

ELECTION CARDS

Electors of Brooke

Your Vote and Influence Solicited for
DONALD L. FISHER
As COUNCILLOR for 1917

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Your Vote and Influence Solicited for
W. J. BOURNE
As REEVE for 1917. Good Roads Policy.

Electors of Brooke

Having served for 3 years I am now in a better position than ever to serve your interests so hereby solicit your vote and influence for DEPUTY REEVE.

D. N. CAMPBELL

ELECTORS OF BROOKE

Your Vote and Influence Solicited for
D. L. FISHER
As COUNCILLOR for 1917.

Electors of Warwick

Having served you for two years as Councillor and three as Deputy-Reeve I now solicit your support for the office of REEVE for 1917.

ARTHUR HOBBS

Electors of Warwick

Your Vote and Influence respectfully solicited for
WALTER PERCEY
As COUNCILLOR for 1917.

ELECTORS OF WARWICK

Your Vote and Influence Solicited for
ADAM HIGGINS
As COUNCILLOR for 1916.

ELECTORS OF WARWICK

Having served two years in office I am in a better position than ever to look after your interests, and solicit your support as COUNCILLOR for 1917.

WM. E. PARKER

Guide-Advocate

HAR IS & CO. PROPRIETORS.
WATFORD, DECEMBER 29, 1916

Teaching Soldiers' Wives

Aside from looking after the immediate financial wants of the dependents of Canadian soldiers, the officers of the Canadian Patriotic Fund have, where practicable, widened the scope of its energies so as to embrace the moral and social welfare of those whom the exigencies of war have thrown into their keeping. In hundreds of cases soldiers will return from the war to better wives and to better homes. The Fund workers are grappling at the very roots of the social problem when they disregard the effect and at once seek the cause. A purified home is not an atmosphere for degradation and crime. The Canadian Patriotic organization aims to lift its charges not only above want while their husbands are battling for our freedom across the seas, but with a far-sighted vision of the future is enhancing the home environments of wives and children so that in the years that are to follow this exhausting struggle the present youth of the nation will become an asset to the State.

In thousands of homes throughout Canada women are being taught domestic science, the care of the children, buying and the keeping of house accounts. Charity is not bestowed on these dependents. They are simply given an opportunity to become better citizens, the effect of which, while obscure for the moment, will yield rich results in generations to follow.

When the Patriotic Fund is supported by those of us who cannot fight we are helping ourselves, not only the recipients.

NOTE AND COMMENT

Japan is profiting immensely by the war. One of her markets is India, to which she is sending many supplies that were formerly imported from Germany. The whole country, according to the Japanese Ambassador at Rome, is practically one immense war-factory, and very many thousands of Japanese, both men and women are assisting in the production of munitions of war. These are being sent to the Russian front as rapidly as possible.

New Year's is a grand, an inspiring occasion, for it is always saturated with hope. We are wont to scoff at and deride it as a day when men make good resolutions only to break them; when they turn over new leaves, as it is called, they merely turn them back again. They want, they hope to be better, and but few of them are so. They determine to advance, and if they do advance they slip back. Their failures are many, are continuous, and often excite laughter. But it is worthier to determine and decline, to hope and be disappointed, than not to determine or hope at all.

WARWICK.

Miss Lilian Blain, nurse in training, Detroit, Mich., spent Christmas with her parents here.

Mrs. Kenny, Alvinston, spent Christmas at the home of her brother Mr. Albert J. Blain.

Mr. Harold D. Leach, a student at the Faculty of Education, Toronto, is spending his Xmas holidays at his home on the 6th line West.

Mr. Geo. Marshall, of Biggar, Sask., is visiting his brother, William, 2nd line. It is about 14 years since Mr. Marshall left Warwick for the West.

In Zion Methodist Church, 2nd line east on Sunday next at 2.30, an appropriate service will be held for the closing Sunday of 1916. The minister, Rev. F. G. Robinson, will preach.

Mrs. John Watson, Main road, passed away on Tuesday last after a short illness in her 56th year. She leaves to mourn her loss her husband and two boys. The funeral took place on Thursday to the West Adelaide cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Collier and sons Bruce and Allan, Miss Jessie Caswell, Toronto, Miss Lottie Astell and Miss Hilda Spittlehouse spent their Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Collier, 2nd line Warwick.

One of the best Sunday School entertainments ever held in the Zion Methodist Church, 2nd line east, took place on Tuesday evening of last week. An old time tea was served, after which a select program was given by the scholars and others. Mr. McCleish of Adelaide gave several solos in fine style. Rev. F. G. Robinson occupied the chair. The church was well filled, and all enjoyed the evening.

The funeral was held Thursday from the family residence, Warwick, of Margaret Fisher, wife of Daniel Brodie. Mrs. Brodie died in St. Joseph Hospital London, last Saturday, and the remains were taken to Forest on Sunday. Deceased was in her 57th year, and besides her husband is survived by her father, John Fisher, of Forest, one sister, Mrs. George Brodie, of Warwick and three brothers, Frank, of Fleming, Sask.; John of Vancouver, and Arch., of Lethbridge.

BROOKE

George Kingston returned from the West last Sunday.

Miss Kathleen Kingston, Mt. Bridges is home for the holidays.

Miss May Hair, Saskatoon, is spending a month's vacation at her home.

Russel Woods, of Ann Arbor University Mich., is home for his Xmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. McNeil, of Orillia, are spending Christmas at R. D. Watson's 12th line, Brooke.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Taylor, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. R. Lucas, of Sutorville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller and son, are visiting at Richard Phair's, Grindstone City, Michigan.

Mrs. Ensley Goudie, of Saskatchewan, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Eli Taylor, 12th line.

Mr. Richard Twamly, of Ashfield, is visiting his cousins Eli Taylor, of Brooke and Robt. of Watford.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard C. Price, of Toledo, spent Christmas with Mrs. Price's relatives here.

Hazel Bowie is spending her Xmas holiday with her aunt Mrs. Duncan McIntyre, of Bad Axe, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bryson and little daughter Harriet Marjorie, Mr. and Mrs. John Clubb, of Petrolia, spent Xmas at Thomas Roane's.

Mr. and Mrs. William Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin and family of London, Ont., and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Willar, Warwick, spent Xmas at the home of Mrs. Joseph Campbell, 12th line, Brooke.

The Ladies Aid of St. Andrews Presbyterian Church gathered at the home of Mrs. D. Moore on Dec. 6, when new officers were elected for the coming year. President—Mrs. Brander; Vice-President—Mrs. Robt. Henderson; Secretary—Mrs. Wm Taylor; Treasurer—Mrs. Rich McMurray. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Robt. Henderson, Wednesday Dec. 28th.

NEW YEAR'S GREETINGS, 1917

END OF THE YEAR

SALE OF LADIES' COATS

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MARKETS

GRAIN AND SEEDS—
Wheat, fall, per bush. \$1.50 @ \$1.50
Oats, per bush. 55 65
Barley, per bush. 40 50
Beans, per bush. 4.00 6.00
Timothy. 3.00 3.50
Clover Seed. 9.00 10.00
Alsike. 8.00 9.00

PROVISIONS—
Butter, per pound. 35 40
Lard. 20 25
Eggs, per doz. 47 48
Pork, per cwt. 13.00 14.00
Flour, per cwt. 3.00 5.50
Brar, per ton. 32.00 33.00
Shorts, per ton. 36.00 36.00

MISCELLANEOUS—
Wood. 2.00 3.00
Tallow. 8 12
Hides. 14 18
Wool. 32 42
Hay, per ton. 8.00 9.00

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—
Potatoes, per bag. 1.75 2.25

POULTRY—
Turkeys, dressed. 22 22
Turkeys, per lb. 20 20
Chickens, per lb. 12 12
Fowl. 10 10
Ducks. 10 12
Geese. 10 13

London
Wheat. \$1.50 to \$1.50
Oats, cwt. 2.00 to 2.00
Butter. 38 to 43
Eggs. 44 to 48
Pork. 14.00 to 15.00

Toronto
To-day's quotations :
Choice heavy steers. 8.00 to \$250
Butcher steers, choice. 8.25 to 8.50
do., good. 7.75 to 8.00
do., medium. 6.75 to 7.00
do., common. 6.00 to 6.25
Heifers, good to choice. 7.00 to 7.25
do., medium. 6.25 to 6.75
Butcher cows, choice. 6.25 to 7.00
do., medium. 5.75 to 6.25
Butcher bulls, choice. 6.85 to 7.50
do., good. 6.50 to 6.60
do., medium. 5.00 to 5.50
Feeders. 6.50 to 6.75
do., bulls. 5.25 to 5.75
Stockers. 6.50 to 6.75
do., medium. 5.50 to 6.00
do., light. 5.00 to 5.75
Canners. 4.10 to 4.40
Cutters. 4.50 to 5.25
Sheep, light. 8.50 to 9.50
do., heavy. 7.50 to 8.50
Spring lambs. 10.75 to 12.00
Calves. 8.00 to 12.50
Hogs, fed and watered. 12.00 to do., weighed off cars 12.25 to do., f. o. b. 11.25 to 11.25

John Chapman, liveryman at Stratford, has gone out of business.

A Nissouri township school board refused to establish a continuation school in their section as required by law and resigned. The township council were also opposed to establishing the school and failed to fill the vacancies on the school board. A mandatory order to establish the school was then issued on the council by Mr. Justice Sutherland. This also was not obeyed, and a motion was made to commit the councillors, who then yielded to the court's order.

FOOTWEAR FOR ALL

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FOR GIRLS—A pair of Kozy Slippers, all colors; Nice Button or Lace Shoes, or Hockey Shoes.

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