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WATFORD, JULY 26, 1912.

NOTE AND COMMENT.

During June no less than 67 new postoffices were opened in Canada, the majority being in the western provinces to meet the needs of the rapid influx of settlement.

Following the ruling of the Geographical Board of Canada the letter 'e' in the name Temiskaming, will be changed to 'i' and the word will hereafter be spelled Timiskaming. The same change will also apply to the word Temagami, which will now be known as Timagami.

Michigan people to the number of 9,754 moved into Canada during the year 1911. The recent census in Canada shows that more than one third of the immigrants last year came from the United States, which furnished 131,114 of the 350,374 immigrants. Immigrants from the United States were 6,512 more in 1911 than in 1910. Minnesota furnished 17,029 of the immigrants into Canada, Washington 15,203, North Dakota 12,194, Massachusetts 12,000, and New York 9,353.

"My boy," writes a white-haired mother to her son, a busy man in a distant city, "write home often. You do not realize what your letters are to me, and how long it is between them." No, he had not realized it, and unhappily there are many absent sons and daughters who need a similar reminder. They would be indignant at the suggestion of wanting filial devotion, but in the stress of business, in the society of new friends, in the happiness of a new home circle, how rarely they spare an hour for a good long letter to the aging mother in the old home—the loving mother whose heartache, as the passing days fail to bring the longed-for letter, is one of the most pathetic tragedies of old age. The decline of the letter-writing habit of an earlier generation has often been deplored, but this feature of the decline can neither be excused nor defended.

WANT COLUMN.

Five lines and under 25 cents. Over five lines five cents per line.

FOR SALE by Robt. Smith, Lot 2, con. 3, S.E.R., Warwick, a Hereford bull, 21 months old, bred by L. O. Clifford, of Oshawa.

TO RENT.—Comfortable 10 room house nicely situated. Possession given 1st of August. Apply to Miss Williams, milliner.

CARD OF THANKS.—The family of the late Mrs. Restorick wish to thank all those who showed kindness and sympathy during the illness and at the time of her death.

BUTCHER BUSINESS for Sale.—Old established, only shop in town, big field, no beef trust. Will be sold at a bargain as owners want to go West.—FULLER & COOKE, Watford.

Newspaper Law.

1—A postmaster is required to give notice by letter (returning the paper does not answer the law) when a subscriber does not take his paper out of the office and state the reason for its not being taken. Any neglect to do so makes the postmaster responsible to the publisher for payment.

2—If any person orders his paper discontinued he must pay all arrears or the publisher may continue to send it until payment is made and collect the whole amount whether the paper is taken from the office or not. There can be no discontinuance until payment is made.

3—Any person who takes a paper out of the post office, whether directed to his name or not, or whether he has subscribed or not, is responsible for the pay.

4—If a subscriber orders his paper stopped and the publisher continues to send, the subscriber is bound to pay for it, if he takes it out of the post office. This proceeds upon the ground that a man must pay for what he uses.

5—The courts have decided that refusing to take newspapers or periodicals from the post office or removing, or leaving them uncalled for, is prima facie evidence of intentional fraud.

Preparations for drilling a well in the waters of Lake Erie for oil and gas are now being made in the lake south of the Cooper farm in Tilbury East township, by a company in which Alex. Chaplin, of Chatham, and H. D. Symes, of Niagara Falls, Ont., are among the interested shareholders. Work has been started, driving piles into the bed of the lake to provide foundations for the derrick and engines. The pile driving is being done by a former government contractor, and they will be ready to receive the structure shortly. The location for the well is about 200 feet from the water's edge in about ten feet of water.

Asa Rumford, of Theford, has bought out Ross' boot and shoe business in Forest.

Last Week of Our July Sale.

Clean Sweep of Everything

Half Prices in Many Instances.

4 Only, Panama Hats, your choice for \$2.50. 3 Only, regular \$7.50 for \$5.25.

10 Pairs Outing Trousers \$1.65.

15 Wash Vests regular \$1.65 for One Dollar.

4 Doz. Soft Shirts, Lounge Collars, to clear at 69c., regular One Dollar.

Only 12 Suits, two pieces, to clear out,

\$10.00 for \$6.50.

Sizes 34 to 44.

15 English W. P. Coats,

Sold at Home for £5,

Our Sale Price \$12.75.

Sizes 36 to 44.

Swift's Last Week of July Sale.

"Old ideas die slowly. When I was young it was not considered proper to chew gum—How foolish, because it is so good for one."



"I do enjoy O-Pee-Chee especially after meals. It aids digestion—is pleasant to the taste and is so much better for one than the ordinary confection."

O-Pee-Chee Chewing Gum

is good for the young—wholesome far than candies. It preserves the teeth—aids digestion and is good for the aged, too.

There's an O-Pee-Chee Flavor for every taste and they all taste delicious. O-Pee-Chee is sold by all dealers who sell the best gum.

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JULY REDUCTIONS

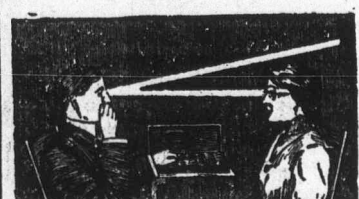
The best way to avoid poor values in buying shoes is to let us sell you good shoes. Our new style Oxfords really need no comment. All we need to do is to show them.

We'll give you a demonstration in shoe service that is out of the ordinary. Just at present we're reducing prices to make room for the Fall Stock. That means making it worth your while to buy quickly.

See the Special Values in the Shoe Window.

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DARK ROOM TESTING



Every child on reaching the age of seven years should have the eyes examined. Many children have defective vision, and it often happens that one eye only is affected. This throws all the work on the better eye while the other through disuse frequently loses its function entirely. With proper lense correction this trouble will be wholly overcome. If accompanied by parents we will be glad to examine children's eyes free of charge.

CARL A. CLASS,
OPTICIAN,
WATFORD, ONT.

TEACHER WANTED

FOR SCHOOL SECTION NO. 1, WARWICK. Duties to commence after holiday's State salary and experience. Application to be sent in by August 3rd, 1912.

Warwick, July 19th. R. E. O'NEIL, Sec. Warwick P.O.

TEACHER WANTED

FOR S.S. NO. 10, BROOKE. DUTIES TO commence after summer holidays. State salary and experience. Janitor work included. WM. MILLER, Sec. Treas. Watford P.O.

TEACHER WANTED

FOR S.S. NO. 1, METCALFE, duties to commence Sept. 1st, 1912. State qualification and salary expected. Personal application preferred.

WM. J. JOHNSON, Secretary, Kerwood, P.O.

Dinner Party at Saskatoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Ormrod, "Riversdale," Saskatoon, were the host and hostess of a very charming dinner party last evening in honor of their guests, Rev. E. Snell and Mrs. Snell and babe, also Dr. O. Bourke, M.D., and Mrs. Bourke, of Toronto. Covers were laid for twelve, the table being splendidly festive, with giant chrysanthemums of a pretty pink hue. A group of pretty girls, including the season's buds, assisted. The hostess was gowned in a delicate white lace frock, with touches of black. After they dispensed with the dainties, Mrs. Ormrod rendered two sweet piano solos, "The Maiden's Prayer" and "The Waltz of Hope," also Mrs. Bourke sang beautifully "Because." The party will return to Toronto to-morrow after enjoying a beautiful trip.

Death From Exposure.

Mr. William Ford, of Theford, uncle of Rev. Father Ford, parish priest of Bothwell, was sent from London to Parkhill on Monday night and placed in St. Joseph's Hospital, suffering from cold and exposure. The late Mr. Ford had wandered away from his home and had become lost in the woods around Parkhill. When discovered he was in an unconscious condition. Mr. Ford, who was past the seventies, had suffered greatly from hunger and exposure. It is thought that his mind had been affected for some time past. He died Tuesday morning.

Farmer Breaks His Neck.

Thamesford, July 23.—Thomas Pearson, a farmer residing near Kintore, fell from the top of a ladder yesterday while he was helping take in the hay at his barn, and broke his neck. He was dead when picked up. Deceased was 65 years old, and leaves one daughter, Mrs. McKay, of Princeton, and five sons, all of whom reside in Nissouri. His wife died about a year ago. It is thought not unlikely that Mr. Pearson while on the ladder was overcome by a spell of dizziness and in this way lost his hold.

CHOP STUFF.

The Sarnia grocers' picnic will be held Aug. 14th.

Three patrols of Boy Scouts have been organized in Glencoe.

Amherstburg has adopted the wire baskets on the streets for waste paper.

John S. Walker, clerk of Mosa, has resigned. He served five years as councillor, 21 years as treasurer and 19 years as township clerk. Declining health is the reason of his resignation.

The newspaper men of Huron have got tired of working for glory only, and are holding a meeting at Clinton to-morrow to see if something can't be done to bar the way to the poor house.—Hensall Observer.

William Sinclair, one of Sarnia's oldest and most highly respected residents, had his life instantly snuffed out when he was struck, knocked down and run over by an electric street car on Christina street on Friday afternoon.

There is a difference between the hastily read daily and the paper that deals with home topics; the paper that is absolutely independent and wholesome; that the men respect and the women admire—that is the paper whose advertising patronage is valuable.

ARKO

L. F. Jackson, of 7 weeks' vacation at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. John are spending their holiday in and around.

Geo. Powell, of 11 Arkona friends Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hill, called on Arkona leaving for British Columbia.

Miss Nellie Nelson 1 weeks' vacation with 1 Wilson, at Glanworth.

Hot weather special: ade, lemonade and ra Brown Bros.

R. Dickson, of St. J. Geo. Brown one day.

Mr. Will Clark has car from Mr. Maxwell.

Miss C. M. Irwin is Jura.

Mr. Langstrath, spent Sunday with Langstrath.

Miss Reta Herring visiting in Detroit, has Mrs. N. Davidson Sarnia last week.

Mid-summer shoe sale greatly reduced prices.

HOT WEATHER

A medicine that well is a great boon. This is just what Baby An occasional dose and bowels right and During the hot summer troubles speedily turn or cholera infantum a Tablets are not at hand in a few hours. ways keep the Tablets give their children a clear out the stomach keep them well. Do fill—the delay may cost. Get the Tablets now reasonably safe. I uses the Tablets praise the best evidence that medicine for children lets are sold by medicine at 25 cents a box from Medicine Co., Brock.

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Miss Stella Hill, of Ladies' College, St. at the home of Mrs.

The wild black have been very plentiful many bushes have been surrounding woods.

The Misses Cora S. Inwood, of Toronto, the summer at their C. Sutherland, spent in Strathroy.

Last Saturday morning this district steady rain of the season many places the straw expected the oats will quality.

The regular meeting of St. Andrew's was held in the church good attendance, and

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