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## LOCAL HAPPENINGS

**THE GUIDE-ADVOCATE** welcomes all items of interest for this column. Call phone 11, send by mail or drop item in GUIDE-ADVOCATE Letter Box.

**THE** agony is over. REGINA is here. See page eight.

**REGULAR** meeting of Council next Monday evening.

**THERE** were some big surprises when the vote was counted Monday night.

**YES**, friend, the people seem to have considerable confidence in Sir Adam and hydro-electric.

**DIRECT** import of toilet sets, sixty to choose from, \$2.50 to \$8.00.—THE HOWDEN EST.

**THE** members of the Orange Order will attend service in the Methodist church next Sunday afternoon.

**Now**, boys, let all hard feeling drop. Go to church Sunday and hear about peace on earth good will to men.

**THERE** will be morning service and a celebration of the holy communion in Trinity church next Sunday morning. Sermon for young people.

**DR. A. F. BROWN**, Osteopathic Physician, at Queen's Hotel, Strathroy, Mondays from 12.30 p. m. to 5.30 p. m. Watford by appointment.

**COME** and hear Rev. Armin O. Holzer Ph. B., the converted Hebrew, at the Presbyterian church, Watford, on Thursday and Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

**WHY** is it that the boy who requires corporal persuasion to get him to do chores at home will spend his playtime working for a neighbor and thank it lots of fun.

**ALL** aluminum goods marked down for the preserving season. Preserving kettles and saucapans in all sizes. See them.—THE N. B. HOWDEN EST.

**THERE** was a fair-sized congregation at the song service in the Methodist church on Sunday morning. The music rendered by Ven. Dean Davis, uncle of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Matthews attended the wedding.

**THE** following is the number that wrote at the Watford High School in connection with the Departmental Examinations:—Lower School Entrance to Normal 40; Middle School Entrance to Normal 16; Part I.—Entrance to Faculty 8; Part II.—Entrance to Faculty 6; Matriculation 7. The examinations closed on Tuesday June 30th.

**WASHING** machines \$4.50 to \$9.00; wringers \$3.00 to \$4.50; carpet sweepers \$2.50 to \$10.00; O-Cedar mops \$1.50; all housework helps at HOWDEN'S.

**CARINEN**, a town in Oklahoma, has a "Take Back What You've Borrowed Day." Every article subject to the unwritten law of neighborly courtesy which had been borrowed and its return neglected during the year, was restored to its rightful owner. What a fine thing it would be if we had such a day in Watford. There is need of one in some neighborhoods.

**THE** Watford and Zion Congregational churches have refused to accept the Rev. Mr. Stevenson's resignation. At a meeting last Sunday both congregations by a unanimous vote requested him to remain with them as their pastor, on consideration of an increase of salary. Mr. Stevenson's decision is not yet known.—J. J. SPACKMAN.

**THE** regular meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. T. Dodds on Wednesday evening July 8th. The young people will take charge of the meeting. Roll call will be answered by a patriotic quotation. The members are also requested to bring another friend with them. Visitors always welcome.—SAC.

**NEWSPAPER** publishers have received notice from the Postmaster general that postage on newspapers mailed from the office of publication will be charged at the rate of one cent per copy. If this order is enforced it will mean ruin to many publishers as one half of the local papers would have to cease publication or raise the price of subscription at least 50 per cent, which a great many of subscribers would, no doubt, refuse to pay.

**FOREST** will likely lose the county fruit show this year for want of hotel accommodation. Since local option came in force the two hotels have been closed. A meeting of business men was called by Mayor Pettypiece to discuss the situation, when it was decided that the owners of the hotels be granted exemption from taxation for a term of years provided they open up. A deputation interviewed the hotel owners, neither of whom would take the matter into consideration. Consequently the fruit show will go elsewhere. Watford has plenty of hotel accommodation and would welcome the Fruit Growers to this town. Why not hold the show here

**WHEAT** 95c, butter 18c, eggs 18c.

**NOW** that the election is over let all join hands and boom Watford's Big Fair. A NUMBER of interesting items crowded onto this week to make room for election returns.

**THE** Toronto Globe of Wednesday states that R. J. McCormick has demanded a recount in East Lambton.

**PICNICERS** and excursionists did not have a very fine day on Wednesday, but all seemed to enjoy the outing.

**REV. F. G. ROBINSON**, B. D., is expected to arrive in Watford this week and take charge of both services in the Methodist church next Sabbath.

**WE** have the McCormick and Deering time at lowest prices. These are the largest American makers and every ball guaranteed.—THE HOWDEN EST.

**THE** summary of the elections published in another column is supplied by the Central Press Association and gives the returns as received Tuesday morning.

**QUITE** a goodly number listened to a fine address given by Mrs. F. D. Saunders in the Methodist church, taking as her subject, "Woman and her needs in the home and elsewhere," also a preliminary talk on Institute work. Music was given by Mr. C. Pentland and the mixed quartette.

**If** your boy stays out until 10 and 11 o'clock at night listening to the talk of idle loungers, whose love of home is an unknown quality, do not wonder why that boy does not get along at school. If he does a wrong and the gossip talk about him and you and your family, don't get angry at the boy. Go and buy yourself a mule and have that mule kick the stuffin' right out of your carcass. You are to blame for letting your boy grow up that way and deserve fifty times more that what that mule can give you.

**THE** marriage was solemnized at Christ church, Mimico, on Tuesday, June 23rd, of Mr. Royden J. Fuller, B. A. Sc., of the City Architect's Department, Toronto, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Fuller, of Watford, to Miss Frances M. Telfer, of Mimico. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Canon Tremayne, assisted by Rev. H. O. Tremayne. The newly wedded couple left on the steamer Kingston for a wedding trip down the St. Lawrence. Roy's many friends in Watford wish the young couple a long and happy wedded life.

**New** Perfection Oil Stoves are conceded to be the best oil burner on the market in America. Let us send you one on trial. A post card will bring one to your kitchen.—THE HOWDEN EST.

**THE** William Davies Company of Toronto has issued a circular to hog buyers throughout the country, authorizing them to deduct one-half of one per cent. from all purchases of hogs from the farmers. They explain that in the fall of 1907 the Dominion Government established an inspection and meat works established in all packing houses in Canada doing an export or inter-provincial business. The William Davies Company claim that the producer is directly responsible for the disease and the deduction of one-half of one per cent. of the purchase price of hogs is to cover part of the cost of inspection.

**SOME** years ago a cranky sort of an old man came into this office and stopped his paper because something in it did not just suit his fancy. We have frequently met him on the street since that time and it is amusing to note the look of surprise on the old fellow's face that we are still in existence regardless of the fact that he stopped his paper. Some day—and it won't be long either—that old gentleman will turn up his toes. His heart will be still forever. Neighbors and friends wish old man lifeless clay to the silent city and lay them to rest among the flowers. An obituary will be published in these columns telling what a kind father, a good neighbor and beloved citizen he was—which the recording angel will overlook for charity's sake and in a very short time he will be forgotten.

## BORN.

In Warwick, Friday June 12, 1914, to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Barnes, a son.

In Watford, Saturday June 27th, 1914, to Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Ramsley, a son.

In Watford, Wednesday June 24th, 1914, to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Taylor, twin girls.

In Brooke, Thursday June 25th, 1914, to Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Throver, a son.

In Bosanquet, on Friday, June 19th, to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Murray, a daughter.

In Watford, on Wednesday June 3rd, to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Moore, Jr., a daughter—Vera Mae.

## MARRIED.

At the home of the bride's parents, on Tuesday, June 23rd, 1914, by the Rev. A. J. Thomas, Mr. H. Warren McRitchie, of Petrolia, to Clara W., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gray, of Forest.

At the home of the bride's parents, on Wednesday, June 24th, 1914, by the Rev. A. J. Thomas, Mr. Martin A. McIntyre, of Edmon- ton, formerly of Bosanquet, to Myrtle S., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Frost, of Forest, at Christ church, Mimico, Ont., on Tuesday, June 23, 1914, by Rev. Canon Tremayne, assisted by Rev. H. O. Tremayne, Frances M. Telfer to Royden J. Fuller, B. A. Sc., of the City Architect's Department, Toronto.

## DIED.

In Watford, on Friday, June 26th, 1914, Christopher Willoughby, aged 80 years 5 mos. and 26 days.

In Plympton, on Monday, June 22nd, 1914, Janet McMillan, relict of the late Finlay McKinnlay, in her 63th year.

## PERSONAL.

Fred H. Haskett is home for the summer.

Miss Loretta Roche, Forest, is home for the holidays.

Mr. John Bambridge, Dutton, is home this week.

Mr. R. Diamond Swift is holidaying at his home here.

Dr. Brandon, Hamilton, is the guest of Dr. T. A. Brandon.

Miss Alice Tanner, Red Deer, Sask., is home for the holidays.

Mrs. C. M. Wyce, Merriton, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Bambridge.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Halward, London, spent the week end at Mrs. Tye's.

Miss Rosa Brown, Arkona public school staff, is home for the holiday.

Misses Lata and Lela Brown, London, are the guests of Mrs. Sterling Saunders.

Mr. John Roche, of the staff at St. Jerome College, Berlin, is home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Fuller, Toronto, spent the holiday at W. S. Fuller's, Simcoe street.

Mr. J. W. McLaren and bride arrived home from their honeymoon trip on Monday.

N. Basil Acton, of Detroit, Mich., is visiting friends in Watford and vicinity this week.

Dr. V. L. Newell, Battle Creek, Mich., visited his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Newell, on Sunday.

Mrs. R. J. Smith, Baldwin, Mich., spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs. W. A. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. James Scott and family, Detroit, spent over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott.

Rev. G. B. Marsh, Vasser, Mich., called on his brother Mr. W. L. Marsh on Thursday last.

Mrs. T. Harris was called to St. Thomas on Friday on account of the critical illness of her sister.

Mrs. Jordan McGillicuddy and family are spending the summer holidays in Forest and Strathroy.

Mr. Jos. A. McManus was called to Chicago, on Saturday, to attend the funeral of his brother.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Fuller attended the marriage of their son at Mimico on Tuesday, June 23rd.

Mr. H. C. Carew and Mr. A. C. Elliott, Sarnia, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. F. Restorick, Huron St.

Miss Florence Sedwick has returned home after spending the past two weeks with Miss Pearl Restorick.

Mrs. Lee Aylesworth and children, of Inwood, are spending a couple of weeks with Mrs. H. F. Aylesworth.

Miss Johnston, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. C. Butler, returned to her home in Simcoe, on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Restorick and daughter Paula, left Tuesday to spend two week's vacation with Sarnia relatives.

Mrs. W. A. Thompson, and her mother Mrs. James Foster, left Monday on a visit to friends in Buffalo and Rochester.

Miss Rose Higgins, Milwaukee, with her friend, Miss Clara Cable, Kenosha, Wis., spent Sunday with her cousin, Tim Gavigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Elliot returned from their wedding tour Saturday and are spending a short time here before leaving for their home in Forget, Sask.

Miss Grace Kelly, graduate nurse, spent last week the guest of Mrs. Wishart, of Montreal, on her way to take a post-graduate course in the floating Hospital at Boston, Mass.

Messrs. C. A. Johnston and M. J. Chestnut, who have been visiting in Niagara Falls, left Tuesday for Montreal and Quebec for the past two weeks, are spending a few days in town on their way back to Detroit.

Those from a distance who attended the funeral of the late Christopher Willoughby were Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Willoughby, Bushnell, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Willoughby, of Adelaide; Mr. and Mrs. Herb. Willoughby, London; Mrs. Wright, Chicago; Mrs. Sugrue, Paris; Mr. Wm. Willoughby, Ithaca, Mich.

## BROOKE

Mr. John Hair attended the funeral of his brother at Petrolia on Monday.

There will be service in St. James' Church, Brooke, on Sunday afternoon at 2.30 p.m.

Miss Ella McCabe spent the past week in Bothwell, visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. J. Bentley.

Miss Gladys Brewer of Sunnyside, visited her friend Miss Eva Johnston, on Thursday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert McCabe, of Sunnyside, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rein- sky of Langford, South Dakota, motored to the home of Mr. Geo. McCabe on Sunday last.

A general and special meeting of the Brooke subscribers of the Municipal Telephone System will be held in the council chamber, Alvinston at 7 o'clock on Saturday, July 4th to consider the advisability of purchasing the Inwood Telephone System. All subscribers kindly attend. R. J. Lucas, Sec.; D. J. McEachern, President

## East Lambton Goes Conservative

**Dr. Martyn Elected by Small Majority**

The returns for this riding were slow in coming in, and conflicting reports kept the electors in suspense all Monday evening. Below is the vote as far as could be obtained. The majority being small the official returns are anxiously look for by both parties.

	Martyn	McCormick	Majorities
<b>BROOKE</b>			
1.....	30	32	2
2.....	23	49	26
3.....	94	64	30
4.....	62	56	6
5.....	31	36	5
6.....	8	25	17
7.....	37	21	16
8.....	11	24	13
9.....	45	13	32
10.....	44	20	24
11.....	49	17	32
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>434</b>	<b>358</b>	<b>140</b>

	Martyn	McCormick	Majorities
<b>BOSANQUET</b>			
1.....	53	59	6
2.....	80	57	23
3.....	62	31	31
4.....	37	35	2
5.....	25	41	16
6.....			
7.....			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>64</b>

	Martyn	McCormick	Majorities
<b>PLYMPTON</b>			
1.....			
2.....			
3.....			
4.....			
5.....			
6.....			
7.....			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>21</b>

	Martyn	McCormick	Majorities
<b>WARWICK</b>			
1.....	58	52	6
2.....	58	36	22
3.....	68	75	7
4.....			
5.....			
6.....			
7.....			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>33</b>

	Martyn	McCormick	Majorities
<b>WARWICK</b>			
1.....	69	63	6
2.....	58	52	6
3.....	127	115	12
4.....	48	53	5
5.....			
6.....			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>302</b>	<b>281</b>	<b>21</b>

	Martyn	McCormick	Majorities
<b>RUPHEMIA</b>			
1.....			
2.....			
3.....			
4.....			
5.....			
6.....			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>30</b>

	Martyn	McCormick	Majorities
<b>FOREST</b>			
1.....	56	52	4
2.....	51	53	2
3.....	68	38	30
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>33</b>

	Martyn	McCormick	Majorities
<b>WATFORD</b>			
1.....	69	63	6
2.....	58	52	6
3.....	127	115	12
4.....	48	53	5
5.....			
6.....			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>302</b>	<b>281</b>	<b>21</b>

	Martyn	McCormick	Majorities
<b>WOMING</b>			
1.....	76	46	30
2.....			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>30</b>

	Martyn	McCormick	Majorities
<b>ALVINSTON</b>			
1.....	57	16	41
2.....	74	44	30
3.....	131	60	71
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>262</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>142</b>

	Martyn	McCormick	Majorities
<b>RECAPITULATION</b>			
Brooke.....	77	57	20
Bosanquet.....	15	55	40
Plympton.....	23	2	21
Warwick.....	65	52	13
Ruphemia.....	32	2	30
Forest.....	12	5	7
Watford.....	30	22	8
Arkona.....	22	71	49
Thredford.....	71	46	25
Woming.....	76	46	30
Alvinston.....	262	120	142
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>554</b>	<b>405</b>	<b>149</b>

Majority for Martyn 11.

**HOUSTON—PIPER**

The marriage took place on June 24th, of Miss Ella Madeline Piper, Saskatoon, formerly of Petrolia, Ont., and Mr. Archie Edwin Houston, of the Government Telephone Co., Regina, Sask. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Hugh Cairns. The bride, who is a sister of Mrs. Wm. Doan, 5th street, Nutana, was beautifully gowned in ivory tulle with pearl trimmings, and carried a bouquet of white carnations. She was attended by Miss Mildred Fuller, formerly of Watford, who looked charming in pale pink silk crepe and shadow lace. The groom was attended by his brother, Mr. Roy Houston, of Kandahar, Sask. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Doan, after which Mr. and Mrs. Houston left on the noon train for their new home in Regina, the bride travelling in a tailored suit of blue broadcloth with hat to match.

Ailsa Craig stores will close Thursday afternoon July and August.

## Death of Mr. Christopher Willoughby

After a long and useful life, Mr. Christopher Willoughby, one of the early business men of Watford, passed away on Friday evening, June 26th, at the ripe age of 80 years, 5 months and 26 days. Deceased was born in Smith's Falls, Lanark county, on December 21st, 1833, and was married to Miss Sarah Edwards, of the same place on Sept. 15, 1853, where he opened a carriage and blacksmith business in partnership with James Boles and was afterwards in partnership with Joshua Saunders for a short time. He then conducted business alone until about ten years ago when he retired. For the past few years he had been in failing health, but was confined to his bed for only three weeks before his death. He was an energetic business man and with straightforward dealing and good work built up a lucrative trade. He spent a useful life and had the respect of all with whom he came in contact. In religion he was an Anglican and in politics a Conservative. Besides his aged widow he leaves to mourn his loss five sons and four daughters, namely, William, of Ithaca, Mich.; Robert J., of Bushnell, Ill.; Wesley, of Adelaide; James, of Watford; Herb., of London; Mrs. J