

## Clothing That Combines Real Smartness With Economy



TO-DAY in this store you will find offerings of Men's and Boys' Clothing that will not be had again for many years to come.

These 20TH CENTURY models for men and young men, in plain blue, gray and fancy worsteds, are 50 per cent. below the present values.

Youth's Pinch-back and Belted models in plain and fancy fabrics at  
**\$12.50, \$15.00, \$18.00**

### BOYS' SUITS

—WITH ANY AMOUNT OF "CLASS"

Real clothes for real boys. All the little details have been well looked after. Smart styles and values that can't be equalled.

New Belted models at  
**\$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.00, \$8.00, \$9.00**

**TWEED RAINCOATS**  
at 10.00, 12.00, 15.00

These are popular garments for these spring days. All the appearance of a smart spring coat and all the service of the best quality waterproof.

## A. BROWN & Co.

"The Store That Satisfies."

### A Bank Account For Your Wife

More and more, are the wives of today running their homes on a business basis—systematically and efficiently.

Many wives have a monthly allowance for household expenses.

This, they deposit in a Savings Account in The Merchants Bank—settle bills by cheque—and thus have an accurate record of bills paid.

Such a business-like method also gives a woman the feeling of happy independence in having a bank account of her own.



## THE MERCHANTS BANK

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## THE STERLING BANK

OF CANADA

SAVE, Because---

Another war loan investment opportunity may come soon.

### Death of Michael Murphy

The death of Michael Murphy, an old Plympton pioneer, occurred at the family residence, Washington street, Forest, on Monday, April 22nd, at the age of 82 years. Mr. Murphy served for four years in the township council, eighteen years as school trustee and has also been deputy-reeve, filling all these important offices with ability. He has always been identified with the interests of the Reform party, a member of the Roman Catholic Church, and a life-long and faithful advocate of the cause of temperance, having been a member of a Total Abstinence Society from boyhood, he was a man worthy of honor and had many friends throughout both township and county.

BUY YOUR  
**Auto Tires**  
—and—  
**Accessories**  
—at—  
**T. Dodds & Sons**

### Monster Meeting of Farmers at Petrolia

Petrolia, April 28.—At one of the largest, if not the largest, farmers' meetings ever held in Lambton, in Victoria Hall here yesterday afternoon, a resolution was adopted, asking the Government to modify its recent decision including farmers' sons in the new draft shortly to be called up for military service. It was asked that some form of exemption be adopted for bona fide farmers.

The meeting was arranged by the Lambton Farmers' Co-operative Clubs and Warden William Annett was chairman and the speakers were H. A. Gilroy, president of the clubs; John Farrell, C. Smith, Charles Fleck and Albert Hare, J. E. Armstrong, M. P., and Dr. J. B. Martyn, federal and local members, respectively, sent letters, expressing regret at being unable to be present.

Fred F. Pardee, member of West Lambton, in a letter to the meeting, defended the action of the Government, emphasizing the gravity of the war situation. The speakers generally expressed a determination on the part of the farmers to do their full share and willingly comply with the Government's decision if it could be shown them that the needs of the trenches were more pressing than the need of production. It was hinted by some speakers that the Government had broken faith with the farmers.

### WANSTEAD

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Harkness, of Sarnia, attended the funeral of the late E. A. Wark on Wednesday last.

Mr. George Simpson is building an addition to his house which will greatly improve the appearance of his property in the village.

Mr. Henry Conn, inspector of public schools for West Lambton, paid an official visit to the Wanstead school on Monday afternoon.

On Monday, April 22nd, death called away one of Plympton's highly esteemed residents, the late Ernest A. Wark, in his 48th year, after an illness of about six months' duration, due to leakage of the heart. Deceased was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Arch. Wark, of the second line of Plympton, but has resided in Detroit for the past eight years. In 1908 he married Miss Nettie Lawson, who, with one son, Chester, two years old, survives. One sister and three brothers also survive:—Rose, Egremont Road; William, of Salt Lake City; Bruce, of Detroit, and Alex, of Wyoming. The funeral was held from the residence of his brother-in-law, Mr. A. Peacock, on Wednesday afternoon, April 24th, at the Wyoming cemetery, the services being conducted by Rev. J. H. Mundy, formerly of Wanstead. The pall bearers were: Wm. Lawson, Victor Tait, Alex. McAlpine, Archie Wark, Fred Lawson and T. A. Lampman.

### The Y.M.C.A. and the Red Triangle Fund

The story of what the Canadian Y.M.C.A. has done for the men of our Overseas Forces is a marvellous record of much accomplished with a comparatively small sum of money. Due entirely to the unqualified success of the Association's work, its fields of operation have been very greatly enlarged, and increased in number. This year the budget calls for an income of \$2,250,000, the largest sum ever asked from Canadians for Y.M.C.A. work. It is the purpose of the Association that every man serving with the colors, whether at home or overseas, shall be reached and benefited by the ministry of the Red Triangle. Someone has declared that, until the boys come home, the Y.M.C.A. takes home to the boys. This is true. From the time the men enlist the "Y" man is at their elbows to help and cheer. He provides them with cheer and entertainment at the training camp. His dugout appears in their midst in the trenches. Hut or marquee provide nerve-soothing relaxation at the rest billets. In the hospital the "Y" continues its ministry, and on the way home across the water it has its bright corner in the hospital ships. Wherever they may land, the Y.M.C.A. officer and his staff are "on the job," just as they were months or years before when the men sailed away. Two and a quarter million dollars seem a large sum on paper, but when the work it does in the capable hands of the Y.M.C.A. is considered, it is not too much to ask. It will help the "Y" to help the boys "carry on."

### Food Board Forbids Candy, Icing, Pastry

Ottawa, April 29.—Following the announcement by the Canada Food Board that no manufacturers in Canada will be permitted to use for the manufacture of candy more than 50 per cent. of the average monthly quantity of cane sugar, and that drastic restrictions have been imposed on the use of wheat flour, sugar and shortening in the manufacture of biscuits, cakes or sweet dough products, the food board issued an order that no persons shall make in Canada, for private consumption, French pastries, iced cakes or biscuits, or cakes with icing of cane sugar between the layers, or added to the exterior; and no person shall use in Canada cane sugar for making for private consumption what is commonly called "candy."

While putting in the cartridge of a shotgun to shoot a weasel, Glen Smith, near Essex accidentally shot off both barrels, one charge entering his left foot, shooting away his second toe and part of big toe.

### A MOTHER'S WORK

Is Too Often Followed by Nervous Debility and Shattered Health

Mothers as a rule spend so much time in looking after their children and in housework that they overlook the absolute necessity for that rest and relaxation upon which their health depends. The consequence is that soon they find their health breaking down. The daily humdrum of household cares, quickly thin the blood and weaken the nerves. Then follow headaches, pains in the side and back, swollen limbs, palpitation, a constantly tired feeling, and often an inclination to fretfulness. These symptoms are the sign of poor blood, and are the inevitable penalty of overwork and over anxiety in the care of children and the affairs of the household.

Whenever a mother finds her health failing and household duties becoming more than she can comfortably manage, whenever extra demands are made upon her strength, she should adopt the safe and simple expedient of enriching her blood with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills are especially valuable to the nursing mother and the women worn out with household cares. They renew her blood supply, strengthen her tired limbs, and drive away the headaches and backaches that have made her so miserable. They have restored thousands of despondent women to good health and bright spirits, and will do for you as much as they have done for others if you will give them a fair trial.

Mrs. W. F. Burns, Guelph, Ont., says: "A few years ago we had three children born in three years which left me so run down and nervous that I was not able to do my work. The last baby lived only two weeks and the worry that added to my weak condition shattered my nerves. Our family doctor for several months tried to build me up, but nothing seemed to benefit me. I suffered agony with my head, and was terrified with a fear that I would lose my reason. The headaches from which I suffered would leave me completely prostrated. During one of these spells I went to another doctor, who advised a change of scene. I went away for a few weeks but was discontented and wanted to get back home, so my husband came and brought me home again. A few days later my sister came to see me and asked me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I got three boxes, and by the time I had used them all I was completely well, could do all my own work without feeling tired, and was like a new woman. This was five years ago, and since then two other children have come, and I am still enjoying perfect health."

You can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills from any dealers in medicine, or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Five hundred dollars damages, with high court costs, have been awarded Miss Ida Pasha of Euphemia township, against the C. P. R., in a judgement given by Judge Middleton at Osgoode Hall. Miss Pasha sued for \$3,000 for the death of her father, who was struck by a through express while alighting from a local train at Bothwell.



Family Dr. says:  
**Paper Your Walls**

WE HAVE JUST THE PRETTIEST PATTERNS OF WALL PAPERS YOU "NEVER" SAW. COME IN AND SEE THEM.

PAPER THE ROOMS AFRESH; THIS WILL DESTROY THE LURKING, DANGEROUS "GERMS" AS WELL AS MAKE THE HOME MORE ATTRACTIVE.

NO MATTER WHAT YOU BUY FROM US, YOU CAN "RELY" ON THE QUALITY.

**J. W. McLAREN**

DRUGGIST

The Rexall Store

STATIONER

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### LOCAL

THE GUIDE-ADVOCATE items of interest in this issue are in GUIDE-ADV

EGGS 37c, butter 4 GREAT growing wo CORRECT milliner; WATFORD COURT 27th.

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THE public Library ing the morning.

NEW BLOUSES for styles.—SWIFT'S.

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THE HYDRO ELE has a notice to consu ing columns.

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FIRST SHOWING of Panama Hats. Prices SWIFT'S.

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THE boys who wor summer will learn o old table of square me number of aches in an

THE POPCORN SALE in Mr. R. Johnston's st G. Class of the Freshbu s decided success \$13.50

PANAMA HATS are c See our range for men BROWN & Co.

H. F. RICHARDSON Alberta, in renewing writes:—"We would n not to have it coming e

THE man and woman all persons in Canada 1 of 16 and 60, will, i taken on a Saturday to June.

REMEMBER the big boots, shoes, slippers DODD'S STORE. Stock before the end of the duction in price will su and see.—F. J. DODD'S.

ASSESSOR FULLER h work for the year. The the total assessment of 230.00, number of births 11, deaths 11, populatio

FACED with a shorta divinity students, the t tery recently decided possible, congregations double up or join with t

ANOTHER showing Ladies' Coats for 24th of

THE mid-week hal mences next Wednesd continued during May, 1st and the first two we Do your shopping in th Wednesday.

AN exchange has th poor girl has to be awfu to be pretty, and a rich awfully homely to be have added that a poor awfully smart to be int rich man almost a block ant.

THIS is no time to ta rights or to make muc which affect this or t of the nation's industy in the very crisis of its everyone of us to sub every sacrifice to secure and its future welfare.

SEE our stock before wall paper you need, and patterns of paper an pre-war prices. Canadi goods. None better. A few remnant bargains F. DODD & SON.