

**THE
MERCHANTS' BANK
OF CANADA**

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Paid-up Capital.....\$7,000,000
Reserve Fund and Undivided Profits..... 7,248,134
Deposits, 1914..... 59,256,044
Assets, 1914..... 83,120,741

223 BRANCHES IN CANADA.

General Banking Business transacted. SAVINGS DEPARTMENT
at all Branches. Deposits of \$1.00 and upwards received and interest
allowed at best current rates.

Watford Branch - F. C. SMYTH, Manager

**Second Annual
Lambton County
Corn Exhibition
PETROLEA
JANUARY 27, 28, 29, 1915**

Special Rates on All Railways

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**G. BRAMHILL, CHAS. M. FLECK,
Secretary, President,
Petrolea, Ont. Corunna, Ont.**

ARKONA

Mr. Ivan Crawford, of London, is spending a few days at his home here.

Miss Rose McLeish, of Petrolea, is home on her vacation.

Mrs. Detwiler, of London, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ranks.

Miss Sarah McKay, of London, spent New Year's Day at her home here.

Miss Georgie Davidson, B.A., left Saturday for Melbourne, where she has accepted a position as continuation teacher.

Mr. Fred Eastman spent a few days last week in Toronto.

Dr. F. and Mrs. Stoner, of Adrian, Mich., are visiting friends in Sarnia.

Mr. Arthur Lampman, of Capac, is renewing old acquaintances in town.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Muma, of Grand Rapids, Mich., are spending a few weeks with Mrs. A. Muma.

Mr. Lloyd Jackson, of Toronto, is spending a few weeks at his home here.

The regular meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. H. Utter, Saturday, Jan. 9th, at 3 p.m. Mrs. Utter will give a reading, also Miss Pressley and Miss Williams will render solos. All are cordially invited to attend.

The Late Mrs. Adam Baird

Mention was made last week of the death of Mrs. Letitia Baird, widow of the late Adam Baird, which occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. G. Vance, 18 Sideroad, Warwick, on Monday, December 28th, 1914. Deceased was born in the county of Tyrone, Ireland, in 1842, and consequently was in her 73rd year at the time of her death. She came to this country with her parents in 1852 and settled in Warwick. She was married in 1861 to Adam Baird, who predeceased her in the year 1900. From the union two sons and three daughters survive, namely, George C. Baird, Warwick; Dr. J. Baird, of Mt. Brydges; Mrs. H. G. Vance and Mrs. Muxlow, Warwick, and Mrs. (Dr.) Belcher, Pleasant Hill, Mo. Deceased was a life-long member of the Presbyterian church, and lived an energetic and consistent Christian life, making many friends, who regret her demise. The funeral was held on Wednesday, Dec. 30th, to Bethel cemetery, the service being taken by the Rev. J. C. Forster, Presbyterian minister, assisted by Rev. W. M. Shore, rector of Warwick. The pall bearers were five nephews, James, William and Robert Brandon, J. Campbell, R. Porter, and a grandson, W. James.

Fowler—Jones

A quiet wedding was solemnized on Dec. 30th at the residence of the bride's uncle, Mr. Charles Warcup, 597 King street, London, when Rev. R. W. Norwood, rector of Cronyn Memorial Church, united in marriage Miss Helen Jones, of New York, and Mr. J. Harry Fowler, B.A., a well-known and popular newspaper man of London.

Following the ceremony a number of friends of the happy couple gathered with a band and tendered them a seren-

ade. After a brief honeymoon Mr. and Mrs. Fowler will take up their residence in London.

His fellow employees of the Free Press presented Mr. Fowler with a handsome set of royal crown derby china, and a number of friends in the business and social life of London waited upon him and presented him with a purse of gold. Mr. A. S. Blackburn made the presentation of the china on behalf of the Free Press employees and Mr. J. C. Duffield presented to purse.

Janes—Acton

A very pretty house wedding occurred at the home of the bride's brother Mr. Joseph Acton, on Wednesday, December thirtieth, when his sister Miss Emily, became the bride of Mr. Charles A. Janes. Promptly at six o'clock, to the strains of the wedding march, played by Mrs. Pentland, the bride, leaning on the arm of her brother, Mr. Jos. Acton, took her place under an arch of evergreens and flowers, where Rev. S. V. R. Pentland performed the ceremony in the presence of the immediate friends of the contracting parties.

The bride was becomingly attired in cream tulle and carried a bouquet of bridal roses, her only ornament being a pearl crescent, the gift of the groom. The young people will take up house-keeping in the groom's new home on the sixth line.

A Valuable Paper

The opportunities of the coming year, from a farmer's point of view appear to be many. Owing to the war there will be a shortage of crops in Europe, and therefore an extra demand for all kinds of farm products in Canada. This will afford an opportunity for the farmer who manages his farm in a business like way to reap a rich harvest. Every farmer who is farming for profits, should be a reader of the Weekly Sun, the Farmer's Business paper. There is no other farm paper in Ontario that supplies the farmer with the same reliable information as the Sun does. By perusing the Sun, you will gain a knowledge of the markets, which will enable you to sell your products to the best advantage. The subscription price will only be a fraction of the additional profits you will make by reading the Sun. When renewing your subscription for your local paper, you will make no mistake if you subscribe for the Sun, the Farmer's Business Paper.

BORN.

In Plympton, on Sunday, Dec. 27th, 1914, to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kennedy, a daughter.

In Bosanquet, on Saturday, Dec. 26th, 1914, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Norwood, a son.

MARRIED.

On Tuesday, Dec. 22nd, 1914, at the manse, by Rev. R. G. McKay, M.A., Guy Vernon Risk, of Brooke, to Jane Rodger, of Alvinston.

At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong, Inwood, on Dec. 23rd, by Rev. N. A. Campbell, Foster W. Smith, of Brooke, to Adelyn Armstrong, of Inwood.

In London, on Wednesday, Dec. 30th, 1914, Miss Helen Jones, of New York, to Mr. J. Harry Fowler, B.A., of London.

At Christ church, Irvine, Alta., on Dec. 17th, 1914, Mr. William Orchard, manager of the Union Bank, of that place, to Miss Gertrude Margaret, only daughter of Mr. Robt. Alexander, formerly of Forest, and niece of Miss Sarah A. Shirley, Rachael street, Watford.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Hicks, Wanstead, on Dec. 31st, 1914, Alice Christena, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hicks, was united in marriage to James Evans McIntosh, of Enniskillen, by Rev. T. M. Mead.

DIED.

In Brooke, on Friday, Jan. 1st, 1915, Richard O. VanNatter, aged 64 years, 7 months, 2 days.

At the family residence, 86 Anderson Avenue, London, on Sunday, Jan. 3rd, Lizzie, beloved wife of J. Roy Dengate, aged 35 years.

In Paris, Ont., on Wednesday, Dec. 30, 1914, Mrs. Thos. Bingham, Petrolea, aged 67 years and 7 months.

In Petrolea, on Sunday, Dec. 28th, 1914, Jane Bray, widow of the late Thos. Dodge, aged 73 years, 7 months and 11 days.

At Prince Albert, Sask., on Jan. 4th, Charles Thompson, aged 36 years, 1 month, 23 days.

**MARKETS
WATFORD**

GRAIN AND SEEDS—

Wheat, fall, per bush.....	\$1 15 @ \$1 15
Oats, per bush.....	47 47
Barley, per bush.....	55 60
Beans, per bush.....	1 50 2 50
Timothy.....	2 00 3 00
Clover Seed.....	7 00 12 00
Alsike.....	7 00 8 00

PROVISIONS—

Butter, per pound.....	24 24
Lard.....	18 35
Eggs, per doz.....	39 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 00

MISCELLANEOUS—

Wood.....	2 00 2 50
Tallow.....	6 6
Hides.....	8 10
Wool.....	16 23
Hay, per ton.....	10 00 11 00

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—

Potatoes, per bag.....	50 60
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POULTRY—

Turkeys, per lb.....	10 14
Chickens, per lb.....	7 9
Fowl.....	6 8
Ducks.....	7 10
Geese.....	7 10

London

Wheat.....	\$ 1 10 to \$ 1 10
Oats, cwt.....	1 50 to 1 53
Butter.....	24 to 25
Eggs.....	33 to 40
Pork.....	10 00 to 10 50

Toronto

Toronto, Jan. 5.—Receipts to-day at the Union stockyards were 60 cars, containing 750 cattle, 65 calves, 1,157 hogs and 486 sheep and lambs.

Cattle are not coming in too fast and the market is holding steady to firm at the advance for good butcher cattle made on Monday's market. Receipts to-day were moderate, trade was fair and practically everything was cleaned up. The average quality was not quite up to yesterday, but a few good butcher steers sold at \$8. Good cows were steady at \$5.50 to \$6. Good butcher bulls firm. Canners steady, but the demand not quite as keen as formerly. Lambs steady to firm. Hogs steady.

To-day's quotations:

Extra prime steers.....	7 50 to 8 25
Butcher cows, choice.....	6 00 to 6 25
do., good.....	5 75 to 6 00
do., medium.....	5 25 to 6 00
do., common.....	4 25 to 4 50
Butcher bulls, choice.....	6 35 to 6 50
do., good bulls.....	6 25 to 6 50
do., medium.....	5 75 to 6 00
Feeders 900 to 1,000 lbs.....	6 00 to 6 65
do., bulls.....	5 25 to 6 00
Stockers.....	5 75 to 6 00
do., medium.....	5 25 to 5 75
do., light.....	4 25 to 4 85
Canners.....	3 50 to 4 25
Cutters.....	4 50 to 4 75
Milkers, choice, each.....	60 00 to 90 00
do., com. and med.....	40 00 to 65 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.....	6 75 to 8 25
Bucks.....	5 75 to 6 00
Ewes, light.....	5 25 to 6 00
Sheep, heavy and bucks.....	3 50 to 4 50
Culls.....	2 00 to 2 50
Hogs, weighed off cars.....	7 75 to 8 25
do., fed and watered.....	7 50 to 8 25
do., f. o. b.....	7 15 to 7 50

East Buffalo.

East Buffalo, Jan. 5.—Cattle—Receipts, 7,750 head; active; prices unchanged. Veals—Receipts, 150 head; active; \$4 to \$12.50. Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; active; heavy, \$7.40; mixed, \$7.40 to \$7.50; yorkers, \$7.50 to \$7.75; pigs, \$6.75 to \$7.75; roughs, \$6.50 to \$6.75; stags, \$5.50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 8,000 head; active; lambs, \$5 to \$9; yearlings, \$5 to \$7.50; wethers, \$6.00 to \$6.25; ewes, \$3.50 to \$5.75; sheep, mixed, \$5.75 to \$6.00.

**The Sterling Bank
OF CANADA**

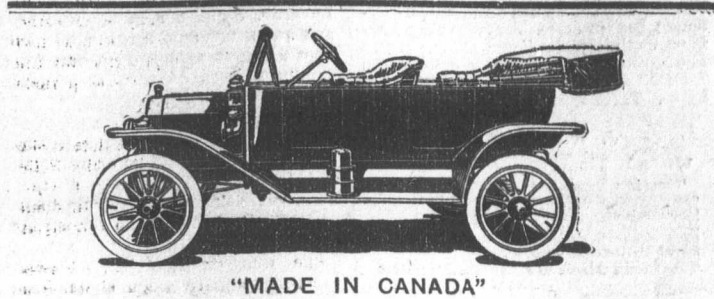
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Help the moon and stars at night
To make your home cozy, refined and bright.

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In all his experience he never found one so trustful, and with such perfect faith in the Lord Jesus Christ, the journey was looked forward to with such pleasure.

The service over, the remains were conveyed to the Masonic cemetery for burial. Her children are: Mrs. J. Bryson, Watford; Mrs. C. Thrasher, Mrs. E. Chilson and Russel, Albany, Ore.; Mrs. L. Evans, widow, La Janta, Mrs. L. Lowell, Bakersfield, Cal., and Kenneth, Gridley, Cal.

On leaving Canada for the West, Mrs. Gott, with her youngest daughter, were pinned in the Wanstead wreck four hours.

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