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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

THE GUIDE-ADVOCATE welcomes all items of interest for this column. Call Phone 11, send by mail or drop item in GUIDE-ADVOCATE Letter Box.

ASK no rest; we have a victory to win. FOR USED CARS SEE RAY MORNINGSTAR.

WATFORD COUNCIL meets Monday next.

THE new hats and caps for 24th May.—SWIFT'S.

FORD TIRES at \$15.00 and up.—R. MORNINGSTAR.

WHAT will the girls do now that the Food Board has forbidden the making of fudge and homemade candy?

AN ITEM in one of the county papers states that:—Lizzie Ford is out on the rambles again this spring.

THERE will not be any morning service in Trinity church next Sunday on account of the Rector being away.

SEED CORN—90% of better germination. \$4.25 bus. at MATTHEWS & CO.

A RUMOR comes from Africa that some German tyrant has been boiled in oil. That is what one might call a hard oil finish.

DURING 1918 Orillia will pay each P. S. teacher a war bonus, males \$100, females \$50. Amherstburg is paying each teacher \$100.

SOME EDITORS are writing articles on "The Next War." Would it not be wise to get through with the present war before considering the next one?

LADIES' get your suits for 24th May.—SWIFT, SONS & CO.

THE regular monthly meeting of Tecumseh I.O.O.F. will be held at the home of Mrs. C. Howden on Tuesday, May 7th, at 3 o'clock. Quotations on gardening.

A REPORT has it that Emperor William has ordered that no more Belgian church bells be destroyed. Bill needs them for ringing out the news of Prussian "victories."

IF you can't come Thursday evening come Friday evening, to hear the song by "The Music Committee" in "The New Minister."

ACCORDING to the amendments to the Ontario Temperance Act passed at the last session, the penalty now for being intoxicated in a public place is not less than \$200 and up to \$1,000.

"I'M CHAGRINED," complained the dollar.

"When I get inside a store; For I feel so small and futile And embarrassed—since this war!"

SPECIAL showing of navy and black skirts \$4.00 to \$7.50.—SWIFT'S.

IT IS STATED that as many shells have been fired during three hours of the great German offensive as in the whole of the year 1870. Hindy is running a shell game in more ways than one.

SOME of the best reading in this week's GUIDE-ADVOCATE is the merchants' advertisements. You can quickly save enough to pay a year's subscription by studying the announcements in this issue.

THE REV. CANON HILL, of Petrolia, will preach in the interest of Missions in Trinity church next Sunday evening. Rev. S. P. Irwin, will preach in London on Sunday next at All Saints, church and the Church of the Redeemer.

GET in your clothing orders for 24th May.—SWIFT'S TAILORING DEPT.

THE regular meeting of the Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. Dodds on Wednesday evening, May 8th. All members requested to be present as it is renewal of membership and officers for the year.—SEC'Y.

THE QUARTERLY MEETING of the Lambton County Medical Society will be held in the Foresters' Hall, Watford, on Wednesday next, May 8th, when papers will be given by Dr. Reid of Wyoming and Dr. Brown of Camlachie.

DO NOT DELAY in getting your needs of Seed Corn. Leaming, Red Cob and Southern Sweet \$4.25 per bus. Supply is limited.—MATTHEWS & CO.

ANYBODY who discovers cases of waste of food may notify the legal authorities who have power, under the new order, to take action. Wifely or careless waste has become illegal, and municipalities who secure the conviction receive half the fine.

THE NEW G. T. R. TIMETABLE which came into effect on Sunday gives Watford four eastbound trains daily, at 7:38 and 11.16 a. m., and 2.58 and 5.16 p. m. The westbound ones leave at 8.44 a.m., 1.16 and 6.44 p. m. The public will welcome the return of the 5.16 on the timetable.

IT IS FUNNY from the time the curtain goes up, so come early to the Lyceum Thursday evening, to see "The New Minister."

THE SACRAMENT of the Lord's supper will be administered in connection with the morning service next Sunday in the Methodist church. The preaching service will commence at 11 o'clock, but the fellowship service will start at 10.15 o'clock. It is hoped that these services will be largely attended by all the members.

LADIES' house dresses, special value.—SWIFT'S.

THE new blouses in silk and georgette crepe.—SWIFT'S.

ATTENTION is directed to the ad. of P. J. Dodds on page four. For one month only a big reduction will be made in all boots and shoes in order to reduce the stock.

NURSING SISTER R. F. KEED, of Watford, who has been in England and France for the past two years, arrived in Canada on Tuesday on furlough and is expected in Watford to-day.

DON'T miss the musical comedy "The New Minister" on Thursday and Friday evenings May 2nd, and 3rd, given under the auspices of Lambtons I. O. O. F., in the Lyceum. Admission 35c. and 50c., children 25 cents.

AMONG the Customs changes announced this week is a tax of ten cents a pound on tea and a large increase on coffee and tobacco. Among the Excise changes is a one hundred per cent. increase in the taxes on cigars, cigarettes and tobacco. Automobiles will be taxed ten per cent. of their selling value.

MR. E. D. SWIFT received a cable message on Monday from his daughter, Mrs. Clayton Fuller, of St. Leonard, England, stating that his son, Lieut. R. Dimond Swift, who is with the forces in France, had been slightly wounded and is now in a French hospital. The official notification has not yet been received.

NOTE OF THANKS.—The ladies of the committee of Tecumseh I. O. O. F., covered by Mrs. E. D. Swift, wish to thank all who so kindly assisted by help and donations, and the ladies from the country, who handed in such splendid maple sugar for our gallant boys at the front, at the shower on Tuesday eve, which, notwithstanding, owing to inclement weather, was a great success.

LARGE STOCK of white wear at old prices.—SWIFT'S.

FORTY-ONE PARCELS were sent overseas from Tecumseh I.O.O.F. this week. The packing was done at the home of Mrs. N. B. Howden on Tuesday afternoon. The boxes contain two pairs socks, gum, tobacco, oxa, maple sugar, towel and khaki handkerchief, and are valued at \$3.50, exclusive of postage. The ladies wish to thank all who contributed money or gifts for the boxes.

MR. CLAYTON DUFF, the talented cartoonist, died at his home in Bluevale last week. He had been an invalid for over 15 years and did his work in bed during all that time. In 1915 he drew a series of recruiting sketches, some of which appeared in the Guide-Advocate in connection with the recruiting of the 149th Battalion. He was gifted as a poet as well as an artist.

HOG FEED.—We have on hand a quantity of special hog feed made of corn, shorts and tankage—\$58.00 a ton.—MATTHEWS & CO.

AFTER holding to the old time for two weeks the hands of the official clocks at Windsor were pushed an hour ahead at midnight on Sunday and now the people of that place can throw off the stigma of being "behind the times." By the end of the season they will probably be among the most ardent advocates of Daylight Saving. The movement is gaining friends every day among those who at first condemned the Act.

IF you can think of anything that can be done to beautify or build up our town, go to it. Keep your capital at home; patronize home industries; help your merchants so they can sell cheaper; always get your work done in your own town if possible; subscribe and pay for the home papers, don't steal or borrow the reading of them. If you follow these suggestions and your town does not improve and build up, it will not be your fault. Try it.

VISIT our carpet dept., full stock of Congoleum rugs.—SWIFT'S.

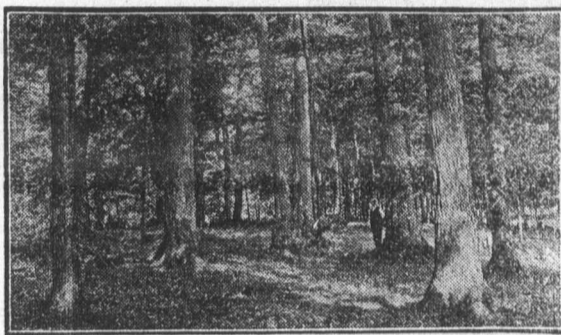
THE OLD-FASHIONED SUGAR SOCIAL and concert given in the Lyceum on Tuesday evening, April 23rd, was a decided success. Hot maple taffy was served and Col. Kenward introduced a pleasing program of old-fashioned songs and instrumental in which the following took part:—Mrs. P. McGregor, Mrs. T. N. Langan, Miss Geraldine Jones, Miss Blanche Stapleford, Mr. A. H. Francis and Mr. George Chambers. The group of members of Tecumseh Chapter, I. O. O. F., in charge of the evening feel that their efforts are well repaid, as the admission fee of a silver collection or a gift for the boys overseas resulted in a collection amounting to \$35 and a donation of gifts to the value of \$16.40. These gifts with the comforts which will be provided with the money will be sent as speedily as possible to our boys overseas.

THE NEW REGULATIONS for the conservation of food order that no person will be allowed to have in their possession more than 15 days supply of flour or sugar, with a short extension of time to those living in the country. The penalty for violation is from \$100 to \$1000 or imprisonment. Don't be surprised if a man, armed with a search warrant, drops in on you any day. Any person holding or having under his control flour made wholly or in part from wheat, in quantities greater than are provided in the order, must forthwith return such flour to the miller or dealer from whom it was purchased and such miller or dealer must accept it if it be in good condition, and pay for it at the purchase price or the market price on April 20, 1918, whichever be the lower.

LAST CALL for low priced overalls.—SWIFT'S.

FUEL SUPPLY FREE

To Municipalities of the Province of Ontario



A view in the hardwood forests in the Algonquin Park

OWING to the seriousness of the fuel situation at the present time, the Government of Ontario would urge upon all the farmers or others who may have wood lots, to assist at this time by making provision for their fuel supply from such lots.

The Government would also draw the attention of the various Municipalities throughout the Province to the necessity of taking some Municipal action to secure fuel supply. To this end the Government has decided to issue to any Municipality in Ontario a permit to cut fire wood in Algonquin Park or from other Crown Lands free of charge. For particulars as to localities, conditions of cutting, etc., apply to

G. H. FERGUSON,
Minister of Lands, Forests and Mines,
Parliament Buildings, Toronto.

BUTTER 40c., eggs 36c.

REV. HAMILTON will preach in the Congregational Church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

SECURE YOUR SEED CORN EARLY. We have Leaming, Red Cob and Southern Sweet at \$4.25 bushel.—MATTHEWS & CO.

AUTO OWNERS are cautioned to keep within the law or they will be prosecuted. On Tuesday a man was fined \$5 by the Reeve for being without a license and marker.

ANY persons wishing to cultivate vacant lots in Watford should apply at once to the Watford Council, and any persons who have vacant lots which they intend cultivating should also let the Council know before the lots are taken over by the Council and given to others to work in pursuance of the law in that behalf. The next regular meeting of the Council will be held on Monday evening, May 6th, 1918.

THE DEPUTY POSTMASTER GENERAL writes:—With regard to the arrangement instituted whereby correspondence of a private and family nature can be forwarded from individuals in Canada to persons in enemy and enemy occupied territory through the medium of Thos. Cook & Son, 530 St. Catherine St., W. Montreal, difficulty is being caused owing to persons remitting the charge for forwarding these letters (35c.) by postage stamps instead of by means of a Postage Note for 30 cents with five cents in postage affixed thereto. The attention to persons sending such correspondence is particularly directed to this as in future where the charges are remitted by means of postage stamps the letters will be returned to the senders.

WHEN Cain had killed off one-fourth of the people of the earth, leaving only three, then went into the land of Nod and built a city, it is evident that he did not sit around like a lump on a log and growl about the Nod real estate and people. He was not himself, perhaps, the most exemplary of men, and if he had some reason to emigrate from the land of his birth, he did not mope and whine, but got hold of a piece of ground and went to work to do something. The man who could build up a city under such auspices is the kind of material we want in this town. But what is more, Cain did not advise his son to "go west" and get out of the dead old town. He named the city after him, believed in it, worked in it, bought his goods there and kept his money at home.

From Old Subscribers

Mrs. Wm. Barber, of Gordon Lake, Ont., in renewing her subscription on April 23rd says:—Seeding is in full swing. March was fine but some cold weather in April. Snow is falling to-day. The winter was the coldest on record, 60 below some mornings and lots of snow. We wish the Guide-Advocate every success.

WARWICK.

The Warwick Court of Revision will be held on Monday, June 3rd. See ad. next week.

Rev. Hamilton will preach in Zion Congregational Church on Sunday at 8 o'clock p. m.

The five dollars prize for physical exercises given by the Department of Education for each township was awarded to the pupils of S. S. No. 17, Warwick. Teacher, D. Wordsworth.

The Rev. S. F. Robinson, rector of Stratroy, will (D. V.) preach morning and evening in St. Mary's Church, Warwick, and afternoon in St. Paul's church, Wisbech, next Sunday, May 5th, in the interests of Missions.

The Wisbech Patriotic League for the months of March and April—Handed in collections \$9.65; Collection at Miss Bowes \$5.15; Collection at Miss Seymour's \$6.25; Sent to Hyman Hall the following bale:—45 handkerchiefs, 1 pillow, 13 sheet, 48 pillow cases, 2 testaments. Sent to Mrs. McPhedran 63 pairs socks.—F. WILEY, Sec.

The marriage of Mr. Stanley Kernohan, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Kernohan, 6th line, Warwick, to Ella, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Wall, town-line Warwick and Plympton, was quietly solemnized at the Methodist parsonage, Forest, on Wednesday, April 17th, the Rev. A. E. Moorhouse, performing the ceremony. They will reside on the 6th line.

On Friday evening April 26th, the friends and acquaintances in S. S. No. 10 met at the home of Mr. A. E. Parker and presented George W. who shortly leaves to serve King and Country, with a handsome solid gold wrist watch. After a pleasant evening spent in music and games lunch was served in boxes. Each departed, heartily wishing George good luck and success in his new work and hoping that before long he will be back on the Main Road, the terrible war over and longed for peace again.

At the Annual Epworth League meeting in the Zion Methodist Church 2nd line held last week the following officers were elected: Hon. Pres. Rev. A. C. Tiffin; Pres. Miss Muriel Robertson; 1st. Vice, Miss F. Edwards; 2nd. Vice, J. E. Collier; 3rd. Vice, Miss K. Wynne; Sec. T. A. Gault; Treas. Lella Fuller; Organist, Miss Bertha Edwards; Asst. organist, Miss Lella Fuller; Collector, Alex. Edwards; Curator, Russel Parker. The Epworth League has done good work in the past year and is well officered for the ensuring year so that the good work may continue.

A mass meeting of the farmers of Warwick and Bosanquet was held in S. S. No. 8, Warwick, last week to urge upon Federal Minister J. C. Armstrong the importance of retaining the young farmers upon the farms to handle the increased crops that have been sown. "We strongly protest against the action taken by the Government in conscripting our young men when we are making every effort to increase food production," reads the resolution. "We would ask you to consider the shortage of farm labor and the importance of having skilled help to harvest the large crop that has been planted."

Copeland—Steadman

A very pleasant event took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Steadman, of Brooke, on Wednesday, April 24th, at high noon when their only daughter, Gerle, was united in marriage to Mr. Harry Copeland, of Warwick. The ceremony was performed by the rector, Rev. S. P. Irwin, B.A., in the presence of the immediate relatives. The young couple were attended by James Steadman, brother of the bride, and Miss Gertrude Kelly. The wedding march was played by Miss Florence Kelly, organist of St. James' Church. Very many beautiful presents were received by the bride and groom. The organist and bridesmaid each received a dainty pin from the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Copeland will reside on the groom's farm on 18 sideroad, north of the London Road.

Woods—McCormick

The marriage of Mary Edith, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McCormick, Kingscourt, to Russell G. Woods, Brooke, occurred on Saturday, April 27th, at 4 o'clock in the First Congregational Church, London. The ceremony was performed by Dr. E. E. Braithwaite, President Western University, London. The couple were unattended. The bride was attired in a blue-tailored suit with hat to match, and carried a bouquet of bridal roses, lilies of the valley and maiden hair fern. The bride's only ornament was a sunburst of pearls, the gift of the groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Woods will be at home to their friends after June 1st, at the groom's farm near Watford.

Negotiations are under way by which a large new shipbuilding plant may be located in Sarnia.

Alexander Thompson, a Plympton pioneer, died at his residence on the London road and was buried in Wyoming cemetery. He was in his 80th year and was born near Carleton Place. He is survived by his widow, his daughter Mrs. Wm. Forbes, London Road, and his sons John, 12th line, Enniskillen, Wesley in Sarnia, Albert, 2nd line, and Lorne at home.

PERSONAL

Mrs. MacIvor, Detroit, is visiting Mrs. R. E. Prentiss. Miss Edna MacIvor spent the week end at the Prentiss home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mc Kercher left on Wednesday for Olds, Sask., where they will spend the summer.

Misses Edythe and Stella McMacken, Sarnia, spent a few days with their sister, Mrs. Jas. Willoughby.

Mr. H. C. Kadey of the Merchants Bank staff, has been transferred to Clarkson and left for that place on Monday.

Mr. David Roche and daughter, Mrs. Edythe Langan, attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Julia Graham, Sarnia, last week.

Mr. Jas. Craig spent the week end with friends in Bothwell and Chatham, and also visited the Tecumseh monument near Thamesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Smithers, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Blackwell and Miss Rita McMacken motored from London Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Willoughby.

Mr. and Mrs. McKenzie, son and daughter, motored from their home in Guelph and spent the week end with their son, Mr. R. N. McKenzie, of the High School staff.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Prentiss motored to Toronto Tuesday with their son Edgar, who has been home on his last leave before going overseas with the 67th University of Toronto Battery.

Rev. S. P. Irwin attended the annual meeting of the Synod of the Diocese of Huron held at London this week. Dr. Newell was also in attendance as lay delegate from Trinity Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Kersey, Georgetown, spent the week end with relatives here. Mr. Kersey had the misfortune to lose the contents of his barber shop by fire on Wednesday night of last week.

James Bennett, of London, who has been serving with the colors in England and France since the early days of the war, is home on a three months' furlough and spent a few days last week with his brother, Mr. Neil Bennett, Watford.

BROOKE

The Rev. Canon Hill, M. A., rector of Petrolia, will conduct the service in Christ Church, Sutorville, on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

The service will be held in St. James' Church, Brooke, on Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. The Rev. Canon Hill, M. A., of Petrolia, will preach.

A miscellaneous "shower" by the people of St. James' church was given to Miss Merle Steadman at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kelly, on the eve of her marriage. The presents were all placed in a gaily decorated boat. Miss Steadman has been a very faithful member of St. James' choir for a number of years.

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