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***************** LOCAL HAPPENINGS

**************** THE GUIDE-ADVOCATE welcomes all items of interest for this column Ca:1 Phone 11, send by mail or drop item in GUIDE-ADVOCATE LetterBox.

THE new Hats for men are \$3.50, \$4.00

and \$5.00.-Swift's. LAMBTON has eighteen barristers, three of whom are members of the C. E. F. THE next session of the Watford Division Court will be on March 7th.

THE Armory flag is at half mast in honor of the late Sir Wilfrid Lanrier. MR. E. J. GRIFFITH, Windsor, was Watford visitor last Thursday.

LET us show you our new Spring Wall-paper.-J. W. MCLAREN. THE new Ginghams and Prints to hand .- Swift's.

MISS CASSIE MCINTYRE, Parkhill, is wisiting Mrs. Jos. A. McManus

MISS MINIELLY is attending the millinery openings at Toronto this week.

LEAVE your order NOW at Morningthe new ready-to-wear Suits are \$16.50, \$18.50, \$21.00 hnd \$27.50.

THERE will be service in the Congregational Church next Sunday, morning and evening, and at Zion at 2.45 p.m.

MRS. J. W. MCLAREN and Miss Nellie Hawn are attending the Rexall Drug Clerks' Convention in Toronto this week. THE members of Tecumseh Chapter I. O. D. E. are giving a tea in the basement of Trinity Church this (Thursday) aftermoon to the ladies who took part in the patriotic knitting contest held recently.

FLOWGLAZE—a new enamel for inside or outside use, including buggies and autos. It has a greater covering capacity than paint, at the same price Just the thing for rug borders and floors.—N. B.

HOWDEN EST. The Village of Watford paid \$3,164.19 in county rates in 1918; the township of Warwick \$23,044.74: the township of Brooke \$24,537.43 and the town of Forest

THE Toronto World says retailers can mot reduce the price of the tobacco they sell; if they do, and are found out, they

will be unable to get further supplies from the wholesalers. READ our ad, on page 4 and see our windows for real bargains in Shoes. A great opportunity for you to save some money.—P. Dodb's & Son.

THE Rev. R. Watson who preached so acceptably in the Baptist Churches of this district last Sunday will again conduct service next Sunday, at Wyoming at 11 a. m., Calvary at 3 p. m., and Watford at 7 p. m. ford at 7 p. m.

AT the meeting of the Ontario Fairs Association held at Toronto last week,
Mr. John Farrell, honorary president of
the Bast Lambton Agricultural Association, was elected first vice-president, and
Mr. D. Evans of Strathroy was appointed
representative to the Western Fair.

Motor Oil, is higher in price, but we have your supply here for you at the old price, 20c a quart, 75c a gallon or 5 gals. price, 20c a quart, 75c a gallon or 5 gals. for \$3 40. Bring your caus. — The N. B. HOWDEN EST.

W. N. FLEETHAM, Barber, has secured an agency from the Aylmer Steam Laun-dry and shipments are made every Tues-day morning and returned to Watford Friday. Excellent service in Dry Cleaning and pressing at most reasonable rates. Your patronage solicited.

LAMBTON'S 149 I. O. D. E. entertained AMBTON'S 149 J. O. D. E. entertained about one hundred invited guests at a progressive enchre party in the Music Hall on Tuesday evening. After playing cards for a couple of hours a tasty lunch was served. Those who were fortunate enough to be present are indebted to the ladies of the Chapter for a very enjoyable evening.

LET us prove to you that it's cheaper to buy Wall Paper at home. Over 100 samples to choose from.—J. W. McLAR-

Now that the Dominion government has decided to go on with the erection of public bnildings as a part of after war reconstruction and as a means of creating work for the unemployed, would it not be well for the Watford Council to apbe well for the Walford Council to approach the government in regard to the erection of the new postoffice here. The site was purchased, the plans and specifications made and the money voted by parliament before the war broke out, so there does not seem to be any good reason why the erection of the building should not be proceeded with this coming spring. Let the matter be taken up ing spring. Let the matter be taken up with the government without delay.

MAY TAG Electric Washer \$90.00, or with gasoline motor \$95.00. Without motor but with pulley for gasoline engine, \$50.00. We will be glad to show this machine,—N. B. HOWDEN EST.

Wyoming's flax mill is now an assured wyoming's flax mill is now an assured fact. Nicholson & Sons will build on South Broadway at once and when equipped the plant will employ 14 hands, The Company will spend \$25,000 before receiving any returns. The municipality will grant the company exemption of taxes, with the exception of school tax, and will imprish the greatly used in the and will furnish the gravel used in the construction of the mill, free of charge.

THE new white waistings are here.

SPECIAL PRAYERS were offered up in all the local churches last Sunday that the deliberations of the Peace Conference may result in world-wide and perman-

cent peace.

THE regular meeting of the Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. McKercher on Wednesday evening, Feb. 11th, President presiding. Meeting opened in the usual way by singing the "Maple Leaf." A communication was read by the Sect'y from Mrs. Adam Beck appealing to all the different societies for money for the sick and wounded Canadian boys from overseas. This branch donated \$10.00 to this fund, also \$50, to Watford Memorial Fund. Miss Mattie Dowding played an instrumental very nicely. Mrs. Letherland a recitation and Miss McKercher and Mrs. J. Humphries a reading. Meeting closed by singing the National Anthem. Next meeting at Mrs. H. Humphries.

LADIES—Have a look at the New York

LADIES—Have a look at the New York tashion plates. Get your orders in for spring suits.—SWIFT'S Tailoring Dept.

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ALVINSTON CITIZENS will present every returned soldier with a gold medal suspended by a chain from a gold bar. There will be about 30 medals required and the cost will be \$8 each. Brooke Tp., it is expected, will do the same for the township boys returning home. The medals will be presented at a joint assembly when most of the boys have arrived home. Through the efforts of Dr. Martyn, M. P. P., it is hoped that the Minister of Militia can be secured to make the presentations. This presentation will not interfere with the proposed memorial from the town and township, which will stand as a lasting tribute to those who have fallen in war.

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THE first meeting of the Union Literary Society of the Watford High School was held on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 18.

The meeting was opened with the singing of the first verse of "O Canada," after which the president gave a short address. William McIlmurray delighted the audience with two of Harry Lauder's favorites "When I get back to Bonnie Scotland" and "Roamin' in the Gloamin'." A very pleasing instrumental solo Scotland" and "Roamin' in the Gloamin'." A very pleasing instrumental solo was given by Miss Mamie Moir, and a reading by Miss Agnes McDougall was much appreciated. Much credit is due to the editor of the High School "Mirror" for the able manner in which she prepared the paper. The meeting was closed with the National Anthem.

SECURE your Shoes at our Big Shoe Clearance. Buy Thrift Stamps with the \$1.50 and \$2 you save Come in this week and let us show you.—P. Dodds &

SON. SERGT. MATTHEW CUNNINGHAM and wife arrived here quietly on No. 1. G. T. R. train on Wednesday night of last week. He came overseas on the trans-port Tunisian which docked a few days previous. He speaks highly of the treatment received on board ship and train and of the warm reception given the men through the Maritime provinces and at many points in Ontario, especially at London. Sergt. Cunningham enlisted in Watford in 1914 and was one of the first contingent of 32 that lett here that memorable August morning of that year. He was married on July 7th, 1917, to Miss A. S. Storer of Rothesay, Scotland, where both were born. He saw considerable service in France. A hearty welcome is extended to Sergt. Cunning-ham and his life partner and the wish of his many friends and acquaintances is that happiness and prosperity may be their lot through life.

HEAVY Tweed Trousers, size 38 to 44, large sizes, specially priced, —Swift's.

WARWICK.

Joseph and James Kersey, Reid City, Mich., are visiting Tobias Kersey, 2nd line, Warwick, and other relatives in line, Warwic

Farm for sa'e in Warwick, 150 acres, at Birnam, good buildings and everything complete. Apply to M. L. Kenzie, Forest, P. O. 14 2t

relatives.

In Strathchna Alta., on Feb. 6th, 1919, the sudden death took place of Mrs. Geo. L. McKee, after a week's illness of influenzä, followed by pneumonia. Deceased leaves to mourn her loss, her husband and five small children; her mother Mrs. Hugh Bryce, Warwick; two sisters Mrs. Wm. J. Alusley, Medicine Hat, Alta., and Mrs. H. Moore, Compeer, Alta., also three brothers, Fred, James and Albert, all of Warwick, Ont. The funeral was conducted by the Rev. Mr. McGougan and was largely attended. Floral tributes were received from the family, Knox church Ladies' Aid and many others. The remains were laid at rest in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

A very successful sparrow match was

Goldsmith, about three weeks ago.

There were about twenty-five present and Arthur G. Goldsmith was elected captain for the east end team and Lyie Wever, for the west end team, 6th line, Warwick The arrangements were that the losing side had to pay, for the oyster supper. When the contest closed on Feb. 3rd, the results were as follows:— A Goldsmith's team, sparrows caught 2,774; L. Wever's, team, sparrows caught 2666; L. Wever's, team, sparrows caught 2666; Majority tor Goldsmith 382. The oyster The arrangements were that the losing side had to pay for the oyster supper. When the contest closed on Feb. 3rd, the results were as follows:—A Goldsmith's team, sparrows caught 2.774; L. Wever's, team, sparrows caught 2656; Majority for Goldsmith 382. The oyster supper was held on Thursday evening at the home of A. Wever, 6th line, when a good time was severed. good time was apent by the contestants in music furnished by A. Wever, violin-ist, and games, etc., after which all left tor their homes, reporting a good time.

Junior Progress Club Organized

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At a meeting held Feb. 17th, by the young men of the town, the Jr. Progress Club was organized and the following officers elected:—
Hon. Pres.—Rev. S. P. Irwin
President—P. J. Dodds
Vice-President—Capt. R. H. Stapleford
Hon. Vice-Pres.—J. W. McLaren
Secretary—D. P. Dodds
Treasurer—Ross Restorick
It is the intention of the Club to endeayour to secure the use of the Watford
Armories for gymnastic purposes, and much of the same work as a Y. M. C. A. will be taken up in the way of indoor will be taken up in the way of indoor sports, games, literary and social enter tainment, etc.

Thompson-Moblo

A wedding of great interest to Wellanders was consummated at St. Paul's church, Dunnville, on Wednesday, Febr 12th, at 9.30 a.m., when Miss Madeline Moblo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Moblo, was united in marriage to the Rev. James Thompson, M. A., rector of Holy Trinity church, Welland, by Rev. J. H. Petter, acting rector of the church. J. H. Petter, acting rector of the church. The bride wore a suit of sand colored broadcloth with white fox furs and hat of flowers, and carried a bouquet of fresh spring violets and roses. The choir sang "O Father, All Creating" during the signing of the register. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson left on a honeymoon trip to New York and are followed by the good wishes of hosts of friends in Dunville.

wishes of hosts of friends in Dunnville and Welland.—Welland Telegraph. The groom, Rev. James Thompson was rector of Trinity church, Watford, for three years, 1890-91 and 92.

BROOKE

Miss Allie McCormick, of Watford, is spending a week with her friend Miss Pearl Lucas, Sutorville.

Mrs. J. H. Lucas returned Wednesday, atter spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Will Johnston, London.

Brooke and Alvinston Agricultural Society has a balance on hand of \$536 from last year after paying \$165 on the mortgage.

Farm for sale in Warwick, 150 acres, at Birnam, good buildings and everything complete. Apply to M. L. Kenzie, Forest P. O. 14-2t

The Brooke Telephone System have raised their rates \$1 00 over that of former years. This was unavoidable through the high price of material. Mr. and Mrs Richard Lucas announce

the engagement of their daughter Pearl, to Mr. Fred Peasley, of Brooke, the marriage to take place early in March. The marriage took place at the Baptist

The marriage took place at the Baptist Parsonage, Alvinston, Rev. Pollick offliciating, of Mary Pearl, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Maddock, to Mr. R. H. Chittick, of Brooke. After the ceremony the happy couple left on a short honeymoon to Detroit and other points and on their return they will reside on the farm of the bride's parents, near Walnut. Walnut.

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On Safurday evening a reception was tendered at the home of Mr. Eli Taylor to welcome home four of our returned heroes. Namely—Corp. M. Brain, M. Pte. Willard Brain, Pte. Wilbert Brain, Pte. Leon Palmer. Pte. Sutcliffe a friend of the Brain boys was also present, all of whom have seen active service in France. The evening was spent In Forest, P. O.

Mrs. J. F. Parker received the sad news on Friday last, that her sister-in-law Mrs. Alfred Dormer had passed away on the 10th of Spanish influenza. Her husband was in bed with it at the time and little Margaret just recovering. Mrs. Dormer with her husband and little daughter spent five weeks visiting his sister and old neighbors and friends last fall, and she by her bright and amiable disposition won many friends who extend their sympathy to the sorrowing relatives.

ent, all of whom have seen active service in France. The evening was spent and presentation was made by Ada Lucas and Ruth Davis. After the presentation Corp. Brain responded on behalf of his brothers and comrades and thanked the Speches were given by Messrs. Harry Brain, Richard Williamson, Chester Corp. Brain responded on behalf of his brothers and comrades and thanked the Speches were given by Messrs. Harry Brain, Richard Williamson, Chester Corp. Brain responded on behalf of his brothers and comrades and thanked the Speches were given by Messrs. Harry Brain, Richard Williamson, Chester Corp. Brain responded on behalf of his brothers and comrades and thanked the Speches were given by Messrs. Harry Brain, Richard Williamson, Chester Corp. Fellows." Lunch was served and the evening was brought to a close by singevening was brought to a close by singing 'The National Anthem.'

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Address and Presentation

A very enjoyable evening was spent at the home of Mr. George Kells, twelfth line east, on Friday, Feb. 14th, when the members of the Willing Workers Patriotic League and their immediate friends gathered together to welcome home the boys who had gone from the vicinity to serve their country in France. Quite a lengthy program had been prepared consisting of recitations, speeches, instrumentals and patriotic songs and pared consisting of recitations, speeches, instrumentals and patriotic songs and owed its success in a great measure to the goodnatured and genial style of the chairman, Mr. Proctor Hall, One very pleasing feature of the program was the song, "When your boy comes back to you," very sweetly rendered by the Junior members of the Willing Workers. Lance-Corporal C. M. Brain and his brothers, Ptes. Will and Burt Brain, were called and each presented with solid gold signet rings and cuff-links. The address was read by Miss Mattie Sawyers and signed by Mrs. John Hall, president, and Mrs. Andrew Page, secretary of the Willing Workers Patriotic League.

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Lance-Corp. C. M. Brain replied of behalf of himself and brothers, thanking the ladies for their kindness in sending them parcels while they were in France and also for the presents which they had into the presents which w just received.

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Messrs. Sawyer O'Hara, John Stonehouse, LaVerne Tanner and Orville Brander were then called and each presented with a gold signet ring and an address read by Miss Mattie Sawyers and signed by the president and secretary.

Mr. John Stonehouse made a very neat reply in behalf of himself and the other boys, thanking the ladies for also remembering them. The program was brought to a close by signing God Save the King.

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A very dainty lunch was then served and the remainder of the evening spent in a real old-time dance, music being furnished by the McMillan Bros. All went home feeling satisfied that they had done their utmost in showing the boys how thankful they were for what they had done for their country and that it had been much appreciated by each and every one of them.

every one of them. Lance-Corporal C. M. Brain and his brothers, Ptes. Will and Burt Brain, all enlisted in the 149th Battalion. They have all been wounded but have returned safely to their home. orp and decorated for bravery on the field. They are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brain, 12th line

WATFORD MEMORIAL COMMITTEE

A meeting of the Watford Memorial Committee was held in the Library on Feb. 12th. Members present, R. E. Johnston, G. Haiper, H. Hollingsworth, Capt. R. H. Stapleford, W. S. Fuller, S. P. Irwin, F. O. McIlveen, T. Roche and J. W. McLaren, On motion the following officers and committees were appointed:—

Permanent President—R. E. Johnston Permanent Secretary-Capt. Stapletore Committee to interview Warwick Council— Rev. S. P. Irwin, T. Roche, F. O. McIlveen, E. A. Brown.

Committee to arrange for subscriptions and collecting of funds—G. Harper, R. E. Johnston, J. W. McLaren, T. Roche. Committee to interview the different ladies' societies and local lodges—W. Connolly, J. W. McLaren.

Le.t We Forget Our Immortal Dead On Flanders rich and sacred soil.

Neath glimmering skies, mid rush and They sleep in peace serene The night winds fan their feverish brow, But naught on earth can harm them now Our mighty soldiers sleep.

They gave the best that men can give They gave their lives that we might live And conquer in the strife: For God, Humanity and Right, They onward went in dreadful fight, Till angels bore them hence.

Be liberal when the call comes for subscriptions for Watford's Memorial for her fallen soldiers.

There are four things that come not back, the spoken word, the sped arrow, the past life and the neglected oppor-tunity.

Let it not be said that Watford negected her opportunities. Get behind the council and boost the

The men and women that are lifting the world upward and onward are thos

that encourage more that criticise. Mrs. Ernest J. Aitken, Mrs. Arthur Thompson, Miss Margaret May McIntyre and Alex. Weatherstone, all of Petrolea, died of influenza last week. Mrs. Milford McIntyre of the Mathaville sideroad, a bride of a tew months, also died of the same dread disease.

SUDDEN DEATH OF SIR WILFRID LAURIER

Distinguished Liberal Leader Passed Away Monday. State Funeral on Saturday.

(Ottawa, Feb. 17th.) Sir Wilfred Laurier, the illustrious leader of the Liberal party of Canada for many years, died at his home on Laurier avenue at 2.50 o'clock this (Monday) afternoon. Death was due to paralysis, the first attack of which he experienced at noon yesterday. There were three successive attacks, causing complete paralysis.

paralysis.

The distinguished stateman had been in particularly good health all the winter contemplating with great interest the intending session of Parliament with its reflective influence upon the political situation. He was out on Saturday and went home in the evening after attending to an always extensive correspondence.

On Sunday morning he had a weak turn followed by a light stroke; at noon there was a second rupture on the brain paralysis

turn followed by a light stroke; at noon there was a second rupture on the brain and though he rallied and regained consciousness, a third attack at midnight carried him to the end. He never regained consciousness, though now and then he would press the hands of those who tenderly administered to him. His death was most peaceful.

The last rites of the Catholic Church were administered during the night by the Rev. LeJeune of the Sacred Heart Church.

Church. Church.

Many personal friends gathered at his home after the news of his serious illness became known. At about noon a marked weakening of his pulse was noticed. The attending physicians declare that it was only his great vitality which kept him alive for so long after the stroke which was in every way serious.

All day and to-night hundreds of cables and telegrams convered to his corrowing

and telegrams conveyed to his sorrowing helpmate expressions of most profound sympathy. Honored in life by the high-est gift at the hands of his countrymen, he will be accorded in death all the tri-bute the state can bestow.

Sir Wilfrid's remains will be buried in

Ottawa, the city of his adoption, to which he had an unswerving devotion. The funeral, under the auspices of the Dominion Government, will take place on Saturday next Saturday next.

Sir Wilfred's Life in Brief

Born: St. Lin. Quebec, November 28, 1841, of Acadian desent on his mother's side. Called to Quebec bar; created K. C.

Member Local Legislative Assembly of Quebec, 1871-1874; Member of House of Commons, 1874-1877, and in House ever since; minister of inland revenue in Mackenzie administration;

leader of Opposition in 1877.
Appointed Liberal leader in 1887;
Prime Minister of Canada from July
1896 to October 1911.

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Appointed member of Privy Council
1897; made G. C. M. G. in 1897;
grand officer of Legion of Honor of
France, 1897; member of Cobden Club and received its gold medal.

In his younger days served with volunteer militia; saw service in last Fenian Raid (medal). Was received in audience by the Pope 1897, 1902, 1907, present as royal guest in Westminster Abbey at coronation of King George and Queen Mary, 1911: at coronation of King

Edward and Queen Alexandra, 1902. Married: Zoe Lafontaine, Montreal, May 18, 1868. Died: Ottawa, February 17, 1919.

CHOP STUFF

It is the intention of the park commission of Walkerville, this year to Eave every tree in Walkerville sprayed wheth-er they are on the boulevards or on private property, and to further this intention they have purchased a large capac-ity metor sprayer. The spraying will be done under the supervision of A. E. Tal-bot, who has been re-appointed San Jose scale inspector.

While sitting near the stove in her home at Walkerville, last Thursday, the clothing of Mrs. Chas. Morand caught fire and she was badly burned before assistance could be rendered.

The residence of Stanley Jones, 16th ideroad, Dawn, near Florence, was troyed by fire at noon, Wednesday, Feb. Very little stuff was saved.

A number of reports are coming in from farmers in the vicinity of Wingham that a number of horses are going blind. It seems to be a disease starting with sore yes and gradually turns to blindness.

Thorold has decided to observe Friday of each week as welcoming day for the soldiers returning home during the previous seven days.

Charles Fletcher, aged 11 years, son of Albert Fletcher, of Ridgetown, was knocked down by an automobile driven by a woman in Detroit and died soon afterwards.

Madeline Cook, 15 months old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Cook of Kingsville, fell into a tub of water and was drowned while the mother was absent from the house for a few minutes.