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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Eggs wanted at Swift's.
Wheat \$1.10, oats 40c, eggs 23-24c, butter 40c.

W. E. Fitzgerald was in London on Monday on business.

Miss P. J. Petty of Guelph, is visiting her niece, Mrs. C. G. Leigh.

I. J. Hastings made a big shipment of wagon axles to Winnipeg last week.

Miss Annetta Landon, Ottawa, is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. H. W. Nixon.

Have you seen the new Wall Papers, it is no trouble to show you.—P. Dodds m23-2t

Dorothy Dalton will be presented at the Lyceum next Thursday in "The Siren Call."

Petrola baseball players will not enter the Lambton League but will form a town league.

Life would be easier if with a four-cylinder salary we did not have a six-cylinder idea of living.

Mrs. M. Temple, London, spent a few days last week with Mrs. J. Temple and other friends.

Perrin-Kayser—Silk Gloves and hose.—A. Brown & Co.

Mr. G. R. Temple, Cochrane, spent the weekend with his uncle Mr. J. Temple and Mrs. S. Smith.

Some men are born fortunate, others achieve fortune, and some have hard coal thrust upon them.

Mr. Bert Taylor of Guelph spent a few days this week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Taylor.

This old fashioned winter linked up with a new fashioned price for coal makes a pretty bad combination.

Monarch Knitting Yarns, all shades and qualities.—Swift's.

I remember, I remember, a happy day, how gone, when hard coal was considered dear at seven dollars a ton.

The melancholy days have come, the saddest of the year; we've eaten all our canned preserves and fresh fruit isn't here.

Dr. McGillicuddy received word Tuesday that his brother, Dr. James McGillicuddy, Lansing, Mich., is critically ill.

Our Easter shoes are all here. Call in and let us show you the very latest styles. The prices will please you.—P. Dodds 23m-2t

Bring the kiddies to the Lyceum Tonight (Thursday) to see "The Top of New York" which has a wonderful appeal to children.

The person who contributes something "just to help fill the paper," should call around and take a look at the waste paper basket.

The New Bertha Laces, six patterns.—Swift's Easter Display.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Harrison, Petrola and Mr. H. Madden, Abbotsford, Mich., were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Aylesworth.

The saying that Cleanliness is next to Godliness is illustrated by the Saturday night bath coming just before the Sunday morning church.

If your storage battery is "dead" are you stalled? Not if you have a Ford, the car with a magnet. Buy yours early.—Ray Morningstar. d23

Six volumes of the Cyclopaedia of Applied Electricity and some miscellaneous volumes have been presented to the Public Library by Mr. F. W. Mahony.

Open today Bachelor Suits with 2 pair trousers—Art Kraft—four styles.—Swift's Easter Display.

Main street pavement had a good cleaning up this week, drain basins and all. There was a big accumulation of dirt gathered during the winter to be carted away.

The weather man is showing his spring samples. The wholesale millinery houses are also displaying their spring wares. Both are changeable and apt to give one a chill.

Are you putting stamps on receipts for ten dollars or more? And if so, are you cancelling the stamps? Either omission may involve you in a police court case and a fine.

Mr. W. H. Luckham brought into town Monday and sold to W. W. Edwards two seven months old calves which tipped the scales at 1780 pounds. They were shipped to Toronto.

Wednesday, according to the calendar, was the first day of Spring. The weather here was mild and bright with light southeast wind. This is said to predict an early Spring.

The services at Calvary and Watford Baptist churches next Sunday, the 25th inst., will be at 3.00 and 7.00 p.m., as usual and will be conducted by Mr. Russell F. Anderson.

The Young People's Society of the Watford Presbyterian Church will give the comedy "Blundering Billie" in the Lyceum, Thursday and Friday, April 12th and 13th. Reserve this date and enjoy a good evening.

Wilton, Axminster, Brussels and Tapestry Rugs placed in stock this week.—A. Brown & Co.

All members of Peabody Lodge No. 99, I.O.O.F. are requested to be present Monday evening, March 26, at the regular meeting.—L. Harper, Sec.

The new dress buckles, berthala lace in gold and silver, cream and white.—Swift's.

Mr. Fred Landon, chief librarian, London Public Library, will address the Reading Club, Friday evening, in the Public Library basement on Canadian Authors and Canadian Literature. All interested are welcome.

J. W. Bengough, well known Canadian crayon and chalk artist, who gave a performance in Watford last year, recently suffered a stroke and will not be able to give any more entertainments.

Call in and see our Wall Paper and let us give you figures on that room you will be surprised.—P. Dodds 2t

Lieut.-Col. W. A. McCrimmon, director of the cadet service in this military district since 1912, has been transferred to District No. 2, the senior district. Lieut.-Col. Gillespie of Kingston will succeed him on April 1st.

For Men—Suits made to your measure from highest grade all wool British worsted—blue, black grey or fancy. \$36.00.—A. Brown & Co.

The Farmers' Co-operative store has moved to the store lately occupied by W. R. Earley on the west side of Main street. Their old site will be occupied by W. H. Brown, plumber, who has purchased the building from Sterling Saunders.

The death occurred on Monday last at her residence, Rachel street, Watford, of Elizabeth Carter, wife of Thomas Saunders, aged 74 years. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at St. James cemetery, Brooke, Rev. J. H. Hosford conducting the service.

Nifty Easter Dresses in silk, serge and canton crepe.—Swift's Easter display.

Miss McGregor, Travelling secretary of the Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church in Canada will deliver an address on Friday evening, March 23rd, at 8 o'clock in the Presbyterian church. All are cordially invited to hear Miss McGregor's address.

Part III of the Watford Voters' List for 1922 has been printed and posted up in the usual places. This list contains the names of women voters and is the one that will be used at the provincial election to be held this year. If interested see that your name is properly recorded.

Smart styles in Easter millinery.—A. Brown & Co.

The Sarnia Observer's report of the Masonic dance held in that city last week says: "Among the visitors which included many from outside the city, was Rich. Williamson of Watford, district deputy grand master, who entered into the festivities and addressed the dancers during the supper hour."

A goodly number of members of all denominations took supper with the ladies of the Presbyterian church at the home of Mrs. T. G. Mitchell on Friday March 16th. The rooms were decorated in green, the Shamrock being much in evidence. The waitresses were dressed in white with green. An excellent hot supper was served. Proceeds \$51.80.

Our patent oxford and strap slippers with suede trimming and our satin slippers are the very newest and very reasonable in price.—P. Dodds. m23-2t

A visitor inquired of his host's little son, "Do you go to school now?" "Yes sir!" "And what do you learn—reading, writing and sums?" "Oh, yes, and I learn religion, too." "Religion?" "Yes, I learn the religion that teaches that we all come from Adam. But my elder brother is in a higher class; he learns the religion that teaches that we all come from monkeys."

Church financial reports are a good barometer of the times, for if money is tight and unemployment is rampant, it does not take long for the church reports to reflect such a condition. Judged on that basis the splendid financial statements presented by the churches of this and other towns lately reflected a very pleasing state of affairs for in nearly every instance they show greater revenue than a year ago. A very healthy state of affairs in thus revealed.

A special purchase of Easter Coats for Misses and High School Students the price \$12.50 to \$15.75, city stores ask more.—Swift's Easter Display.

The Lake View hotel, Grand Bend, has been purchased by an American syndicate who will erect a 200 room hotel on the site.

Prof. A. Laude, a massage artist, residing on Albert street, London, poured carbolic acid on the back of Stirling S. Tobias of Petrola on May 8 last when Tobias was taking treatment at his office, and the mistake cost Laude \$1,200 and costs, according to the verdict of the Supreme Court jury, which discussed damages for one hour Tuesday morning before bringing in a verdict. Tobias asked for \$3,000 damages.

The New Congoileum patterns now in stock. The smallest mat to largest rug.—A. Brown & Co.

Jazz and late hours are not good for the student who is backward in his or her duties; the staff at the Sarnia Collegiate has decided, and is recommending to parents that girls and boys whose studies do not show evidence of normal application and progress, be permitted to take no part in dancing and other social activities either inside or outside the school.

When you buy a Haws Hat it is a good hat.—Swift's.

The county of Lambton municipal and legal directory for the year 1923 has just been published and is being distributed to county and other officials by sheriff A. J. Johnston. This publication, authorized by the county council, contains much valuable information regarding county business, names of officials, dates of court sittings, etc. This is the 24th year of publication.

LANTERN PICTURES. Beautiful slides of "Across Canada, in Home Mission Work, will be shown in the Cong'l Church on Sunday evening, following the regular church service. It is Home Missionary Sunday and a special offering for Home Mission work will be taken up at the conclusion of the pictures. The pictures will commence shortly before 8.30 p.m. Friends from other churches will be in time after their own church services. All are welcome. The regular services as usual at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m., the pastor, Rev. T. DeCourcy Rayner, will preach at both services.

Young Men's Snappy Suits ready to wear for Easter.—Swift's.

The March meeting of the W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. T. G. Mitchell, Wednesday evening, March 14th. Present, Mrs. Hamptries, in the chair, meeting opened by singing the Institute Ode. Roll call was answered by 27 members on St. Patrick, four visitors were also present. The Canadian Home Journal was donated to the Public Library to be laid on the table. The members appointed to represent the Women's Institute on the Cemetery Board are Mrs. T. G. Mitchell, Mrs. P. J. Dodds and the President, Mrs. Wm. Howden gave a good reading entitled "Aunt Susan's Social Ambitions", also a solo by Miss Cameron. Mrs. Harry Mihell of Strathroy, gave a very interesting talk on her trip last year to Oberammergau, Bavaria, and telling of her travels and also taking in the Passion Play in that place, her talk was very much appreciated by all present. The singing of God Save the King brought the meeting to a close after which home-made candy was served.—Sec.

The new Camisole lace, 60c complete.—Swift's.

SALE OF BAKING
Lambton's 149 I.O.D.E. will hold a sale of home made baking on Saturday at 4 p.m. in the former Farmers' Co-operative Store. Come early.

ODDFELLOWS DANCE & EUCHRE
A dance and euchre will be held in the Armory on Thursday, March 29, under the auspices of Peabody Lodge No. 99, I.O.O.F. Music by Petrela orchestra. Dancing from 9 to 2. Refreshments. Tickets \$1.50 a couple.

BIG TENNIS DANCE
Keep the date open, Thursday, April 5th. The Tennis Club is putting on a dance with Petrola's Six Piece orchestra supplying the music. Every one welcome. The proceeds go towards building two new tennis courts west of the Armory. Come and help the young people of the town take a step forward in athletic activities. Tickets couple \$1.00, extra lady 50c.

CANADIAN FORESTERS'
A meeting of members of the Canadian Order of Foresters will be held in the C.O.F. Hall, Watford, on Friday evening, March 23rd, at 8 o'clock, to discuss the proposed raise in assessment rates. A number of the Legislative Committee of the High Court will be present and give full information concerning the proposal and answer all questions relative to the same. Representatives from Arkona, Warwick and Brooke have been invited to be present. As this matter vitally concerns the finances of the Order every member should endeavor to be present.

"SAY IT WITH PEONIES"
At a recent meeting of the executive of the Watford Horticultural Society it was decided to make the Peony Watford's Emblematic flower—it is a flower of ancient lineage having been brought to a high state of perfection in China—The Flowery Kingdom—over 2000 years ago. Our soil and climate are well adapted for its growth, a strong feature in its favor is that once planted it is practically permanent and with only moderate attention will go on increasing in size and beauty from year to year—when not in bloom it is as ornamental as a shrub and is not subject to injury by insects.

The Horticultural Society purpose importing from Holland a shipment of roots this fall—better results are attained by planting in the fall—and it is hoped that every householder will give an order for at least one or two roots and in a few years our village will be noted for its Peonies and thus attract visitors to see the peonies when in bloom. Watford even now is often spoken of as being one of the neatest and most attractive villages of its size in Canada. Nowhere you go will you see such well kept streets and boulevards backed by attractive homes and well attended lawns, but still there is plenty of room for further improvement.

The Horticultural Society will do what they can, with the limited means at their disposal, to beautify some of the unsightly public places, but for the rest it largely rests with the individual, and surely in a place where over 90 per cent of the people occupy their own homes, it ought not to be hard to create a spirit of friendly rivalry as to who will have the most attractive surroundings. The officers of the society will always be pleased to give all the assistance in their power in the laying out of grounds and advice as to the varieties of trees, shrubs, and flowers most suitable for planting and by ordering through the Society, you will be sure of getting them at a lower price than if ordered in any other way. The Horticultural Society are offering very generous premiums and it is hoped everyone will make it a point to become a member and thus help along a worthy cause.

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