

## OUR CLUBBING RATES.

THE GUIDE-ADVOCATE and the	
Weekly Herald and Star	\$1 75
" Witness	1 85
" Messenger	1 40
" Globe	1 75
" Mail and Empire	1 75
" Free Press	1 75
" Advertiser	1 60
" Sun	1 75
Daily Free Press, sec. edition	2 75
" Advertiser	2 50
" Star	2 25
" with premium	2 75
" News	2 25
" World	3 00
Farmers' Advocate	2 35
Farming World	2 00

## ARKONA

Miss Lou Moore is visiting friends in Avoca, Mich.

New raisins, currants, figs and dates at J. Geo. Brown's.

Mr. Geo. Fair takes charge of the butcher shop this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Jackson spent Sunday with friends in Forest.

Mr. and Mrs. Robertson, of Plattsville, are visiting friends in the Ark.

Mr. Wm. Thomas has moved into the house vacated by Jas. F. Langan.

Mr. Philip Austin shipped 10 carloads of apples from Theford last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones and family, of Wyoming, are visiting at J. F. Dickinson's.

Clover and timothy wanted. We have an up-to-date cleaning mill—J. Geo. Brown.

Mr. Fred Eastman returned home last week after spending the past three weeks in the West.

The Misses Lulu Howden and Kittie Louks and Roy Stoner called on Arkona friends on Sunday.

Mr. Jas. F. Langan and family are leaving this week for Nipigon, where they intend making their future home.

The Pan-Cakes social, which was given by the Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian Church, on Friday evening last, was a decided success.

R. Kells and family have moved to Watford, where they will make their future home. Mr. Kells has been a prominent and active resident of the Ark for many years.

Special values in men's and boy's clothing at J. Geo. Brown's.

## Lambton Fall Assizes Concluded.

In the action of Cliff vs. McDonald for damages for breach of promise of marriage no defence was offered and the jury brought in a verdict for the plaintiff for \$2,675. Cowan & Towers for plaintiff; Simpson & Carter Bowmanville, for defendant.

The action brought by T. H. Carter vs. Margaret G. Leach to recover a legacy of \$1,000, under the will of the late Joseph Featherstone, of Moore, was dismissed without costs. Cowan & Towers, for plaintiff; Pardee & Burnham for defendant.

On Thursday morning the action was taken up of Hicks vs. Leitch, in which the plaintiff, William Hicks, a resident of the township of Brooke, brought action to recover the sum of \$200 for the seduction of his daughter, the defendant being

John Leitch, the son of a neighboring farmer. The case took up the whole of Thursday, and resulted in a verdict for plaintiff of \$1,200. Hanna, LeSueur & Co. for plaintiff; Cowan & Towers for defendant.

The court rose on Thursday evening. There was no criminal cases to come before the court the Sheriff made the usual presentation to the presiding judge, Mr. Justice Clute, of a pair of white gloves.

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## LOCAL LEGAL.

### Cranston vs. Thomas et al.

The action was tried before Mr. Justice Brinto at the Chatham assizes of Tuesday the 5th of November. The plaintiff, who is a retired farmer, residing in the township of Chatham, sued the defendants who reside in the county of Middlesex, as executors of his late wife, Flora Cranston, to set aside a conveyance made by the plaintiff to the said Flora Cranston, the consideration recited therein being one dollar, of one hundred and fifty acres of land in the Township of Sombra, valued at from \$5,000.00 to \$8,000.00. The plaintiff, who was about 65 years of age at the time of the conveyance complained of, alleged that he was at the time mentally and physically incapable of appreciating the nature of the transaction and that the deed should be set aside as improvident and without consideration.

The judgment of the court was that the action should be dismissed without costs as against the plaintiff, the executors' costs to be paid out of the estate.

John S. Fraser, Wallaceburg, for plaintiff; Pardee, Burnham & Gurd for the defendants.

### SPAULDING-HARPER.

An interesting event took place at high noon on Tuesday the 5th inst., at the home of S. J. Harper, Egremont road, Watford, when his daughter Annie E., was joined in the bonds of matrimony to Mr. Robert O. Spaulding, of Watford. The ceremony was performed in the presence of nearly fifty invited guests by Rev. Mr. Hosking. Miss Ida Harper, a cousin of the bride was bridesmaid, while Mr. Fred Wynne performed the duties of groomsmen. Bertha Karr, prettily attired, acted as ringbearer, and Miss Mae Stewart, of Forest, played the wedding march. The bride wore a beautiful white silk gown, with silk insertion and lace trimmings, while the bridesmaid was becomingly attired in French mulle. After the ceremony the gathering set down to a sumptuous repast. The groom's gift to the bride was a gold locket with diamond settings; to the bridesmaid a gold brooch with pearl settings and to the flower girl a jewel box. Mr. and Mrs. Spaulding left on the afternoon train from Watford for London and other points, and on

their return will reside in the groom's handsome new residence on Warwick st., Watford.

## WATFORD MARKET

GRAIN AND SEEDS—	
Wheat, fall, per bush	\$0 90 @ \$0 90
Oats, per bush	50 50
Barley, per bush	65 65
Peas, per bush	85 85
Beans, per bush	90 90
Timothy	1 25 2 00
Clover Seed	10 00 12 00
Alfalfa	8 50 10 00

PROVISIONS—	
Butter, per pound	23 23
Lard, "	11 15
Eggs, per doz	25 25
Pork	7 00 7 50
Flour, per cwt	1 75 2 00

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—	
Potatoes, per bag	75 90
Dried Apples, per lb	5 6

MISCELLANEOUS—	
Wood	2 00 2 25
Tallow	6 61
Hides	5 6
Wool	22 25
Hay, per ton	14 00 15 00

POULTRY—	
Turkeys, per lb	11 12
Chickens, per lb	8 9
Ducks, per lb	10 10
Geese, per lb	8 8

## LONDON MARKETS.

Wheat	\$0 90 to \$0 90
Oats	0 50 to 0 52
Peas	0 60 to 0 60
Barley	0 40 to 0 46
Rye	0 54 to 0 55
Butter	0 27 to 0 28
Eggs	0 25 to 0 25
Pork	7 00 to 7 50

## TORONTO.

Receipts of live stock at the Union Stock Yards were 57 carloads, composed of 1145 cattle, 596 sheep and 13 calves. The quality of cattle was not as good as last week.

Trade was steady at about the same prices as a week ago.

Exporters were slow of sale, drovers refusing in some instances to accept offers of the dealers, choosing rather to ship themselves to the English markets. Prices ranged at from \$4.35 to \$4.75, with a trifle more for one load. Export bulls sold at \$3 to \$3.75.

Butchers—Few real good butchers' cattle were offered, the choicest on the market, and only two or three at that, sold at \$4.60 to \$4.80; best loads sold at \$4.25 to \$4.50; medium butchers' \$3.50 to \$4; common, \$2.50 to \$3.25; canners, \$1 to \$2; cows, \$2.50 to \$3.50 per cwt.

Feeders and stockers—Steers, 900 to 1100 lbs., sold at \$3 to \$3.45; bulls, \$2.25 to \$2.50 per cwt.

Milkers and springers—Eight milkers and springers of good quality sold at \$40 to \$65 each, or an average of \$52.50 each.

Veal calves—Prices ranged at from \$3 to \$6 per cwt.

Sheep and lambs—Export ewes sold at \$4.15 per cwt.; culls at \$2.75; lambs at \$5 per cwt.

Hogs—Prices are down. H. P. Kennedy quoted selects \$5.75 fed and watered, and \$5.50 f.o.b., cars, at country points.

Guinea Limited, quoted selects at \$5.80, fed and watered, and \$5.60, f.o.b., cars, at country points.

## EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, Nov. 12.—Cattle—Receipts 250 head; steady; prices unchanged. Veals—Receipts 75 head; active and steady. Hogs—Receipts 2,600 head; active and 30c to 30c higher; heavy and mixed, \$5.80 to \$5.95; Yorkers, \$5.50 to \$5.90; pigs, \$5.25 to \$5.50; roughs, \$4.75 to \$6.25; stags \$4 to \$4.50. Dairies, \$5 to \$5.50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,400 head; active and steady; unchanged.

## BRITISH CATTLE MARKETS.

London, Nov. 11.—London cables are firmer at 10c to 12c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10c per lb.

London, Nov. 11.—John Rogers & Co., Liverpool, cable to-day; United States steers, 11c to 12c; Canadian, 10c to 11c; ranchers, 9c; native cows, 9c to 9c; bulls, 9c; trade is slow but firm.

Edward Watson and Ritchie, Glasgow, report 703 cattle on offer, with trade firm.

## PLYMPTON.

Miss Isabelle Ramsay of Forest, and Miss Sylvia Ramsay of London, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ramsay, Wanstead.

Neil McCaul, of Plympton, has purchased a very handsome young sire out of Canada's greatest herd of Herefords. J. A. Govenlock, is placing quite a number of young sires this fall.

## King's Birthday Honors.

The list of King's birthday honors was issued at London on Friday last. Sir Charles Tupper has been made a Privy Councillor. R. M. Coulter, Deputy Postmaster General, gets the Order of C. M. G., and Chief Justice Moss, of Ontario Court of Appeal, is made a Knight Bachelor. The list of honors on this occasion is a comparatively short one, because the government has decided not to recommend any appointments to the House of Lords during the agitation against the Upper House which is going on in the country at present.

## Alleged Insane Incendiary.

London, Nov. 12.—Believed to be violently insane, Abram Summers was brought into the jail about three o'clock this morning, charged with incendiarism. County Constable Richardson made the arrest, and it is alleged that Summers set fire to a straw stack in London Township.

The stack blazed up about midnight, and being in close proximity to a barn, it required heroic efforts on the part of residents of the community to check the fire.

Summers appears before Squire Chittick this afternoon to receive his hearing.

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