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HAVE YOU GOT YOUR COAL BIN FILLED YET? STYLES and prices to suit you at M. GEORGE'S Millinery Parlor.

"Live one day at a time," is the advice of the Toledo Blade. At the present price of board, who can afford more?

TWO MILLION EIGHT HUNDRED DOLLARS is the objective for Lambton County in the Victory Loan to be placed before the public next month.

THANKSGIVING DAY in future will be held on Armistice Day, Nov. 11, a bill to that effect having passed the Commons on Tuesday.

THE CANADIAN OFFICIAL RECORD has published its last number. The Record is the official weekly paper of the Department of Public Information. Its publication was begun nearly a year ago.

If things don't change soon society notes may read like this: "The bridegroom's gift to the bride was an exquisite necklace of costly boots guaranteed for two months."

A COMMUNICATION from Lieut.-Col. W. J. Brown, A. A. G., Military District No. 1, regarding the wearing of War Medals and Ribbons, will be published next week.

He: "I have your permission to call this evening?" She: "I shall be very pleased; but don't forget that father switches off the light at ten o'clock." He: "That's kind of you! I'll be there at ten sharp."

WM. THOMPSON, who has been mail courier on rural route No. 8 since the inception of the system, retires from the position on October 1st. Miss L. Clark is the new courier. She will commence her duties Monday next.

A CHANGE in the local G. T. R. timetable to be made Sunday, times trains No. 35, going west, at 12:30 p. m. and No. 112, going east, at 4:20 p. m. On 18, the afternoon New York Express, has been cancelled.

FOR USED FORD CARS see R. MORNINGSSTAR, Watford Garage.

By a motion of the council held at a special meeting held Monday night, Mr. F. W. Thorold was appointed to oversee the construction of waterworks in the village at a commission of five cents on the dollar.

MILITARY DISTRICT orders issued at London on Sept. 15th contain the following:—"No. 6873, C. S. M. Owens, Arthur Evan, 1st Battalion, is posted to Headquarters for duty, and promoted 1st Class Regimental Quartermaster Sergeant with pay and allowances of rank."

There is a very general opinion that the day on which the great war really ended—Armistice Day, November 11th—should hereafter be chosen as Thanksgiving Day in Canada. Thanksgiving Day in early October comes too soon after Labor Day.

THE Rev. A. E. DuPlan, rector of Alivinston, preached an excellent sermon in Trinity Church, Watford, on Sunday evening talking for his subject the words "That Disciple whom Jesus Loved." Owing to the inclement weather the attendance was below the average.

REV. MR. BRIDGMAN, a returned missionary from China, a real live wire, will be present at the district convention of the Epworth Leagues in the Methodist church here on Friday of this week, Sept. 26th. Don't fail to hear Mr. Bridgman's addresses, afternoon and evening. He is an enthusiast.

POWL SUPPER. First and Best of the season. Zion Methodist Church, Watford, next Monday 6 to 8 o'clock. Program, Imperial Male Quartette of London. Hocutiousist, Miss Muzworthy and other attractive numbers. Only 50 cents. Don't miss this treat.

NO SERVICE in the Methodist church next Sunday evening, owing to the anniversary services in Zion Methodist church, 2nd line, Warwick, when Rev. George Jewett, of Wyoming, will preach in the afternoon at 2:30 and again at 7:30. The Methodists of Watford are invited to share in these anniversary services.

SUNDAY was the autumnal equinox and the weather prevalent at the time of the sun crossing the line is said to prevail to a greater or lesser degree for six weeks. The fulfillment of such a belief this year, judging from the sample of weather we had on Sunday, means a prevalence of rain and high winds till well on into October.

THE Fair Night Concert to be held in the Lyceum October 10th promises to be the best and leading concert of the season. There will be no less than seven live entertainers. The Harmony Boys and the Jazz Orchestra are worth the price alone, to say nothing of Jack Ballantyne, the noted comedian, and the Bally Hoo Band of six pieces. See bills later.

SUNDAY is Rally Day in the Cong'l Church, Watford. Special services all day. Sunday school special programme at 10 a.m. Church at 11 a.m. and a church rally service at 7 p.m. The pastor, Rev. T. DeCourcy Rayner, will preach. Let there be a rousing rally of young and old to the House of Prayer. Aim to attend all services.

The milliners are busy with the fall headgear.

BEFORE selecting your new fall hats call and see M. GEORGE'S latest models. FORD size guaranteed tires at \$17.00 up.—RAY MORNINGSSTAR.

A HEAVY downpour of rain accompanied by strong wind swept this district on Friday afternoon. The rain was badly needed.

THE Canadian Press Association will hold its annual convention this year on Thursday and Friday, Nov. 27th and 28th, at the King Edward Hotel, Toronto.

"SARGENT was a great artist," said the teacher of the drawing class. "With one stroke he could change a smiling face into a sorrowful one." "That ain't nothin'," piped up Johnny. "Me mother does that to me lots of times."

ARRANGEMENTS are being made for a concert in the Music Hall, (south end) on Fair night that will surpass all previous fair concerts. No expense is being spared to secure the very best talent obtainable. There will be something to please everyone. Particulars next week.

THE death occurred at Preston on Monday, Sept. 22nd of Robert John Homuth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Homuth of the town, aged 23 years, 5 months and 24 days. The funeral took place Thursday to Preston cemetery. Deceased will be remembered by many people here as a most popular and obliging clerk in the local branch of the Merchants Bank some time ago.

READ SWIFT'S add this week. Petrolia will have a rugby team in the immediate series of the O. R. F. U.

WEST LAMBTON FAIR at Sarnia this week was favored with fine weather, big crowd, numerous entries and good races.

LOCAL BUTCHERS report all meats declining in price, as much as 10c per lb. May everything come the same way. "That man O'Connor" is a pretty good head as long as he does not investigate the particular line of trade that you are in.

AMONG the improvements made to residential property in town this summer is the addition of a handsome verandah to the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Callahan.

The annual Harvest Thanksgiving services will be held in Trinity church, the first Sunday in October. The Rev. D. W. Collins, of Windsor, will be the special preacher.

"How is a fellow to tell anyway what kind of a wife he is getting?" a somewhat discouraged and distressed young man asks. It is suggested that he may take it as a good sign if he finds the young lady fishing for her diamond ring in her mother's washbub.

Lucy was visiting her aunt in the country. It was the joy of the four-year-old to hunt for eggs in the barn. One day she brought in a very small one, presumably laid by a hantam. "Auntie," said the little maid, showing it, "the hen that laid that egg didn't have the right recipe."

Mass Meeting of Conservatives

A mass meeting of Liberal Conservatives of East Lambton will be held in the Lyceum, Watford, on Saturday, Oct. 4th at 2 o'clock p. m. to select a candidate to represent the Riding in the Provincial Legislature. Prominent speakers will be present to discuss the political issues of the day. All Conservatives invited to attend. Full particulars next week.

THE REFERENDUM BALLOT

There seems to be considerable diversity of opinion as to voting on the coming Referendum. There is an impression prevalent that voters must answer each of the four questions on the ballot must be answered with four "yes's" or four "no's" or the ballot will be spoiled. This impression is not correct. You can vote "yes" or "no" to the four questions, but you must vote "yes" or "no" to all the questions, otherwise your ballot will be counted as spoiled. As an example—a person may vote "no" on question 1, "yes" on question 2, and so on.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Jas. Craig is taking a ten days' holiday with friends in St. Thomas.

Lieut. Swift and Capt. Binks were in Detroit and Flint this week.

Miss Kathene Tannock of Toronto, visited Miss Winnifred Swift, week end.

Mrs. Henry Mills, of Chatham, has returned home from visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Jas. Craig.

Rev. T. DeCourcy Rayner is visiting his brother in Parry Sound and will return home this week end.

Mr. T. E. Brown and son, Paul, of Oakdale, La., spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. S. W. Loucks.

Marjorie Swift is getting on nicely at Victoria Hospital and expected home Monday.

Mrs. E. C. Whitelaw (nee Jennie Watson) of Vancouver, B. C., is spending a few days with Mrs. R. O. Spalding.

Miss Dorothy Seager, Sarnia, and Mr. George Mead, London, are spending a few days at Mr. W. E. Fitzgerald's.

Miss Greta Tiffin went to Victoria Hospital, London, on Thursday, to undergo an operation for appendicitis.

Miss Grace Auld, Detroit, is spending a couple of weeks' vacation at her home here.

Mrs. Ed. Lamont, Detroit, spent a few days this week with her father and brother, W. H. and F. W. Rogers.

Mr. J. F. Elliot returned Saturday night from Manitoba. He reports excellent crops in the district he visited.

Miss Jean Goodhand, of Dauphin, Man., who has been visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Cameron, and other relatives, left for the West today.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Short, St. Williams, spent the week end with Mrs. Short's sister, Mrs. Cecil Butler. They motored here and left Tuesday for Brantford.

Mrs. A. G. Brown went to Sarnia last week to attend the funeral on Saturday of the late Miss Margaret Macklin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Macklin, who died on Thursday last.

Amherstburg Echo:—Mr. and Mrs. Friend R. Luckham, who have visited relatives at Leamington and in Windsor during the past two weeks, returned to their home in Watford on Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. Robinson, Winnipeg, Mrs. James Lambert, Flint, Mich., and Mrs. T. C. Mann, Port Huron, were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Newell on Saturday.

Miss Margaret Bell Saunders, who has been overseas for the past five years and a half, connected with relief work in Belgium, arrived in Watford Wednesday and is spending a few weeks with relatives in this vicinity.

Provincial Elections October 20th.

Toronto, Sept. 23.—Sir William Hearst to-night officially announced the dissolution of the Ontario Legislature and the issuing of writs for a general election on Monday, October 20, with nominations one week earlier, on Monday, October 13.

WARWICK

WE HAVE the suit you need.—SWIFT'S. Mrs. E. Malton, of Toronto, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Robt. Campbell, at Fair View.

Rev. E. H. Sawers will preach in Knox Church, Main Road, Warwick, on Sunday evening at 7:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Newell and children, Springfield, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Kadey.

Service in Zion Congregational Church on Sunday at 2:45 p.m. The pastor, the Rev. T. DeCourcy Rayner, will preach.

Go to Zion Methodist Church next Monday evening for the best fowl supper you ever ate, and best musical and literary program you ever heard. Come. See big posters. It sure will be good.

The Warwick Branch of the Women's Institute held their regular monthly meeting in the Foresters' Hall on Thursday, Sept. 11th, at 2:30. Meeting opened with the singing of The Maple Leaf, followed by prayer by the President, Mrs. D. Auld read an article on "The Habit of Working" and Mrs. Burton on "More Play in the Country." This Friday afternoon, Sept. 26th, Mrs. Lawrie, district president, will address the meeting in the Orange Hall. Ladies are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

Let all remember the anniversary services of Zion Methodist Church, 2nd line south, on Sunday next at 2:30 and 7:30 p.m. Rev. George Jewett, of Wyoming, chairman of Sarnia district, is the preacher for the occasion. The church choir, under the leadership of Mr. T. A. Gault, is furnishing special music. Every person is invited to enjoy these special services and will be made specially welcome.

Mr. William James Moffatt, of the 2nd line, Warwick, passed peacefully away in his 72nd year at his residence on Saturday evening, Sept. 13th, after being confined to his bed for three weeks. He had always enjoyed excellent health until 15 months ago, when he suffered a stroke and although was soon able to be around again, has since been in declining health. He was a native of Tyrone county, Ireland, being born there October 6th, 1847. He came to Canada in May, 1880, and has since resided on the 2nd line south, Warwick. Twenty-one years ago he bought and settled on the farm on which he died, lot 28, con. 3. He was a member of the Church of England and a Conservative in politics. He leaves to mourn his demise a family of one son and three daughters; his wife having predeceased him on June 3rd, 1917. The funeral, which was largely attended, was held to the Watford cemetery on Tuesday afternoon, the service being conducted by Rev. W. M. Shore, assisted by Rev. A. C. Tiffin. The pall bearers were Messrs. T. H. Fuller, E. A. Edwards, James B. William John and Andrew Moffatt and Robert Bryce.

TO IMPROVE THE CEMETERY

Arrangements are being made to improve the Watford cemetery by gravelling the driveways and walks. As almost every family in the district is interested in having the cemetery put in better condition Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons of next week have been named to hold a bee to do the work. Farmers are asked to help by drawing gravel from Mrs. Brayford's pit on those days. Will you kindly bring your team and help. Others from town will be on hand to assist with the work. Let us endeavor to put the resting place of our dead in better condition.

BROKE

We have the coat you need.—SWIFT'S. Mr. John King is rapidly recovering from his recent accident.

Mrs. J. N. Nark, Warman, Sask., is visiting at the home of her father, Mr. John Hair.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter D. McGregor and family left on Tuesday for Salt Lake, Utah, where they will spend the winter. They went by auto and expect the trip will take them about fourteen days. They are taking a trip in the hope that the "chance" will improve the health of Mrs. McGregor and her daughter.

Harvest Thanksgiving services will be held in St. James' Church, Broke, and Christ Church, Sutorville, the first Sunday in October. The Rev. D. W. Collins, of Windsor, will be the special preacher. A special Thank offering will be taken for the mission work of the church.

A pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Higgins on Monday last when their friends and neighbors assembled to welcome their soldier son, Stanley, who had just returned from France. While there, he served first in the artillery and later on ammunition transport. An interesting program was given consisting of songs, music and speeches. At the conclusion, Stanley was presented with a handsome club bag containing travelling case. After lunch the guests dispersed, thankful that one more boy had been spared to return to his own.

The September meeting of the Broke Women's Institute was held last Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss Minnie Willoughby. There were about twenty ladies present. Two excellent papers were read. Mrs. D. McDonald gave one on "Children's Rights" and Mrs. D. McNeil read one on "The Defects in Butter-Making, Keeping and Marketing." Mrs. J. Darville, District Vice-President, gave an address on the Referendum Ballot. Music was furnished by the Grafonola. Mrs. Shugg and Miss Willoughby were appointed delegates to the W. I. Convention to be held in London, Ont. 29th and 30th. Mrs. Annett and Mrs. McDonald to act as alternates. The singing of the National Anthem closed the meeting, after which the hostess served refreshments. The place and time of next meeting will be announced later.

The canning factory at Petrolia received six car loads of pears and has 800 acres of corn under contract.

Fire Prevention Day, October 9

Prevent Fires

In Your Home

By removing all Rubbish and Litter. Have your furnace and stove pipes in proper condition. Properly installed Lightning Rods are more than 99 per cent. efficient.

In Your Factory and Shop

By removing oily waste and other fire menaces. Prohibit smoking on the premises. Cleanliness, order and forethought are important factors in reducing fire waste. Provide better and more systematic inspection and watchman service and also more efficient fire-fighting equipment.

In Your Office

Do not leave lighted cigars or cigarettes where they may start a fire. Do not throw a lighted match into the waste-paper basket.

In Your School

By teaching the children the danger of fire. Before leaving each night see that there can be no overheated stoves or furnaces. Teach the children not to play with matches.

In Your Church

Have chimneys properly cleaned out before starting your furnace. Never put on an extra fire except when someone is on hand to tend to it.

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