# **Busy Days**

### On the Farm

Do your shopping in the evenings. Store open Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings.

We carry the most up-to-date stock of Groceries, Fancy Biscuits and Sodas. Fresh Fruits and Vegetables. Oleomargarine and Creamery Butter.

Your produce taken-cash or trade.

Phone

W. A. WILLIAMS

ARKONA

## White Canvas Shoes for Men, Women and Children

So cool and comfortable!

Save money, leather and tired, aching feet by wearing White Footwear these warm days. They are quite inexpensive. Come in today and see our big summer stock—all styles, all sizes. We are sure we can please you.

W. D. Cameron

### Obituary

their homestead in Warwick where they spent their lives until claimed by death. Her husband predeceased her seventeen years ago. Ot a family of eight, seven are left to mourn her loss:—Frederick B., Mrs. Wm. Cubert, Mrs. Wm. Hayward, Mrs. Wm. McCormick, and Wil-

Obituary

There passed away after a lingering illness on Saturday, May 8th. Margaret Dowd, widow of the late William Brereton, one of Warwick's oldest residents. She was born in 1839 during the voyage of her parents from Ireland to Canada. Her parents settled in Quebec und in 1874 Mr. and Mrs. Brereton moved to their homestead in Warwick where they spent their lives until claimed by death. liam of Plympton; Margaret and John

Is your subscription to the Guide-Advocate paid in advance? You will save money by paring it Now.

#### ARKONA

Crops for the most part are now in round these parts. Visitors not a few were the guests of Arkona homes over the week end and for the Twenty-fourth.

A party of jovial young people motored over from Arkona to the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Holbrook, Warwick, for a social evening last Friday.

"Matched with Strength," will be the theme for Sunday morning's service in the Baptist church; evening subject, "Three Men and a Fourth in the Fire."

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnston, of Glencoe; Mr. and Mrs. Porter, of Toron-to, were the week end and Twenty-fourth guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Rooks. fourth guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Rooks.
Rev. C. W. King, John McLiesh, Walter Percy, George Fitzsimmons, with
Robert Crawford and Charles Bartlett as
alternates were appointed delegates to
the coming Annual Middlesex and Lambton Baptist Association to be held June
9th and 10th in Adelaide St. Church,
London. Mr. King is also on the program for an address on Western work.
Dr. A. C. Dickson, late of Spurgeon's
Tabernacle, is the visiting speaker this
year and will be heard four times during
the meetings. Peter Quartell, of Dayton, the meetings. Peter Quartell, of Dayton, Ohio, a noted tenor soloist will be in charge of the musical part of the pro-

gram.

The death occurred in Arkona on Thursday, May 18th, of Elizabeth Weir, relict of the late G. W. Baynton, in her 69th year. Mrs. Baynton formerly resided in Parkhill and Arkona, coming to Strathroy a few years ago with her son. She was on a visit to her daughters in Arkona when she passed away. She had been ailing for some time. She leaves one brother, Wm. Weir, of Brinsley, and the following children to mourn her loss: Fred and Henry, of Strathroy; Charles, of the Peace River District; and Mrs. Hugh Johnson and Mrs. Jno. H. Holmes, of Arkona. The funeral was held from Arkona to Parkhill cemetery on Sunday afternoon and was very largely attended.

Arkona to Parkhill cemetery on Sunday afternoon and was very largely attended.

The Annual Methodist Strathroy District Conference was held here last Thursday and Friday with some twenty ministers in attendance. Reports showed a distinct advance in all departments of the work. The Forward Movement both in its financial and in its more directly spiritual work had already accomplished much good to the local churches. Noon and evening meals were provided with entertainment for the delegates by the ladies of the Arkona and Bethel churches. Rev. Mr Reid of Strathroy, is chairman of the district. Among the important resolutions passed by the Conference was that the General Conferene Special Committee be urged to recommend the adoption of a minimum of \$1,500 for pastor's salary, in keeping with the general movement among all the denominations to cope with the h. c. of l. problems. afternoon and was very largely attended.

### KERWOOD

Mr. R. A. Brunt, of Windsor, was a

Miss Barnes spent a few days with friends in Peterboro. Mr. Russel and Miss Grace Law spent

Sunday with friends in Petrolea. Russel and Clayton Johnston and Miss Gladys Johnston spent the holidays in Thamesford. The Ladies Aid of the Methodist

vill meet at the home of Mrs. J. H. Richardson on June 2nd. Don't forget the Sunday School Convention in St. Paul's church, Kerwood,

on June 1st. An interesting time is ex-

Miss Hattie Rogers, Miss Dobson, of Toronto, Mr. W. Rogers and daughter, Margaret, of London, spent the week end at Mr. Alf. Rogers.

The Mission Circle of the Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Seymour Langford on May 29th. A good attendance is requested.

The Women's Institute will hold their next meeting at the home of Mrs. Dym-ond. Roll call will be answered by the payment of dues. The subject selected will be taken by Mrs. de Gex. Afterward, the election of officers. Lunch committee consists of the following ladies:—Mrs. M. C. Morgan, Mrs. W. McLaughlin, Mrs. A. Woods and Mrs. E. Langford. Langford.

### WEST WILLIAMS

Miss Margaret Stewart is spending the holiday at her cousins', the Misses Camp-

Mr. and Mrs. Sharron and sons Brock and Newman are visiting at Mr. and Mrs F. G. Conkey's. Mr. and Mrs. Nat. Conkey, of Windsor, are spending the week end at the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Conkey.

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Conkey.

The Auxiliary of West Adelaide Presbyterian church met at the home of Mrs.

Jas. Wallace on May 6th with an attendance of 24 members and 14 visitors. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Lizzie McLeish on June 3rd at 2.30 p.m. At this meeting the ladies intend quilting a quilt for the mission school. The ladies of the congregation are cordially invited to attend.

The "Controllurch" Sunday decided.

dially invited io attend.

The "Go-to-Church" Sunday decided upon by the Y. P. S. of West Adelaide Presbyterian church on the 23rd of May was a decided success. The church was prettily decorated with house plants. Two anthems were rendered by the choir also a duet by Mr. and Mrs. L. Grogan. The minister, Mr. Ratcliffe, preached very impressively on Matthew 27:28. The same idea was represented at the Young People's Society in the evening, there being a record attendance present. Papers were given on "Being a Good Comrade" by Miss Minnie Murray and Mr. Loftus Wilson, also a duet by Mr. L. Grogan and Mrs. S. Wilson.

## **BLOUSE IN FAVOR**

**Garment Retains Popularity With** Majority of Women.

Vast Array of Materials Including Silks, Laces, Velvet, Metallic Cloth, Chiffon, Crepe.

Much interest is shown in blous and never were there more varied and delectable models displayed than those now on view.

Probably this is partly due to the advent of the chemise blouse, Russian blouse, smock, whatever one chooses to call the blouse falling cut-

side the skirt. These garments to be worn outside the skirt seem to have reacted upon the regulation models, to be tucked inside the skirt, and both are alluring enough to tempt women into extravagant buying.

The vogue of the separate shirt, a by-product of the popularity of the peplum or chemise blouse, works round in a circle to complement the enthusiasm over the blouse; and so it

There is no end to the different materials used for these blouses-silks, laces, velvet, metallic cloth, chiffon. crepe. Often one sees a blouse of velvet or crepe drawn into a deep girdle of Chinese or Japanese embroidery or metallic cloth.

Another charming blouse is a long model of black Salome velvet, opening over a blue and silver waistcoat. The neck is high and fastens with several buttons to the upper part of the open-ing. There is a girdle of silver inset with imitation sapphires. There are two flounces of the black velvet.

One of the new French designs re cently displayed was a straight chemise blouse of bright blue Jersey print-



Blouse of Real Point Lace.

narrow jet girdle, and the edges of the garment were outlined with narrow black silk fringe.

A blouse which would answer admirably for evening wear is of white crepe over green silk. The bodice is made in surplice effect, the right side crossing over to the left, where it is caught by a large flower at the waistline. A hip extender is placed at the sides of the peplum where the silk is joined to a deep band of silver lace which encircles the lower part of the blouse. Silver lace also forms the short sleeves and fills in the V at back and front.

Equally charming is a blouse of pale pink silk. The silk forms the bodice and short sleeves which are cut in one. To the lower part of the bodice are attached two flounces of silver lace—falling in form of cas-cade at the left side.

### MAKE HANDBAG YOURSELF

Black Velvet or an Old Piece of Sealskin, With Beads, Used to Advantage.

Some bags look exactly right with one costume, or perhaps with two, but it's a big task to choose a bag which will strike the right note for every costume.

Such a bag may be made at home with little difficulty. Black velvet, or, if one is lucky enough to have an old sealskin cap or collar; sealskin can be shaped into an odd, semioval bag. Jet beads on silk foundation may be appliqued on the seal or velvet in two bands. A tassel of the same beads finishes the lower part of the bag, while four chains of jet beads brought together with a small ring from which they lead to a larger wrist band, conclude the bag. An ordinary ring may be bought at any shop and bound with silk, covered with beads, to form this wrist hand .- Petty Brown.

Wedding Stationery of the finest quality at The Guide-Advocate.

### **ASTHMA**

If you have Asthma, don't imagine that you must al-ways sufer untold misery, Relief quick, sure and safe is guaranteed in even the worst cases by using

TEMPLETON'S RAZ-MAH CAPSULES

Sold by reliable druggists everywhere for \$1.04 a box. Local Agent-J. W. McLaren,

Wedding Invitations Announcements Cake Boxes, etc. at The Guide-Advocate

#### S. S. Association at Kerwood

The 8th annual convention of Adelaide Metcalfe and Strathroy Sunday School Association will be held in St. Panl's Church, Kerwood, on Tuesday, June 1. The following program has been prepared for the convention: Afternoon—Devotional period, Rev. H. R. Deiln!; business; authem, "Rejoice and be Glad," choir; president's address, Mr. J. R. Stevenson, Strathroy; address, "Story Telling," Miss M. Drynan, Strathroy; address, "The Rights of the Child," Rev. G. B. Radcliffe, West Adelaide; authem, "Praise the God of Our Salvation," choir; offertory; address, Captain Smith, of the Salvation Army, Strathroy; round table conference, led by T. F. Harrison, of Cobourg. Evening—Song service led by church choir; anthem, "Lift-Up Your Heads"; address, Rev. Wim McIntosh, of Napier; solo, "It Was For Me," Mr. I. P. Bateman, Kerwood; offertory; ladies' quartette, Mrs. S. McCandless, Mrs. H. Baynton, Miss Grace Jackson and Miss Kitchen, of Strathroy; address, T. F. Harrison, of Cobourg; duet, Capt. Smith and Lieut. Lightowler, of the S. A., Strathroy; national anthem. Come to the convention and show your interest in Sunday School work.

### WHEN BABY IS SICK

When the baby is sick—when he is cross and peevish; cries a great deal and is a constant worry to the mother—he needs Baby's Own Tablets. The Tablets are an ideal medicine for little ones. They are a gentle but thorough laxative which regulate the bowels, sweeten the stomach, banish constipation and indigestion, break up colds and simple fevers and make teething easy. Concerning them Mrs. Philippe Payen, St. Flavien, Que., writes: "Baby's Own Tablets have been a wonderful help and I can strongly recommend them to other mothers." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

### GETTING READY FOR SUMMER

Heavy Limen, Gingham, Pongee and Taffeta Are Favorite Fabrics for Little Girls.

Among the warm weather fabrics that will be favored for the children's wardrobe may be mentioned heavy gingham, especially striped and Scotch plaid weaves, natural colored pongee and taffeta. Taffeta, of course, is designed for frocks of the "dressy type, but the other materials are all washable and, therefore, in the utility or service class. For very early spring serge will play its part. Some smart little models are shown equipped with

detachable guimpes of white pique.

Colored organdie is a perfectly good selection for a party frock for a little girl, regardless of season. Hand emproidery is a dainty trimming touch. Another smart touch applied to cotton fabric frocks for children is scalloped ruffles piped in self-fabric in contrast-

Sashes are approved by Dame Fashion for members of the younger set next season and this, of course, means that wide, gay ribbons will have a big

Hair and sash ribbons to match make an ideal birthday gift.

# Summer Millinery Announcement

We are now showing the Newest Designs in

Leghorn Milan Swiss Hair

and

Maline Models

Also a good assortment of Children's Hats.

You are invited to call and inspect them.

M. GEORGE

WATFORD