

## ARKONA

Mr. John Logan, Jr., of Thorndale, is renewing old acquaintances in and around the Ark.

Mr. Scoffin, of Chilliwack, B. C., is visiting his son John on townline.

Mr. and Mrs. Connor, of Dorchester, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Riggs.

The young ladies of the Ark entertained their gentlemen friends on Tuesday night at the Bethel church tea-meeting. An enjoyable time was spent.

Mrs. Wm. Williamson, of Watford, is spending a few days at Mr. S. Waterman's.

Reliable seeds, stock well assorted, red clover, alsike, lucerne and timothy at Brown Bros.

Mr. J. S. Gadd, editor of the Star, moved to Springfield on Monday where he will start a paper.

The fishermen are anxiously waiting for the first run of suckers. Some eight parties have licenses to fish with seine.

Miss Stella Rook visited friends in London last Thursday.

George Fair and Will Thomas left on Monday for Stettler, Alta., where they will spend the summer.

Mrs. Potter, of Detroit, Mich., called on Arkona friends last week.

New wall papers placed into stock at Brown Bros.

A. L. Evans, Fred Brown, Fred Eastman, H. A. Hall, Fred Patterson, Fred Wilson, of Arkona Lodge, No. 307, A. F. & A. M., attended the annual Lodge of Instruction held at Wyoming on Thursday last. Nearly every lodge in the district was represented, about 200 being in attendance.

Mr. R. H. Wilson has returned from Starbuck, Man.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lambe have returned after spending the past year in Calgary.

Mrs. W. H. Jackson has returned after visiting friends in Windsor.

Mrs. T. W. Showler has returned after visiting in Ft. Huron an spec, Mich.

Remember that our new prints are at the old prices.—Fuller Bros.

Mrs. Scott, of Forest, visited her sister, Mrs. Adam Richter.

Mr. Will Holmes will give some gramophone selections at Fuller Bros. next Saturday evening.

The Debating society that has been organized here is not open to the public.

Millinery apprentice wanted for the spring season. Apply to Fuller Bros.

Fuller Bros. have just received another shipment of "Crompton's" corsets.

## INWOOD.

Mr. Thomas Armstrong, of Detroit, spent Sunday with his family here.

Misses Annie and Adeline Armstrong were both confined to the house with the grip last week.

Miss Mary English leaves for London this week having accepted a position as milliner in that place.

Miss Laura Mathews, who has been spending the holidays with her parents here, returned to Essex last week.

There will be no preaching in the Presbyterian church next Sunday, owing to the absence of the pastor, Rev. N. A. Campbell.

A load of Salvation Army people drove out from Petrolia last Wednesday night and held a meeting in the Orange Hall, which was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Trowhill entertained the young married people of the Village with a few others last Friday evening. A most enjoyable evening was spent.

Mr. Wilson Britney, of Enniskillen, and Miss Ezra Miner, of Brooklee, were married last Wednesday, and will leave shortly for their new home in the West. They have the best wishes of the community for their welfare.

The Department of Agriculture, Petrolia, Will Help Farmers.

Farmers desiring to have surveys of their farms made for drainage purposes, or advice about draining their farms, may receive such free of cost, except transportation from Petrolia to the farm of the

applicant and return, with board for the man, by applying through the office at Petrolia. A competent man will be sent to each place as quickly as arrangements can be made. We wish it understood that this man will not be available to survey township, or any public drainage enterprise. He is for the service of the farmer on his own farm. Send for application blanks to S. E. Todd, Department of Agriculture, Petrolia, Ont.

## SPRING REMINDERS OF RHEUMATISM

Raw, Damp Weather Starts the Pain, but the Trouble Lies in the Blood.

Spring weather is bad for rheumatic sufferers. The changes from mild to severe weather, cold, raw, damp winds following mildness start the aches and twinges, or in more extreme cases, the trouble is rooted in the blood—the changeable weather merely starts the pains. The only way to reach the trouble and cure it is through the blood. The poisonous rheumatic acids must be thrown off and driven out. This is a solemn medical truth every sufferer should realize. Liniments and outward application may give temporary relief but they never did and never can cure rheumatism. Any sufferer will tell you this is true. The sufferer is only wasting time and money with this sort of treatment, and all the time the trouble is becoming more firmly rooted—and harder to cure. There is just one sure, speedy cure for rheumatism—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They act directly on the weak, impure and tainted blood. They purify and strengthen it and thus root out the cause of rheumatism. Here is a bit of proof out of thousands of similar cases that might be given. Mrs. F. X. Boisseau, St. Jerome, Que., says: "For almost two years I was a terrible sufferer from rheumatism. The trouble first located in the right leg, making work about the house impossible, and walking very difficult. I tried to cure myself by means of all sorts of liniments and lotions, but with no result—it was money wasted. The trouble constantly grew worse and became more unbearable. Finally it attacked the other leg, and I was all but helpless and completely discouraged, thinking I would be a sufferer the rest of my life. At this time I read in our home paper of the trouble being cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I decided to try them. After using the Pills for several weeks I could see that they were helping me, and I continued taking them until I had used nine or ten boxes, when all symptoms of the trouble had disappeared and I could walk as well as ever I did. Had I known of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills earlier, I would have saved myself much suffering and much money spent in useless treatment as well."

Whether you are ailing or not a few boxes of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will increase your vitality and give you increased strength to withstand the torrid summer weather coming, when even the strongest feel easily fagged out. You can get these pills from any dealer in medicines or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50, from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Bank Burglary at Wyoming.

Friday night an unsuccessful attempt was made to rob the branch of the Bank of Toronto at Wyoming by two burglars. When C. R. Weaver, the teller, who sleeps in the bank building went to his room Friday night he was seized by two masked men and bound and gagged and tied in bed. After securely fastening the young man so that he could not cause them any inconvenience the burglars proceeded down stairs to the bank proper. Here they smashed the combination on the private safe of the manager but failed to secure any money. They then turned their attention to the bank vault and endeavored to gain entrance to the vault. Mr. Weaver up-stairs managed to wiggle himself loose from his fastenings and getting free he got his revolver and through the opening in the floor directly above the bank vault he fired on the would-be robbers. The intruders returned the fire from revolvers in their possession and then made a hasty exit from the bank building driving off in the darkness with a horse and buggy. The police at various points were notified at an early hour Saturday morning to be on the look out for the burglars, but so far no clue to their identity has been obtained.

## WATFORD MARKET

GRAIN AND SEEDS—		
Wheat, fall, per bush.....	\$0 78	@ \$0 78
Oats, per bush.....	30	30
Barley, per bush.....	48	50
Peas, per bush.....	75	75
Beans, per bush.....	1 50	1 75
Timothy.....	5 00	6 00
Clover Seed.....	5 00	7 00
Alsike.....	6 00	8 00

FLOURS—		
Butter, per pound.....	22	22
Lard.....	18	18
Eggs, per doz.....	17	17
Pork.....	9 00	9 00
Flour, per cwt.....	2 50	3 25

MISCELLANEOUS—		
Wood.....	2 25	2 75
Yallow.....	6	6
Hides.....	7	8
Wool.....	18	20
Hay, per ton.....	8 00	9 00

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—		
Potatoes, per bag.....	60	60
Dried apples per lb.....	06	06

POULTRY—		
Turkeys, per lb.....	18	19
Chickens, per lb.....	10	12 1/2
Ducks, per lb.....	13	13
Geese, per lb.....	12	12

LIVE STOCK—		
Wheat.....	\$0 80	@ \$0 80
Oats.....	0 32	@ 0 35
Peas.....	1 00	@ 1 10
Barley.....	0 26	@ 0 40
Butter.....	0 27	@ 0 28
Eggs.....	0 20	@ 0 22
Pork.....	0 50	@ 0 75

## Toronto Markets.

Toronto, March 14.—Receipts at the city cattle market were 32 loads, with 352 head of cattle, 3,570 sheep and lambs, 200 hogs and 217 calves.

The choicest butcher cattle were picked out early, selling firm at \$5.75 to \$5.90. These were in small lots of twos and threes, a couple of choice heifers, 1,000 pounds, selling at \$5.90. Good straight loads of medium choice butcher were steady at \$5.60 to \$5.70, and good to medium at \$5.25 to \$5.50. A few odd selected fat cows and heavy bulls sold firm, one choice heavy bull selling at \$6 and a fat choice cow at \$5.40. The general run of fat cows and bulls, however, are 10c, to 15c, easier than last week.

The balance of the day's offerings, consisting for the most part of light cattle of poor quality, were a slow sale, with prices generally tending easier, though quotations were not materially changed from yesterday's levels.

Common and mixed butcher, \$4 to \$4.25; canners, \$2 to \$2.50.

Calves are easier at \$3 to \$3.50.

Lambs steadier at \$6.80 to \$7.

Ewes steady at \$4.25 to \$4.85.

Hogs unchanged at \$6.75, f. o. b., and \$7.05, fed and watered at Toronto. Fat, heavy hogs, over 200 pounds, called out at 50c, less than regular quotations.

Quotations to-day were:—

Export choice..... 5 85 to 6 10

do., medium..... 5 65 to 5 75

do., light..... 5 00 to 5 10

Bulls..... 4 50 to 5 25

Cows..... 4 50 to 5 40

Choiced higher..... 5 75 to 5 85

do., medium..... 5 25 to 5 50

do., cows..... 5 00 to 5 25

do., common..... 4 00 to 4 25

do., canners..... 2 00 to 2 50

Short-keep..... 5 00 to 5 50

Feeders, steers..... 4 75 to 5 25

do., bulls..... 3 50 to 4 25

Stockers and choice..... 4 75 to 5 00

do., light..... 4 25 to 4 50

Milch cows, choice, each..... 45 00 to 55 00

Springers, each..... 40 00 to 50 00

Common and medium..... 20 00 to 30 00

Sheep, ewes..... 4 50 to 4 85

do., bucks..... 3 50 to 4 25

Lambs..... 6 00 to 7 00

Hogs, f. o. b..... 6 75

do., fed and watered..... 7 05

Calves..... 3 00 to 7 50

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## Fourth Yearly Financial Statement

APRIL 30th, 1910.

ASSETS, \$7,258,480.67  
DEPOSITS, \$5,083,667.84  
NET PROFIT FOR YEAR, \$117,076.61

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, \$3,000,000.00  
RESERVE FUND, \$281,616.87

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