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CHRISTMAS

Christmas is but two weeks ahead. It will be a different Christmas in many respects from any that has hitherto been experienced in Canada. Some of us have learned to suffer in behalf of our country, not directly but vicariously, in the death of those who belonged to our families. The spirit of kindness has been called out in us by our gifts already in most cases sent to friends on the fighting line. This is one of the compensations for the suffering of war. We learn to think of others because of the common sentiment and experience that binds us. There is still opportunity for showing kindness at home. There are many who are not as well situated in regard to Christmas comfort as we are. Let us think of them in our future planning as well as those whose closeness of kin usually suggests as the recipients of such gifts. Perhaps a better way of observing Christmas in one respect would be as Hon. Walter Runciman has suggested, denying ourselves in the matter of feasting. It does not seem appropriate that we should give way to the same extent in this matter as we would under ordinary circumstances.

A Promising Campaign

The Xmas Seal Campaign of the National Sanitarium Association, now in full swing promises to be a greater success than ever before. Already thousands of Seals have been sold, and a large number of repeat orders are being received.

Buying these little Seals is such an easy way to help. They may be had in any quantity from one up. Every Seal sold aids in the maintenance of needy consumptives. Surely you can spare a few cents for this great cause.

Mrs. Hare, 10th line Bosanquet, received a shower of 40 post cards on her 97th birthday last week.

The annual show of the Ontario Corn Growers' Association will be held in Kingsville in February.

WANT COLUMN.

FOUND—a sum of money, on Main Road East.—WM. E. PARKER, R. R. 8. BRONZE TURKEYS for sale, gobblers and hens. Apply to CHAS. E. TANNER, R. R. 2, Petrolia, Ont. 3t

FARM FOR SALE—50 acres, S. E. ¼, con. 3, 12th sideroad. Apply MRS. A. WELSH on the place. 2t

FOR SALE—1 Holstein Cow, coming three years old in spring, milking 4 months, \$65.00, or will exchange for Ayrshire coming in soon. WM. A. BUTLER, R. R. 1, Arkona. 2t

WORN OUT HORSES and fallen animals of any kind bought.—LETT BROS., fur ranchers, lot 18, con. 13, Brooke; Rural phone 4821. Watford P. O. Phone messages at our expense. 1t

PRIVATE money to loan on farm property at 5 per cent and upwards. Several dwelling house properties in Watford and a few farms in this vicinity for sale, and also a fine improved 30 acre farm near Petrolia and Wyoming, will be sold at a bargain to a quick purchaser. Apply to W. E. FITZGERALD, Barrister &c., Watford, Ont.

Glencoe residents are anxious to get natural gas from the Southern Ontario Gas Co.

All pupils attending the Sarnia public schools must be vaccinated before the new year.

The T. Kenny Co. of Sarnia have opened a branch of their wholesale grocery in Chatham.

A Bothwell man has had two buggies stolen from him. Good job they were not cutters, with the winter just commencing.

Archie Pedden, a farmer of Adelaide, lost his horse and had a wheel torn off his buggy, the result of a collision with an automobile.

The jokes who charivariated Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Tracey, of West Zorra, paid into court \$100 for the benefit of the victims of the jokes.

Philip E. James, of Hibbert township, farmer, died as the result of injuries when his hand and arm were drawn into the cogs of a grain crusher.

Strathroy will send only one representative to the county council next year. Owing to a slight decrease in the number of municipal voters on the list.

David J. Dyson, who was born near Sarnia, has good prospects of becoming the next Mayor of Winnipeg. Lambton men get whatever they go after.

G. S. Pitkin has resigned from the Petrolia Water Commission on account of his removal to London. He has served on the Commission for nine years.

The Petrolia council would like the quarantine on scarlet fever cases more rigorously enforced, and have notified the board of health to that effect.

Wyoming is troubled with house-breakers and petty thieves, and the local paper says the village is in need of a magistrate who will not hesitate to punish wrong doing.

Suggestions for Christmas

FOR MEN—A pair of House Felt Slippers, a pair of House Leather Slippers, a pair of Overshoes or Rubbers.

FOR LADIES—A pair of Kozy Slippers, all colors, Felt Shoes or High Top Shoes, new, see them.

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

FOR BOYS—A pair of Hockey Shoes, Felt Slippers, or Nice Fine Shoes.

FOR YOUR FRIENDS—A Nice piece of Hand Painted China or Souvenir of Watford.

COMPARE OUR PRICES ON THE ABOVE
EVERYTHING VERY REASONABLE

WATFORD'S BUSY STORE—

P. DODDS & SON



HOLIDAY SUGGESTIONS

ARE YOU READY FOR CHRISTMAS

Time is on the wing. Best Policy Now, Shop Early.

Special Christmas Coats for Ladies and Misses. Nifty styles from New York every week. All the new kinks.—Swift's.

A Silk Dress Length in all the New Shades, black and cream, 36 inches wide, prices \$1.25 to \$1.85—Swift's.

Special Lines in Gent's Furnishings—Shirts, Collars, Ties, Scarfs, Mufflers, Braces, Sox, Garters, Gloves, Mitts, Night Shirts. Nifty Styles.—Swift's.

Special for Our Soldier Boys—Ties, Handk's, Gloves, Sox, Puttees, Underwear. Bachelor's Buttons. Special Dollar Box.—Swift's

Specials for Wee Darlings from 2 to 8 mos. Silk Kimona and Robe to match, also Wool Crib Blankets, all new shadings in Cotton Crib Robes.—Swift's

Ladies New Collars every week, the latest styles from 25c to \$1.75. Special Children's Collars, cream and white 25c to 45c. New Camisoles \$1.00—Swift's

A Ladies' Tailored Suit, made in Watford, silk linings.

A Man's Suit or Overcoat, tailor made, special.

Store Full of Christmas Ideas and Suggestions

SWIFT SONS & CO.

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THE CHRISTMAS STORE

MARKETS				Toronto			
WATFORD				To-day's quotations:			
GRAIN AND SEEDS—				Choice heavy steers...			
Wheat, fall, per bush...	\$1 55	@	\$1 55	Butcher steers, choice...	8 50	to	9 00
Oats, per bush...	55		65	do., good...	8 00	to	8 25
Barley, per bush...	90		1 00	do., medium...	7 00	to	7 25
Beans, per bush...	4 00		6 00	do., common...	6 25	to	6 50
Timothy...	3 00		3 50	Heifers, good to choice...	7 00	to	7 25
Clover Seed...	9 00		10 00	do., medium...	6 25	to	6 75
Alsike...	8 00		9 00	Butcher cows, choice...	5 75	to	7 00
PROVISIONS—				do., medium...	6 85	to	7 40
Butter, per pound...	35		40	Butcher bulls, choice...	6 50	to	6 60
Lard...	24		25	do., good...	5 00	to	5 50
Eggs, per doz...	41		41	Feeders...	5 50	to	7 00
Pork...	13 00		14 00	do., bulls...	5 25	to	5 75
Flour, per cwt...	5 00		5 65	Stockers...	6 25	to	6 40
Brar, per ton...	32 00		33 00	do., medium...	5 50	to	6 00
Shorts, per ton...	36 00		36 00	do., light...	5 00	to	5 75
MISCELLANEOUS—				Canners...	4 10	to	4 40
Wood...	2 00		3 00				
Tallow...							
Hides...	14		16				
Wool...	32		42				
Hay, per ton...	8 00		9 00				
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—							
Potatoes, per bag...	1 75		2 25				
POULTRY—							
Turkeys, dressed...	28		28				
Turkeys, per lb...	24		24				
Chickens, per lb...	12		15				
Fowl...	10		13				
Ducks...	10		16				
Geese...	10		16				
London							
Wheat...	\$ 1 65	to	\$ 1 65				
Oats, cwt...	2 00	to	2 05				
Butter...	45	to	46				
Eggs...	44	to	46				
Pork...	14 00	to	14 50				