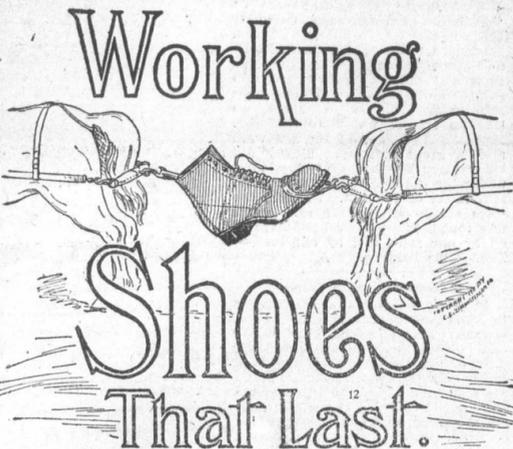


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MARKETS

WATFORD	
GRAIN AND SEEDS—	
Wheat, fall, per bush.....	\$ 95 @ \$ 95
Oats, per bush.....	35 35
Barley, per bush.....	45 50
Beans, per bush.....	1 25 2 00
Timothy.....	2 00 3 00
Clover Seed.....	7 00 12 00
Alsike.....	7 00 8 00
PROVISIONS—	
Butter, per pound.....	24 24
Lard.....	18 18
Eggs, per doz.....	19 19
Pork.....	11 00 11 00
Flour, per cwt.....	2 25 3 00
Brar, per ton.....	22 00 22 00
Shots, per ton.....	26 00 26 00
MISCELLANEOUS—	
Wood.....	2 50 3 00
Tallow.....	8 6 6
Hides.....	13 20
Hay, per ton.....	9 00 10 00
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—	
Potatoes, per bag.....	75 75
POULTRY—	
Turkeys, per lb.....	16 18
Chickens, per lb.....	9 11
Fowl.....	8 10
Ducks.....	14 14
Geese.....	10 12
London.	
Wheat.....	\$ 95 to \$ 1 00
Oats, cwt.....	1 20 to 1 25
Butter.....	28 to 29
Eggs.....	21 to 22
Pork.....	12 00 to 12 60

and pennants and flags of Ireland, Canada and Home and Country decorated the walls. The program consisted of the following: a paper by Mrs. J. W. Early on Canadian Birds and their habits showed very careful preparation; an Irish reading by Miss P. Pearson was much appreciated; a duet was then given by the Misses Sullivan which showed they were singers of no mean ability; Mrs. J. J. Brady gave a paper on the Legends of St. Patrick, which was much enjoyed; then a trio was given by Miss Margaret Callaghan, Mrs. and Miss de Gex, which was well rendered; a fine paper on the Life of St. Patrick was then given by Mrs. J. Sullivan; solo by Miss Irene Eastabrook "What would Ireland be without the fairies" was witty and very nicely given; Mr. Wheatly very kindly favored the audience with a number of fine selections on the gramophone. A very dainty lunch was then served by the members. Even in it Saint Patrick and Ireland were not forgotten. After a social chat all dispersed for home feeling they had spent a pleasant afternoon.

The death occurred Thursday morning of an ex-reeve and one of Glencoe's oldest and most respected citizens, Donald Graham. Mr. Graham had pneumonia, which, with the weakness of old age, brought about the end. His wife predeceased him by about a week; they had lived together for 62 years.

About Wool

Long & Biaby, wholesale wool dealers, Hamilton, have sent out the following circular:

"All classes of wool now have free entry to the U. S. This will enable the unwashed wool to go there this season. We think it would be just as well for the farmers to shear their sheep without washing. The flocks are now so small and in many cases this washing was poorly done and caused trouble to both buyer and seller.

Formerly unwashed wool was bought all round and sold to the local manufacturer the same way. When shipping to the U. S. it will have to be graded same as the washed. That is cotted, black, burry and seedy fleeces called and bought as rejections."

According to G. G. Bramhill of the local Department of Agriculture the past winter was not a severe one on the fruit trees in the county. On a recent trip to the northern part of the county Mr. Bramhill examined a number of the peach orchards in the fruit belt and found that the trees were uninjured. He states that unless some unforeseen calamity happens the fruit crop in Lambton county will this year be a bumper one.

Simmons Bros., of Shiloh, report a good catch of fur bearing animals this season, viz:—21 Skunks, 21 Muskrats, 52 Weasels and 4 Coons.

Toronto, March 24.—The cattle trade continues very dull this week and although there was but a slight run offering the market was very slow, with prices inclined to weaken on medium and light butcher cattle. There were practically no choice butcher cattle in the market, outside of one or two picked steers.

Although trade is expected to be more active next week in preparation for the Easter trade one or two heavy runs would probably result in material breaks in prices, as the market is liable to be easily overloaded. Considerable quantities of hogs are coming in from Manitoba and the West, several thousand being due to arrive here this week. The local market was 15c lower to-day. A report from Winnipeg gave that market as 35c. lower.

Alberta also furnished a car of lambs for the local market to-day, in addition to a car received from Chicago. Receipts at the Union stockyards to-day were 57 cars, with 815 cattle, 158 calves, 1,481 hogs and 130 sheep and lambs.

To-day's quotations.

Butcher cattle, choice.....	7 80 to 8 00
do., medium.....	7 40 to 7 60
do., common.....	6 50 to 6 75
do., cows, choice.....	6 50 to 7 00
do., medium.....	5 75 to 6 25
do., common.....	4 50 to 5 00
do., bulls, choice.....	6 50 to 7 25
do., good bulls.....	5 50 to 7 50
do., rough bulls.....	4 00 to 4 50
Feeding steers.....	6 75 to 7 30
Shortkeep.....	7 40 to 7 75
Stockers, choice.....	6 50 to 7 35
do., medium.....	5 75 to 6 00
do., light.....	5 00 to 5 50
Canners and cutters.....	3 50 to 4 00
Milkers, choice, each.....	75 00 to 90 00
do., com. and med.....	35 00 to 45 00
do., springers each.....	60 00 to 75 00
Sheep, ewes, light.....	6 25 to 6 75
do., heavy.....	5 75 to 6 25
do., bucks.....	5 75 to 6 25
Spring lambs.....	9 50 to 9 75
Hogs, fed and watered.....	9 10 to 9 40
Hogs, f. o. b.....	8 75 to 8 75
do., off cars.....	9 35 to 9 35
Calves veal.....	5 00 to 11 00

East Buffalo, March 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 100; active and firm; prices unchanged. Veals—Receipts 75; active and steady; \$6 to \$11. Hogs—Receipts, 2,500; active and steady to 5c up; heavy, mixed, yorkers and pigs, \$9.30 to \$9.35; roughs, \$8.35 to \$8.50; stags, \$7 to \$7.75; dairies \$9.25 to \$9.35. Sheep—steady; yearlings 15c up; lambs, \$5.50 to \$5.40; yearlings \$5.50 to \$7.40; receipts, 2,000.

KERWOOD.

Mrs. V. Kincade is quite ill at present. Mr. S. P. Morgan, who is very ill, was taken to Strathroy hospital.

We are pleased to hear that Mr. J. Trotter, who was quite ill is improving.

Mr. Geo. and Miss Dora Freer spent a couple of days in Enniskillen last week.

Mr. Ed de Gex lost a very valuable cow this week, one he had refused the sum of \$450 for.

The social evening held at the home of Mr. J. J. Early proved a success, every one reporting a good time.

The people of Kerwood were deeply moved on hearing of the sudden death of Mr. Richard Fisher, who at one time had been employed here in the bank.

On Monday evening, March 16th, the Sixth Line Euchre Club held an oyster supper at Mr. Harry Eastabrook's. After ample justice was done in oysters and all the good things provided by the ladies, the evening was spent in cards, music and dancing. At a suitable time a presentation was made Mr. T. Wyatt as a token of appreciation of the Club for the music he has so kindly and willingly supplied during the winter.

Mr. Wyatt replied in a few words, thanking the club for their thoughtfulness. The evening was reluctantly brought to a close by singing, "We're all jolly good fellows" and the National Anthem, everyone feeling that a most enjoyable time had been spent during the last few months.

The Irish Tea held by the Woman's Institute was a great success. The hall was prettily festooned in white and green and many plants of blooming shamrock were tastefully arranged throughout the room. Many banners

ARKONA

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hidelbrandt, of Capac, Mich., are visiting at Mr. N. C. Eastman's.

Mrs. A. Oakes spent last week with friends in Sarnia and Port Huron.

Mr. Fred Jackson is attending Grand Jury in Sarnia this week.

We are having a shipment of ladies' spring coats from one of the best Toronto houses sent to us on approval and will be open for your inspection next Friday and Saturday.—Brown Bros.

Mrs. Alex. Thoman spent a few days with friends in Strathroy.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stoner left on Saturday to attend the funeral of Dr. Cornell, in Saginaw, Mich.

Select your rugs now. We are having a large assortment sent this week on approval and will open for your inspection Friday and Saturday. We will guarantee values better than city stores are going. Call and see the assortment whether you buy or not.—Brown Bros.

The Misses V. and M. Bryson and Dina Dodds, of Watford, visited at Mr. Robt. Riggs last week.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist Church will give a sugar social in the Sunday School room of the church on Good Friday evening at 8 p.m. Come and enjoy a social evening.

An enthusiastic meeting in connection with hydro-electric and radial projects was held here Wednesday evening of last week. Mayor Graham, of London; Mayor Pettipiece, of Forest, and H. J. Fowler, of London, were the speakers and outlined the benefits the proposed lines would be in developing Western Ontario. A multitude of questions were asked, which shows the keen interest the people are taking in the matter. C. A. Ready, vice-president of the board of trade, presided. A splendid address was given also by Dr. Copeland, president of the local board of trade, in which he spoke of the isolated position of the splendid Arkona district and the urgent

need of better transportation facilities if Arkona is to ever take the place which is rightfully hers. Reeve Joseph James, the councillors, Thomas Langan, Fred Jackson, Reuben Wilson, William Evans, Dr. Copeland and J. Dickinson, were selected to go to Ottawa with the Western Ontario delegation on March 26.

Rev. Mr. Reid of Theford, will occupy the pulpit in the Methodist church next Sunday, morning and evening.

Fuller Bros., wish to announce their millinery opening for next Saturday, March 28th. We have a beautiful showing of all the latest styles and shapes.

Mr. Fred Nelson made a business trip to Toronto last week.

Messrs. John Fuller, J. F. Dickson, C. J. Ready, Dr. Copeland and J. Brown with a number of the village council are forming a part of the deputation to Ottawa, to petition the Dominion Government in the interest of the Hydro Radial, that the usual grant of \$6400 for steam roads be given to aid in the construction of Hydro Radial lines.

Mr. Norman Stoner attended the funeral of the late Dan. Cornell in Saginaw, on Monday last.

Mr. Fred Nelson made a business trip to London, last week.

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