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NOTE AND COMMENT

Money is pouring into the Federal Finance Department from the corporations of Canada for taxation under the Business War Tax of last session. The first assessment was due November 1st. However, the work has proven so enormous that it will be some time before all the assessments are received. The companies are paying their taxes without grumbling, and with some of the bigger companies the total will run from half to a million dollars. The total receipts will run well up to expectations, probably twelve million dollars.

A pastoral letter, covering a variety of subjects and signed by 108 bishops of the Episcopal church, was read at the final session of the triennial convention at St. Louis, Friday. Excerpts from the letter bearing on the war follows: "Let it sadly be said that in proportion of her swollen wealth America's contribution to the to the innocent sufferers in Europe is the merest pittance. If America comes out of the world disorder richer in purse and poorer in manhood she will bring upon herself the penalty of a debased life or even of losing her very soul."

For several years we did not publish the prize list of the Fall Fair, but this year we published it almost in full. But so long as the practice obtains of entering everything on one membership ticket, some part of the prize list can be of little value as news. It sounds kind of foolish to put in the name of a man who never had a needle in his hand, as the winner of a prize for embroidered underwear, or of another husky male, whose sole knowledge of baking is how to eat the result, as the winner of the prize for the best dozen buns. The secretary can't be expected to know who does these things, unless they are entered correctly, and it is from his books we have to get our information.—Thamesville Herald.

From To-day.—It is this spirit of cheery fatalism, often called optimism which cannot be broken. In our own case the enemy may on occasion break, scatter and cut up our regiments—but no organization or efficiency can prevent the remnant coming up next morning, singing: "Hold your hand out, you naughty boy!" The Hun will realize very soon that it is useless trying to break that sort of thing. Cromwell's men marched to victory singing psalms as if they were popular songs; our men march to victory singing popular songs as if they were psalms. The spirit is the same. It is a spirit that exists deep down in the hearts of our people, and it sings as the morning stars sang together in very joy of being.

SCHOOL TEACHER

Wards Off Nervous Break Down
 Alburts, Pa.—"I am a teacher in the public schools, and I got into a very nervous, run-down condition. I could not sleep and had no appetite. I was tired all the time. My sister asked me to try Vinol. I did so, and within a week my appetite improved and I could sleep all night and now I feel well and strong."
 —Rosa M. Keller, Alburts, Pa.
 We guarantee Vinol, which contains beef and cod liver peptones, iron and manganese peptones, and glycerophosphates for run-down conditions.

Taylor & Son, Druggists, Watford, Ont., also at the best druggists in all Ontario towns.

WATFORD COUNCIL.

Watford Nov 6th, 1916.
 Regular meeting of Council. Present—Reeve, Johnston, Saunders, Doan and Hawn.
 Minutes of former meeting read, no objection, Reeve confirmed same.
 Johnston—Saunders, that we appoint E. A. Brown, J. W. McLaren and Thomas Roche a committee on behalf of the Corporation to arrange for the meeting and welcome of returned soldiers from the front.—Carried.
 Hawn—Doan, that we appoint Messrs. W. H. Shrapnell and W. H. Harper to canvass the citizens and public for aid of British Red Cross Society.—Carried.
 Johnston—Doan, that we advise Mrs. Chambers that lamps and lights must be kept in order and lighted or contract cancelled.—Carried.
 Saunders—Johnston, that all parties owing the corporation are requested to pay into the Treasurer at once.—Carried.
 Finance Committee examined accounts and recommended payment:—
 Geo. Chambers Estate, cinders &c \$ 6 00
 Trenouth & Co., seal for cemetery 3 10
 House of Providence, keep of T. Malone..... 78 00
 I. J. Hastings, ac. repairs..... 2 00
 Switt, Sons & Co., repairs flag... 1 75
 Treas. Bd. Education High School..... 500 00
 Treas. Bd. Education Public School..... 250 00
 W. G. Siddall, M. D., salary M. H. O., and supplies..... 81 50
 W. S. Fuller, selecting Jurors, phone &c..... 5 55
 J. E. Fowler, lumber for tank... 2 40
 Harper Bros., repair of chair... 75
 F. Kenward, selecting jurors... 3 00
 S. W. Louks, " " " " " " 3 00
 Geo. Chambers Estate, light ac... 69 18
 Hawn—Saunders, that accounts be passed and Reeve grant his order.—Carried.
 Hawn—Doan, that we adjourn.—Carried.
 W. S. FULLER, Clerk.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Watford Board of Education held in the Library Board room on Monday, Nov. 6th, 1916 at 7.30 p. m.
 Present J. W. McLaren, chairman; W. L. Miller, Dr. Hicks, Dr. Newell, R. C. McLeay, John White and C. W. Vail.
 The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.
 The public school principal's report for October was read.
 Miller—White and carried, that the report be received and filed.
 Hicks—White, and carried, that Walter Scott's acc. of \$2.10, work and furnishings at public school, be paid.
 A communication was received from Mr. Steer accompanied by several High School reports with an item suggested for publication.
 Miller—White, and carried, that the communications, etc., be received and filed, item referred to passed as requested.
 A communication was received from Miss Hume asking an advance in salary.
 Hicks—McLeay and carried, that Miss Hume's communication be laid over until next regular meeting.
 Miller—Hicks, and carried, that the municipal council be asked to provide \$750.00 for school purposes; \$500.00 High School and \$250.00 public school account, to be in the treasurer's hands by the 30th inst.
 Miller—Vail, and carried, that we adjourn.
 D. WATT, Secretary.

WARWICK COUNCIL

The council met on the 6th inst as per adjournment.
 Members all present.
 The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.
 The following accounts were passed:—

Clark Smith, for gravel furnished.....	\$ 11 55
Wm. McLean, " " " " " " " "	10 85
Jas. Cooper, " " " " " " " "	50 00
B. Morningstar, " " " " " " " "	3 68
L. M. Kenzie, " " " " " " " "	50 00
Mrs. Wiley, " " " " " " " "	27 75
Sid Routley, " " " " " " " "	52 50
McC. Chie, " " " " " " " "	34 95
Ino Saunders, " " " " " " " "	81 50
Hy Mansfield, services as weed inspector	4 00
M. Kilmer, " " " " " " " "	3 00
Guide-Advocate, for printing.....	11 00
cards.....	1 00
C. A. Jones, for services on Blain Award	15 00
N. Herbert, for services on Blain Award	2 00
Russell McCormick, killing 2 dogs found	10 00
H. C. Baird & Co., tile for Brodie drain...	236 40
C. A. Jones, survey of Clark drain.....	74 25
D. F. Brodie, assistance of survey on Brodie drain.....	1 50
Wm. Brandon, " " " " " " " "	4 50
Wm. Kiltner, " " " " " " " "	1 00
R. Brandon, " " " " " " " "	3 25
D. D. Brodie, " " " " " " " "	1 50
" " " " " " " " " " " "	3 00
Geo. Prince, work on Clark drain.....	300 00
Jas. Richardson & Son's, tile for Westgate drain.....	439 23
Corrugated Pipe Co., two culverts for Westgate drain.....	10 80
D. D. Brodie, drawing tile for Brodie drain.....	53 75
Taylor & Sons, for disinfectants.....	8 50
J. W. McLaren, " " " " " " " "	2 40
Dr. Siddall, services as M. H. Officer.....	151 00
British Red Cross Grant.....	1000 00

Hall—Brodie, that the Court of Revision on the Laddell drain be reopened with Mr. Blain in the chair.—Carried.
 Hall—Hobbs, that the assessment of A. Hay on the Laddell local drain be lowered \$5.00 and that the municipality assume the same and that the by-law be read the third time and finally passed and the court of revision be closed.—Carried.
 Russell Clark presented a petition for a local drain signed by himself and others.
 Brodie—Parker, that we accept the petition of Russell Clark and others, and that the clerk be instructed to examine the same and report.—Carried.
 The council then adjourned to meet on Friday the 15th Dec. at 10 o'clock, a. m. for general business.
 N. HERBERT, Clerk.

STYLE TIPS.

One is Rows of Silk Stitching Used as Trimming.

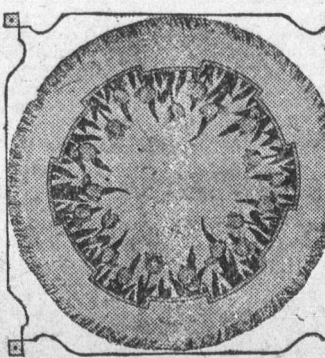
Just one whisper today about the new modes for fall. Paris openings are over, and the autumn styles are pretty well settled—the Paris styles, that is. American women do not always abide by these styles.
 They look over the new modes and select those that appeal to them most, discarding others, and presently the selected modes appear with miraculous swiftness in the shops for everybody to buy. But there are two or three salient features in the Paris styles that cannot be disregarded, even thus early, for their repetition by one couturier after another foretells their sure importance as winter style features.
 One of these is silk stitching used as a trimming. The Paris frocks and coats are fitted by many seams and darts, all stitched conspicuously in more or less fanciful effect. Pocket flaps, cuffs, revers—they are all garnished with silk stitching, and skirts and tunics have often a score or more of rows of this stitchery, done on the machine in effective chain stitch.

Alpaca is a surprise for the coming season. Both alpaca and mohair are being used by some of the couturiers in tailored frocks for day wear. Some of these models are appealingly chic, as, for instance, a simple frock of black twilled alpaca with a full overskirt pressed into little box plaits and falling almost to the edge of a plain foundation skirt. This frock has a button in back bodice with long, close sleeves and one of the enormous Japanese collars that are to be the rage without doubt. The bodice is loose, flat at back and front and plaited into the waist at the sides. It is attached with a stitched seam to the box plaited overskirt, little tabs in the bodice extending down over the plaits to emphasize the long waisted effect. Under this moyer age bodice is a foundation fitted to the waist line and stiffened to insure trimness, though the outer button in back bodice is loose rather than close fitting.

Silks for formal frocks and evening frocks, of course, and Paris whispers that satins and satin surfaced silks will be most in favor. Of these a new silk called soiree is exquisitely beautiful in its lights and shades of color, a most enchanting silk for evening gowns of distinction. Worth and Jenny have brought out stunning gowns in velvet, the Jenny model a slip over the head affair distinctly novel, with bands of Belgian hare for trimming. Very distinguished is an afternoon gown by Premet made of navy blue charmeuse, with a good deal of black chantilly lace draped airily in the bodice and a big Japanese collar of navy blue mouseline draped around throat and shoulders. The combination of navy satin and black lace is particularly elegant and refined, and this gown of Premet is sure to make a decided hit with women of conservative taste. As brilliant as the Premet gown is, quiet and elegant is a Klein dance frock of gold colored/silk voile and cream lace, with an underslip of flesh pink silk. The skirt is yards and yards wide, and at the back an odd sash forms a pannier bustle and then trails to the floor, the frock itself being short enough to reveal the feet and ankles.

AUTUMN'S TULIPS.

Here's a Stunning Dolly For All Needleworkers.
 On a piece of finest linen circularly cut, figured and featherstitched are embroidered a hedge of yellow tulips and



RARE AND BEAUTIFUL.

then spiky greenery. The shading is true to nature and the design as rare as it is beautiful.
 Size of the Ark.
 In Genesis vi. 15, we have the measure of the ark to be as follows: "The length of the ark shall be 300 cubits, the breadth of it 50 cubits and the height of it 30 cubits." We find that authorities differ somewhat as to the exact length of a cubit. It may be from eighteen inches to twenty-one inches. If we take twenty inches as the length of a cubit the ark would measure 600 feet by 83-1-3 feet by 60 feet. A slight variation, one way or the other, will make no material difference in the final measure.

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| Cow Stanchions | Ranges |
| Lanterns, Gloves, | Base Burners |
| Padlocks | Stoves |
| Stovepipes | Washing Machines |
| " Elbows | Chemical Closets |
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