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Next Sunday is "Go-to-Sunday-

chool" Day.

D. & A. Corsettes, Gossard Brassiers.—A. Brown & Co. East Lambton Liberals will meet in convention at the Lyceum today,

Don't our boys make swell lookin' See then to-night (Friday) at the Lyceum.

Next Thursday is Victoria Day and a statutory holiday. All places of business will be closed.

Buy your 24th May clothing at

Swift's, have your suit Art Tailored, delivered in 5 days.—Swift's. Gordon Jamieson has been engaged to sweep and keep clean the

main street pavement.

Albert Hawkins sold his farm, being the east half of lot 4, con. 1, S.E.R., Warwick township, to John

Now is your chance for cheap wall paper. We have several lines, enough for a large room, to clear at special prices .- P. Dodds.

Some folks long to live in California and others pine for Florida, but we would be satisfied if we could only live within our income.

The warm rain Monday night was just what was required by farmers and gardeners and the effects are already quite noticeable on sprouting crops.

Gingham—special for Friday and Saturday, 300 yards, especially fine quality dress ginghams at 17c per yard .- A. Brown & Co.

The Returning Officer for East Lambton in the election next month is George Tedford of Alvinston. A. J. Johnston, Sarnia, has been ap-pointed for West Lambton.

As the Victoria Day holiday falls on our publication day correspondents and advertisers are requested to send in their favors one day earlier

next week. The "Gu "Guys" are not in it for a minute with our "guys" in the Androck Minstrels. To-night (Friday) at

the Lyceum. Plan at Siddall's. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fitzgerald spent the week end in London and on Saturday afternoon attended the funeral of Mr. Fitzgerald's uncle, Frederick Fitzgerald, late of London.

In connection with the revision of Legislative voters' list. soon will be under way, it is well for all electors to remember that no person may vote under any circum-stances if his name is not on the list as presented on the day of polling. As many of the residents of Wat-

collector for the Salvation Army fund called last Friday, any con-tributions left at this office will be promptly forwarded to district head-Men's fancy silk sox, Holeproof Luxite, special 24th May prices.— Betcha dollar to a doughnut you

can't call every Niggah by his right name! See the Androck Minstrels at the Lyceum to-night (Friday). A play "The Dust of the Earth" will be given by the Kerwood local talent, under the auspices of the Women's Institute, in the Lyceum, on Friday, May 25th. Proceeds to be used for Memorial Fund. Watch for bills. Fuller information in Guide-

Advocate next week.

"The big German gun which stands on the G.W.V.A. lawn as a souvenir of the late war, has been given a coat of paint, thus adding o its appearance, and preserving it rust."—Leamington Post.
That about painting the gun in front of the Watford armory? BOYS ARE HEREBY WARNED

to stay away from S. E. Thompson's bee field on the 4th line. As the result of a mischievous prank on Sun-day, thousands of bees and their young are dead. A second offense will mean the police court and payment of damages by their parents.

The ninth annual meeting of Sarnia Presbyterial of the W.M.S. met in St. Andrew's church, arnia, on Wednesday and Thursday of last week. The following delegates represented Watford W.M.S., Mrs. Workman, Mrs. Prentis, Miss Ella McLeay, Miss Cran and Mrs. F. A.

daughters, left on Tuesday for Calgary, where they will make their home in future. Watford sustains a distinct loss by the removal of Mr. and Mrs. Harper from our midst and the wish of all is that the change may make an improvement in Mrs. Harper's health.

The Best Boys' Suits in Ontain the specific street of the provincial honors. The instructor is well known locally through his musical work.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. D Gustin, Lake Valley Grove, spent Tuesday in Wat-

Italian Silk Hose, fine quality in black, brown and white, 42 cents per

pair.—A. Brown & Co.
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Piercey and
Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Aylesworth
spent the weekend in London. The difference between "precious little thing" and "little brat" is that you use "little brat" when its mother

sn't present. Holeproof Hosiery for 24th May all the wanted shades and black .-Swift's.

We received several lines of the newest styles in shoes and slippers this week and the price is right. Call and see them.—P. Dodds.
It is one thing to hear Los Angeles

on the radio at night, and quite another to hear the alarm clock's honest jingle in the morning.
Some towns have a clean-up day

every Spring; others one a week. Watford has its main street swept up daily, and washed when needed "The Ghost Breaker", Wallace Reid's funniest and creverest comedy will be the special holiday attraction

at the Lyceum, Victoria Day.
Service in the Watford Baptist church next Sunday at 7 p.m. and at Calvary at 3 p.m. The pastor's sub-ject will be "Christian Baptism, What it is and what it means.

Owing to the statutory holiday falling on Thursday next, the Wednesday half holiday will not be observed next week, and all places of business will be open as usual. Rev. J. H. Hosford and Dr. James

Newell are in London this week at-tending the annual meeting of the Symod of Huron, the latter repre-senting Trinity Church as lay dele-Synod

Many Watford people honored their Mothers on Sunday by wearing flowers. Any kind of flower obtainable was worn in buttonhole or corsage. In the churches special reference was made to the nature of the

occasion. Young Men's suits, first longs, fancy tweeds, light and dark shades \$12.50 to \$16.00 .- Swift's 24th May

specials. To-night Thomas Meighen, Theo-dore Roberts, Leatrice Joy and Eva Novak in "The Man Who Saw To-morrow" at the Lyceum. A romance that whirls you from the outh Seas to the dizzy heights of London

Society. all day the holiday. Ladies' Fibre Silk Hose 49 cents, fancy shades, drop stitch all silk \$1.00 a pair.-Swift's 24th May Specials.

The Tennis dance in the Armory on Friday night was well attended and greatly enjoyed by all present. Dancers were present from the surrounding towns and townships and the music furnished by Pincombe's orchestra of Strathroy was fine for dancing to.

dancing to.

Lake Valley Grove Summer Resort

This old reliable resort will be open to the public May 24th, for campers and picnics. Parties wishing to dance may have use of Pavilion free. Arrange for picnics early.—E. S. D. Gustin, proprietor.

He wasn't afraid of spirits but when a beautiful Spanish Princess

turned him loose in a haunted castle it starts a laugh that will hold you till the finish. Wallace Reid in "The Thost Breaker" at the Lyceum, Victoria Day. Men's Silk Fibre Sox, all shades

Men's Silk Fibre Sox, all shades, 75 cents-24th May special.—Swift's At the Annual District Meeting of Strathroy District, No. 6. LO.O.F., held at Strathroy on Friday evening, May 11th, Bro. Alex. Westgate, Past Grand of Egremont Lodge, No. 207, Kerwood, was elected to the office of District. Denuty Grand Master of District Deputy Grand Master for the ensuing year. The annual inspection of the High

School Cadets took place at Water-works Park on Monday morning, Lieut.-Col. Gillespie, of London district, being the inspecting officer. The trict, being the inspecting officer. The cadets looked quite smart and paraded like veterans. They were drilled in company, platoon and section drills and showed considerable proficiency in each drill, and were comficiency in each drill, and were company to their manuages, and plimented on their maneuvers and general appearance by the inspecting officer.

King and Borsalino Hats. Eastern Caps for the 24th.—A. Brown & Co.
Mrs. Jas. Craig has returned from
a week's visit with friends in Port Huron.

The High School Cadets will attend service in the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning. Mrs. J. Russell McCormick and

daughter, Louise, are spending this week with relatives in Toronto. Mrs. Maria Rivers, widow of the late Henry Rivers, died at her home on John street on Wednesday in her 90th year. The funeral will be held

on Friday and is private.

A Haws Hat for 24th May, open Wednesday, all day.—Swift's.

Mr. S. P. Morris, writing from Lacombe, May 10, says:—"Enclosed please find two dellars payment for your paper for another year. I am always glad to get the Guide-Advocate; it brings many interesting things from home in its column. We have had a mild winter with little snow; the spring has been dry till about two weeks ago; we have had three good rains since then. The rain came in good time for the crops."

There is no such thing as man's rights and woman's rights separate and distinct from each other. Wo-man's rights are simply human rights. The sexes belong to each other; what benefits one helps the other; what elevates either uplifts both. Man is the outdoor and woman the indoor partner in the firm of humanity, notwithstanding the fact that the latter is ofter outdoor more than she is indoor.

U. F. O. CONVENTION

. .L. W. Oke Choice of a Large Convention on Tuesday.

The U. F. O. of East Lambton held their nomination convention Tuesday afternoon in the Lyceum, which was crowded to capacity.

Arthur E. Vance county director of
the U. F. O. was elected chairman,

and A. W. Campbell, secretary.

The following were nominated to contest the riding at the forthcoming provincial election: John Darvell H. A. Gilroy, Silas Smale, L. W. Oke, ex-M.L.A., Duncan Smith, B. W. Fancher, M.P., H. Annett, D. A. McIntyre, Donald Brown, Andrew B. Auld and Nicholas Sitter.

Eventually all withdrew in favor of L. W. Oke, the retiring member, who accepted the nomination. The principal speakers were B. W. Fan-

Sher, M.P., for East Lambton, Silas Smale and H. A. Gilroy. The candidate opened his address by stating that he felt embarrassed over the dissension in East Lambton, and said he had just realized there was dissension during the rast week. He asserted that he had called a meeting last Thursday to try and straighten matters out and that the some 100 people that attended all seemed satisfied. In reviewing his career in the Legislature he pointed out that he had attended the U.F.O. caucus at Toronto last week and brought back with him a letter from Premier Drury stating that he had always been faithful and conscientous, although he did not always see eye to eye with the Government. He said he had been a member of six committees, including the redistribution committee. He added that he was one of 11 members from his side of the House to be put on this committee. He referred to Hon. F. C. Biggs, minister of highways, as

eing in a lot of trouble, but asserted that nothing had ever been proven against him. In referring to the matter of automobile licenses, the speaker stated that from 1916 to 1919 contracts had been awarded to a St. Thomas firm without tenders being called for. He said that automobile markers to-day were 23 cents per set as compared to \$1.40 in 1910, 43 cents in 1911, and 38 cents in 1912. The only time the price was below 23 cents was in 1922, when they

were only 14½ cents, but proved very unsatisfactory.

"The old parties want to bust the U.F.O." he said, "I have tried for four years to educate myself and to be a credit to my party and to myself. I will fight clean to keep the old parties away from you. They are full of tricks." he declared.

The following resolution indorsing the Drury government was moved by H. A. Gilroy, seconded by Silas Smale, and enthusiastically adopted: "That this convention assembled in dorse in principle the actions of the Drury government in toto for the past year and a half." The U.F.O. leaders claim that the spirit of the convention augurs well for the success of the farmer candidate. cess of the farmer candidate.



W. R. DAWSON

To the Electors of Lambton East: At a convention of the Conservative party of Lambton East held at Watford in June last, I was selected as their candidate to contest this riding at the coming provincial elec-tion, the date of which has now been set for the 25th of June, and on the lay set apart for that purpose, June 14th, I expect to be one of the candidates nominated and will appeal for your support on polling day.

week's issue, let me draw your attention to two matters which my friends have asked me to clear up, Firstly, the report that as a consequence of that convention my friends are not standing unanimously behind me; Secondly, that I am opposing the farmers as a body. As to the first, it appears to be almost too trivial to mention, but let me say here, in order to clear the matter up, that there is absolutely no division among my friends and that the very estimable gentleman who allowed his name to go before the convention in conjunction with mine stands right behind me to-day, as he has always done and will continue to do. As to the second, which is almost as trivial as the first. I have only to point you to the large num-ber of farmers in my immediate neighborhood, with whom I have had twenty-five years, many of whom have perhaps never cast a Conservative vote in their lives, and who will rally to my support in this contest.

I have no fault to find with the farmer, never have had. I have no fault to find with those who left their party, be it Liberal or Con-servative, in 1919 and voted as they from the tangle before disaster did, it was their privilege and their right, but having experienced four years of administration by the party

entrusted with the government of this province in 1919 we have a right to look the result squarely in the face, and if we do that without residies. It are quite to prejudice, I am quite content to leave the matter and abide by the decision of the electors on polling day, and this brings me to the matter I wish to discuss in this issue. namely economy. Economy was perhaps the most outstanding plank in the platform of the Progressive party four years ago, and I am free to confess that I myself had hopes that some good would result from the practice of a little economy at Toronto. I believe that the vast majority of those who voted for them at that time had the same feelings, and were sincere in the step they took, therefore I have no complaint to make against those who broke away from their old party ties at that time. But when we find that the particular brand of economy practised by them at Queen's Park during the past four years has resulted in more than doubling the expend-iture of the province, has more than doubled the provincial debt, that in almost every department the public money has been spent with a reck-lessness that is beginning to be alarming, and looking at the estimates for the coming year tabulated in the Legislature two weeks ago showing an increase in expenditures over those of this year of \$2,700,-000.00 and showing conclusively that the government has no inten-tion of retrenching, surely those of Before anything is said on the us who have property in the prov-subject I wish to discuss in this ince, and who are paying the taxes must realize that the promises made four years ago, and which at that time gave promise of better things, have been violated and utterly

thrown to the winds.

It is not so long ago that we have forgotten the famous slogan address-ed particularly to the farmer, "The ordinary member of the Legislature receives \$1400.00 for six weeks work, are you receiving that much for your labor?" and yet at the first opportunity we saw that indemnity raised to \$2000.00. Consistency,

thou art a jewel! Other phases of the administra-tion will be discussed in this column and on the platform curing the campaign, but on this one matter of economy, I stand firm, we must have a reduction in the ordinary expendi-tures of the province, and if I should be elected, my energies will be directed in that direction,

vote against my party if that party does not consent to bring this about. We are facing a crisis in the affairs of this province to-day. I believe this to be the most momentous election we have held in Ontario in overtakes us.

Yours truly W. R. DAWSON.

ANDROCK MINSTRELS AT LYCEUM TO-NIGHT (FRIDAY)

Now Girls! Be Honest If you had o pick out a husband from the bunch which coon would you beckon?

The boys have tried hard to present a clean and bright performance and hope you will not be disappoint-

Don't quit laughing until the show is done. If you have any boquets to send up to any of the performers, please have them concealed, for it might cause a stampede on the stage. Stale eggs positively prohibited! Reserve Seats 35c. Plan at Siddall's. Proceeds to benefit fund of Watford Baseball Club.

On Tuesday, May 8th, 1923, the annual meeting of the Gleaners Sunday School class was held at the home of Philena Rapson. The meeting was opened by a scripture reading from Eph. 4., followed by prayer. A report of how the missionary money was raised and how much or hand was given by the missionary president. She reported that there was \$117 in the treasury. The minutes of the year were read and adopted. The Gleaners have charge read and of the missionary department of the Young People's League for the following year. The following officers were appointed: president, Dorothy Fowler; vice-president, Beatrice Edwards; scretary, Philena Rapson; treasurer, Aileen Spalding; convenor Fowler; vice-president, Beatrice Edwards; scretary, Philena Rapson; treasurer, Aileen Spalding; convenor of working committee, Blanche Stapleford. After the election lunch was served. The meeting was then was served. The meeting was then were supported:

Songs—Carry Me Back to Okt Virginia". "Working on the Rail-road," "I Stutter Too Much," "Are You From Dixie." "Put On Your Nightie," "To-morrow," "Lil' Liza Jane," "The King."

Preceding the Minstrel Show there brought to a close by pronouncing the benediction.—Sec.

ANDROCK MINTSRELS Composed of the greatest singers

and entertainers ever appearing be-fore a Watford audience, with their famous Rag time Band. Led by Susie. Sketch-Paying a Bet after an un-

ealthy crap game, Bones and Goliath. Skits on Watford people by Rastus

Bones-Niggers Jerry, Lon, Pete and Rastus, lyric tenor, "Are You from Dixie", accompanied by the

Ex-president Taft at the Possum Hunt, by Goliath.

The Value of a Ball Player, by Song—"Put on Your Nightie", presented by Jerry and sung by

Mrs. Rastus Johnson at the Wed-

The Musical Box with wonderful Bible Stories.

Admonition Sermon .- Sambo. Advertising a well-known brand of

arnish and paints .- Pete. Songs-"Carry Me Back to Old

will be a Community Sing, led by

Reeve Connolly,