

Guide-Advocate

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WARWICK.

Miss Downie, Toronto, is the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Shore.

Mr. Ad. Higgins, wife and daughter, Helens, spent the week end in Petrolia.

Mr. Fred L. Kaley, of the Merchants' Bank, Berlin, spent the holiday at his home on the fourth line.

Silk and lawn babies' bonnets, 35c to \$1.00.—SWIFTS.

Miss Mary McCormick, teacher Petrolia, and her sister Ella, of Forest, spent the week end with friends here.

Mr. George Brent, Jr., was confined to the house with a severe attack of influenza, but is able to be out again.

Miss Ada Coughlin, of London, accompanied by Misses Lily Le Galley and Anna Walker spent the 24th at the home of Mr. John Coughlin, second line.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Ford, Corunna; Mrs. R. Rowell and Miss Jessie Trot, Petrolia, motored over and spent the holiday with Mr. J. E. Collier, 2nd line.

Decoration Day will be held at Bethel Monday, May 31. All who have friends buried in the cemetery there are invited to meet in the afternoon to look after their plots.

The Warwick township S. S. Convention will be held in Bethel church, Wednesday, June 16th. Two sessions will be held at 2 p.m. and 7.45 p.m. All are cordially invited.

The Rev. S. P. Irwin, rector of Watford, will (D.V.) preach next Sunday, May 30th, morning and evening, in St. Mary's church, Warwick, and afterwards in St. Paul's church, Warwick, in the interest of missions.

Messrs. John Brent, of Kerrobert, Sask., and Will, of Edmonton, Alberta, were summoned home on account of the serious illness of their father, Mr. Geo. Brent. Mr. Brent is in his 82nd year and his recovery is not looked for.

22 pieces of wide hair ribbon, special sale, 10 cents.—SWIFTS.

Jacob Thrower and family, of Kingscourt, have moved to Stratroy, and taken up their residence in John McPherson's place on Victoria street north, just outside of the corporation, which he recently purchased.—Stratroy Dispatch.

A meeting of the Women's Patriotic League will be held at the home of Mrs. T. F. Wordsworth, Main road, on Wednesday, June 2nd, at 2 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to the ladies of the township to be present, and contributions gladly accepted.

A patriotic concert will be held in the Orange Hall, Warwick Village, on Tuesday, June 2nd. Mrs. Bier, A.T.C.M., vocalist; Miss McIntosh, violinist; Utoster mme quartette; Mr. D. Galbraith, and others will assist in the program. Admission 25c. Proceeds in aid of the Red Cross Fund.

On May 7th Miss M. Katharine Saunders of this place and Miss Eva M. Berryhill, of London Ont., graduated from the training school for nurses in connection with the Washington Sanatorium, Mt. Clemens, Mich. A graduation dinner was given in honor of the young ladies and diplomas, medals, etc. presented. Miss Saunders is still in the city on special duty at the Sanatorium.

One of the earliest settlers of Warwick township, in the person of James Robinson, died at Pelee Island on Monday, May 17th, aged 77 years. Deceased was born in Warwick and spent a great part of his life there, on a farm on the 2nd line. For a few years past he has been living in Forest, and about a month ago went to Pelee Island to spend a few weeks. He was unmarried and is survived by one sister, Mrs. Geo. Karr, Forest.

The meeting of the Women's Patriotic League at the home of Mrs. Thomas Newell was attended by fifty enthusiastic workers. The donations in money amounted to \$30.25, and the donations in pillow cases, etc., together with goods purchased and made up at the meeting filled three large boxes, which contained the following articles:—30 pillows, 40 pillow cases, 15 sheets, 15 hospital night shirts, 350 mouth wipes, 164 face cloths, 19 dozen handkerchiefs, 21 bandages, 5 blankets, 12 quilts, quantities of old cotton and flannel.—SNC'V.

Six pieces of blue and black worsted suiting at old prices. Suits to order, \$20.00 to \$25.00.—SWIFTS.

The following appeared in the local column of the last issue of the Christian Guardian. "Rev. F. L. Farewell B. A. has been appointed successor to Rev. Dr. Hare as principal of Ontario Ladies' College, Whithy. Mr. Farewell has been engaged in our Sunday School and Epworth League work for the past six years. His many friends will wish him a most successful career in his new sphere of toil." Mr. Farewell is well-known to many in this district having conducted Sunday School Institutes here. He is a cousin of Mrs. W. H. Luckham's.

During the high wind last Thursday fire completely destroyed the only dwelling house in Kingscourt, which was the property of the Grand Trunk Railway, and occupied by the section foreman, Mr. Hugh Cavin. It was a two-story frame building, and having no fire protection in the neighborhood, the building, together with some of the contents, was a total loss. The origin of the fire is a mystery, although it is generally supposed that it ignited from a spark from a locomotive, the house being only a short distance from the track.

A memorial service was held by the Rev. Stevenson in the school house, Kingscourt, on Wednesday evening, May 19th, for John Ward, who was killed

in the recent fighting in France. He took for his text John 14:2. He preached a very able and forcible sermon, which was listened to with intense interest by a large crowd. Jack, although only in Kingscourt for one year previous to enlisting, made many friends with whom he was very popular. The news of his death came as a blow to all who knew him, and his loss is greatly felt and mourned by his many friends in Kingscourt and surrounding parts.

In the death of Esther McClelland, relict of the late J. G. Wadsworth, which occurred on Monday, May 17th, aged 92 years and five months, her many friends and relatives fully and keenly realize their loss. She was a true friend, and her devotion to those she loved would make a bright chapter in any life, but while she has gone from the scenes, the conflicts, the pleasures and joys of life, she will still live in the hearts of those who knew her best. Deceased was born at Warwick Village and was married thirty years ago the 12th of April, to J. G. Wadsworth. They resided in Bosanquet and in Forest, and then went to Calgary, where her husband died on the 6th of June, 1912, after which deceased returned to the east. She is survived by an adopted daughter, Gladys, also by her mother, Mrs. J. McClelland, of Warwick, and by six brothers and two sisters, namely: Hugh, of Calgary; Joseph, of Antigonish, N.S.; George, of Vancouver; Robert, of Stratroy; John and Samuel, of Warwick; Mrs. Wm. Coultis, of Forest, and Margaret, of Warwick. The funeral took place from the residence of her brother Samuel, at 1 o'clock, p.m., on Friday, 21st inst., to Beechwood cemetery, Forest.

The annual closing meeting of the Warwick Women's Institute was held in the Forester's Hall, on May 18th. The meeting being opened with singing, and prayer by the President, the minutes of the preceding meeting were read and adopted. Two quilts were quilted, a box of clothing and bedding packed for the Belgian relief work, also a parcel sheets, pillow covers, bandages and old linen for the Toronto University Hospital at the front. The voluntary cash offering was responded to very generously and was donated to the same hospital work. Great interest has been taken during the year in the Belgian relief work, also sewing, knitting and supplies for the Red Cross. The retiring President, Mrs. D. Auld gave a short address, expressing her appreciation of aid and gratitude for the many kindnesses of the ladies to her. Her call was responded to by the renewal of membership. A number of new names were also added to the list. The new officers for the year are: President, Mrs. James Thompson; Vice-President, Mrs. Minnie; secretary, Mrs. H. Morningstar; assistant secretary, Miss Mabel Minnie; district director, Mrs. A. Auld; home branch, Mrs. D. Ross. The singing of the National Anthem and reading of resolutions by the retiring president brought to a close a very satisfactory and successful year's work.

On Monday evening, May 17th, the people of Warwick Village and vicinity had the splendid opportunity of attending an illustrated lecture on India, given in the Forester's hall by Miss Turner, honorary deputation secretary of the Zenana Bible and Medical Mission. Rev. H. F. Keane acted chairman. Several girls wore Indian costumes, representing an Indian bride, a woman of low caste, a native Christian and a widow. Before showing her views, Miss Turner read a letter that the Warwick branch of the Mission received from the native teacher in Goraphen, whom they are supporting, thanking them for their thoughtfulness and explaining her work. Miss Turner also read a letter that she has lately received from H. R. H. the Duchess of Connaught, in which that honorable lady says:—"Her Royal Highness desires to express to you, and her deputation sec'y of the Zenana Bible and Medical Mission, her great hope that you will meet with a generous response to your appeal for funds in this country. As patroness of the Mission, and also having lived so many years in India, Her Royal Highness fully realizes the admirable work this Mission fulfills. During the terrible war its work must be increasingly heavy, as there will be many young widows and orphans of India's soldiers, who will be left unprotected and unprovided for." The pictures shown were very attractive and interesting, especially those connected with the Nasik Canadian hospital, which was opened last fall. Although this hospital is called "Canadian" \$500 is still needed to pay for the building, and more money is needed for the construction of wards and equipment, without which the hospital work would be ineffective. The Warwick branch contributed \$20 to this hospital last year. No collection was taken at the meeting, but it is hoped that when the Warwick branch needs aid for the continuance of their work, the response will be generous, as no doubt it will, since Miss Turner so ably presented the great need of India's 154 millions of women. A hearty vote of thanks was given Miss Turner for her instructive lecture.

The death took place on Monday, May 17th, of an old and much respected resident of the 12th line, in the person of Mr. Robert Taylor, who had been a resident of the township for over thirty-seven years. Deceased was born in 1826 at Sutzel, Norfolk county, England, and was within a month of eighty-nine years old at the time of his death. He was baptised in the parish church at Scarborough, one of the places of worship damaged at the time of the German raid last fall. He came to this country with his parents when about ten years old, landing at Chippawa. Before coming to Brooke, 37 years ago last fall, he lived for some years in Huron, Perth and Middlesex counties. His wife, who predeceased him 27 years ago, was a Miss Frances Dixon, of Toronto district. He is survived by six sons and one daughter, viz., William D., of Appin; James, of Sarnia township; Robert, of Watford; Benjamin, of Coronation, Alberta; Eli, of Brooke; and Mason C., of Enniskillen; and Mrs. Ormerod, of Alvinston; also by one brother, William Taylor, of Pickering township, and one sister, Mrs. D. Annis, of Scarborough township. Deceased was a Methodist of many years standing and a staunch Conservative. The funeral was held from his late residence, lot 1, con. 12, on Wednesday afternoon, May 19th, to Mount Carmel cemetery, the service being conducted by Rev. Brown, of Alvinston, and Rev. S. P. Irwin, of Watford. The pallbearers were six grandsons. His brother, aged 91 years, came from Toronto to attend the funeral. Friends were also present from Toronto, Appin, Toledo, Sarnia, Camlachie, Brigidon and St. Marys.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS Re the Estate of Russel Hayward, late of Enniskillen Township, Ont., Farmer, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the provisions of the act in that behalf, that all creditors having claims against the estate of the above named Russel Hayward, who died on the 2nd day of May, 1915, are required to send by post prepaid or deliver to the undersigned solicitor for John William Clark and Lucie Mabel Hayward, the executor and executrix, on or before the 28th day of June, 1915, their names and addresses, and full particulars of their claims in writing, and to verify the same by affidavit, and to produce any bond or other security, if any, held by them, and after the said 28th day of June, 1915, the said executor and executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they have had notice, and they will not be liable for the payment of any claim of which they have had no notice.

W. E. FITZGERALD, Solicitor for said executor and executrix.

GREAT CLEARANCE OF LADIES' SUITS AND COATS. A MANUFACTURER'S STOCK AT HALF PRICE. \$20.00 Suits and Coats for \$10.00. \$15.00 Suits and Coats for \$7.50. \$12.50 Suits and Coats for \$6.25. \$10.00 Suits and Coats for \$5.00. Ladies' and Gents' Motor Coats, Direct From Glasgow. A BIG SHIPMENT OPEN TO-DAY. Special Coats for hard wear that keep out the rain, wind and mud. A fine lot of coats for Boys, ages 8 to 15, also Girls' Coats, 10 to 15. The new coat on display now. SWIFT, SONS & CO. DIRECT IMPORTERS.

WANT COLUMN. CORNER store to rent, suitable for jeweler or grocer. Apply at Postoffice, Watford. 28-3. STRAYED into premises of the undersigned, lot 12, 2nd con., Warwick, one large gobbler. Owner can have same by paying for this ad.—BRYCE BROS. PRIVATE and other money to loan on mortgages or farm property. Several dwelling house properties in Watford and some farms in this vicinity for sale. Apply to W. E. FITZGERALD, Solicitor, etc., Watford. FOR SALE—Double corner lot with good frame house, stable, fruit trees, situated corner McGregor and Simcoe streets. Watford. Also good frame house and stable on St. Clair St. Apply to J. F. ELLIOT, Watford. her instructive lecture. The meeting was closed with singing the National Anthem and prayer.

BROOKE Mr. John Davis returned from Pittsburgh, Pa., and has taken a position in Ottawa. There will be service in Chalmers' Presbyterian church on Sunday evening, May 30th, at eight o'clock. The annual lawn social in connection with Christ Church, Sutorville, will be held at the home of Mr. Rich. Williamson on Thursday, June 17th. Keep the date in mind. Wm. Maidment died at the home of his son, W. H. Maidment, Forest, on Sunday night last, aged 74 years. Twenty-five years ago he moved from Warwick to Brooke, and has since resided in that township. Last week he home in Brooke was burned down, and he and Mrs. Maidment went to Forest. He had been suffering with gangrene, and died very suddenly Sunday night. The funeral took place to Beechwood cemetery, the service being conducted by Rev. D. J. Cornish. He is survived by his aged widow and two sons and three daughters.

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BORN. In Brooke on Tuesday, May 25th, 1915, to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McClure, a son (still born). In Brooke on Tuesday, May 25th, to Mr. and Mrs. David Lucas, a daughter. In Brooke on Monday, May 17th, 1915, to Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McLachlan, a daughter. In Brooke on Saturday, May 15th, to Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Annett, a son. In Enniskillen, on Thursday, May 13th, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Drome, a son.

WYOMING Wyoming, May 24.—Mrs. Thomas Steadman, townline, had a nasty fall from the steps at the residence of her son, D. M., of Petrolia, which resulted in a splintered wristbone and several bruises. Mrs. Alexander Wark, mother of Wm. Wark, second line, is seriously ill at her home in Sarnia. Miss Joseph Hall, who resides at Birnam, three miles from Arkona, recently presented her daughter, Mrs. Leslie Kenzie, and her two sons, John and Wm. Hall, Warwick township, each with a new Reo car.

MARRIED. In Arkona on Wednesday, May 12th 1915, by Rev. H. J. Fair, Mr. George E. King, of Brooke, to Ethie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Freese, of Arkona.

Wall Paper BEFORE you decide on that wall papering come into this store and see the latest designs that we have just taken into stock. Much of the value of wall paper depends on effect and artistic combination. Let our experience with hundreds of other customers help YOU. Come in to-day. Have you seen our spring stock of Shoes? Some odd lines clearing out regardless of cost. P. DODDS & SON

Over six hundred pairs of socks have been sent to the front through the Parkhill Women's Institute. Amherstburg is infested with chicken thieves. Citizens are killing their flocks off rather than have them stolen. J. S. Wilkie, Alvinston, who sold his grocery business in that town a short time ago, has purchased a business in Sarnia. THOMAS WARD, aged 87 years, one of the oldest residents of Sarnia township, died at his home Wednesday night after lingering illness. Some of the Kingsville merchants were not satisfied with the Thursday afternoon closing idea, and as a result stores are now open all week. Hugh Sharkey, proprietor of the Hotel Normandy, Petrolia, died last week. He was 45 years old and conducted the Petrolia hotel for eleven years. Mr. Rich J. Avery, a well-known fraternal business man and prominent leader a lengthy illness. He was 55 years old.

MARKET WATFORD. GRAIN AND SEEDS—Wheat, fall, per bush, 1.00. Oats, per bush, .75. Barley, per bush, .75. Beans, per bush, .75. Timothy, .75. Clover Seed, .75. Alsike, .75. PROVISIONS—Butter, per pound, .15. Lard, .15. Eggs, per doz, .15. Pork, .15. Flour, per cwt, .15. Bran, per ton, .15. Shorts, per ton, .15. MISCELLANEOUS—Wood, .15. Hides, .15. Wool, .15. Hay, per ton, .15. VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—Potatoes, per bag, .15. POULTRY—Turkeys, per lb, .15. Chickens, per lb, .15. Ducks, .15. Geese, .15.

Toronto, May 25.—Recd Union stockyards to-day were 774 calves, 734 hogs and 97 lambs. There was a light run of ca Trade was good and active handweight butcher cattle, steady to a shade higher for fresh stuff and steady to firm medium quality. Butcher cow firm. Stocker trade quiet, little inquiry from Canadian few commission orders from side were filled. Strong choice milk cows. Good steady to firm. Sheep and lambs were sell farmer to-day. Hogs firm and about 10c select and long hams, weight To-day's quotations: Extra prime steers, 8.00. Butcher steers, good, 7.50. do, medium, 7.25. do, common, 6.50. Butcher cows, choice, 6.50. do, good, 5.50. Butcher bulls, choice, 6.75. do, good, 6.25. do, medium, 5.75. Feeders 900 to 1,000 lbs., 7.00. do, bulls, 5.50. Stockers, 7.00. do, medium, 6.25. do, light, 5.25. Canners, 3.75. Cutters, 4.50. Milkers, choice, each, 60.00. Springers, each, 50.00. Calves, veal, 8.00. do, medium, 7.00. do, common, 6.00. Yearling lambs, 7.00. Spring lambs, 5.00. Bucks, 3.75. Ewes, light, 5.00. Sheep, heavy and bucks, 3.50. Hogs, weighed off cars, 9.75. do, fed and watered, 8.40. do, f. o. b., 9.00.

High School Note Extracts from the report of J. A. Houston on his recent visit Watford High School.— VALUE OF EQUIPMENT Reference library, \$20; supply reading library, 10; scientific apparatus, 476; art models, 50; biologic mens, 35; equipment for physics, 15; (The last three have been increased) maps, charts, globes. Total, \$1386. ORGANIZATION 1. Ratio of pupils to teachers 2. Division of duties among satisfactory. 3. Provisions for teaching the time-table makes sufficient for all the subjects. MISCELLANEOUS 1. Staff all legally qualified. Wales holds a Barton certificate. 2. Discipline—Good. 3. Attendance—All regular. 4. Text books all authorized. 5. Registers. Daily proper. General register entered and in date. 6. English literature texts in school. Satisfactory description. 7. Supplementary reading from posted lists. 8. Signed resolution in La French. Provided for. CHARACTER OF THE TEACH The branches graded were either I. or I-II. CHARACTER OF PUPILS' WORK 1. Reading. Form I. 21 g fair, 5 poor. Reading. Form good, 12 fair, 2 poor, 0 bad. 2. Writing. Form I. 15 g fair, 10 poor, 0 bad. 3. Spelling. Form I. 15 g fair, 11 poor. 4. Work in Art. Work in g