quality of seed corn and grain; the breeding of better livestock and selection of poultry. The agriculturalists of the county are staunch supporters of this event. This year's program bids fair to surpass any previous attempts.

An added feature of great importance this year is the School Children's Exhibit. The Lambton Corn Growers' Association last spring supplied each child in the rural schools with one-half peck of corn of any of the well-known varieties: White Cap Yellow Dent, Golden Glow, Longfellow and Salzer's North Dakota. The children made their own selection and grew the corn under field directions. They made a selection of ten choice ears also a single ear for the champion class. This corn has already competed at the Annual School Fairs in the various districts and now will compete in a county and township class at the Corn Show. Three hundred children are taking part in this exhibit.

Programme of the Lambton County Winter Fair.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 9th
 9 a.m.—Opening day of the Lambton County Corn Growers' Association Corn, Grain and Seed Show.

9 a.m.—Opening day of the Lambton County Poultry Association Show.

8 p.m.—Programme to be yet arranged. Announcement next week.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 10th.
 10 a.m.—Public meeting in Victoria Hall. Address on "The Corn Borer, extent of damage, identification and control." Address by H. G. Crawford, B.S.A., M.S., Entomological Department, Dominion Dept. of Agriculture, Ottawa.

11 a.m.—Instruction and Demonstration in the Judging of Seed Corn especially for boys and girls taking part in the School Children's Exhibit and the Boy's Judging Competition. Instructor—L. D. Hankinson, representative of the Seed Branch, Dominion Dept. of Agriculture.

1 p.m.—Boy's Judging Competition, Victoria Hall.

1.30 p.m.—Dispersion Sale of the Lambton County Pure Bred Live

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Stock Breeders' Association. 38 head of choice Shorthorn and Hereford males and females; 3 Berkshire sows.

8 p.m.—Annual Banquet of the Lambton County Corn Growers' Association; Live Stock Breeders' Association and members, in the basement of the Methodist church. Address by Prof. J. B. Reynolds, President of Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph. Address by W. R. Reek, Assistant Live Stock Commissioner, Dept. of Agriculture, Ottawa, Ont.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 11th.
 9.30 a.m.—1. Annual Meeting of the Lambton County Corn Growers' Association in the Agricultural Office.

9.30 a.m.—2. Annual Meeting of the Lambton County Poultry Association in the Council Chamber, Victoria Hall.

3. Removal of exhibits.

E. L. AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY
Annual Report Shows Good Balance on Hand. List of Officers for 1921

The annual meeting of the above Society was held in the Council Chamber, Watford, on Friday afternoon, Jan. 21st, with a fair attendance. On motion William Parker was appointed chairman. The minutes of last annual meeting were read and adopted.

The Directors report was presented, and on motion of Annett and Edwards adopted. The auditors' report and financial statement, showing a cash surplus of \$237.08, (as published in these columns last week) was read and adopted.

On motion of Edwards and Zavitz it was decided not to hold a Spring Show.

On motion of Gilliland and Edwards it was decided to hold a Field Crop Competition (oats). It was also decided on motion of Annett and Cameron to enter the combined field and grain competition.

The usual number of government judges will be employed for 1921, and the Society will join the Ontario Associated Fairs.

The following officers were elected for the year:—

Hon. Pres.—John Farrell.
 President—John Zavitz.
 1st Vice Pres.—E. A. Brown.
 2nd Vice Pres.—Dr. McGillicuddy

Directors—S. Hair, John Gilliland, W. Annett, C. E. Janes, W. E. Parker, W. D. McKenzie, J. F. Elliot, D. Cameron, S. Edwards, J. E. Parker, J. Manders, A. Higgins, — McLean, — Minroe, G. Shirley.

Auditors—W. McLeay and W. H. Shrapnell.

Mr. John Farrell was appointed delegate to the Ontario Association of Fairs and Exhibitions.

Directors' Meeting

A meeting of the new directors was held after the general meeting when Col. F. Kenward was re-appointed Secretary-Treasurer at same salary as last year.

J. F. Elliot and John Zavitz were appointed to attend the meeting of the Western District Fairs Association.

S. W. Edwards, John Manders and W. D. McKenzie were named as a delegation to wait upon the Warwick Council to solicit a grant for

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The Fair.
 Meeting then adjourned to meet in Watford on Saturday, June 4th, at 7.30 p.m.

CHOP STUFF

A Pennsylvania man says he has increased the laying capacity of his hens 100 per cent. by putting an alarm o'clock, set for 4 a.m., in the hen coop.

Clare Mathews, seven years old, was fatally injured when he fell under the wheels of a freight car on which he tried to climb at a Sarnia crossing.

Saskatchewan and Alberta have laws prohibiting the sale of bad eggs. Officially there are no bad eggs in Ontario except in the penitentiary.

Michael Grimes, an Irish student at the O.A.C., Guelph, has broken all records at the college by completing the regular three-year course in one year and three months. He came out from Ireland a little over a year ago, and has made a record showing at the college.

Fortune favors the hard-working farmer's wife these days, and speaking generally, if anybody deserves to be favored, surely she does. While practically everything else, on the farm and off it, is falling in price, the products that belong mostly to the farmer's wife's domain keep up—butter, eggs, poultry, milk and cream. Eggs never were so dear and turkeys at Christmas time brought the highest figure on record.

Reeve Judson Scratch, of Kingsville, at the opening meeting of the Kingsville council, expressed the opinion that instead of municipalities asking for half of the auto license money to be devoted to upkeep of roads, that they might better ask the County Council to intercede with the government in an endeavor to get them to consider the roads through towns and villages as a part of the government highway.

Gordon Jackson met with a rather exciting experience Saturday. He was engaged in digging out the stump of a large tree on his father's property and had cut off the roots around the stump, and when down some six feet the stump suddenly heeled over and pinned him against the side of the hole breaking his left arm just above the elbow. Two hours later his father, somewhat alarmed at his prolonged absence, set out to see what was the cause of delay and discovered the accident.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

The Guide-Advocate welcomes items of interest for this column. Phone 11, send by mail. Item in Guide-Advocate Letter.

Pay your account for Swift's this week.

The boys are happy now. Chaplin was here Wednesday. The dealer who has con his goods and prices will them.

Next Wednesday, Feb. 9. Ash Wednesday, the beg Lent.

It is cheaper to buy a license pay costs because the law enforced.

License Inspector Cul here Wednesday looking runners.

Don't advertise on fence. Don't spend any money, as it is too fast to read.

It is not always a sign man is henpecked when his him pet names in public.

No more half holidays. Good old summer time. St. Wednesday afternoons.

No sleighing—autos are full on the roads as they during the past two months.

The steel supports for the works standpipe are erected material on the ground for completion.

If there happens to be a where in this district it. w been unable to see its s Wednesday.

Women may be growing but you have to handle t carefully in the mornings they get very short.

The only paper that Guide-Advocate beaten for ity is the green kind print bank note people.

2 gal. Oil Cans \$1.35. Cans \$2.25. No. 1 Tub \$1. \$2.00. No. 3 \$2.25, all bes ized.—N. B. Howden Est.

Calra Kimball Young in 'Youth' and Charlie Chaplin 'Rink' amused a large au the Lycum Wednesday ev

There will be morning s Trinity church next Sunda celebration of the holy co Sermon for young people.

The four commodities o list of 76 which have not c in price are newsprint pap pulp, pulp wood and banan

Young Wife—Are my d like those your mother make? Hub (sampling the —er—the holes are just th

Buy made-in-Canada g buy them in Watford. This to right the exchange situat give employment to Canadi men.

Special price on Cane M order to make room in our have reduced the price to per gallon. Order now.— & Co.

So long as you have brain not to fall out with your over politics or religion, probably get by if you ar to work.

Rural Canada says: "Pri tising by local merchants papers is the "hook" that l customers and moves the shelves."

O' Cedar Mops \$1.25 to Vacuum Cleaners and Sweep bined \$7.50. O' Cedar Oil an Veneer still 25 and 50 ce Howden's.

If you owe Tom an accou him. Then Tom can pay Die can pay Harry, and Harry somebody he happens to ow put it off. Do it now.

Mrs. H. Durstan received age from His Majesty King this week on behalf of her Charles Lawrence who was action Sept. 29, 1918.

A Northern hockey leagu will be played on the rink this (Thursday) eve between Sarnia and Watfor faced at 8 p.m. sharp. Admi and 25 cents