



## RECRUITS FOR 70th BATTALION

Recruiting is now opened for 70th Battalion, Canadian Expeditionary Force.

Recruiting Stations for Lambton County are located at Sarnia, Petrolia, Alvinston, Watford, Forest, Thedford.

Watford Recruiting Station is in charge of Lieut. W. Lawrence.

### ARKONA

Arkona civic holiday next Tuesday.

Mrs. (Rev.) Fair is spending the week with her son in London.

Mrs. Huffman, of Aylmer, is spending a few days with her son, Dr. J. L. Huffman.

Mrs. Dolguist and sister, Miss McKenzie, of Buffalo, spent the past week with Mrs. R. Ott.

Mr. P. Blackburn, of Sarnia, spent the week end with friends in town.

For the cool evenings wear a sweater coat. Our fall stock has arrived.—Brown Bros.

Mr. Geo. Smith, manager of the Arkona basket factory, is getting things into shape this week ready for the apple crop. He anticipates a fair run and expects to be able to pay a good price for evaporator goods.

Mrs. J. Geo. Brown is spending the week end with her sister, Mrs. N. C. McCarty, of Thamesford.

Mr. Herb George, of Ottawa, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. George.

The peach harvest is now on and goods of very fine quality are now being marketed.

See our range of new fall dress goods. Splendid assortment and values.—Brown Bros.

Miss L. Irene Dickson announces her millinery opening for Saturday, Sept. 18th, in connection with Brown Bros. store. Everyone welcome.

Miss Julia Thoman is visiting friends in Sarnia.

Mrs. Jas. Birely is visiting in Port Huron.

A busload of ladies of the Women's Institute drove to Watford on Wednesday and were entertained by the Watford Institute.

Pte. Harold H. Fair, of 83th battalion, Niagara, spent the week end at his home here.

The bulletin of the Canadian Patriotic Fund for August notes that the Arkona sub-branch of the fund has contributed \$351.10 to the general fund.

Miss Lucy Waterman, of Sarnia, spent the week end at her home here.

Miss Bessie Brown and brother Gordon spent Labor Day with friends in London and Thamesford.

Anniversary services will be held in Methodist Church on Sunday preceding Thanksgiving Day, followed on Thanksgiving night by a supper and concert.

Mr. Carl Little, of the Standard Bank staff, Markham, spent Labor Day with friends in town.

Mrs. Sanford Lucas, of Alvinston, is spending the week with friends in town.

Mr. Stan Smith, of Brantford, is spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Smith.

New dress goods. See our fall display.—Brown Bros.

Mr. Louis Knisely, of Detroit, Mich., spent Labor Day at his home here.

Mrs. Amos, of Ailsa Craig, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Knisely. Fuller Bros. wish to announce their millinery opening for Sept. 18th. A large showing of trimmed and ready-to-wear hats in the latest styles and shapes. Call and see them.

Rev. Fair, who has spent the past month with his daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Brace, in the West, returned home last week and will occupy the pulpit of the Methodist Church Sunday morning and evening.

Citizens' reception to Bombardier Woolvet in Methodist Church, Friday evening, Sept. 10th. The main feature of the evening will be a vivid description of events of twelve months' experience on the firing line by Bomb. Woolvet, late of the Royal Horse Artillery. J. E.

### FRUIT BULLETIN

Niagara District Peach season now in full swing and best varieties Peaches, Pears and Plums are ready for preserving or dessert purposes. Housekeepers should not delay telling their grocers what fruits to order for them.

Armstrong, M.P., and Dr. Pickering are expected to be present. The band will give an open air concert from 7.30 to 8 o'clock. Jno. Farrell, chairman.

George Fuller and Orval Huntley, who finished their course in the Continuation Class of the Public School here, have started school at the Watford High School.

Mr. Peter Blackburn, of Sarnia, spent Labor Day with friends in town.

Mr. W. J. Fuller left on Monday for Oshawa to get his new car from the factory.

Mr. Wm. Woolvet, who for the past year has been at the front fighting for King and country, returned home Monday evening, having received an honorable discharge for time expired.

Mrs. W. J. Fuller and Mrs. Fred Nelson, are visiting their sister in Toronto.

At the Baptist parsonage, Arkona, on Wednesday, Sept. 1st, Mr. Arthur E. Stoner, of Bosanquet, and Miss Leah George, of Arkona, were married by Rev. H. W. Wright. Mr. and Mrs. Stoner left on a wedding trip to Toronto, and on their return will be at home at the Stoner homestead, second concession, Bosanquet.

The Red Cross Society of the Baptist Church held a patriotic concert in the church on Friday evening, Sept. 3rd. Rev. H. W. Wright acted as chairman. A very interesting address was given by Dr. Pickering, of Forest, Lieut. R. E. Stapleford, of Watford, who has lately returned from France on a three months' sick leave was present and met with a very warm welcome. His address was listened to with much interest and enjoyed by all present. Mr. R. R. McFarlane, of Forest, gave two solos in his pleasing manner. There was also other music. After singing God Save the King all adjourned to the basement of the church where coffee and sandwiches were served and a social time spent. Proceeds of the evening amounted to \$29.00, which will be used for Red Cross work.

### OFFICIAL FRUIT BULLETIN

Fruit Brand—Dept. of Agriculture  
Lombards and Gage Plums are now in their prime. Canning and preserving should not be postponed. The quality this year is high in peaches and plums, due to the fact that the trees are not overburdened. Crawford and Elberta peaches are now arriving. They are the best product of our Canadian orchards, and are supreme, both for eating and preserving. Plenty of canned or preserved peaches and plums means good health all winter. By perfectly sterilizing the bottles and fruit no sugar is needed. There is health, economy and luxury for those who act promptly. Phone or call on your grocer and have him book your order in advance.

### WATFORD COUNCIL.

Watford, Sept. 6, 1915.  
Regular meeting of council. Present—Reeve, Johnston, McKercher, Doan and Hawn.

Minutes as read being confirmed. Communications from A. Weir, solicitor re Fowler vs. Watford, being north drain, and W. E. Fitzgerald re side walks, Pool Room and gasoline tank were duly read.

McKercher—Johnston, that Reeve and Medical Health Officer confer with Mr. Cowan, solicitor, in respect to Fowler vs. Watford drain matter and be advised.—Carried.

Johnston—Doan, that bylaw No. 8, to levy rates and taxes to be collected for this year be read first time.—Carried and bylaw read.

Hawn—Johnston, that bylaw No. 8 be read second time and rates filled in.—Carried and bylaw read and filled in.

McKercher—Doan, that bylaw No. 8 be read third time and passed.—Carried and bylaw read and passed.

Finance committee examined accounts and recommended payment.

Fair and Chambers, cleaning outlet to Huron Street drain.....\$40 00

N. Chatterton, salary as constable 40 00

Phair and Chambers, cleaning drain, John St.....8 00

Wm. McLeay, war stamps tax....3 00

Wm. Lamb, cutting weeds and

labor.....6 85  
Roy Hollingsworth, draying ac..2 40  
W. S. Fuller, Municipal World Supplies.....5 55  
Geo. Chambers, ac. Bd. Health and light.....5 00  
Ed. Clark, labor Reeve's division..2 50  
Tip Shaw, labor at park.....2 62  
B. H. Parker, labor intakes.....5 50  
Wm. McKercher, repairs Wire Works.....3 00  
Dan Cameron, repairs pump at cemetery.....1 00  
McKercher—Hawn, that accounts be passed and Reeve grant his order.—Carried.  
Hawn—Johnston, that we adjourn.—Carried.

W. S. FULLER, Clerk.

### BORN.

In Toronto on Monday, August 30th, to Mr. and Mrs. H. W. McConnell, a son.

In Bosanquet, on Saturday, Aug. 28th, 1915, the wife of Mr. Frank Hunniford, of a son.

In Plympton, on Wednesday, Sept. 1st, 1915, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hyde, a daughter.

In Wyoming, on Monday, Aug. 23rd, 1915, to Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Kidd, a son.

In Bosanquet, on Thursday, Aug. 26th, 1915, to Mr. and Mrs. Reg. A. Wells, a son.—Harold Jamieson.

In Plympton 2nd line west, on Monday Aug. 23rd to Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson—a daughter.

At St. Julian's hospital, St. Ignace, Montana, on August 15th, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Watson (nee Miss Lizzie McCheney) a daughter.

In London, on August 23rd, to Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Perkins, Leithbridge, Alta., a daughter.

### MARRIED.

At the parsonage, Point Edward, Wednesday afternoon, August 26th, John Gray and Miss Gladys Robinson, both of Canlaniche, by Rev. B. H. Robinson.

In Petrolia, on Wednesday, Aug. 25th, by the Rev. John McKibie, Mr. Alfred J. Syer, of the 6th line Eniskillen, to Lyla, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Gordon, of Oil City.

In Windsor on Thursday, August 26, 1915, Bloss Pollard, of Petrolia, to Josephine Hutchins, of San Francisco, Calif.

On Saturday, Sept. 4th, at the residence of the bride's parents, 4th line north, Warwick, by the Rev. H. W. Wright, of Arkona, Miss Ida A. Smith to George W. Colling, of Bosanquet.

At the residence of the bride's mother, Sutorville, on Wednesday, Sept. 8th, 1915, by the Rev. S. P. Irwin, Violet, daughter of Mrs. J. H. Lucas, to Mr. Joseph McKay.

### DIED.

In Warwick, on Saturday, August 28th, 1915, Annabell, beloved wife of Mr. Russell Lindsay, of Strathroy, aged 84 years, 12 days.

At Palermo, Ont., on Sunday, August 29, 1915, Sarah M. McGillicuddy, relict of the late Henry Carrique, in her 83rd year.

In Thedford, on Friday, Aug. 27, Mary Ann, wife of William Lockrey, aged 72 years.

In Plympton, on Monday, Aug. 30th, 1915, Mr. Neil McColl, in his 79th year.

In Plympton, on Friday, Aug. 27th, 1915, Carroll Amelia Wood, wife of Mr. Andrew Rae, in her 83rd year.

In Mt. Brydges, on Wednesday morning, Sept. 1st, 1915, Wilfred, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lamont, aged 5 years.

IN MEMORY OF MRS. RUSSEL LINSLEY  
Dearest sister, thou hast left us,  
Here thy loss we deeply feel,  
But 'tis God who hath bereft us,  
He shall all our sorrows heal.  
—SISTER-IN-LAW.

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### FARM PROPERTY FOR SALE

BY TENDER

UNDER INSTRUCTIONS from the administrator of the estate of William Peter Herbert Clothier, late of Brooke Township, Ont., farmer, deceased, and with the consent of the official guardian and subject to his approval tenders will be received by the undersigned solicitor for the purchase of the south half of the north one hundred acres of lot number twenty-nine in the twelfth concession of Brooke township. On this property there is a two-story frame dwelling with a one and a half storey frame kitchen attached, under which dwelling there is a good cement cellar. There is also a frame barn, frame hen house, and an orchard of about three acres. Said property is well situated, being about five miles from Kerwood, eight miles from Watford, ten miles from Alvinston, and twelve miles from Strathroy, and has the advantage of all these markets. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Further particulars and conditions of sale will be made known on application to the undersigned solicitor.

Dated at Watford, Ont., September 8th, 1915.

W. E. FITZGERALD,  
Solicitor for Administrator.

Watford, Ont.

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### A Word to the Stay-at-Homes

A Toronto officer now at the front writes:—"The division does not complain so bitterly about quiet times as they did before Ypres. Ypres, Festubert, Givenchy—our devoted infantry went through things there, and it is rather a blessing they are getting a chance to reorganize. Our newspapers at home seem to have determined by exaggeration to try to spoil the reputation they have won, but I believe that one may say without boasting that our division is considered second to none. However, enough of us and our affairs.

"In reference to recruiting. It often seems to me that the whole question has taken an entirely false aspect. It is or has been the fashion to regard those who volunteer as if they were doing something fine, something more than could be expected of them. The result of this seems to be that those who don't want to come don't seem to feel that they are actually shirking. They comfort themselves by saying, 'Let those who like it go.' One lady told me last summer that her husband had 'no taste' for soldiering. I felt like asking her if she thought it was a picnic. If people regarded it simply as our 'reasonable service' then there would be more sense of shame in those who have not come forward."

### Moffatt—Capes

On Saturday the 28th day of August a very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Capes of the Township of Plympton, when their daughter Mary Olive became the bride of Mr. Elmer Lloyd Moffatt, a prosperous young farmer of Brooke Township. Rev. J. A. Snell, Watford, performed the ceremony in the presence of the immediate relatives of the contracting parties. Miss Amy Moffatt played the wedding march very sweetly. After the usual congratulations, all repaired to the dining room where they partook of a dainty luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. Moffatt have gone on an extended trip to the West, after which they will take up their abode in Brooke Township. Congratulations.

AN exchange says:—Falling in a strawstack while threshers were at work, a spark caused a serious fire on the farm of William Jones, of the 3rd concession of Dereham. It was only through the quick action of the men at work that the buildings nearby, three in number, were saved. Winding several chains around the partially constructed strawstack, they were able to remove it to a safe distance from the barns, where it was destroyed.

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