First Showing of New Fall Goods !

Especially Featuring Lines in Demand for School Opening

AN ALL WOOL TWEED AT 75c—
This line is made from a splendid quality of all wool yarn and comes 42 inches wide. Particularly good for School Dresses. A good variety of patterns from which to choose. Per yard..... **75c**

NEW ALL WOOL FLANNELS—
All the new shades are here in 32 and 54 inch widths, in plain and fancy weaves. Ranges at.... **95c, $1.19, $1.50, $1.75** offer a wonderful variety of shade and pattern and a value that we feel cannot be equalled.

FIRST SHOWING of NEW FALL COATS
Not too early to be thinking about the New Fall Coats. The chilly evenings and the approaching Fairs demand them. See the wonderful new shades and styles. The abundant trimmings of rich furs and the beauty of the new colorings make them almost irresistible. No two alike and the prices are lower here.

ADMIRAL MIDDIES in Wool and Cotton
Always popular for School Girls. The Admiral Middy is favorably known for its style and splendid fitting qualities. All styles and shades in Cotton Middy Cloths and All Wool Flannels at..... **95c to $3.50**

NEW FLANNEL DRESSES FOR FALL—
The Better Class Flannel Dress will be much in vogue this Fall. We are showing a splendid range in the popular two-tone effects from the finest quality French Flannels.
The prices range from..... **$9.50 to $15**
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ABERLEY ALL WOOL JERSEYS
BOYS—Boys like these All Wool fitting Jerseys. In plain or comb colors. High or Roll Collars.
$1.65, $1.75, $2.00 and

"The Store With the Stock" **A. BROWN & CO.**

TOWN GIRLS CAN PLAY BALL

Country Lasses Stronger on the Rope

The Watford high school girls' softball team journeyed out into the township of Brooke and won a fast exhibition game with the Twelfth line girls by a 29-8 score.

B. Durstan, for Watford, starred with three home runs. D. Fowler, R. Stephenson, O. Lovell and M. Stephenson each scored four runs for Watford, while every member of the team scored at least once. E. Watson, R. Atcheson and M. McLean were the best for the Twelfth line.

Following the game, a tug-of-war between the teams resulted in a victory for the Twelfth line in two straight pulls.

The teams:

Watford: D. Fowler, B. Durston, A. Lovell, R. Stephenson, O. Lovell, M. Stephenson, E. McIntosh, R. Stapleford, D. Delmage.

Twelfth Line: E. Watson, M. McLean, P. Willer, R. Atcheson, Mary Reed, A. Hair, C. McLean, M. Watson, Mae Reed.

FAREWELL TO MRS. MOODY

A number of her old friends and members in Erie st. United church gathered at the home of Mrs. A. J. Hagle, Front st., on Monday evening to say farewell to Mrs. Moody, who is leaving Watford this week and in future will make her home with her daughter, Mrs. O'Donnell, in Waterloo. The following address tends to express the very high esteem in which Mrs. Moody is held, not only by her own church members, but by every citizen who knew her.

Watford, Ont., Aug. 17, 1925

Dear Mrs. Moody:—

"We, your friends, have met here tonight to spend a social hour with you before you leave your home town.

It is with mingled feelings we are gathered together, for while we know and are glad that your life in the city to which you are going will be fuller and richer in many ways than life in a village can be, yet, we are sorry for our own sakes that you are going, because we shall miss your kindly face and willing services among us. You have always taken your part in every church activity and it will be hard, yes, impossible, to fill your place among us.

Your friends here will miss you much more than words can express and our only hope is that you will often revisit your native haunts where the glad hand of welcome will always be outstretched.

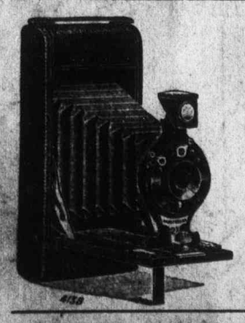
Although we realize it is quite inadequate, we ask you to accept this pen as a very slight token of our love and esteem.

(Signed)
Mrs. A. J. Hagle,
Mrs. S. J. Harper,
Mrs. Mary Thompson.

All nine Provinces will be represented in the women's section of the Canadian National Exhibition. The Model Farm Kitchen will be repeated and several new features added.

"Overnight" Club Bags

Just what you need for a week end trip, neatly made and attractive and suitable for shopping bags also. Only **$1.75**



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Come in and look over our stock of Cameras and Kodaks, from

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Why Not Get Snaps of Your Summer Visitors ?

Kodak Film
Remember the film in the Yellow Box (Eastman's) they are dependable.
We have the different sizes for you.

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Best quality nickle top, with ring. A bargain at..... **25c**
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J. W. McLAREN
Everything in Vacation Needs
Drugs - THE REXALL STORE - Stationery

ARKONA-WATFO TEAMS TIE

Return Game in W Wednesday

The men of the Ar Clubs tied Wallacburg courts on Monday afte first round of the Wes Tennis League series.

The results were as follows: Men's singles—Conno, Arkona, beat Ayres, Wallaceburg, 2-6, 12-10, 3-0; Dr. Boles, Arkona, beat W. R. Martin, Wallaceburg, 6-1, 6-2; D. C. Martin, Wallaceburg, beat Kinnell, Arkona, 6-1, 6-1; A. M. Lebel, Wallaceburg, beat Brown, Arkona, 2-6, 10-8, 6-4.

Men's doubles—Connolly and Boles Arkona, beat W.B. Martin and Ayres Wallaceburg, 4-6, 7-6, 6-4; D. Martin and A. M. Lebel, Wallaceburg, beat Brown and Woods, Arkona, 8-6, 6 2.

The return game was played in Wallaceburg on Wednesday.

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

The regular monthly meeting of the Public Utilities Commission was held in the basement of the Public Library on Tuesday evening, Aug. 18th.

Present: W. G. Connolly, chairman; and commissioners J. R. McCormick and John T. Kersey.

Minutes of july meeting were read and on motion approved as read.

The following accounts were presented and on motion of John T. Kersey seconded by J. R. McCormick ordered to be paid:

Waterworks:

Imperial Oil Co. 50 gal. gas.	$13.25
S. Janes, freight and cartage..	9.30
Empire Brass Mfg. Co.	1598.58
Hydro:	
Can.Gen. Electirc Co, supplies	$68.15
S. Janes, labor, freight and cartage	3.60
W. G. Connolly, expense to London re funeral of Sir Adam Beck	4.00
Exp. of Com. attending Hydro Conference July 22, Sarnia	7.50

An application from Mrs. Sarah A. White for water service was received and on motion of J. R. McCormick, and John T. Kersey was granted.

Moved by John T. Kersey, seconded by J. R. McCormick, that we have 10 of our 110V light meters forwarded to the Can. Gen. El. Co., to be changed into 220V meters for range service.

The Secretary was instructed to order the following: 10 water meters from the Neptune Meter Co., also 1000 lb. No. 14 w'p'f single braid wire for street service.

Meeting adjourned.

W. H. Shrapnell, Sec.

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WILLIAM H. ROACH EXPIRES SUDDENLY

Many old friends learned with sorrow the passing of W. H. Roach of Detroit, who was called to his reward very suddenly July 20th.

The late Mr. Roach was the son of J. C. Roach, and was born in Warwick, later moving with his parents to Watford.

When a young man he learned tin-

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Watford's oldes Mary Jane Staplef celebrated the one hu ersary of her birth at the family residence on Ontario street, surrounded by her children, grand children and great grandchildren.

Throughout the afternoon the lady centenarian held a reception on the front veranda, where she received congratulations and greetings from about one hundred and twenty-five friends and neighbors, each visitor partaking of afternoon tea and her birthday cake. She received many presents, including a purse of money and a shower of birthday cards from her many friends in Watford and outside points, and was honored by the municipal council of Watford with a beautiful bouquet of American Beauty roses, the presentation being made by the reeve, W. G. Connolly, B.A.

Mrs. Stapleford is enjoying good health and still insists on being allowed to do her share of the household work, and usually prepares her own breakfast each morning.

Watford is very proud of its oldest citizen, Mrs. Stapleford having resided here for over sixty years.

Mrs. Mary Jane Stapleford was born in Salt Fleet, Canada, August 18th, 1825. Her maiden name was Land. Her great uncle built the first log cabin in Hamilton and also the wharf.

She was married to Aaron Nelson, April 13th, 1844, in the township of Nelson. Six children were born to this union, two of which survive: Mr. Abner Nelson and Mrs. Sarah Wise. The eldest daughter Mrs. Van Sickel died April 34rd, 1925, in her eightieth year.

In 1852 she came to Brooke and resided here six years. From Brooke she moved to Port Huron, where Mr. Nelson died. She married John Stapleford in 1860. There were four children born to this union. Sie Stapleford was born in Port Huron 1860 and is now living in Aberdeen, Washington; Sanford, was born in Watford and has resided here since his birth; Homer of Yale and Mrs. F. C. Lowry, of Port Huron were also born in Watford.

Mrs. Stapleford had her photo taken some years ago with the five generations, the age of which amounted to 256 years, 7 months. The total of direct descendants number 126.

Night horse shows will again be held in the Coliseum of the Canadian National Exhibition. All live stock judging will be done in this immense building, the largest and most costly on any permanent fair ground in the world.

...the dominion cab... ...eral this afternoon. ...pecial train carried members of the provincial government who are to act as honorary pallbearers.

The body of Sir Adam Beck lay in state at St. Paul's Cathedral for four hours, Tuesday, London's outstanding son was later borne from the cathedral to a special train for Hamilton where burial was to take place.

Private Service

Only the immediate relatives and those domestically associated with Sir Adam attended the short private service at Headley at 9.15 o'clock. Those present included Mrs. Strathearn Hay, Sir Adam's only daughter and her husband; Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Beck, Dr. and Mrs. J. Francis Dickie, of Detroit; Mr. Horace Beck of Toronto; Miss Helen Beck, Mrs. Haberkon of Detroit; Miss L. Dickie and Miss Stella Venning, Sir Adam's private secretary. Servants and grooms of Headley were present. Bishop Williams conducted the service.

Public Service at Cathedral

Sir Adam Beck lay in state at the cathedral with a guard of honor of war veterans. Shortly before and during another service at the cathedral there was a cessation of business activity in the city. Mayor George A. Wenige Monday issued a proclamation requesting that merchants and manufacturers close their places of business between 12 and 2 o'clock.

Dean Norman L. Tucker, rector of St. Paul's had charge of the obsequies at the cathedral. Bishop Williams delivered the funeral oration.

Immediately following the services at St. Paul's at 12.45 o'clock the body was transferred to the Richmond street depot of the C.N.R.

ALVINSTON

A large number of friends of Miss Gertrude Brownlee met at the home of Miss Mildred Chalk on Friday evening and tendered her a shower of miscellaneous gifts prior to her marriage on Wednesday.

The farmers of the community staged a square dance at the pavilion on Friday evening. A large crowd attended and all report an excellent evening.

Miss Hessel McAlpine has resigned her position as local telephone operator and left for Detroit.

A large number from here attended the anniversary services held in Cameron church on Sunday.

Miss Lois Wall of Flint, Mich., is visiting her cousin, Mena Moffatt, Church ave.

Miss Jeanetta McTaggart of Grace Hospital, Detroit, is spending a few weeks at her home here.

Misses Effie, Jean, and Gladys McCallum, Helen Irving and Beatrice Bourne have returned home after spending the past two weeks at Bright's Grove.

Notice To Creditors

Notice is Hereby Given that all creditors and others having claims against th estate of **William Styles,** late of the Village of Watford in the County of Lambton, Gentleman, deceased, are to send in their claims with full particulars thereof, together with the nature of their security (if any) by mailing them to Messrs. Cowan, Cowan & Gray, Watford, Ontario, on or before the twenty-ninth day of September, A.D. 1925. and after the said date the Executrix will proceed to distribute the estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have received notice.

Cowan, Cowan & Gray,
Solicitors for the Executrix,
Jane Styles.

Dated this Eighth day of August, A. D., 1925. a14-3t

Ailsa Craig Council will purchase a new fire truck at a cost of $4,200.