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SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

**Electric Light Bulbs
25 and 40 watt
35c or 3 for \$1**

**Dr. Hess's Stock Food
65c package for 55c**

\$1.50 Mitts and Gloves \$1.25

**Gallagher's Hardware
Waterdown**

**Mr. Mrs. and Miss
Local Purchaser**

Please Get This

We can supply you with Drug Store goods of the best quality at as low or lower prices and throw into the bargain as prompt, careful and courteous service as any city store.

Remember This If you are a run-to-town purchaser when you can that there are times when you cannot, and you are mighty glad to be supplied right at home, because its a mighty big convenience to have an up to date Drug store right under your nose, at least 6 miles closer than the next nearest one, especially when you have a want you can't delay. We are here for your convenience, night and day 7 days per week.

Remember This It is a good Business Policy to assist (by purchasing at home) your local Business Tax Payers. If all the money spent out of town (for which we sincerely believe that ninety-nine times out of a hundred you receive no better, if as good value) were left by Waterdown citizens and citizens in vicinity, right in Waterdown, we would soon have a Business Street second to none in towns twice the size.

**Remember Waterdown, First, Last
and Always**

Remember Our Specials for Friday and Saturday at Your Local Drug Store.

See next weeks Price Announcement

**W. H. CUMMINS
The Waterdown Drug Store
PHONE 152**

Soldier's Letters

**Llyod Henry Writes Interesting
Letter from British Columbia**

New Westminster, B.C.,
Jan. 5, 1919.

Dear Reta,—

I forget whether I acknowledged the receipt of your box or not, at any rate I guess it is almost time to drop a line home and tell you about the good four day leave I had over in Vancouver. My word, but it was great to be able to sleep in again for a few mornings after arising at 6 a.m. for three months. And the people over there let me sleep as long as I could, too, without disturbing me, and treated me jake all around.

I was able to see a good deal of the city, too, so now I know a little about it and don't have to leave without seeing anything. It is certainly a big city and as I see it will be a whole lot larger in the near future, as it has next to Sydney, Australia, the best harbor in the world, and is near to the best lumber and also good farming district near by. Since the war began they have been building a good number of ships out here and I was able to see some of that work. Also the scenery around Stanley Park and the Capilano is surely grand, even though this is the middle of the winter. The Capilano especially is grand. It is a gorge about 450 feet across and 200 feet deep, with a stream in the bottom of melted snow coming down from the mountain tops. Across the canyon where we were there is the longest suspension bridge in the world, and it surely makes you lose your appetite to look over, especially if someone sways the bridge. Am enclosing a few snaps which though small are good enough to give you some idea of it.

Then I had a trip down through Jap and China town, which was worth taking. Never saw so many Chinks in my life. They go in for everything out here and work from morning till night, but are a slovenly lot, keeping their shops dirty, etc. The Japs are very clever imitators but have scarcely any initiative, but their stores are models of cleanliness and neatness. They tell me that the Chinks, however, are much more honest and dependable than the Japs. All of the former have lost their pigtails, but the Hindoos, whom I have not mentioned before, still retail their turbans, so you see it is a motley throng you meet on the Pacific coast.

I had a dance on New Year's night at the new club rooms of the Great War Veterans. They are certainly fixed up great and in a good part of the city.

There is a draft of most of our men leaving on Tuesday and the remainder are to follow this month with the horses. I am not on the draft, but Kirk is waiting man, which means that he may go if any one takes sick. Sabe. So we may be separated.

Well, give my love to all and write again soon.

LLOYD.

Women's Patriotic League

At the meeting of the Women's Patriotic League of Waterdown held Tuesday afternoon in their workroom it was decided to continue their work until April. The garments required are dressing gowns, pyjamas, day shirts, sheets and pillow cases.

After taking stock, goods to the value of \$350 was reported on hand. After the audit Mrs. A. M. Slater the Treasurer reported the total cash receipts from all sources to be \$7,926.30 and total expenditures of \$6,278.87, leaving a balance of \$1,647.44 on hand.

The Patriotic League meets every Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock and all workers are welcome.

OBITUARY

MRS. JOHN ALDERSON

Carlisle and surrounding community have sustained a great shock and loss in the sudden and untimely death of the late Mrs. John M. Alderson. Deceased was a victim of the prevalent epidemic (influenza) and such serious complications developed that in spite of every effort on the part of attending physicians, she passed away in the early morning hours of Saturday, January 11th, 1919.

The late Mrs. Alderson was a member of the Methodist Church and an earnest Christian. She was especially interested in the Sabbath School work and will be greatly missed in the church generally. Wherever she was, whether in the home or abroad, she radiated a cheerfulness and good-fellowship which could not but influence those about her and made her beloved by all. "God moves in a mysterious way"—we cannot understand, perhaps, why such beauty of life should have been cut off in the morning of its usefulness; but this we do know, that she has not lived in vain. She has ceased to be with us in the corporal, but the influence of her sunny disposition and virtuous life goes on.

Profoundest sympathy is felt by all who know them for the bereaved families. She has left, to mourn her loss, husband and three children, Evelyn, aged seven; Clifford, aged five, and Kenneth, three years of age, besides her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cairns; three sisters, Mrs. Herbert Bennett, Mrs. Howard Green, and Miss Stella, all of Carlisle, and one brother, Mr. Fred Cairns, of Niagara Falls, Ont.

The many beautiful floral tributes placed on the casket also spoke of the great love of her many friends. They were as follows: A broken circle, by husband and children; wreath, by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cairns; pillow, by Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Alderson, Sr.; anchor, by sisters and brothers; wreath, by Miss Mina Newell; spray, by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Slater, of Waterdown; spray, by Messrs. Chris and John Alderson, of Hamilton; wreath, by Hamilton butchers; wreath, by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Newell; spray, by Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, of Nelson, Ont.; star, by Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Pepper, of Hamilton; wreath, by Mr. T. A. and Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Alderson; spray, by Mr. and Mrs. John Gray, of Freeman, Ont.; spray, by Mr. and Mrs. Watson Hamilton, of Waterdown, and a spray from Carlisle Methodist Sunday School.

The pallbearers were Messrs. Ed. Bates, Wm. Gray, Gilbert Rusk, Spencer Bennett, Norman Mills and Roy Robinson.

Service was held at the home of Mr. Geo. Alderson, Sr., on Tuesday, January 14th, Rev. Dr. E. M. Morrow officiating. Interment in Carlisle Methodist cemetery.

MRS. JACOB SHEPPARD

The sympathy of the entire community of Rock Chapel goes out to Mr. Jacob Sheppard and family in the heartrending loss of a dear and loving wife and mother. Suddenly death claimed its victim on Jan. 12, through heart failure, following a short illness of influenza. Deceased was well and favorably known in church, Sabbath school, missionary society, Red Cross and all kindred movements for the betterment and uplifting of humanity, being a member of Rock Chappel Methodist church for many years, and at the time of her death was president of the local Red Cross society. She leaves to mourn her demise a husband, one son, one daughter, and two sisters. The funeral which was largely attended, took place on Wednesday to Rock Chappel cemetery, the services being conducted by her pastor, Rev. Al. Bright, assisted by Rev. E. Sheppard of Ingersol. The pall-bearers were six brother's-in-law, A. Higginson, Harry Black of Goderich, John Sheppard, Haskin Sheppard, Garwood Sheppard, Charles Sheppard.

Council Meeting

**Inaugural Meeting of the New
Village Council**

The Waterdown Council for 1919 held its inaugural meeting on Monday, January 13th, at 11 a.m. After the members had each made and subscribed the declaration of qualification and took the oath of office, the Reeve took the chair.

It was moved and duly seconded that the Council adjourn to 7.30 p.m. of the same day for general business.

At 7.30 o'clock p.m. the Reeve occupied the chair, pursuant to adjournment, and other members, viz., Jas. V. Markle, J. C. Langford, R. Smith and J. W. Griffin were all present.

Communications were received from Wm. Attridge, setting forth the requirements of the High School Board and asking the Village Council to advance the money to finance the High School until the taxes are collected for 1919; also stating that the term of office of John Mitchell as School Trustee had expired. One from Waterdown Review applying for the special printing contract for 1919; and an application was received from Mr. P. H. Metzger for the position of Assessor for the village for 1919.

Mr. John Mitchell was reappointed Trustee of the High School for the year 1919 and 1920.

A by-law was given its three readings and passed, making provision with the Royal Bank re borrowing money for current expenses and Reeve Davies and Clerk J. C. Medlar to sign all cheques, etc., for the Village of Waterdown and the Waterdown Hydro-Electric System.

The special printing contract was awarded to the Waterdown Review for 1919 for the sum of fifty dollars.

A by-law was also passed appointing municipal officers for 1919.

Messrs. R. Sparks and John J. Green were appointed Auditors, Mr. P. H. Metzger was appointed Assessor at a salary of \$35.00, and Mr. R. C. Griffin was appointed Collector of Taxes at a salary of \$65.00.

Messrs. D. Davies, J. C. Medlar, Dr. D. A. Hopper and W. A. Drummond were appointed a local Board of Health, with Mr. Jas. R. Thompson Sanitary Inspector, the latter with a salary of \$8.00 per year, while Dr. Hopper's salary as Medical Health Officer was placed at \$100.00 for 1919.

Messrs. Wellington Griffin, Jos. Tuck and Fred Allen were appointed Fence Viewers. Mr. Alex. Davidson was appointed Truancy Officer, with a salary of \$10.00 and Mr. Geo. S. Potts was appointed bell ringer at \$50.00 for 1919.

The Council will meet on the 2nd Monday of each and every month during 1919 at 8 p.m., for general business, or at the call of the Reeve.

The following bills and accounts were passed by the Council and ordered paid:

To Henry Slater, for coal for Council Chamber, \$3.00. To S. H. Gallagher, as per account, \$4.68. To J. C. Medlar, election expenses, \$13.25; also attending sittings of the 3rd Division Court during 1917, \$6.00; total \$19.25. To Alex. Davidson, salary as Truancy Officer to Dec. 31st, 1918, \$7.50. To Benjamin Tuck, for attending sittings of 3rd Division Court, County of Wentworth, as Bailiff during 1918, \$6.00. To John Johnston, for hire of auto truck at peace celebration, \$8.33.

On motion duly seconded Council adjourned to Monday, Feb. 10th.

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for a year. They will appreciate it**