

Watford Guide-Advocate

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Local Happenings

Dr. W. G. Siddall called on old Watford friends on Thursday. The new Autumn Millinery is ready for your inspection. A. Brown & Co.

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Mr. Alexander Mavity of Vancouver is renewing old acquaintance in Watford. It is twenty years since he left here.

"Peter Pan" J. M. Barrie's immortal masterpiece, a big super-special production with a fine all star cast coming to the Lyceum, Wednesday, Sept. 23rd.

Rev. H. V. Workman, pastor of St. Andrew's United church, was the special preacher at the Harvest Home services in Sylvan church on Sunday.

Mr. W. C. Howden has accepted a position with the Canadian Oil Companies as salesman for Lambton Co., succeeding Mr. A. W. Demerling, who has been transferred to Waterloo County.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Rothwell of Toronto, motored up to spend the holiday with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Taylor.

Mr. J. E. Fowler, who has been building homes in Detroit again this summer, spent the weekend at his home here. He was accompanied by his nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Smith and little daughter, Marjorie.

The Erie St. United church will be open next Sunday at ten o'clock for Sunday school, 11 o'clock for public worship, and also at seven p.m. The Pastor will preach both morning and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Simons of Sarnia, and Mr. Cleland and Miss Cleland of St. Clair, Mich., called to see Mrs. Lowry on their return from the Fifteenth anniversary of the West Adelaide church on Sunday as that was their birth place.

Services in Pilgrim United Church, formerly Congregational, will be held at the usual hours 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., on Sunday when the pastor, Rev. T. DeCourcy Rayner, will preach at both services. You are cordially invited to each of the services. Sunday school at 10 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Carlyle, of Winnipeg, visited a few days last week with Mrs. Carlyle's brother, Mr. W. L. Miller. Mr. Carlyle has been a member of the editorial staff of the Winnipeg Free Press for several years.

Turnbull's guaranteed Underwear for every member of the family.—A. Brown & Co.

Donald McKecher was taken to a London hospital on Wednesday morning and an operation for appendicitis was immediately performed. The operation was highly successful and he is now recovering nicely.

A mass meeting in the interests of the Western Ontario Bible Society (Watford Branch) will be held in the Anglican church, Sunday evening, Sept. 13th, at the close of the public worship, commencing at 8.15 p.m. Rev. John Garbutt, Ont. Secretary, successor to the Rev. R. J. Bowen, will address the meeting. The public are cordially invited. An offering in the interests of the Society will be taken.

The regular meeting of Lambton's 149 I.O.O.F. was held at the home of Mrs. Pritchett on Tuesday, Sept. 8th, at three o'clock, with Mrs. R. H. Stapleford, regent, in the chair. The chapter intend holding a tea on Sept. 24th, at the home of Mrs. R. Brown.

After the business part of the meeting a social time was spent. Mrs. Brown gave an interesting reading after which the ladies took part in a flower contest. The hostess then served dainty refreshments and the meeting closed in the usual manner. Mrs. Urnie invited the Chapter to her home for the October meeting.

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Watford Council

Watford, Sept. 8, 1925 The regular meeting of council was held with Messrs. Connolly, Hollingsworth, Dour, Saunders and Hawn present.

Minutes of former meeting were read and no objection being offered Reeve confirmed same.

Hawn—Hollingsworth, That the Collector of Taxes be authorized to collect Poll tax in accordance with the Statutes.—Carried.

Finance Committee examined accounts and recommended payment. Treas. Hydro Com., light ac \$93.00 Treas. Bd. of Edu., H. S. 1100.00 Treas. Bd. of Edu., P. S. 600.00

Gordon Jamieson, cleaning streets and cutting weeds 12.40 W. G. Connolly, telephones 2.15 Jno. McKecher, ac. for tarvia 25.65 E. Clark, cutting weeds, Main street 3.00 Samuel Jones, draying acct. 14.20 P. Dodds & Son, glass and putty for Fire Hall 1.50 Robt. McNaughton, fill trench 1.25 Russel Hollingsworth, cutting weeds 1.80 Robt. Hollingsworth, labor dr 28.50 Andrew Harrower, labor dr 25.00 W. Scott, ringing bell, August 7.56 Fred McManus, gravel acct. 13.50 J. F. Elliot, salary \$15.00, pay Durstun for ringing bell \$1.00 16.00 Hollingsworth—Dour, That accounts be passed and Reeve grant his order.—Carried.

Dour—Saunders, That we adjourn until Monday, Sept. 21st, at eight p.m. for general business.

W. S. FULLER, Clerk.

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WARWICK

Warwick Village School Fair next Friday, Sept. 18th.

Mrs. Jay Kitchen and little daughter, Doris, of Port Dover, are spending a week with her mother, Mrs. Kadey, 4th line.

Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Tiffin and daughter, Frances, of Sarnia, and Miss Bessie Forster of Sombra spent the weekend at the home of W. E. Parke and attended the Diamond Jubilee at Zion United church.

The young people from the Calvary Baptist church held a social evening and a weiner roast at "Bonnie Doon."

Miss Elsie Minielly of Detroit, and Miss Ada Minielly of London accompanied by Mrs. D. H. McCallum and daughter, Audrey, were holiday visitors at John S. Minielly's.

Miss Amy V. Harper and her mother, Mrs. J. S. Minielly, are visiting Mrs. Jno. S. Minielly this week.

Mrs. George A. Baird entertained Knox M. S. at her home, 21 sideroad, on Thursday afternoon. There were nineteen present, thirteen members and six visitors. Mrs. Atkin, president, had charge of the devotional exercises and the roll call was responded to by verse of scripture which called for service. The afternoon was spent in sewing after which the hostess served tea and a social time was spent. The next meeting will be held Wednesday, Oct. 7th, at the home of Mrs. John Atkin, London road.

Special—New Perfection 3-burner Coal Oil Stoves, clearing out prices \$24.50.—J. R. McCormick.

The Third Annual Bryce and Lucas Reunion was held at the home of Robert Bryce, 14th con. of Brooke with a large crowd gathered from Warwick and Brooke with relatives from Detroit, and Flint, Mich.; Cleveland, Ohio; London, Ont., and Arkona. A good program of sports were run off with several games of ball and dancing in the evening. Next year's gathering will be held on Labor Day in Springbank Park.

Be sure and visit the bazaar under the auspices of Bethel Ladies' Aid, when at the Warwick Village School Fair on Friday, Sept. 18. Beautiful needle work in the form of wearing apparel of many kinds. Embroidered articles for divers purposes, home knit mitts and socks, etc., for sale there.

The August meeting of the Warwick Women's Institute was held in the Town Hall with thirteen present. The meeting was opened by singing the Institute Ode followed by all repeating the Lord's Prayer. It was decided that we send a box of fruit to the Sick Children's Hospital also five dollars to Navy League. Mrs. Franklin Auld gave two very interesting papers on "How to Preserve a Husband," and "Lydia's Day." The meeting closed by singing "The Maple Leaf." Next meeting to be held on the evening of Sept. 10th.

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EAST LAMBTON FARMERS' CONVENTION IN ALVINSTON

At a large and enthusiastic meeting held in Alvinston on Tuesday evening, Sept. 8th, the Federal political association of the Farmers' movement in East Lambton decided to again place a candidate in the field for the approaching Federal election. A convention will be held in the Agricultural Hall, Alvinston, on Monday afternoon, Sept. 21st, at two o'clock for the purpose of choosing a candidate to contest the riding.

The following orders were granted:

K. Jones, 2 sheep killed and worried by dogs \$ 35.00 Geo. Brodie, inspecting James' sheep 2.00 J. Sullivan, half cost of gravel paid R. Rivers, Warwick and Adelaide townline 3.75 Robt. Capes, repair bridge on t.l. south, 1/2 cost 88 W. Moffatt, timber for bridge t.l. south, half cost 1.25 T.S. Wiley, gravel furnished 29.50 Geo. Hawken, ditto 2.00 Thos. Chambers, ditto 13.35 Cecil Smith, work on townline north 3.50 Reg. Baxter, ditto 4.38 Ivan Fitzsimons, ditto 8.75 Sandy Watson, ditto 10.00 B. Bartlett, ditto 8.75 R. Campbell, ditto 12.50 Jas. Lett, gravel to bridge on 6 sideroad 15.00 H. K. Laird, gravel furnished 1.50 S. Birchall, ditto 3.00 John Taylor, gravel to bridge on 9 sideroad 15.00 Guide-Advocate, printing as per account 149.55 Armeo Iron Co, culvert furn. 125.50 F. Conkey, gravel furnished. 128.50 Corrugated Pipe Co, culverts furnished 61.10 Loftus McLean, gravel furn. 38.50 Kelly—Sessions, that the bylaw on the Iles drain be read the third time and finally passed.—Carried.

The council then adjourned to meet on Monday, 5th day of October at one o'clock for general business. N. Harbert, Clerk.

HARVEST TIME

Every season in country life has its peculiar beauty, even the bleak and severe austerity of winter. The spring time brings its beauty of fresh promise, summer adds its luxuriant high tide of life. But the first days of fall, the harvest time, is in many ways the most beautiful of all. It has its marvelous touches of color, and also a feeling of fruition and reward for human labor. What artist ever realized transferred to canvas the intense crimson of the tomato or the smiling gold of the orange? What artificial color could ever reproduce the cheerful beauty of an apple tree dotted with its rich red fruit? Who ever painted the golden tones of a heap of husked corn or of ripe pumpkins? But the beauty of harvest goes far deeper than its mere appeal to the eye. It carries a satisfaction to the human spirit. Life is full of disappointments, and people often feel they are constantly going from one series of buffets to another. One has the feeling that the universe is against him and forever defeating his efforts and plans. Harvest comes, bringing with it a goodly showing of the products of man's toil. You look over a ripened field of grain or a well-laden orchard, and it is hard to feel that the world is very wrong. You can't help seeing that in the long run earnest work is well rewarded, and that the fertile earth makes ample provision for all its children. So a trip through the country at harvest time, not merely feasts the eyes, but it reinvigorates one's faith in the essential justice of life. It is with a more hopeful spirit that the town dweller returns to his dusty streets and hard brick walls, after the inspiration of a trip through country scenes at harvest time.

FIFTEEN FEET OF CORN

Will Smith's entry in the tall corn contest was eliminated last week within an hour after publication when James Shea, Brooke-Warwick townline sent in a stalk which measures 15 feet 1 inch. Any more entries?

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In Warwick on Sunday, Aug. 30th, 1925 to Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Stewart (nee Ethel Clark), a son—Lloyd Charles.

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