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## LOCAL HAPPENINGS

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

**LENT.**

First showing of ladies spring coats.—SWIFT'S.

**NORTH LAMBTON Sunday School** convention at Forest next Tuesday.

THE mild weather of Saturday was the means of bringing quite a crowd to town. If anyone calls you a hog feel yourself honored. Look at the price of them.

**WOMEN'S shoes** with rubber and fibre soles and paper uppers are said to be coming.

THE sidewalkers were one vast skating rink on Tuesday, and the young people had a glorious time.

**300 PINE** new prints and gingham.

THE last purpose having a home made cooking sale March 17th, at Roper House. Particulars later.—SWIFT'S.

WEATHER prophets predict that there will be no more severe weather this winter. Let us hope it is true.

IF you see an editor that pleases everybody, there will be a glass plate over his face and he will not be standing up.

IF you have anything to sell patronize the Guide-Advocate want column. Some person may want what you have to sell.

WE ARE agents in Watford for the Appleford Counter Check Book Co. of Hamilton. Leave your order.—Guide-Advocate.

LORD GEORGE'S silver bullets are still doing the trick.

THE robins will shortly begin to crowd each other for first place.

THE Patriotic League wishes to thank those who kindly sent in donations amounting to \$10.

MRS. Frederick W. Everett has sold to Mrs. Albert W. Spalding the house and lot on Rachel street now occupied by Absolom Lucas.

DEPUTY P. O. Inspector Johnston, of London, was here this week and reports everything satisfactory and in good order at the local post office.

ORDER your spring suit now. We are busy. You will need it for Easter.—SWIFT'S.

THE Guild of Christ church, Satorville, were entertained by Mrs. Irwin on Tuesday afternoon, when the annual meeting was held at the Rectory.

THE government will pass an order in council to ensure the publishers of Canadian newspapers an adequate supply of newsprint, and will regulate the exportation of the same.

THE icy sidewalks were responsible for a number of sudden falls but the only serious accident reported is that of Miss Florence Brent who fell on Tuesday and broke her collar bone. Several people, however, are nursing stiff and bruised limbs.

THE Tom Mark's Dramatic Co. played "Are You a Mason?" to a good house on Friday night in the Lyceum. The comedy was amusing and well received, as were also the clever vaudeville acts. The Co. expects to return for a couple of nights in the fall.

THE government report of Feb. 16th, says: "At Toronto, New Brunswick Delaware potatoes are \$3.25 per bag. Onions, \$8 per cwt. At Winnipeg onions and potatoes are advancing in price. Potatoes selling for shipment to the south at \$1.50 to \$1.60 per bushel."

Don't overlook our ladies' tailoring. Our cutter, Mr. Leatherland, is turning out Easter styles that will please you.—SWIFT'S.

THE Patriotic League met over Mr. Brown's store, Wednesday afternoon, packed and sent 1 bale of hospital supplies for the French Hospitals. More workers are needed to work on Hospital supplies. The League will meet every Wednesday afternoon in the Library basement.

THE address delivered by County Master Foster W. Smith at the County Orange Lodge of East Lambton has been received but is too lengthy to insert just now while our columns are crowded with advertising. Later on we will endeavor to find space for it.

A QUIET wedding was solemnized at the Rectory on Wednesday last, when Miss Edith L. Johnston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Johnston, 10th line, Brooke, was united in marriage to Mr. Frederick M. Harris of Durban, Man. The Rev. S. P. Irwin performed the ceremony.

A BRITISH AVIATOR, now in the hospital, after having been the target of many a gunner, remarked: "I'll never shoot at another bird. I know now how they feel." Wouldn't it be a good experience for the bird hunter to try aeroplane flying occasionally while gunners were given the chance to wing or kill him?

WILL all patriotic citizens who are willing to help along Red Cross Work by billeting one or more members of the band of the 149th battalion, from Tuesday noon Feb. 27th till Thursday morning, please leave their names at the Guide-Advocate. If there are any who are unable to accommodate a billet they can otherwise provide for me.

OUR carpet department is ready for your inspection.—SWIFT'S.

THE regular meeting of the Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. J. D. Brown on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 21st, president presiding. 15 members answered to roll call. The afternoon was spent in knitting and sewing for the Red Cross, after which lunch was served by the hostess. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. J. Humphries.

ORDERS received at military headquarters state that for a time at least no parcels or packages of comforts for the Canadian soldiers overseas addressed to either the Red Cross Society or Canadian War Contingent Association headquarters in London, England, for forwarding on admiralty transports, can be accepted. This order is the result, it is explained, of the extreme difficulty found in looking after such shipments by transport officers.

"If high wages are keeping men from enlisting the money they thus receive is blood money, which will rise up against them all the days of their lives. Fighting is a man's business, a man's opportunity and a man's glory." These statements were made at the recruiting meeting held in Hamilton Sunday night by Hon. Capt. Mrs. H. W. Parsons, of Cochrane, in the course of a stirring appeal to young men to enlist for overseas service.

THIS week Mrs. Hattie M. Brown received the following report from the Adjutant General, Canadian Militia, in connection with the death of her late husband and Pte. J. S. Brown, 124740, 18th Batt. The above noted soldier was killed in action, (by shell) during our advance and capture of Courcellette on the 15th of September, 1916. He was buried by the 3rd Canadian Pioneer Batt. Sgt. K. Hill Griemont Capt. a/a D. J. T. for Officer Commanding 18th Battalion.

On Sunday next, in the Congregational church, the Rev. R. M. Stevenson will preach on the following subjects:—At 11 a. m. "The Race and the Prize." See list of or. 24-25. At 7 p. m. "The Second Coming of our Lord, according to Acts, I, II, and Subsequent Events in Heaven and on Earth." The evening subject will be given in the form of a lecture, and will be illustrated by a large coloured linen chart. A special invitation to this service is extended to all who are interested in the fulfilment of the prophetic scriptures.

THE 2nd Anniversary Services in connection with the re-opening of the Watford Methodist church will be held on Sunday next, Feb. 25, when Rev. S. R. Knowles of Petrolia will preach at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Special offering at each service in aid of the General Expenses Fund. On Monday evening, Feb. 26th, a first class supper will be served in the basement from 6 to 8 o'clock after which a select program will be given in the church. Dr. Knowles will give an address on "Our Patriotism and its Attending Dangers." Tickets, Supper and Entertainment, adults 50 cents, children 35 cents.

IF two men were to form a business partnership, and trusting to their mutual friendship to bring them success, should neglect to talk over their resources or consult upon their several plans and methods, it would need no prophet to predict their speedy failure. No possibility of affection between them could excuse such glaring folly. Yet this is just what hundreds of couples are doing every day when they marry and undertake together the business of making and keeping a home without a full and mutual understanding of how it is to be done.

LOTTIE L. TILLOTSON, Hawaiian lecturer, who became notorious in Parkhill and other Western Ontario towns in December, last week was deported to the United States as an undesirable citizen. Miss Tilgotson has been known to Canadian police as a shop-lifter and for other sharp work for some time. The women of Ontario have been reporting her to the Government for some time as a fraud and many of the places she victimized will be glad to hear that her career in Canada has closed. She lectured for several church societies in Lambton during the past few years.

MEN are occupying the stage more than they have a right to do these days, for women are taking a great part in war matters that entitle them to general recognition. In Red Cross work they are proving invaluable; as nurses, they are heroines, and as workers taking the place of men in shops and munition factories they are proving what women can do and are doing their bit without any of the grumbling that men are indulging in over such a question as national service for instance. In the homes, too, their influence is wonderful and their self-abnegation all that can be desired. They are giving up their sons and husbands willingly and unselfishly, and when the news comes of some loved one's death they accept the decree with resignation. Womanhood today stands triumphant.

## Municipal Statistics

The Ontario Department of Agriculture municipal bulletin No. 10, just out gives the following statistics of the village of Watford:—

Population, 1916	1,221
Assessed acres	400
Total assessment, 1915	371,720
Assessed for Schools	5,300
Municipal taxes	8,140
School taxes	4,908
Debiture debt., Dec. 31st, 1915	24,277
Taxable land	70,910
Taxable buildings	285,222
Land value exempt from taxes	4,600
Value buildings exempt	59,300

**Lenten Services**

During Lent, mid-week services will be held in Trinity church, to which all are cordially invited to attend. Below will be found the dates and names of the special preachers:—

Thursday, March 1st—The Reverend A. A. Bice, B.A., Rector of All Saints', London.

Thursday, March 8th—The Reverend Murton Shore, Rector of Warwick.

Thursday, March 15th—The Reverend Chas. Owen, Rector of Glencoe.

Thursday, March 22nd—The Reverend Canon Davis, M.A., Rector St. George's church, Sarnia.

Thursday, March 29th—The Reverend W. J. Doherty, B.A., London.

Wednesday, April 4th—The Reverend H. Smith, Rector of Florence.

Good Friday, April 6th—The Rector.

Easter Day, April 8th—Holy Communion at 8 a. m. and 9.15. Evening Service 7 p. m.

## Band Concert at the Rink

The now noted band of the 149th O. B. C. E. F. will give a band concert Wednesday, Feb. 28th, under the auspices of Lambton's I. O. D. E. Everybody come. Proceeds to be used in purchasing yarn for socks. Adults 25c. Children 15c. Refreshments served at popular prices.

**BROOKE**

Mr. Leander Higgins, Sarnia, spent the week end at his home here.

Mr. Leander Higgins, of Sarnia, spent the week end with his parents on the tenth line.

The Invincible Red Cross Society are in receipt of a donation of \$15 from the Brooke Council, for which they extend their hearty thanks.

Mr. A. B. Steer, principal of the High School, preached at Bethesda, Church, on Sunday evening last, owing to the illness of the pastor. The congregation was highly pleased with the service.

The people of Brooke will enjoy the supper and entertainment in Watford Methodist church, on Monday evening next, Feb. 26th. Dr. Knowles, who will speak, is an old friend of the Brooke people.

The Farmers' Club, of S. S. No. 13, Brooke, will hold a Popcorn Social at the home of Mr. S. Johnston on Friday evening, March 2nd. A good program is being prepared. A collection will be taken in aid of the Red Cross. Everybody welcome.

Suterville Red Cross met at Mrs. A. J. Davis' on Thursday last and packed a box for Hyman's Hall containing 16 grey flannel day shirts and 54 pair of socks making in all 80 pair of socks shipped from their society since fall. Next meeting at Mrs. Lucas' on Thursday the 1st of March.

The Walnut Red Cross Society and Brooke Centre Farmers' Club will hold a concert in the school house S. S. No. 21, on Friday evening, February 23rd. A musical program, also readings and dialogues will be given. Admission 25c and 15c.

The Red Cross Circle, 6th line west, Brooke and Warwick, have chosen the name of "Invincible" for their Club. Judging from the work accomplished in the past, and planned for the future, the name is a fitting one. At the last meeting held at the home of Mrs. Norman McGill, a large number were present and a great deal of work accomplished. The next sewing meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Squires, Feb. 23, when the monthly sale will be packed.

The regular meeting of the East Brooke Farmers' Club was held in S. S. No. 10 on the 13th inst. After regular business was disposed of, a contest was held. The captains were Mr. Burton Lucas and Mr. James Hair, with about 25 assistants on each side. A very excellent program was furnished consisting of dialogues, recitations, speeches, and songs, all of which were enjoyed by those who attended. Mr. John Gill acted as chairman and referee for the evening. At the conclusion of the very lengthy program he decided in favor of Mr. Lucas by one point.

The annual Oyster Supper of the East Brooke Farmers' Club was held in the new and spacious residence of Mr. Richard Seaton on the 16th inst. There were about 90 present. After supper was served Mr. L. McLean was asked to act as chairman and a lengthy program consisting of music, speeches and recitations was given which was much appreciated. After thanking Mr. and Mrs. Seaton for their kindness, all returned to their homes feeling that the annual supper is one of the greatest benefits to the social life of the community.

## HOCKEY

The second exhibition game between Forest and Watford was played at the former place on Tuesday evening, the Forest team being successful with a score of 7 to 2.

The line-up:

Forest	Goal	Watford
D. Doods	Defence	Dotzert
T. Doods	Defence	Barrett
Brown	Defence	Lochead
Irwin	Centre	Steele
Clarke	Wing	Frame
Abbott	Wing	Govenlock

Referee—George May, Forest.

## PERSONAL

Dr. James, Sarnia, visited Watford relatives on Wednesday.

Mrs. Carl A. Class is visiting relatives in Sarnia and Windsor.

Dr. Vera L. Newell, Detroit, spent Tuesday with her parents here.

Mrs. T. McWatters, Sarnia, spent the week end with Watford friends.

Miss Minieilly is in Toronto this week attending the millinery openings.

Miss Mildred Fortune, London, spent the week end with her parents in town.

Mrs. Neil McLean, Sarnia, spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Neil Bennett.

Mrs. C. Willoughby has returned home after spending several weeks with her daughter in Stratford.

Mr. Chas. F. Livingstone and Mrs. W. A. House, with daughter Jean, of Port Dalhousie, Ont., are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. John Livingstone, John St.

Dr. J. A. Macdonald, editor of the Globe, Toronto, Mrs. Macdonald and family, and Mrs. Mick of Massey, North-ern Ontario, were in town on Sunday for the funeral of their sister Mrs. (Dr.) McGibbon of Edmonton, Alberta. While here they were guests of Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Snell, Brooke Parsonage.

## Lambton Insurance Co.

A meeting of the Board of Directors of above Company was held in the Roche House, on Saturday last 17th inst., all of the members present.

Besides some smaller claims, the following were paid:—Alfred Clothier, Brooke, barn burnt on 11th inst. \$1000, his insurance in full; Edward Paquette, Sarnia Tp. house burnt on 3rd inst. \$875, loss in full; J. L. Smith, Sarnia Tp., house burnt on 2nd inst. \$648, loss in full, and Allen Knight, Somers Tp., house burnt on 8th inst. \$516, loss in full. Mr. John A. Hodgins, Plympton, was also paid \$105 for damage to house and contents by fire. The total destruction of dwelling was prevented by the strenuous fight put up by neighbors, who were quick called by phone, to raise the limit.

The sum of \$1000 was granted to be divided equally between the Patriotic Fund and the Red Cross Society. The revision and amendment of the bylaws was commenced but not completed owing to lack of time. It is the intention of the Board however, to raise the limit payable for stock killed by lightning.

## Kelowna, N. B.

We have received from Mr. Geo. Mackenzie, formerly of Watford, a copy of the Kelowna Record from which we glean some interesting information about that thriving town. Speaking of the output of the district during the past year the paper says that there has been shipped by the local wholesale houses some twenty-thousand tons of produce, exclusive of individual and express shipments, which would probably add another five to ten thousand tons more. The Kelowna Creamery took first prize for butter prints at the B. C. dairy competition. We also notice that The Mackenzie Co., Limited, of which Mr. Geo. Mackenzie is head, was successful in gaining a prize for the best dressed grocery window, in a contest open to the whole of Canada, given by the Canadian Grocer. That paper commenting on the contest says that the display would have done credit to any of our larger city stores. Mr. Mackenzie is to be congratulated on his many friends in Watford and vicinity will be pleased to hear of his success.

## Funeral of Mrs. Donald McGibbon

The funeral of Mrs. Donald McGibbon, wife of Dr. Donald McGibbon, of Edmonton, took place from Watford to the Arkona cemetery on Sunday, Feb. 18th. She was buried beside her only little son, Donald, who died five years ago, and from the shock of whose death she never recovered.

The deceased was the daughter of the late Wm. Christian of Lambeth and Oil City, and was 44 years of age at the time of her death.

The remains were accompanied to their last resting place by Dr. Donald and Dr. James A. McGibbon. Those in attendance at the funeral were Rev. Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Macdonald, of Toronto; Miss Jean Macdonald, Mr. Gordon and Master Donald Macdonald, Mrs. Mick, of Massey; Dr. Geo. C. McGibbon, of Honeywood; Miss Mary McGibbon, of New Orleans; Mr and Mrs. G. B. McPherson, of Ridgetown; Dr. and Mrs. E. B. Blain, of Forest; Mr. Geo. R. Cameron and Dr. Corrigan, of Strathroy; Mrs. D. G. McQueen, wife of the Rev. Dr. McQueen, of Edmonton, a life long friend of the deceased.

The mother, Mrs. Christian, was sick at the home of her daughter Mrs. (Dr.) Gaudier at Clinton, and was unable to be present.

Besides her husband deceased leaves three little daughters—Alice aged 18 months, Jean aged four years and Isabel aged seven, to mourn her removal from her earthly home.

The funeral services at the grave were conducted by the Rev. Dr. Macdonald.

The death occurred at Forest, last week of Mrs. Emma Trott, widow of the late John Scott, in her 70th year.

## WARWICK.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Higgins attended the funeral of Mr. Robert Fitzsimmons near Arkona.

On account of the anniversary in connection with the Watford Methodist Church next Sunday, Feb. 25th, the service in Zion Methodist Church, 2nd line east, will be withdrawn.

All the people of Warwick Township are invited to come to the supper and entertainment in the Watford Methodist Church on Monday evening next, Feb. 26th.

**Watford Electric Light**

Watford Council is being put in a rather poor light by the following item which has appeared in a number of Western Ontario papers:—

"On account of the refusal of Watford council to comply with request of the Chambers Commission for a 5 per cent. increase on all electricity used, the town is likely to be without lights until the installation of hydro."

The fact of the matter is that 50 per cent. increase was asked, not 5, and further that the town was without light for only one night, until an agreement was arrived at between the Council and the Chamber's Estate. The 50 per cent. increase is in force for commercial and residence lighting, but the Council has consented to have the service shut down at 10 o'clock each evening except Saturday. The reason the town has been in darkness this week is the lack of fuel.