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W. J. WEED, clerk.

### PEOPLE ARE DEBILITATED

and Strength Can Only be Gained by Enriching the Blood

who are tired all the time, feel rested, even after a long day in bed, people who cannot get their strength and vitality back, are in a condition of debility, as shown by a general medical examination of every organ in the body normally, but the pallor of the face usually shows that the blood is deficient.

There is a loss of vitality, not only one part of the body, but the whole. The blood is the life of the body, and very part of the body and blood tonic like Dr. Williams' Pink Pills quickly tones up the system. The first sign of debility is a better appetite, a better digestion, a quicker color in the cheeks, a better blood, reaching every muscle, carries new health.

The nerves are quieted, and more refreshing and restful treatment and a good diet is once more enabled. The case of Mr. W. R. No. 4, Tilsonburg, Ontario, states the great value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in cases of debility. Mr. Doxtater says: "I suffered with pains throughout my body, was extremely nervous, sleep at night, and was treated with various remedies, but nothing seemed to do me any good. I had fallen away in weight, and was scarcely able to get on my feet. Then I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and in a few days I was feeling better. I continued to take them, and in a few weeks I was feeling like a new man. I am now able to do my work, and I can now do my work as anyone else. You are not feeling well? Take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and you will be right."

It is a sign that the blood is deficient. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills make the blood rich, and the blood is the life of the body. The speedy improvement in the appetite, and the medicine dealer or druggist a box or six boxes of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, Brockville, Ont.

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## LOCAL HAPPENINGS

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

THE potato bug's activity is quite noticeable just now. Paris green is his bug-bear.

THE H. C. of L. might take a tumble if Canada adopted the Italian system of fining and imprisoning profiteers and confiscating their goods. It brought down the price of foodstuffs fifty per cent in Italy.

A MEETING of the executive of the East Lambton Liberal Conservative Association was held in the Roche House on Thursday afternoon for business in connection with the coming referendum on prohibition.

THESE black and colored poplin skirts at \$5.50, only price.—SWIFT'S.

IT HAS BEEN decided by the association of rural mail carriers to ask the Government to abolish the system of letting rural delivery routes by contract, and ask for a straight payment of \$90 a year per mile on the route. They will also ask that they be paid \$50 a mile a year for 1917 and 1918, the amount paid to them by contract being subtracted.

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## PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Leigh, Guelph, are visitors at Miss Percival's this week.

Mrs. Barrie, Port Arthur, is visiting at Mr. A. Mitchell's.

Mr. Geo. McIntosh, Toronto, called on relatives here this week.

Wilfred Johnston of Ingersoll, spent this week at W. E. Fitzgerald's.

Vallee Anld, Detroit, is visiting at his home here for a few days.

Miss Frances and Olive Lovell are visiting with Mrs. Will Johnston, Arkona.

Mr. R. N. McKenzie of the High School staff is presiding at Alvinston lower school exams.

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## CHOP STUFF

One of the Forest barber's clips hair by electricity.

The township of Blanshard furnished 134 enlisted men, 17 of whom paid the supreme sacrifice.

Only 25 per cent of a normal crop of apples is the outlook for this year by orchardists.

Mr. R. H. Carbert, who has been principal of the Alvinston public school for the past eight years, has resigned. He goes to Milverton.

Through the efforts of Dr. Martyn, M.P.P., 30,000 black bass fry have been placed in the Sydenham river at Alvinston. There should be some good fishing there in about three years when the bass are old enough to "bite."

The Forest Driving Club will hold races in the Exhibition Park on Wednesday, August 13th, when \$900 will be offered in purses for three events. There will be a 2.25 trot, \$300; a 2.20 trot or pace, \$500; and a free-for-all trot or pace \$300.

AFFIDAVIT forms for soldiers wishing to apply for war service gratuity, under the new conditions, whereby the order-in-council is made retroactive for soldiers serving in England or Canada only, and discharged prior to November 11, 1918, are available from the office of the paymaster, war service gratuity, Wolseley Barracks, London, Ont. Applicants submitting these affidavits are requested to include regimental number, name in full, unit of enlistment and unit from which discharge was granted, otherwise payments of gratuity may be delayed.

One of the last of the early settlers on the 6th line of Enniskillen, one who went into that district with the Koses, the Walkers, the Bobbers, followed later by the Symingtons and the Gormans, in the person of James Parke, died on Sunday of peritonitis, aged 71 years and 6 months. Mr. Parke was born on the 2nd line of Plympton township and at the age of 20 came to Enniskillen and bought a farm for himself. He was a very industrious man and took a keen pleasure in improving his property from year to year. In 1873 he married Jane Johnston, of the 8th line, who, with two of a family of five, survive. Mrs. Harry Neal, of Kerriemuir, Alta., is a daughter, and William, on the 6th line, is a son. The remains were buried in Hillside cemetery on Tuesday, the funeral service being conducted by the Rev. Hall Wood. The pallbearers were Messrs. G. W. Syer, Matthew Wilkins, Wm. McMullen and Geo. Gorman.

## Successful Garden Party

The Garden Party held on Friday last, July 4th, on the lawn of James H. Bryce, Kingscourt, was a great success, an immense crowd gathering to enjoy a very pleasant evening. The Garden Party was held under the auspices of the Choir of the Congregational Church of Watford and the young people certainly deserve credit for the success achieved by their hard work.

Mrs. James H. Bryce, although convalescing from a very recent illness, yet performed the duties of hostess to perfection; and a bountiful supper was provided by the ladies of the congregation under the presidency of Mrs. Jacob D. Brown.

A splendid program was given which included numerous selections by the Petrolia Orchestra, vocal solos by Mrs. M. Cunningham, Miss Mari of Sarnia, Mr. E. H. Luckham and the pastor, the Rev. T. DeCourcy Rayner, and elocutionary numbers by Rev. Mr. Rayner.

The Rev. Mr. Forster performed the duties of chairman in a very genial manner. The grounds were beautifully illuminated by the Delco system.

Over \$90.00 was taken in at the gate, and over \$74.00 at the refreshment booth, which, after all expenses have been paid will leave a substantial sum to replenish the choir treasury.

## WARWICK

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Edwards entertained between 40 and 50 of their friends on Wednesday evening last, in honor of their son, Orville, who returned recently from overseas, it being his birthday.

An interesting meeting of the Warwick Branch of the Women's Institute was held in the Foresters' Hall on June 27th, when Mrs. Morris Alton, gave a very interesting address on "Our Arms and Hindrances." The meeting opened with the "Maple Leaf" followed by prayer by Mrs. Burton. Miss Maxena Auld recited "My Bouny" which was appreciated by all. Miss L. Ross gave an alarm, but when assistance arrived from the house the little chap had passed away. Resuscitation was attempted but the vital spark had fled. As there was little over a foot of water in the tank at the time it is supposed that the child struck his head when falling and was unconscious when he entered the water, or possibly he may have choked on the biscuit while falling, as a child that age would naturally struggle and extricate himself from even a greater depth of water. The funeral was held on Saturday afternoon, service being held in the Grace church, officiating, the pallbearers were four cousins, Wilson and Harold Westgate, Newton and Frank Bryce. The afflicted family have the sincere sympathy of the entire community in the tragic loss of their dear baby boy.

A very pleasant afternoon was spent on Friday last when about forty members of the Wisbeach Red Cross Society met at the home of the President, Miss Seymour, to show in a slight degree their appreciation of her work during the past four years. After a short program, Miss Seymour was asked to come forward and the following address was read:

President, Wisbeach Red Cross Society: We, your friends and neighbors, have assembled here this afternoon for the purpose of showing you the high esteem in which we hold your services, as President of the Wisbeach Red Cross Society. For almost four years you have held this trying position and we have greatly admired your untiring energy and devotion.

New, your duties along that line are fulfilled and we sincerely hope that the services of the Wisbeach Red Cross Society will not again be needed in taking care of poor, wounded men after terrible battles. In slight token of your valuable services as leader of our Society, we beg you to accept this ladies' companion and tray; and we hope that in future days when you look at them you will be reminded of us who have endeavored to help you in this noble cause.

Signed on behalf of the Wisbeach Red Cross Society, Mrs. Abram Muxlow, Miss Clara Skillen.

The little Misses Dorothy Muxlow and Evelyn Marshall, each carrying a Union Jack, made the presentation. Miss Seymour, although taken by surprise, thanked her friends in a few words and the happy afternoon was brought to a close by a dainty lunch being served on the lawn.

Mr. MacKichan, principal of the Petrolia High School for the past three years, has resigned. He goes to Parkhill to fill a similar position.

## BRITISH DIRIGIBLE MAKES ATLANTIC TRIP IN 108 HOURS

New York, July 6.—The British dirigible R-34 arrived at Roosevelt Field, Mineola, L. I., at 8:40 o'clock this morning, circled the field three times to make observations, and at 9:21 o'clock the first passenger, Major John Edward Maddock Pritchard, landed upon American soil, after a parachute drop of 2,000 feet.

This completed the longest flight in history, the distance covered being 3,200 miles, not counting the mileage forced upon the flyers by adverse wind. The time consumed was a few minutes more than 108 hours. The big airship brought over thirty persons, one of whom was a stowaway, and a tortoise-shell cat.

When the super-Zeppelin arrived at Mineola she had left enough petrol to keep her moving ninety minutes longer. Her crew, almost sleepless for four and a half days, were weary almost to the point of exhaustion, but happy at the successful completion of the epoch-making trip.

## Peace Celebration July 19th

The King has given his sanction to a peace celebration in the United Kingdom on Saturday, July 19, and the hope is expressed that all parts of the empire will be as far as possible in celebrating peace on that day.

By virtue of his majesty's proclamation and having regard to the desire expressed as to a general celebration of peace throughout the empire, the government has appointed Saturday, the 19th day of July, for peace celebrations in all parts of the Dominion.

## November 11th will be the Day

The date of the signing of the Peace terms of that of the proclamation of peace matters little to the popular feeling. It will not be the day celebrated in history as ending the war.

Armistice Day—November 11—the eleventh hour of the eleventh day of the eleventh month of the year—that is the hurrah day of the future.

Waterloo, not the subsequent treaty day which nobody remembers, ended the twenty years of Napoleonic wars.

Yorktown, not that day two years later when King George actually signed a peace treaty, finished the American revolution and lives in history.

Sedan Day is a national holiday in Germany, for that was the battle that made the Prussians master in the War of Seventy. It was a year before the peace treaty came.

Next to Christmas and Easter, November 11 is destined to be the most widely observed fête day in Christendom.

## The Wire Works Picnic

The following humorous account of the annual picnic of the Andrew Weir Company of Strathroy and Watford appeared in the Strathroy Dispatch.

"Employees of the two Canadian factories with their families held a very enjoyable picnic at Kettle Point, Lake Huron, on Saturday, June 28th. The day was ideal and the trip was made by motor, the Strathroy contingent joining Watford en route. Twenty cars were needed for the transportation. The pace was set by Mr. McCormick in his new baby grand. It was thought as the pace developed that Mr. Hood was making a time study. All went merrily until a sharp curve was reached when one of the cars over-turned, but the first-aid-to-the-injured-courts, with the doctor and undertaker and a full supply of adhesive plaster, liniment and advice, soon righted the car, rescued the occupants, applied the remedies, healed a sign of relief that no one was killed, cranked up the cars and in the time safely arrived at the beach. Job tickets, symbols, bin tags, time sheets, egg beaters and coat hangers were forgotten and the day was spent in boating, fishing, story telling, motoring along the beautiful beach roadway and acquiring appetite and unburn. Dinner and supper were served by Superintendent Millar and his able staff of assistants, which, of course, was most enjoyed and appreciated. Manager Bate read picnic rules and regulations which were timely and pertinent. Camp was struck at six point two and all arrived home safely and happy for the day's outing."

## Alvinston Lady Killed by Auto

Mrs. E. W. Percy, of Alvinston, died Monday night about 6 o'clock following injuries suffered about two hours earlier when she was struck by an auto driven by Mrs. R. T. Brandt, wife of the local G. T. R. agent.

Mrs. Percy was crossing Main street, opposite Slaght's turntable store, when the accident happened and apparently did not hear the approaching auto. She was knocked down and carried about 20 feet before the car came to a standstill. Medical assistance was summoned, but Mrs. Percy passed away without regaining consciousness.

The coroner made an inquiry on the spot and decided that death was due to a mere accident, and that an inquest was unnecessary.