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WATFORD, ONT., FRIDAY, JUNE 13, 1913.

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 Letter Box.

"JIMMY LAW, lend me a saw. SEND in the names of your summe

Boys' bloomer suits and odd pants .-SWIFTS'.

HAYING will be late this season in this

WEDDING CAKE boxes for sale at the

WOMEN'S white canvas Oxfords at 70 cents at P. Dodds & Son's.

RECORDS are fragile things; you can't lower one without breaking it.

MR. J. A. T. THAUVETTE has been engaged as horse-shoer for Robert Walker. THE government has decided to grant assistance to the Farmers Bank deposit-

THE next meeting of the London Methodist conference will be held at

OUR tailoring department—special 2-piece suits.—Swifts'.

THE annual meeting of the East Lambton Women's Institute will be held at Watford on Thursday, June 19th.

MR. PETER ELSON, M.P. for East Middlesex, died at his home in London township on Wednesday, aged 72 years

THE Guide-Advocate phone number is 11. Say "Hello!" to us every week and let us have that item of news you know. THE rendering of the decision in the noted Fitzgerald-Stapleford case has again been postponed, this time, it is said, until June 17th.

THE HON. SAM HUGHES, Minister of Militia, will come to Watford to lay the corner stone of the new armory, if the citizens desire him to do so.

SEE our counter for June specials

Mr. Frank Seager, Sarnia, was here this week moving his household goods to that town. Mrs. Seager and children left for Sarnia on Wednesday. REV. KELLY, of Brantford, formerly of

Watford, has recovered from his recent illness and resumed his work. The choir of his church have been gowned.

A. M. OVERHOLT, of the London Collegiate Institute goes to Sarnia after the holidays as principal of the C. I. there, at an initial salary of \$2,100.

Anyone selling or giving away an air gun, a pistol, or other fire arms to anyone under the age of sixteen years, is liable under conviction to a penalty of \$200 and costs.

THE best hose in Canada for the price. 2 pair for a quarter.—SWIFTS'.

THE following appears in the general militia orders: Twenty Seventh Regi-ment, St. Clair Borderers—Quartermaster and Honorary Major P. Clark is permit-ted to resign his commission.

Some people seem to be unaware that it is contrary to law to tie their horses to Several have been violating shade trees. the law in this respect and they are like ly to be prosecuted unless they cease do ing so.

Drilling on the gas test well was discontinued at a depth of 650 feet, as no indications of gas were discernable. The well will be shot at a depth of about 475 feet. One hundred pounds of nitro glycerine will be used.

THERE will be a military parade on Sunday evening next, when the members of F and C companies, 27th Regt., and the local squad of the First Hussars will attend divine service in Trinity Church, headed by the Citizens' Band.

OUTING HATS, shirts, trousers. Specials in straw and Panama hats.—SWIFTS' SIX HUNDRED medical men from Canada, the United States and Great Britain are expected in London as delegates to the forthcoming convention of the Canadian Medical Association, which is to be held June 24 to 27 inclusive.

D. J. Evans, business manager for the Welsh singers, was for several years editor of the Republican, published at Van Wert, Ohio, but abandoned the fourth estate for the more harmonious and remunerative one he now follows.

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At the session of the London Conference, held on Wednesday afternoon, Rev.

W. G. H. McAllister, M. A., Exeter, was elected president for the coming year on the first ballot. There were 276 votes cast, with 139 accessary for election, and Mr. McAllister received 140. Rev. Mr. McAllister is a son of the parsonage. His father, the late Rev. Jas. McAllister, was one of the outstanding clergymen of the church, and was twice elected as president of his conference. There were nine names on the ballot in addition to Mr. McAllister's.

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THE current number of The Teller, a The current number of The Teller, a neat little monthly magazine published in the interests of the staff of the Sterling Bank, is to hand. The issuing of the magazine shows the progressive spirit that pervades the Sterling Bank. In the number before us we notice two items regarding members of the staff well-known in Watford. They are: "Mr. R. J Fisher, who was teller at Kerwood Branch, has been tranterred to Thornhill," and "Mr. V. R. McCallum has been granted two months' sick leave."

PRINCESS SLIPS 98c. Corset covers

FOREST will have a big race meeting in July or August.

READ the advertisements and deal with our advertisers.

WOMAN can stand more pain than man. However, she isn't expected to suffer in silence.

REV. W. E. MASON, of Mt. Brydges, is the new moderator of the Middlesex and Lambton Baptists.

GURLEY—My foot's asleep. Gazzam— Jonsense! Not while you are wearing those loud trousers. PETROLEA has a property owner who

asked the assessor to increase his assessment on income \$1000.

BARGAINS in whitewear gowns and skirts, 79 cents.—Swifts'.

MRS. ROBERT STEVENS has placed a handsome monument to her husband in the Alvinston cemetery. JUDGE MACWATT has recovered from his recent illness and presided at the County Court this week.

REV. W. J. FORD, formerly of Watford, has been permanently superannuated by

the Methodist conference. PEOPLE read the advertisements. Don't make any mistake about that. They are just as much interested in knowing where to buy to advantage as the advertiser is in selling his goods.

Nifty new blouses 79c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50.—Swifts'. SUNDAY last was the coldest June Sunday experienced in nineteen years. The weather was unseasonably cool from Ontario to the Maritime provinces. Snow fell in Montreal on Monday morning.

THE Presbyterian General Assembly defeated the minority report on Church union, condemned the social evil, and adopted a resolution in favor of temper-

COWAN & TOWERS, barristers, are engaged on six out of the seven cases the county before court this week, in five of them for plaintiff and one for defendant.

MISS WILLIAMS will have a clearing sale of the balance of Ler trimmed and untrimmed hats at a great reduction commencing Friday, June 6th. Ladies will do well to call and inspect our hats and prices before selecting their hat.—MISS WILLIAMS. j6-2

THE suffragettes are gaining ground every day and the ladies are encrouching on every line of man's occupation. This week a married lady was acting as substi-tute for the town bell ringer. She could give the regular man pointers as to cor-

friends of Mrs. W. C. Browne, a former resident here but now of Watford, who is the C. E. E. Hospital, Petrolea, for treatment, will be pleased to hear that she is progressing as favorably as can be expected."

THERE is considerable dissatisfaction among Methodists with the present rule which limits a ministed to a four-year term at one church. The contention is

As Alex. Kelly was driving up Main street Sunday evening his horse became frightened by an approaching auto and the buggy and its occupants were thrown into the ditch near the Presbyterian Church. Little damage was done to the animal or rig, but the occupants of the buggy got a good shaking up.

Miss Edith Georgina, second daughter of Mr. George Dodds, Watford, was married in Toronto on Wednesday, June 4th, to Mr. Cecil R. Hudgin, lately cutter for Swift, Sons & Co. The ceremony was perfrined by the Rev. Wm. Burns. The many friends of the young couple are now extending congratulations.

Too poor to take a home paper? Well, Too poor to take a home paper? Well, that is a distressful condition. Buy a hen, feed her crumbs and waste from the kitchen and she will lay eggs to pay for a year's subscription; then work her up into a pot pie and she will pay first cost; so the paper will be clear profit. Repeat this process year after year, meanwhile learn wisdom and cease to be poor.

Here's a problem for the school child-ren:—"A farmer owned a hog and want-ed to weigh it. The man's weight was one hundred pounds while his wife weighed one hundred and thirty-five. They put a board across the fence so that when they sat upon it it exactly balanced. They then changed places, the husband taking the pig in his lap, just balancing the board again. What is the weight of the porker?

the porker?

MR. S. A. GORDON BARNES, one of the school trustees of Greater Edmonton, and a former resident of Warwick, has introduced a movement calling for the establishment of a supervised system of playgrounds for that city. Where these supervised playgrounds have been tried under the charge of men and women of discretion, they have proved a great factor in the health of the community; and have been the means of strengthening the mental and moral fibre of children who, if left to their own resources, to find amusement, would develop into hangers on of saloons, dance halls and evil environments. The Edmonton Bulletin publishes an excellent portrait of Mr. Barnes.

Don't forget the lawn social at R. J. Lucas', 12th line, this (Friday) evening. ADAM-Will you go to the show with ne to-night, dear? Eve-But, Adam, ne to-night, dear?

THE frost on Saturday and Sunday nights did considerable damage to tomato and other tender plants. WATFORD defeated Arkona in a

game of baseball on Wednesday after-noon by a score of 13-8. PRINCIPAL W. CLYDE, of Petrolea, is

here this week presiding at the Departmental exams, now going on at the High School.

50 HAMMOCK and verandah cushion covers.—Swifts June special 50 and 60c. LEST we forget—"Be kind to the immigrant. The ancesters of some of our best families came over in the steerage," comments the Toronto Globe.

WE notice by last Thursday's Toronto papers that Burton Mitchell successfully passed the first year's examination in medicine at Toronto University.

THE Annual District Meeting of East Lambton's Women's Institute will meet Thursday, June 19th, in the Congrega-tional church at 2 p.m. Lunch served at close of meeting. All ladies welcome.

A FARMER saw an auto go by. A FARMER saw an auto go by. The dirt had hardly cleaned away when a motorcycle came tearing after it. The farmer exclaimed in astonishment "By gosh! If that goldarned thing ain't got a colt."

MARRIAGE, some one has remarked, is the result of a maiden effort. In this connection we hear and read a great deal of the June bride. We assume that there is a bridegroom, 'though he is not often mentione.

mentioned. THE annual meeting of the East Lambton Farmers' Institute will be held in the Fire Hall, Watford, on Thursday, June 19th, at 1.80 p. m. Directors and members are requested to attend.—E. F. Aug-

ustine, Secretary. A VERY violent electrical storm passed over Watford on Friday night, accompan-ned by high wind and torrential rain. No damage was done by the lightning, though for a considerable time the storm centred near here.

REV. S. V. R. PENTLAND received word this week of the death of his father, Mr. Thomas Pentland, of Dungannon, who passed away on Tuesday morning. He left on Wednesday to attend the funeral, which took place Thursday.

DON'T FORGET the Lawn Social and Band Concert next Tuesday evening, given by the League and Choir of the Methodsta church on the lawn of Mr. W. H. Doan, Simcoe St. Admission 25c and 15c. A good time promised for all.

AT the recent examinations at the University of Toronto, Charlie Wynne completed his fourth year in the Faculty of Medicine. He is now in Collingwood for the holidays assisting Dr. Graham while his partner is on a trip to England

PROBABLY the first occasion on record that an audience failed to stand during the rendering of Handel's masterpiece, the Hallelujah chorus from the Messiah, that when the term is up a pastor has just reached his highest efficiency and as a result of his leaving the church loses.

Tub dresses cheaper than you pay for making. Read ad.—Swifts.

As Alex. Kelly was driving up Main street Sunday evening his horse became street Sunday evening his horse became.

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PETROLEA ADVERTISER:—"Mr. J. E. Callahan, of Watford, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. W. Wilson, Walnut St., and is receiving the glad hand from his old friends in town. Seven weeks ago, Jimmie was unfortunate enough to get a piece of steel in his eye and it was feared for a time he would lose sight of both eyes, but we are pleased to know one eye is safe, and he will soon be able to resume work again."

THE prize list of the Canadian Nation al Exhibition, Toronto, August 23rd to September 8th, is being distributed, and it shows that the management have given special attention to the Agricultural department generally, and to the encouragement to the smaller breeder in particular. In Cattle, more money is given ticular. In Cattle, more money is given to both the beef and dairy classes, and the list has been extended so that in some classes as many as eight prizes are given. Thus the small breeder, with a good animal, is practically sure of re-coupling, at least a part of the expenses of shipping to Tor6nto.

WHEN a newspaper gives you a lot of free advertising in order to boom some concert or church entertainment which you are interested in, keep track of the number of lines that are printed week by week, and multiply that number by the regular advertising rates of the paper. Compare the results with the actual monvalue of any favor that you get from Compare the results with the actual mon-ey value of any favor that you get from any other business concern. Then take into consideration the fact that advertis-ing and circulation are the only two things that a newspaper has to sell, and in these days of higher prices, how much do you think they ought to give away for nothing?—Exchange.

THE management of the Western Pair, London, Ontario, are mailing out their prize lists, with entry forms enclosed, also maps, hangers, etc., this week, \$2000.00 in Cash besides a number of fine specials has been added to the prize list this year. This makes the Live Stock prize list very attractive and should be taken advantage of by Live Stock Breeders and Exhibitors. Live Stock buyers dry territory each day.

MISS MINIELLY is putting a cement throughout Western Ontario are always present at the Western Fair in large throughout Western Ontario are always present at the Western Fair in large numbers and Exhibitors always report good results from this Exhibition. The Dairy Department has received special attention this year and several more sections have been added, while the prizes go to sixth place giving more Exhibitors an opportunity of winning. If a prize list of a prize that the property of the property of the prize of the property of the prize of the an opportunity of winning. If a prize list or entry form is required write the Secretary, A. M. Hunt, Room 302 Dominion Savings Building, London, Ontario. All information will be promptly

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Mrs. Fitzgerald is visiting relatives in

Herbert Thorner spent Sunday here

Mr. W. H. Harper was in Windsor last veek on busine

Miss Taylor, Ancaster, is visiting her ister, Mrs. A. G. Brown. Miss Annie Thorner has returned from

visit with relatives in Sarnia. Mr. James Vicary, St. Thomas, spent the week-end at Typoth tae Lodge.

Miss Gertie Hay, Indianapolis, Minn., s visiting her sister, Miss Jean Hay. Mrs. Fred McLeay, Indianapolis, Minn. visiting her sister, Mrs. T. G. Mitchell.

Mrs. Lloyd Steele and family, of Sarnia, have been visiting at her mother's home in Hamilton. Mrs. Norman Thorner, Mrs. Robert K. Stevens and Miss Annie Thorner visited friends in Alvinston last week.

Rev. Mr. Coupland, Woodsley, visited his daughter, Mrs. Frank Taylor, and son, W. J. Coupland, here, this week. Mrs. L. A. Willoughby was called to Sarnia on Thursday, her father having had a paralytic stroke.—Leamington

Miss Claire Tye, nurse in training at the Western Hospital, Toronto, is spend-ing a two weeks' vacation at her home

Miss Annie McKenzie, of Adelaide Township, is spending a few days with her sister, Miss S. C. McKenzie, stenographer.

Mrs. Orlo Jacklin and son, Edward, are visiting relatives in Cleveland, Ohio. Mrs. Jacklin's mother, Mrs. A. Lewis, accompanied them.

Gordon M. Abbott is home for a short

vacation before starting his new position as demonstrator at the Chicago College of Dental Surgery, from where he has just

Thedford Tribune:—"Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Creasey (nee Ida Gammon) of Wat-ford, spent part of their honeymoon in town with the former's sister, Mrs. Peter

Tomazino.

Miss Lingelbach, head milliner with
A. Brown & Co., received a phone message on Sunday announcing the death of
her mother at Tavistock. She left on the afternoon train for her home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Richardson, Vuf-can, Alta., are spending a week with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Richardson, Wall street. Mr. Richardson represented the Presbyterian church

BORN.

Warwick, on Tuesday, June 3rd, to Mr. and Mrs. John Attwood, a daughter.

Plympton, Monday, June 2nd, to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Symington, a daughter.

In Bosanquet, on Friday, May 30th, to Mr. and Mrs. Orville Jamieson, a son.

In Sarnia, on Saturday June 7th, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs, Wm. L. Doherty, a son.

In Adelaide, on Sunday, June 8th, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fuller, a son.

MARRIED.

At Toronto, on Wednesday, June 4th, 1913, by the Rev. Wm. Burns, Edith Georgina, second daughter of Mr. George Dodds, Watford, Ont., to Cecil R. Hudgin, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hudgin, Toronto.

At the Free Methodist parsonage, Thedford, on Monday, June 2nd, 1913, by the Rev. Jas. Ayre, Mr. Claude Stephenson, of Bosanquet, to Miss May McCartney, of Venna.

In Forest, on Wednesday, June 4th, 1913, Miss. Dorothea Elizabeth Bailey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey, to Mr. Charles J. Neil, of Plympton.

In Trinity Church, Watford, on Saturday, June

of Plympton, In Trinity Church, Watford, on Saturday, June 7th, 1913, by the Rev. S. P. Irwin Sidney Shafto, of Pontiac, Mich., to Miss Eleanor Porter, of Watford,

DIED.

In Warwick, on Thursday. June 5th, 1913, John McIllmurray, aged 67 years, 6 months and 21

gays.

In Adelaide, on Sunday, June 1st, 1913, Philip
Jones, aged 70 years, 9 months and 19 days
In Oil Springs, on Sunday, June 1st, Robert Mc
Fadden, aged 70 years, 2 months and 13 days At Nanton, Alberta, on June 4th, Margaret Jan Shirley, wife of Robert Alexander, aged 5 years.

The Presbyterian General Assembly at Toronto adopted a sweeping resolution calling for the total suppression of the drink traffic by means of legislation prohibiting the manufacture, importation and sale of intoxicating liquor for bever-

and sale of intoxicating liquor for beverage purposes.

The expansion of local option territory in Western Ontario is being felt in London, it is claimed by the police, who assert that habitues of various dry towns now hold their celebrations in London. Periodically drunks turn up from Ingersoll, Strathroy and other places. All are burdened on their return home with shoe boxes and other parcels. It is said to be remarkable the number of pairs of "shoes" that are taken out of London for dry territory each day.

The Welsh Singers

The Gwent Male Glee Singers gave one The Gwent Male Glee Singers gave one of the finest musical entertainments in the Lyceum on Wednesday night that Watford has ever heard. The singers are all Welsh. Every one of them is an accomplished singer, and all those who heard the concert were pleased beyond measure. The selections were all good and the voices blended together in exquisite harmony. The singer of Straise! and the voices blended together in exquisite harmony. The singing of Strauss'
"Blue Danube," by the choir, was superior in point of harmony and pureness of voice to anything of the kind ever heard here, while Handel's well-known "Hallelujah chorus" was exceedingly well-rendered. The solos were all good, the enunciation of the singers being as clear as the words of a good speaker. The duets and quartets were also greatly enjoyed, and captivated the audience almost as much as the choruses. There were a number of encores called. There were a number of encores called for and promptly responded to. The rendering of the entire program was rare and wonderful music and will not soon be forgotten by those who were fortunate enough to be present. Should the Gwent Singers again visit Watford, they will be heartily welcomed.

Daughters of the Empire

June meeting of Tecumseh Chapter, I.O D.E., was held at the home of Mrs. Tye. The Regent presided. There were present 14 members and 7 visitors. After the regular business had been disposed of the following program was given. Mrs. Newell read the beautiful story, "Where's Master," the autobiography of King Edward's dog 'Caesar.' Miss McCaw gave an excellent paper on "The Jacobites." The romance of Flora MacDonald and "Bonnie Prince Charlie" was referred to, also the many Scottish songs ald and "Bonnie Prince Charlie" was referred to, also the many Scottish songs whose origin may be traced to the time when the Jacobites toasted the king over the water. Mrs. Thompson gave an amusing reading on bearing one's own troubles. Miss Smith sang acceptably, "When the sands of the desert grow cold." Luncheon was served and an enjoyable meeting closed by the singing of the national anthem. Announcements of the national anthem. Announcements regarding the July picnic meeting will be published later.

Shatto-Porter

The marriage of Miss Eleanor Porter, of Watford, and Mr. Sydney Shafto, of Pontiac, Mich., was solemnized in Trinity Church, Watford, on Saturday morning last at 7 o'clock. The vested choir preceded the bridal party to the chancel where the ceremony was performed by the rector, Rev. S. P. Irwin, B.A. Mr. B. Binks presided at the organ and the choir sang "The Voice that Breathed o'er Eden." This being the first marriage solemnized in the new church the bride was presented with a beautifully bound bible by the officials of the church. About thirty people were present. After the ceremony the bridal party partook of breakfast at the residence of Mrs. Arthur Brown, and at 8.45 left by G.T.R. for their home in Pontiac, The marriage of Miss Eleanor Porter, left by G.T.R. for their home in Pontiac

New Local Phones

Below is a list of new local phones up to date. Clip it out and paste in your

42R4-Aylesworth, L. H.

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44 —Auld, R., residence
24R4—Brown, E. A., residence
19A—Cameron, A.
56 —Cowan & Towers
54 —Class, Carl, residence
—Cameron, D. G., residence
1A—Dod ls, P. J., residence
51 —Fitzgerald, W. E.
42B—Hicks, Dr., residence
—Hollingsworth, G., residence
11A—Harris, Thos., residence
15A—Matthews—Frank, residence
12A—McLaren, W. J., residence
42A—Mitchell, S. H.
52 —McManus & Co., butchers

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52 — McManus & Co., butchers

61 — McDonnell, A.

— Prentis, R. E., shop and house

58B — Stapleford, R., residence

58A — Vail, C. W., residence

58A — Wykesmith, W. A., residence

67 — Williamson, W.

55 — Woods, Mrs. T.

Coldest June Weather

The coldest weather ever recorded dur-ing June in the Middle Atlantic and New England States, the Ohio Valley and the England States, the Ohio Valley and the Great Lakes region, was reported on Monday to the weather bureau at Washington. The Gulf States are the only territory east of the Rockies to escade an unseasonable drop, "A high barometeric pressure of great magnitude" is the official reason. Frosts were reported from Vermont, Central New York, New England, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Michigan and Wisconsin.

The cold spell, which began shortly after midnight Saturday, was caused by an area of cold air that drifted down the region of the Arctic circle, and enveloped the whole northern half of the United States and the Great Lakes region of Canada In the western provinces of In the western provinces of

Canada the weather was warm. This great Union Picnic of all the schools in Enniskillen, Petrolea and Oil Springs, will be held in Scott's Grove, near Oil City, on June 28th.