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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

THE GUIDE-ADVOCATE welcomes all items of interest for this column, Call Phone 11, send by mail or drop item in GUIDE-ADVOCATE LetterBox,

PAY! Pay!! Pay!!!

ALL the girls love a red coat. GOOD-BYE, boys! May you have a

JAMES GRAHAM has bought out J. Dobbin's dray business.

THANKS to the wireless, the world can pick up unconfirmed rumors of any sort. New girdle ribbons and frillings opened this week.—A. Brown & Co.

THE Forestry Convention advertised to be held at Halifax Sept. 1-4, has been

Postponed indefinitely.

The copious showers the latter part of last week made an agreeable break in The prolonged dry spell.

STICK together boys till the Kaiser gets over his drunk. Mr. Thomas Atkins will soon sober him.

THE Italians who were rail laying on the G. T. R. here have all been laid off work on account of the war.

SEE our art tailored ladies suits, look over the new book .- Swifts'.

THE man behind the gun has his innings just now, but let us not forget the woman behind the preserving pot.

The schools will reopen on Tuesday, Sept. lst. Labor day, a public holiday, falls on the following Monday, Sept. 7th.

The man who has a few dollars to the good just now should hold on to it. He may need it before this cruel war is over. BECAUSE it is the world's fight for freedom Britain, reluctantly but resolutely, speaks the word, and Canada answers Ay!

SOME of the men who are now familiar with high balls will soon have the op-portunity of becoming tamiliar with cannon balls.

Final, clearing of all summer goods on Friday and Saturday. Look for the price tickets.—A. Brown & Co.

WAR! WAR! Nothing else is talked of for any length of time. Even the election protest did not cause a ripple of

REV. WALTER DANIEL, B. A., Field Sec. for Westerns Missions, will preach at Baptist Church on Sunday evening. Everybody welcome

Mr. Jos. H. Mitchell has offered his services to the Dispensary Department of the Medical Corps being organized for service at the tront.

DR. A. F. BROWN. Osteopothic Physician, at Queen's Hotel, Strathroy, Mondays from 12.30 p.m. to 5.30 p.m. Watford by appointment. RISE, for the day is passing,

And you lie dreaming on;
The others have buckled their armor
And forth to the fight have gone.

Anew electric lamp called the "half-watt" is said to be double the power of the tungsten, and promises to revolutionize the use of electricity for lighting pur-

A BERLIN weather sharp says that when one's stocking slips down it is a sign of rain. Wrong again. It is a sign that the material in the article that holds it up is punk.

5 PIECES navy worsted direct from Europe, men's suits to order 18,50 to 27.50 SWIFTS. A PICTURE of the Watford soldiers was

ordered for this issue, but the mail train being two hours late on Wednesday the engravers did not have sufficient time to get the cut ready.

If the Almighty were to answer the prayers of all the rulers of nations who have sought His favor in the last week there would not be a fighting man left

SUBSCRIBERS wishing to get their copy of the Guide-Advocate on Thursday afternoon will please call before 5 o'clock as after that hour the lists go to the mailing room.

Tr speaks well for Britain's rule when her sons in Canada, Australia, South Africa, New Zealand and every quarter of the globe are so nobly responding to the call of the motherland.

THE practice of throwing waste paper street should be discontinued. not only makes the streets look untidy, which all good citizens should guard against, but is a fruitful source of frightening horses.

WE are ready to take orders for suits in our ladies' tailoring department.— SWIFTS',

THE man with a good article, who consistently advertises it in the newspapers cannot dodge prosperity if he tries. Newspaper advertising rightly used is the most profitable investment any business can make. Newspaper readers patronize advertisers because experience has taught them that it pays to trade with daylight men.

NEXT Wednesday is the last mid-week half-holiday.

IT comes quite natural now to make military salute. EVERY day this week has been a holiday, judging by the number of people on the streets.

Was there ever such a delightful summer, warm unchanging days and invariably cool nights.

THE army worm has completely disappeared and is not likely to show up again for several years.

ALMOST any sensible woman would prefer being the wife of a lively and af-fectionate wage earner than the widow of Of the thirty-two men who volunteered here for the overseas contingent twenty-five are Englishmen and seven

Canadians. ONE swallow doesn't make a summer, but some of our young men should re-member that too many swallows are certain to make a fail.

LADIES COATS, suits, dresses or skirts made to your special measure. Over 300 of the newest fall fabrics now ready for your inspection.—A. BROWN & Co.

War makes right-minded men unsel-fish, but it should not be made an op-portunity for the unscrupulous to over-charge their fellow-citizens.

We don't want to fight
But, by jingo, if we have to,
We've got the ships, we've got the men'
And we've got the money too.
The itinerant system of the Methodist ministry is mild as compared with the peregrinations of the generality of teach-ers. As birds of passage they have all teathered creatures beaten.

In Forest the electric current is turned on every Wednesday morning from 8.30 to 11 o'clock, to enable housekeepers to do their ironing by electricity. There do their ironing by electricity. are already 70 homes being served.

J. H. HUME, C. P. R. Agent, ticketed the following persons to Winnipeg, on Tuesday, on the harvesters excursion:— B. Utting, J. Bowlby, Thos. Prangley and wife, R. J. Janes, W. F. Lawrence and brother, A. Fisher.

Our new goods are coming in fast. One import of goods is in the Customs House, left Europe two days before war was declared.—Swifts'.

THIS European war will give many as a good chance to brush up our defective geography. We will then be better able to understand the changes that will be made on the maps when the war is over.

Don't worry over little things. If you worry you get nervous. If you are nervous you can't eat or sleep well. If you can't be happy. If you are not happy you won't live long. happy. If live long.

CURRIE AND WARD, the moving picture show men, generously invited all the military men to see the show free on Tuesday evening. Quite a number availed themselves of the opportunity and Manager Ward put on a first class show for them.

THE military guard discovered a on government property Friday night, and immediately challanged him. The trespasser proved to be a member of the bowling club who was looking for his bowling shoes which he had left on the green during the evening. He was allowed to depart in peace.

WANTED AT ONCE-Local agent for Regal motor cars. Must be prepared to buy demonstrator on or before Sept. 1st. Good proposition to right man. Write for literature on these cars and particu-

lars.—M. S. TRUSLER, Camlachie, Ont.
POSTMASTERS have received instructions not to accept any mail matter for Germany, German Colonies, Austria-Hungary and Luxemburg for outward transmission, whether by Canadian service, by New York or by any other route.

CAPT. T. L. SWIFT is to be congratulated on the fine appearance of his company of the 27th Regt. He is a popular officer and deserves his popularity. Many of his men are sorry that he has not been selected to command the unit at the

A MAN remarked Sunday evening that A MAN reliable to study evening that he had heard of raising the roof of a building by enthusiasm, but that the bellying of the windows in Trinity church by the lusty singing of the national anthem was a new experience.

THE first contingent of Canadian nurses to go to the front will number 136, though at the present time there is no certainty that any will be called on to go. Already nearly 300 have applied to the Director of the Medical Corps.

Some of the war "extras" are a dis grace to Canadian journalism. The foolish and unfounded statements made in them convey absolutely erroneous impressions of what is going on. A press censor is badly needed in Canada

to the war as nurses. Under the Militia Act only women who have had three years' training in a general hospital are eligible. Should there not be enough volunteers, nurses in training SOME of our young ladies want to volunteers, nurses in training will be

MR. WM. MCLEAY returned on Thurs day from a week's fishing at Kagewong, Manitoulin Island. He brought home some delicious bass which he generously distributed among his friends. H. A. Cook and W. K. Cook, Toronto, accompanied him on his trip.

POPE PINS X, died at Rome early Thursday morning. His Holiness in his 80th year.

WORD was received here Thursday morning that Mrs. (Dr.) Quinlan, died at her home in Stratford Wednesday at her night.

WITH Dr. Williams and his Guards Band and Guiseppe Creatore and his famous concert band, the Canadian National Exhibition will this year present the two greatest bands and the two most famous leaders of two continents.

Lieut. Col. Kelly has been a busy man for the past few weeks, directing the affairs of the 27th Regt. The onerous duties connected with the position have been well looked after and it is largely through his exertion and deep interest in military matters that such a large contingent is being sent from here to the front.

AT the Armory on Tuesday morning At the Armory on Tuesday morning the members of the overseas contingent were presented with prayer books or testanents by the A. V. P. A. of Trinity Church. Prayer books were given to those who belonged to the church of England and testaments to those of other denominations. Lieut. Col. Kelly made the presentation. the presentation.

"MAYOR and Mrs. J. M. Williams of Kettle Falls, Washington, are visiting at the home of Mr. Williams' brother, Principal L. J. Williams, 645 5th St. A. Mayor Williams is manager of the Bank of Colville branch at Kettle Falls." The above item is taken from a Medicine Hat paper. The Williams brothers are sons of our townsman, Joseph S. Williams.

The pulpit of the Watford Presbyterian Church will be occupied next Sunday morning and eyening by Rev. R. McKay, D. D., recently moderator of the Presbyterian church in Canada. Dr. McKay has not long since visited India, Corea China and Japan, and his addresses will be full of incident, rich in experience he had while visiting the netwer observes in while visiting the native charches in these countries. As Dr. McKay is one of the outstanding men of the church today certainly all who come will be rewarded.

Not since the Old Boy's Reunion in 1907 has there been such a crowd on Watford's main street as there was on Watford's main street as there was on Sunday evening last when the whole town, and a large number from the country, assembled to honor our overseas contingent. After church service the band gave an excellent program of sacred and patriotic music, from the band stand, which was much enjoyed by all who heard it. The band went up a few notches in the favor of the public by their performance on Sunday night. Do their performance on Sunday night. Do it again, boys.

it again, boys.

The regular meeting of the Watford Women's Institute was held at the home. of Mrs. Shrapnell on Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 5th, the president presiding. Meeting opened by singing "The Maple Leaf Forever." Master Hallie Potter played several selections on the violin with Miss Shrapnell accompanying him on the piano. The Institute have voted \$5.00 to the Public School Fair, also special prizes for the three best in plain sp.00 to the Public School Pair, also special prizes for the three best in plain sewing in a handmade tea apron-1st 50c; 2nd 25c; 3rd 15c. A social hour was spent and a dainty lunch was served by the hostess. Meeting closed by singing God Seve the King.—Sec.

As no doubt many of our readers already know, the Department of Militia has issued an order making Watford the headquarters of the 27th regiment. This should have been done last year when Dr. Kelly was gazetted Lieut. Colonel of the regiment, but on account of the the regiment, but on account of the headquarters having been at Sarnia for so many years the matter was not press-ed. Watford is certainly the logical ed. Wattord is certainly the logical place for headquarter as our armory is the best equipped one in the county; many of the principal officers of the regiment reside here, and probably more interest is taken in military matters here than elsewhere in the county

MR. GLEN NICHOL, who has been on the staff of the Guide-Advocate for nearly the staff of the Guide-Advocate for nearly two years, leaves with the 27th Regt. overseas contingent for Valcartier. While the Guide-Advocate is sorry to lose his valued services we are proud to have him offer himself for the King's service. He has promised, should time and circumstances permit, that he will send an occasional letter to the Guide-Advocate from the front, giving information as to the movements and welfare of the 27th the movements and welfare of the 27th unit, and especially about the Watford company. These letters will certainly be of great interest to our subscribers and to "Nick's" numerous friends throughout the county. May he have safe return.

THE weather on Watford civic holiday, August 12th, was ideal, and the citizens enjoyed the day in various ways. The principal attraction was the Band Excursion to Detroit, and 257 tickets were sold at the Watford station for the excursion and a number took the train at Vinggeout and Wagneted A number cursion and a number took the train at Kingscourt and Wanstead. A number of these spent the day at the Sarnia and Port Huron beaches while the rest spent a most enjoyable sail on the City of Toledo to Detroit. The return trip up the river was made in good time the boat arriving in Sarnia about 9.30, and the excursionists landed home about 10.40 well pleased with the day's output 10.40, well pleased with the day's outing Others of our townspeople went to the lakeside or picnicked in nearby pleasure spots, and those who remained at home discussed the war and attended to those numerous small matters that are always cropping up around the home and await leisure for attention.

MEMBERS of Court Lorne, C. O. F., to the number of fifty or over attended divine service in the Watford Methodist church on Sunday evening of last week, when the Rev. F. G. Robinson, the pastor, preached an excellent and exceedpastor, preached an excellent and exceedingly appropriate sermon to them from the text, James I. 27: "Pure religion and undefiled before God and the Father is this: to visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction, and to keep himself unspotted from the world." During the offertory the Rev. W. M. Connolly rendered a solo very acceptably, and the service closed with the National Anthem which was sung by the choir and congregation with a lustiness that would have struck terror into the hearts of Britain's foes if any had been present. On returning to the court room the brethren passed resolutions of thanks to Rev. Mr. Robinson for his inspiring discourse and to the choir for the excellent music rendered.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Newton Glass left for Lipton, Sask., last week. Miss Warnock, Galt, is the guest of

Miss Vera Swift. Mrs. J. D. Brown is visiting relatives in Reid City, Mich.

Mrs. Newell spent a week in Detroit with her son. Mr. J. Kane, Stratford, is visiting at James McManus's.

Miss Elsie Brown is visiting her prother in Petrolea.

Mr. C. R. Hudgin, Toronto, was a Wat-ford visitor last week. Mr. Vern Brown, S. S. Huronic, spent Sunday at his home here.

Miss Lena Edgar, Toronto, spent Monday at Mrs. W. J. Thompson's. Miss Ada Miller, Dresden, is visiting at her uncle's Mr. J. D. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Millar are spending a short holiday at Port Stanley. Mrs. (Dr.) Brandon has returned from visit with relatives in Blenheim.

Mrs. M. J. Rogers, Montreal, is visit-ing her daughter Mrs. T. Collins. Miss Jean Fitzgerald is visiting rela-tives and friends in West Nissouri tp.

Mrs. Tanner, Toronto, and daughters are spending a few weeks in Watford. Miss Winnie Fowler is in London attending the millinery openings this week.

Miss Donna Aitken, Dinuba, Cal., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. D. Cameron. Miss Bess Geoghegan, London, spent the week end at Mrs. H. F. Aylesworth's.

Miss Myrtle Cochrane, Dutton, is spending her holidays with relatives here. Mrs. Thomas Wilson has returned from a visit with her parents at Sault Ste. Mr. R. J. Trenouth, of Ottawa, is vis-

iting with his parents for a couple of weeks. Miss Lilian Cooke, who has been visit-

Mrs. David B. Rogers and children Montreal, are visiting Mrs. T. Collins, John st.

Detroit.

Mr. D. Parker, Leamington, spent a few days last week with his parents at Watford. Miss Mary Calhoun of Alvinston, spent

ast week with her friend Miss Gladys Shrapnell. Miss Agnes Williams is visiting in Toronto, the guest of her cousin, Mrs. (Dr.) Dickson.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Dodds returned Wednesday from a week's yisit at Put-in-Bay and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Class and Carl Junior, spent a week with relatives in Ypsilante, Mich. Mr. Thos. Sanders, an old Watford boy now in Chicago, called on old friends

here on Monday. Mrs. Ed. Pinch and Mrs. Worrall, London, were the guests of Miss Agnes Williams last week.

Mrs. H. A. Cook returned to Toronto Tuesday, after a visit with relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Connolly, Brock-ville, are spending a week with their son, Rev. W. G. Connolly. Mrs. Beven, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. A. G. Brown, returned to her

home in Ancaster this week. Mrs. W. C. Sutherland, Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., and daughter Dorothy, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Nixon.

Mrs. E. H. Shirley and daughter, Pickering, spent a few days last week with Mrs. Shirley, St. Clair street.

Miss Gladys Lamb returned hom Wednesday after spending the pas month with cousins in Brantford. Mr. and Mrs. John Burke, St. Clair Mich., and Miss Nellie Burke, Detroit, are visiting at James McManus'.

Miss Ella McLeay leaves on Saturday for Vancouver to visit her sister, going on the S. S. Noronic to Port Arthur. Mrs. Ramsay returned to Ottawa last

week after spending several weeks visit-ing friends in Watford and Warwick, Lieut.-Col. Kelly, Capt. Swift and Lieut. Stapleford attended the military church parade at Sarnia Sunday morning.

Mrs. Lamont, Miss Florence Lamont and Mr. Harry Lamont, Detroit, are visiting relatives and friends in Watford and

Mr. James Glass left for Lethbridge last week to spend a couple of months with his son and other relatives in that

Mrs. W. W. Hagle just returned from a two week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Edith Gleason, and other relatives in Detroit.

Mrs. Audrew McDonnell was called to Stratford this week on account of the critical illness of her daughter, Mr. (Dr.) Quinlan.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes. G. Hull and family Hamilton, spent part of their holidays here with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Restorick and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Simpson, Mrs. Dudley and Mrs. Cunningham, all of St. Louis, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Upton last week.

Forest Free Press:—"Mrs. Wm. Cameron and Miss Katie Aitkin of Watford are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. W. Sparling, and Mrs. J. Watson."

Miss Alice McLaren, of Kamsack, Sask., and Mr. Ross McLaren, Winnipeg, arrived last week from the west to spend a few holidays at their old home. Mr. Wm. Teeple and daughters of Melbourne, returned home on Friday after spending a couple of weeks with relatives in Watford and Warwick.

Miss Nellie Beaton, of London, visited her cousin, Miss S. C. McKenzie. The Misses Stephens, of London Township, spent the week end with their cousin, W. E. Fitzgerald.

Doan-Redick

A pretty wedding was celebrated at 4 o'clock, Wednesday, Aug. 12th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Redick 227 Ave. N., South Saskatoon, when their daughter-vera Frances was united in marriage with Mr. Samuel S. Doan, of Saskatoon. Mr. L. S. Green played the wedding march as the bride entered leaning on the arm of her father. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. E. Doan, of Monkton, brother of the groom. The bride wore a lovely gown of point de sprit and carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley. Her niece, Miss Viva Nystrom made a dainty flower girl. After the ceremony buffet luncheon was served.

served.

The bride and groom left for Watford Wednesday evening on a visit to the groom's parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Doan. Beautiful gifts were received by the young couple showing the esteem in which they are held.

Wattord Tennis Club

On Friday evening, Aug. 7, at a meeting held in the Public Library, the Watford Tennis Club was organized. The following officers were elected:

Hon.-Pres.—Rev. F. C. Robinson

Pres.—Rev, W. G. Connolly
Sec.-Treas.—F. O. McIlveen

Committee— Messrs. Hicks, Potter, Pentland and Robinson.

The court, now ready for use, on the corner of Ontario and McGregor streets, promises to be a particularly good one. Everyone interested in the game should get in line at once and help to make this organization a good one.

An entrance fee of \$1.50 for gentlemen and \$1.00 for ladies was decided upon, together with a maintainance fee of 25

cents per month during the playing BROOKE

Dr. and Mrs. Price, Toledo, Ohio, are risiting Mrs. Price's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Greer. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Searson left Tues-

day last for Moose Jaw where they will spend some weeks visiting friends. Thos. H. Lucas. has purchased the Kennedy farm, being the south parts of lots 11 and 12, concession 14, Brooke.

The Brooke Municipal Telephone Board will meet at Kingscourt school house on Friday evening, Aug. 21st, at 7.30 o'clock. Miss C. Hick left this week for Gren-

fell, Sask., where she expects to remain for a year or so with the hope of improving her health. Missess Hilda, Hazel and Helena Bowie, returned Saturday, after spending a couple of weeks with their aunt Mrs. D. A. McIntyre, Port Hope, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Simpson, Mrs. J. Dudley and Mrs. Cunningham of St. Louis Mo., visited their relative Mrs. Wm. Brown, 10th line, last week.

Postmaster J. R. Morris, of Blenheim, is 82 years of age. He assumed control of the Blenheim post office 58 years ago and has occupied the position ever since. He has been much longer in the service than any postmaster in Canada.

The construction of concrete walks in Blenheim was in danger of being held. Blenheim was in danger of being held up, owing to fear that the debentures could not be sold, but the situation was saved by local citizens promising to buy them and the work will proceed.

Richard Carlton, a farmer living on the blind line, Enniskillen, was seriously the blind line, Enniskillen, was seriously injured on Monday, when the horse which he was riding slipped and fell carrying the rider with it and entangling both in a wire fence. Carlton who was lying under the horse, was unable to free himself. It was found necessary to chop the fence away before the injured man could be liberated.