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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Zero temperature but good hockey weather.

Men's Fur Coats—January Clearance prices.—A. Brown & Co.

Miss Liddy returned to her home in Winnipeg on Wednesday.

20 Pieces Gingham to open Monday, 19c yard.—Swift, Sons & Co.

Reeve Harper is in Sarnia this week attending the County Council meeting.

Mrs. Mary Thompson is spending a month with relatives in Preston and Galt.

The noblest work of God is man, but you can't make some married women believe it.

Jackie Coogan at the Lyceum tonight (Thursday) in "The Kidd". One of the best you've seen.

Ladies' Wool Cashmere Hose at 79c pair, brown, black, heather cashmere at 88c.—Swift's.

Ailsa Craig Masons have purchased an organ for use during the musical portions of the ritual ceremonies.

Men's Heavy Ribbed Wool Underwear—Penman's Elastic Knit—\$1.00 per garment.—A. Brown & Co.

The weather prognosticators have already started to predict a dry summer and a wet and cold fall with frost in August.

Some men leave their finger prints with the police while others leave theirs on the books they take out of the public library.

The confectioners, butchers, and ice dealers are putting in their supply for next summer. The ice is clear and about ten inches thick.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian Church will serve a hot supper at the home of Mrs. Robert Auld on Wednesday, Feb. 1st, from 5 to 7.30 p.m. Admission 35 cents.

The Women's Missionary Auxiliary will meet at the home of Mrs. Hagar Wednesday evening, Feb. 1, at seven thirty. A good program is expected. All the ladies are cordially invited.

The remaining schedule for the Lambton county interscholastic hockey series is as follows:—Jan. 30, Watford at Petrolia; Feb. 2, Forest at Watford; Feb. 6, Petrolia at Forest.

The Ontario government has appointed Mr. W. S. Fuller, town clerk of Watford, issuer of auto licenses. Those who have not secured their license for 1922 should do so at once.

Komfort and Corticelli Wools—all shades in stock.—A. Brown & Co.

The reduction in the price of newspaper means a reduction equivalent to two cents for each Guide-Advocate subscriber, while on January 1st the postage on papers was increased 100 per cent.

Cotton Blankets, white and grey.—Swift's.

"We could not miss reading the paper" writes Albert Clark of Allan, Sask., on sending his renewal subscription for the Guide-Advocate. He reports a very nice winter at Allan with sleighing from Nov. 1st.

The Hydro line men have finished wiring in Alvinston and are now stringing the heavy wires between that town and Watford. The village to the south of here expects to have the power turned on about March 1.

Among the 1922 calendars received is a neat one from Major J. H. Franklin of Osborne House, Steyning, Sussex, advertising the Elarton Salt Works, Warwick, giving a view of the works and showing farmers' wagons loaded with salt.

January Clearance of Boys' Coats—many lines at half price.—A. Brown & Co.

When you borrow a book out of the Public Library do not mark it up with pencil on the margin or underline a place where a saying of the writer happens to tickle your fancy. If every reader of a book did likewise the pages would soon look like auto road maps.

Trains No. 110, going east, due here at 2.28 p.m., and No. 5, going west, due at 9.10 p.m., have been cancelled. This leaves Watford with but three trains a day each way. Other changes in the time-table are: Going West, No. 111, leave at 8.42 a.m., No. 83, leaves at 6.54. Going East No. 80 leaves at 7.48 a.m., No. 6 at 11.22 a.m., and No. 112 at 5.26 p.m.

FURNITURE

Furniture has dropped more than any other article, except food, says the leading furniture journal of the country. The figures showing percentage of decline during 1921 were as follows: Groceries 49 per cent, furniture 48, men's shoes 28, women's shoes 43, cotton dress goods 36, women's suits 34, silk hosiery 33, men's suits 30, china 23, pianos 16.

7 pieces Wrapperettes—the real old quality wrapperettes—all good patterns in light and dark, per yard 29c.—Swift's.

Mr. John Fawcett Stinson died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Robert E. Johnston, on Thursday last, Jan. 19th, after a stroke on the previous Tuesday, aged 75 years and 25 days. Mr. Stinson was a native of Leeds county and for a number of years was Postmaster at Kirkton, Perth county. About three months ago he came to live in Watford with his daughter. The funeral took place on Monday, service being held at the house at 10.30 by the Rev. S. P. Irwin. The remains were conveyed to Kirkton for burial.

30 pair Boys' Bloomer Pants, size 26 to 35, open Monday, price \$2.00.—Swift's.

Representatives are being invited from all the farmers' clubs, agricultural societies, fruit and vegetable growers' associations, township councils, etc., in the district, to attend a meeting of the agricultural committee of the London Chamber of Commerce, to be held Jan. 28th, for the adoption of the program of work drawn up by the committee. The program includes the discussion of such subjects as farm help, marketing, roads and transportation, education, urban and rural co-operation, and many others.

The Toronto Star report of a meeting of Parkdale Lodge A.F. & A.M., thus refers in part to a former Watfordite, Mr. F. H. Hayhurst, vice-president of the Baker Advertising Agency, son of the late Rev. W. Hayhurst. "Immediately following installation W. Bro. Hayhurst, the first master of Parkdale lodge, had the unique pleasure of assisting in the initiation of his son, Geo. A. P. Hayhurst. The first and only master to have a son initiated in Parkdale lodge in its history of 9 years. W. Bro. Buchanan presented to the lodge on behalf of W. Bro. Hayhurst, a set of beautiful markers."

Our Carpet Dept., supplemented by Spring arrivals in Tapestry and Axminster squares will be ready for inspection by the first week in Feb., we will show splendid value this season in twin rugs in different sizes.—Swift, Sons & Co.

The following forms of income tax for 1921 have been received at the local post office: Form T-3, for executors and administrators of estates and trusts; Form T-4, for employees to state amounts paid to employees; Form T-5, for incorporated companies to report dividends paid. Each person or company who filed one of the above forms for 1920 has received one for 1921 by mail, but if same has not been received they may be had on application. These forms are not to be used by taxpayers to report their own taxable incomes but are for the purpose of informing the Department as to the amount of money paid to taxpayers in order that returns of income may be verified. The above forms must be filed on or before the 31st March, 1922. A penalty of \$10 per day is incurred for those who are late in filing. All other forms are expected to be available shortly.

BROOKE

A Box Social will be held in S. S. No. 11, Brooke, on Friday, February 3. Good program will be provided. Harold Currie of Strathroy will be chairman for the evening. Everybody welcome.

A social evening in connection with the U. F. O. was held in S. S. 11, Brooke, on Jan. 20th. A program of local talent and an old fashioned spelling match made an enjoyable evening for the first entertainment of the new organization. Lunch was served by the ladies of the section.

The January meeting of the Brocks W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. J. Searson, with a very good attendance. The meeting opened by the singing of the Inskip Ode, after which the minutes were read and adopted. Roll call was well answered by "New Year resolution." The program consisted of an address by Rev. T. Steadman, a duet by Mrs. Slugg and Miss Clark, an essay on "The Beautifying of Country Homes" by Mrs. O. MacDonald, followed by a solo by Mr. Steadman. The meeting then closed by the singing of the National Anthem. A social hour was spent while the hostess served lunch.

The death occurred in St. Joseph's Hospital London, on Friday, Jan. 13, of James Whyte, one of Brooke's pioneer residents. Deceased had been in ill health for the past two weeks and on Tuesday, he left to undergo an operation. The late Mr. Whyte was born in Glasgow, Scotland, in 1855, coming to Canada when quite young, accompanied by his two sisters. He is survived by his widow, two daughters, Mrs. Dan McKinlay, Brooke, and Margaret at home, also one son, William at home. The funeral was held Monday from the Presbyterian church to Alvinston cemetery, Mr. Matthew Whyte, 12th con. of Plympton, is a brother.

WARWICK

Miss Freida Wiley has returned from a visit with her friend Miss Mildred McInroy of Adelaide.

Reeve Parker and Deputy Reeve B. H. Dann are in attendance at the county council meeting in Sarnia this week.

Little Clarence Harper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Harper, who has been very ill with bronchitis is now improving.

Mrs. D. Genge, Alvinston, was a guest of Warwick relatives last week and was accompanied by her cousin Mrs. A. J. Hagle of Watford.

Mrs. George Baird accompanied by Mr. Baird left Monday morning for Buffalo, N.Y., where she will take treatment at the State X-Ray Institute.

Geo. Parker and Alvin Kropp from the office of the Mueller Mfg. plant, Sarnia, spent the weekend at the home of W. E. Parker, Sunnyhill Farm, Wisbeach.

Mr. Jack Atkins, Leamington, who attended the funeral of the late Mr. Watt of Arkona a week ago, was the guest of his cousin, Mrs. C. W. Richardson for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dorner and grand-daughter, Margaret, who have been visiting their daughters, Mrs. J. F. Parker, Rosedale Farm, and Mrs. A. H. Walker, Windsor, returned to the Soo in Monday.

About twenty-five friends and neighbors turned out last Friday afternoon and had a buzz bee for Mr. Doug. McNaughton, 4th line south, who has been in rather poor health for some months.

Mrs. George Brent, 12 sideroad, received word last week of the death of her aunt Mrs. J. M. Inglesby at Edmonton, after a short illness. The deceased was the eldest sister of the late Mrs. James Mellor, formerly of Birmam.

The annual oyster supper of the Bear Creek U. F. O. was held a week ago Friday at the home of Mr. Harvey Vance, when about 60 were present and enjoyed the evening's proceedings, which included a bountiful supper, a splendid impromptu program and a good social time.

A meeting to discuss Hydro for the township of Warwick will be held in the Town Hall, Warwick Village, on Thursday evening, February 2nd. An engineer from the Hydro Department will be present to explain matters and answer all questions pertaining to same.—W. E. Parker, Reeve.

The Warwick W. I. held their regular meeting on Thursday evening, Jan. 19th. The meeting opened with singing the Maple Leaf followed by

CHOP STUFF

Petrolia Horticultural Society will hold a spring show of flowers grown from bulbs supplied the members.

"A petrified man has been found in Oklahoma. In certain parts of Essex county they say the police can find a petrified man almost any night.

The Canadian Oil Co.'s are planning the erection of a modern filtering plant at Petrolia at a cost of about \$25,000. Work will be commenced in the spring.

Mrs. James Truman, a former resident of Forest, died in Grand Bend, on Monday, Jan. 16th. She is survived by her husband, one son, and two daughters.

The Rev. Canon Hill, rector of Christ church, advised the annual vestry meeting that he had sent his resignation to the Bishop of Huron to take effect as from May 1.

Miss Willie is town clerk of Ailsa Craig at a salary of \$75.00, Thos. Stevenson, collector, salary \$40, John McArthur, assessor, salary \$40. The auditors receive \$10 each.

The janitor of the Norwich High School receives a salary of \$1,000 and a free house. It is only a few years ago that this would be a fair salary for a High School teacher.

Mrs. James D. Dewar, Strathroy, wife of the first mayor of Strathroy, died Friday in her 79th year. She is survived by her husband and two daughters, Mrs. Chas. O'Connor and Mrs. Rananah.

The Parkhill Rural Telephone and the Morningstar Line at Arkona have been sold to Mr. Chamberlain of Whentley who has moved to Arkona and who will be in sole charge of these lines himself.

S. McCandless and Thos. Carr were elected by acclamation last week to fill the vacancy on the Strathroy Public School Board, sufficient members not being secured at the December nominations.

R. E. LeSueur has been 46 years in business in Sarnia in one stand. He has resided in Sarnia 52 years and was mayor for two terms, alderman for eight, and served on the school board for 28 years. Quite a record of municipal service.

There died in Chicago, on Monday January 16, 1922, Annie, relict of the late Andrew Welsh, and daughter of the late George and Sarah Parker, of Adelaide Township, aged 62 years. The remains were brought to Strathroy for burial.

West Lambton fair board met last Friday. The officers, with the exception of president, were all re-elected by acclamation and C. A. Arthur was elected president in a contest with Alf. Hillier by three votes. M. A. Sanders was elected secretary. During last year improvements to the amount of \$2000 were made in the grounds.

Clayton Johnson, 17-year-old son of William Johnson, 6th line of Metcalfe, was killed about noon Thursday last on the farm of Andrew Beattie, town line of Metcalfe and Brooke, when he fell off a load of wood he was riding on and the load falling on him. He only lived a short time. Besides his parents he is survived by one sister and three brothers.

After serving as village clerk and treasurer of Embro village for 42 years, E. J. Cody has resigned. Mr. Cody is also postmaster of the village and clerk of the division court. He is father of Canon Cody, and is 79 years old. In his resignation he draws attention to the fact that the "village has no local debts, hydro pays its own way, railway and sidewalk debentures half paid off, and the cemetery free of debt.

The home of Lyle Tomlin, ninth concession of Sombra Township, was completely destroyed by fire about 8.30 Tuesday evening. The origin of the blaze is unknown, as all members of the family were visiting in the village when it started but it thought an overheated stove was the cause. The building was a story-and-a-half brick, and was owned by Mrs. Joseph Workman of Wallaceburg. The loss will be heavy as none of the household effects were saved.

Mr. Wallace Tilden, of Point Pelee, reports that among the birds that habituate the Government Park, two parrots made their home there during the past summer remaining until Dec. 11. Their plumage was green with red tops. How they found their way to the park is not known, but it is conjectured that they were pets on some passing boat and made their escape. The remarkable feature about it is that being tropical birds they found the temperature congenial at the Point up to so late a date.

EAST LAMBTON AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

Financial Statement for 1921 Shows Good Balance on Hand. List of Officers for 1922

The annual meeting of the above Society was held in the Council Chamber, Watford, on Saturday afternoon, Jan. 21st, with a fair attendance. On motion Dr. McGillicuddy was appointed chairman. Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

A motion was adopted instructing judges at fair to classify horses where they are entered in wrong classes.

Zavitz—Parker, that we do not hold Spring Show.—Carried.

Zavitz—Annett, that we hold a Field Crop Competition (oats).—Carried.

James—Annett, that we employ the usual number of Department Judges.—Carried.

Edwards—James, that we sent \$2. to J. E. Peart, affiliation fee to Ontario Fairs Association.—Carried.

The Treasurer presented the following financial statement:—

Receipts	
To Bal. on hand.....	\$212.08
Members fees, 1921.....	63.50
Mem. fees retained for 1922	44.00
Govt. grant.....	231.00
Govt. grant, Field crop.....	50.00
County grant.....	100.00
Tp. Warwick grant.....	25.00
Ent. fees, Field Crop.....	10.00
Ent. fees, races.....	103.00
Rent of Hall.....	30.00
Donations.....	13.00
Booth privileges.....	61.00
Gate receipts.....	1038.94
	\$1981.52
Expenditure	
By Paid prizes, 1921.....	\$652.15
Prizes, Field Crop.....	75.00
Printing, adv. etc.....	99.50
Judges.....	41.00
Music.....	65.00
Salaries.....	50.00
Work on grounds.....	40.05
Assistance Show Days.....	61.00
Sundry accts.....	54.70
Trials of speed.....	411.00
Bal. on hand.....	432.12
	\$1981.52

The following officers were appointed for 1922:

Hon. President—John Farrell.

President—John Zavitz.

1st Vice-pres.—Dr. McGillicuddy.

2nd Vice-pres.—J. F. Elliot.

Directors—S. Hair, J. Gilliland, W. Annett, C. E. James, W. E. Parker, W. D. McKenzie, E. A. Brown, W. H. Harper, D. Cameron.

Honorary Directors—S. W. Edwards, J. B. Parker, J. Manders, G. T. Fuller and G. Shirley.

Auditors—Wm. McLeay and W. H. Shrapnell.

Delegate to Ontario Association of Fairs and Exhibitions.—John Farrell.

At the Directors' meeting held later F. Kenward was re-appointed Secretary-Treasurer and the printing contract was awarded to the Guide-Advocate at the same rate as previous year.

W. J. DAVIS OF EUPHEMIA IS NEW WARDEN

W. J. Davis, of Euphemia Township was elected Warden of Lambton county Tuesday afternoon at the initial meeting of the county council by a majority of 6 over W. E. Parker, of Warwick, the vote standing Davis 17, Parker 11.

Reeve Sitter acted as Chairman, temporarily, until the vote was taken and speeches by the two candidates were made prior to the vote. Mr. Davis stated that his township had not had a warden for over 80 years, and his record of 8 years in the county council was his recommendation, he thought. Mr. Parker stated that this was his last term in the council and he desired to have the wardenship as a fitting close to his municipal career.

After the vote was taken, Warden Davis was escorted to the chair and the business of the 1922 county council of Lambton proceeded.

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ual Meeting of the Fair- arwick Creamery will be arwick Village Hall on . 27th, at 2 p.m. You are invited to be present to n the election of officers sing year and to take discussions. An official ymen's Association is ex- dress the meeting.

E. COLLIER, Sec'y.

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