

**ARKONA**

Mr. James Jackson, spent three days last week attending the annual Furniture Convention held in Berlin and Stratford. While there he made extensive purchases of spring goods.

Miss Lou Moore is spending a few days with friends in Woodstock.

Miss Sarah Lampman is spending the week end with Mrs. Ticknor, in Parkhill.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Wilson are spending the week with friends in Bay City, Mich.

Buy Crums English prints, the best in the trade.—Brown Bros.

Miss Maud Fuller attended an "At Home" given by the Normal Students in Stratford, last Friday evening.

Mr. J. Gadd, of Springfield, was in town on business last Tuesday.

Mr. A. Morningstar, of Shelby, Mich., is spending a few days with his cousin, Ray Morningstar.

Miss Georgia Davidson spent the week end at her home here.

Mrs. Levi Bears, of Bailey, Mich., is renewing old acquaintances in the Ark.

The new washing soap "Sunny Monday." Try it. For sale by Brown Bros.

The London Advertiser the other day contained an excellent portrait of Mr. William Richardson, one of the old residents of this place, he having moved here from Westminster over 35 years ago.

Miss Brock, of Watford, spent a few days last week with Mrs. Davidson in town.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. C. J. Ready is on the sick list.

Misses Elva Fuller and Elsie Presey attended the Mission Conference held in Forest last week.

A full line of the latest styles in spring shoes and slippers just arrived at Fuller Bros. We sell the Empress shoe—the shoe that needs no "breaking in."

Mrs. N. Davidson is visiting friends in Cobourg.

Rev. Armin Holzer, pastor of the Forest Baptist Church, gave two very interesting and helpful lectures in the Baptist Church here on Monday and Tuesday evenings.

We are pleased to learn that Mr. Ivan Crawford, of London, who returned to his home here on account of ill health, is recovering.

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**Wallace—Langan**

A pretty wedding took place at the Methodist Church, Coronation, Alberta, on Thursday evening, January 8th, when Gertrude Mary, youngest daughter of Thos. Langan, of Arkona, Ont., was united in marriage to Claude Carson Wallace, of Broken Bow, Nebraska, by Rev. R. T. Harden. The wedding march was played by Mr. J. Melrose. The bride was given away by Mr. G. Fair. Miss Gladys Fair was bridesmaid

and Mr. G. Fair, jr., supported the groom.

After the ceremony the wedding party retired to the home of the happy couple, where a dainty repast was served. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace's many friends extend their best wishes for a long and happy married life.—Coronation Review.

**B. & A. Agricultural Society**

The Treasurer of the B. & A. Agricultural Society at the annual meeting submitted the financial statement showing a balance on hand of \$173.13, and \$100 rent due from rink. The officers for the present year are:

- D. A. McIntyre, President.
- D. L. Fisher, 1st Vice-President.
- Jas. Hand, 2nd Vice-President.
- W. A. Moffatt, Secretary.
- John McCallum, Treasurer.
- Directors—Jas. H. Johnston, W. Germain, H. A. Gilroy, H. Darvill, Joseph Tait, D. J. McEachern, W. J. Weed, L. W. Oke, A. D. McLean, Jas. H. Morrison, Dr. Martyn, J. Spearman, John McCallum, J. L. McKellar and D. McIntyre.

**Lambton Poultry Show**

The poultry show held in Alvinston last week was one of the most successful shows the Lambton Poultry Association has ever held. The exhibition lasted three days, and at all times there were large crowds on hand inspecting the splendid birds. A Government lecturer, M. P. Mallon, addressed an audience in the council chambers afternoon and evening. The entries exceeded those of last year by 25 or 30, and the quality was never better.

The officers of the association have done everything possible to make this Show a success, and are well pleased. It has been decided to meet at Theford the ensuing year.

Officers were elected as follows: President, Dave Tedford (Alvinston); first vice, W. J. Reader (Alvinston); second vice, J. B. Woodall (Theford); secretary-treasurer, J. Irving (Alvinston); judges, Wm. Cadman (Durham Centre) and T. H. Scott (Union).

**P. & W. Agricultural Society Officers**

- President—G. G. Hartley.
- 1st Vice Pres.—John F. McDonald.
- 2nd Vice Pres.—Hugh McLean.
- Directors—Joseph Stonehouse, Peter McPhedran, Jas. E. Smith, Geo. A. Dewar, John Canton, Joseph Bryson, Joseph Fisher, R. S. Jardine, Henry Capes, W. H. Wilkinson, John Richardson, H. M. Kedwell.
- Auditors—Dr. Reid and John E. Anderson.
- Geo. A. Dewar was appointed to attend the Fair's Association in Toronto on 5th of February.
- Henry Capes and Jos. Bryson appointed to attend the fairs Association in Petrolia, Jan. 28th.
- The Association agreed to enter into the field crop competition for the coming year and secured the number necessary while at the meeting.

**From Old Subscribers.**

Wm. Parker, Kellher, Sask., writes: "Enclosed you will find \$1.00 renewal of my subscription to the Guide-Advocate for the present year, as we could not do very well without the old home paper. We are having an unusually mild winter. The ground froze up the last of October. Since then we have had ideal weather, good wheeling up to now, when we got our first sleighing. Crops were good in this district. Grain all of good quality, most of the wheat grading No. 1. Wishing the Guide-Advocate a prosperous year."

**MARKETS WATFORD**

GRAIN AND SHEEDS—		
Wheat, fall, per bush	\$ 85 @	\$ 85
Oats, per bush	32	32
Barley, per bush	45	50
Beans, per bush	1 25	2 00
Timothy	2 00	3 00
Clover Seed	7 00	12 00
Alsike	8 00	13 00
PROVISIONS—		
Butter, per pound	24	24
Lard	18	18
Eggs, per doz	30	30
Pork, per cwt	11 00	11 25
Flour, per cwt	2 25	3 00
Brar, per ton	22 00	22 00
Shots, per ton	26 00	26 00
MISCELLANEOUS—		
Wood	2 50	3 00
Tallow	6	6
Hides	8	10
Wool	13	20
Hay, per ton	9 00	10 00
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—		
Potatoes, per bag	75	85
POULTRY—		
Turkeys, per lb	18	20
Chickens, per lb	9	11
Fowl	8	10
Ducks	14	14
Geese	12	12

London.		
Wheat	\$ 85 to	\$ 86
Oats, cwt	1 00 to	1 05
Butter	23 to	24
Eggs	38 to	40
Pork	12 00 to	12 50

**Toronto**  
Toronto, Jan. 27.—The cattle market was slightly more active today at the Union stockyards. A lot of stock left unsold yesterday was again offered. The values were about steady on most grades of cattle. Veal calves are being bought as quickly as they are offered this week. The supply is much below the number that could be disposed of. Hog prices were a little firmer on account of light offerings.

To-day's run consisted of 39 cars, containing 569 cattle, 56 calves, 617 hogs and 146 sheep and lambs.

To-day's quotations.		
Export cattle, choice	8 50 to	8 75
Butcher cattle, choice	7 75 to	8 50
do., medium	6 50 to	6 70
do., common	5 90 to	6 25
do., cows, choice	6 50 to	6 00
do., common	5 00 to	5 50
do., bulls, choice	6 75 to	7 50
do., good bulls	6 00 to	6 25
Feeding steers	5 75 to	7 35
Stockers, choice	5 75 to	6 25
do., light	5 25 to	5 75
Canners and cutters	3 75 to	4 25
Milkers, choice, each	85 00 to	85 00
do., com. and med.	50 00 to	65 00
do., springs each	50 00 to	90 00
Calves, veal	10 25 to	11 50
do., roughs	5 00 to	7 50
Spring lambs	8 25 to	9 75
Sheep, ewes, light	6 50 to	6 75
do., heavy	6 00 to	6 25
do., bucks	4 75 to	5 00
do., culls	3 75 to	4 50
Hogs, fed and watered	9 50 to	9 50

**East Buffalo.**  
East Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 250; fairly active and steady; prices unchanged. Veals—Receipts 125; active and steady; \$6.00 to \$12. Hogs—Receipts, 5,900; active and 10c lower; heavy and mixed, \$8.80; yorkers, \$8.75 to \$8.80; pigs, \$8.65 to \$8.80; roughs, \$7.90 to \$8.00; stags, \$6 to \$7; dairies, \$8.65 to \$8.80. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 4,000; slow and unchanged.

**BORN.**

- In Adelaide, on Jan. 10th, to Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Buttery, a daughter.
- In Theford, on Jan. 19, to Mr. and Mrs. G. Cline, a daughter.
- In Wyoming, on Sunday, Jan. 18th to Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Murray, a daughter.
- In Enniskillen, on Wednesday, Jan. 21 to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. McGregor, a son.
- In Watford, on Tuesday Jan. 27th, 1914, to Mr. and Mrs. Silas Young, a son.

**MARRIED.**

At the residence of the bride's parents, Richmond St., on Tuesday, Jan. 20th, by Rev. A. E. Jones, Evalyn, daughter of Donald Graham, to Robert Bremner, of Warton, formerly of Strathroy.

**DIED.**

- In Brooke on Tuesday, January 20th, Luke Edward, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Dougald Reader, aged 1 month and 30 days.
- In Winnipeg, on Friday, Jan. 16th, Eva K., eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton, formerly of Bosanquet, aged 23 years.
- In Plympton, on Tuesday, Jan. 20th, Mary Jane, wife of Mr. Williams Stirrett, in her 53rd year.
- In Strathroy, on Thursday morning, Jan. 15, Robert R. Frank, aged 76 years.
- In Kingscourt, on Saturday morning, Jan. 17, Hannah Bateman, beloved wife of James Chambers, of Caradoc, aged 76 years, 10 months and 3 days.
- In Bosanquet, on Jan. 20, William Hilborn, aged 66 years, 1 month and 29 days.
- In Marmora, on Jan. 21, Mark Nichols, aged 90 years.

**HIGH SCHOOL EXAMS**

FORM IV ALGEBRA  
D. Wordsworth 92, K. Anderson 89, C. Dolbear 71, M. Logan 63, C. Sullivan 59, R. Leach 55, O. Maddock 53 and H. Leach 33.

**SALE REGISTER.**

Saturday, Jan. 31st, sale of village property at the Roche House, Watford. For particulars see adv.



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