

ARKONA

Miss Stella Wilson spent Wednesday in London.

Mr. and Mrs. John Norton, of Huntville, are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. E. L. Hilborn left on Tuesday for Montana.

Mr. Walter Cornell is spending a few days with his parents here before leaving for British Columbia.

Mrs. B. Keyser has returned to her home in Toronto.

Mr. Jos. Jaynes is visiting her daughter in Stratford.

Just arrived at Fuller Bros. shipment of Ladies' neckwear and belts.

Did you see the new lines in "Empress" shoes Fuller Bros. are showing?

Mr. Sylvester Smith who has spent the winter in Stratford returned to the Ark last week.

Another of Arkona's pioneers in the person of F. Menhennick passed away last Thursday morning. Remains were interred in Arkona cemetery on Saturday.

Rev. Hare is spending the week at his home in St. Catharines.

Mr. N. C. Eastman assumed his duties as postmaster last Monday.

Ladies knitted wool coats for cool evenings.—Brown Bros.

Mrs. E. L. Hilborn left on Monday for Montana where she will spend a few months with her daughter.

Miss Nellie Meadows of Watford spent Sunday at her home here.

Mr. Len Irwin is decorating Mr. C. Ready's drug store in Springfield this week.

Mr. Roland Ott and bride arrived home from Detroit last Wednesday.

Mr. Wm. Teeple and family left last week for Melbourne where he has purchased a milling business.

Lawn mowers, paints, oils and varnishes.—Brown Bros.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Institute will be held next Saturday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock at the home of Mr. W. A. Jackson. All members are requested to be present to elect officers for ensuing year.

ARKONA SCHOOL REPORT.

Class IV, Hygiene—O. Augustine, C. Thompson, B. Knisley, Lida Lucas, W. He Evans, I. Huntley, C. Jackson, Class III, Composition—G. Fuller 97, R. Edmunds 79, N. Knisley 70, B. Copeland 69, B. Baldwin 64, F. Thoman 63, E. Cooper 63, L. Gilbert 61, O. Huntley 60, L. Richter 60, P. Dowling 59, J. Meadows 59, E. Smith 59, G. Smith 58, O. Thoman 55, S. Cornell 54, L. Jackson 54, B. Butler 53, R. Smith 53, C. White 53, M. Cleland 50, M. Stevenson 44, A. Baldwin 41, Class II, Composition—F. Smith 62, B. Oakes 48, S. Smith 47, E. Thompson 40, B. Smith 22, The best spellers are as follows—Class IV.—B. Knisley, O. Augustine, equal, Class III.—F. Thoman, (G. Smith, L. Richter) equal, (G. Fuller, M. Cleland) equal, (O. Huntley, E. Smith) equal, (B. Baldwin, E. Cooper, L. Gilbert, M. Stevenson, J. Meadows, R. Edmunds) equal, Class II.—F. Smith.

Elliott—Marshall.

One of the prettiest house weddings of the season was solemnized at the home of Mr. John Marshall, 2nd Line North, Watford township, when his eldest daughter, Margaret, was united in marriage to Mr. Fred Elliott, of East Williams. The ceremony, which was performed by Rev. Arthur W. Hare, B.A., of Arkona, took place under a beautiful arch of greens and flowers. The bride, who was unattended, looked sweetly charming in a gown of cream delaine trimmed with liberty satin, pearls and steel and carried a bouquet of white carnations. Her travelling suit was of brown chispene, trimmed with brown satin, with uscan turban. The wedding march was played by Miss Melena Marshall. Many material evidences of useful and beautiful gifts testified to the high esteem in which the bride is held. After a very dainty supper the happy couple left for points east on a short tour. Mr. and Mrs. Elliott will reside at their beautiful home, Maplehurst Farm, on the townline East Williams. Among the guests were noticed: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Elliott, and the Misses Loretta and Bessie Elliott, Adelaide; Mr. and Mrs. Demery, Stratford; Mr. and

Mrs. Phippia, Thedford; Mr. and Mrs. Dowling, Mr. David and Miss Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Wally Hall, Mr. James Marshall, Mr. Will Marshall, Mr. Russel Muxlow, Mr. Orr and Mr. Robert Orr, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Hudson.

A GREAT REMEDY FOR LITTLE ONES.

That is what thousands of mothers say of Baby's Own Tablets. We have received thousands of letters praising them—we have yet to receive a single one condemning them. The Tablets cannot possibly do harm even to the newborn babe. They contain none of those poisonous drugs which make the so-called "soothing" mixtures so dangerous to the welfare of the little one. They are of the greatest specialists on childhood ailments and should be kept in every home where there are babies or small children. Mrs. Fred McCarthy, Pinewood, Ont., writes—"I have used Baby's Own Tablets and have found them a great remedy for little ones. I would not be without them." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

SCHOOL REPORTS.

Report of S. S. No. 8 for the month of April:—IV, Class—Lydia Pressey, Chester Thornicroft, Florence Ridley, III, Class—Reta Eastman, Esther Smith, Marion Benedict, Myrtle Eastman, Gertrude Ross, Dorothy Thornicroft, Leo Martin, Marie Thompson, II, Class—Clifford Eastman, Willie Boyd, Pt. I.—Bertha Ross, (Francis Crawford, Fern Ross, Greta Muma) equal, Beatrice Thompson, Angelina Percy, Shirley Benedict, Mildred Benedict, Class I.—Joe Percy, Joe Dunlop, Irene Eastman, Winnifred Eastman.—L. M. CAMERON, Teacher.

WATFORD COUNCIL.

Watford, May 1st, 1911. Regular meeting of council. Members present:—Stapleford, Brown, Williams, Willoughby and Graham. Minutes as read confirmed. Graham—Willoughby, that committee, Reeve, Brown and Clerk, re street paving, continue their investigation, and if deemed by them necessary to visit some of the places where crushed stone is used to satisfy themselves in respect to same and report.—Carried.

Willoughby—Graham, that Mr. Chambers install at once light leading to Grand Trunk Railway Station at bridge, and council offer reward of \$100.00 for evidence of anybody found destroying corporation lights or other village property. —Carried.

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Finance committee examined accounts and recommended payment.

John Stanton, burying cat..... \$ 25
W. J. Howden, salary assessor and postage..... 46 00
Bell Telephone Co., conversation..... 25
John Stanger, watching fire at Congregational church..... 1 00
Treas. Board of Education, current use..... 225 00
Jas. Phair, cover on tank..... 50
Wm. Doan, labor on Willoughby Div..... 50
T. Malone, shovelling snow on Hillis property..... 2 00
Andrew Gears, grading streets..... 12 00
Wm. Williamson, draying acct..... 40
Geo. Chambers, electric light to date..... 42 50
Mat. Boyle, clearing crossings..... 4 50

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Willoughby—Graham, that we adjourn.—Carried.

W. S. FULLER, Clerk.

Death of Mrs. (Dr.) Monkman.

The Vegreville, Alta., Observer of April 26th records the death of Margaret Bruce, wife of Dr. Herbert S. Monkman of that place, which occurred on April 20th.

"The late Mrs. Monkman was in her 28th year, having been born in Battleford, Sask., on April 12th, 1884, the first white child to be born in the historic old town. In 1885 the family removed from Battleford to Carman, Man., where they resided for 20 years, removing then to Wetaskiwin for three years and then to Vegreville, where they have since resided. On Jan. 10th, 1910, she was united in marriage to Dr. H. S. Monkman of Vegreville, and they took up their residence on First Ave. West. For some time her health had been poor, and the decline was so rapid that as a forlorn hope an operation was decided upon. The operation revealed a more serious condition than had been expected and in her weakened physical condition she was unable to recover. The operation was performed on Wednesday last, and she expired on the following afternoon.

A funeral service under charge of the members of St. John's Lodge, A.F. & A.M. was conducted at the residence on Saturday evening, and the remains were conveyed to the C. N. R. station, whence, accompanied by her husband, her sister, Miss Alice Bruce, and Dr. W. F. Monkman, they were taken to her former home at Carman for interment.

Arithmetic and Composition—Lulu Taylor 98, Bessie Tompkins 90, Nina Gough 88, Alfred Smith 70, Louis Carroll 45, Sadie Bowie 39, Richard Harrison 37, Jr.—Winlow Beer, Malcolm Toohill, Pt. I.—Russell Lightfoot, Ida Graham, Gordon Lightfoot, Anna Bell Graham.—L. KADEY, Teacher.

Report for S. S. No. 10, Warwick, for the month of April. Class IV. Total marks 330.—Lola Ross 65, George Parker 200, Class III. Marks 145.—(Freida Wiley, Verna McGillicuddy) equal, 112, Birdie Conkey 108, Margaret Ross 100, Kathleen McGillicuddy 95, Part II. Marks 120.—Linda McIntosh 94, Harold Cates 82, Russell Parker 60, Basil Watson 30 (present only three days). Jr. Pt. II.—Arthur Minielly 84.—ROSA M. BROWN, Teacher.

Report for S. S. No. 5, Brooke, for April. Names in order of merit. No. of school days 14. Class IV.—Nina Kelly 12, Stanley Higgins 11, James Steadman 9, Class III.—Stella Higgins 13, Alfred Bullough 14, Romelda Clark 8, Gordon Sutton 13, Calvin Annett 2, Class II.—Bertha Whitehead 14, (Bert Sutton 14, Katie McLachlan 10 equal, Archie Campbell 7, Class I, Sr.—Margaret Watson 14, Leonard Annett 14, Clifford Higgins 10.—G. M. BURTON, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 2 and 7, Brooke and Warwick. Number of marks out of 100. Sr. IV. Class.—Alfreda Mitchell 64, Alice Leacock 49, Gertrude Kelly 36, Alvin King (absent). Jr. IV. Class.—Verna Acton 87, Frank Wiley (absent). III. Class.—Clayton King 58, Gretta Richardson 45, Pt. II.—Kenton Mitchell 96, Clare Richardson 96. Number of marks out of 200.—I. Class, Sr.—Lily Leacock 162, Gordon Richardson 150, Rosina Acton 128. I. Class, Jr.—Harold Law 167, Harold King 155.—ORA SQUIRE, Teacher.

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THE STERLING BANK OF CANADA

CONSERVATIVE MANAGEMENT

has been the policy of this Bank since its organization. The following comparative figures speak for themselves:

Growth of Assets.		Growth of Assets Over Liabilities.	
December 31, 1906	\$2,962,712.83	April 30, 1907	\$ 973,082.50
" 31, 1907	4,156,984.44	" 30, 1908	1,031,334.11
" 31, 1908	5,999,118.10	" 30, 1909	1,083,943.55
" 31, 1909	6,708,547.94	" 30, 1910	1,255,109.73
" 31, 1910	7,373,323.47		

Year Ending	Profits	Per Centage Earned on Capital
April 30, 1907	\$27,206.17	3.51
" 30, 1908	50,091.47	6.22
" 30, 1909	64,146.12	7.73
" 30, 1910	92,332.04	10.02

WATFORD BRANCH - W. A. WYKESMITH, Manager.

THE MERCHANTS' BANK OF CANADA

President: W. H. MONTAGU ALLEN
Vice-President: JONATHAN HODGSON, Esq.
General Manager: E. F. HERRON

Paid-up Capital Reserve Fund and Undivided Profits \$10,999,297

Assets 71,600,058

125 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.

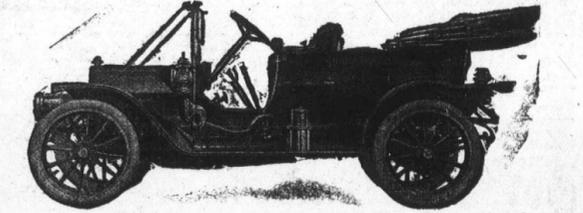
Watford Branch - F. KENWARD, Manager

Petrolea Garage

The Reo 4 Cylinder 30 Horse Power

Five Passenger Touring Car.....\$1500
Four Passenger Roadster Car..... 1500
Two Passenger Runabout Car..... 1400

Top and Wind Shield Extra



The Ford 4 Cylinder 20 Horse Power

Five Passenger Touring Car complete...\$975
Four Passenger Roadster Car complete... 975
Two Passenger Runabout, Fore Door... 900
Two Passenger, Open Body..... 875

The Overland

22 Four Cylinder Models to choose from, 20 to 40 horse power, ranging in price from \$1025 to \$2250

Top and Wind Shield Extra

AUTO LIVERY

IN CONNECTION

Gasoline, Oils and Accessories

Chas. Kemp, PROPRIETOR.

Main St., West PETROLEA

The firm has secured a first class repair man, Mr R. G. Hodgson, who has had several years' experience with first class manufacturers.

This Season We Bought Our

Wall Paper

from a new factory. We were appointed agents for the

Reg. N. Boxer Co.

who have just recently opened a Canadian Factory.

Their Designs Had to be All Made New

so all our patterns are right up-to-date.

Their Prices are Lower

than those of the older manufacturers and as the patterns are strictly new, we feel sure you will be wise to see these samples before you paper. Eggs taken in exchange.

TAYLORS'

WHERE QUALITY AND VALUE MEET