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WATFORD, SEPTEMBER 7, 1917

Tecumseh Chapter, I. O. D. E.

The regular meeting of Tecumseh Chapter I. O. D. E. was held at the home of the Regent, Mrs. Fitzgerald. There were 17 members present and 1 visitor.

Treasurer reported \$200 on hand. A grant of \$25 was made to the Prisoners of War fund.

A letter was read from Captain Mary Plummer, Shorncliffe, stating that a long delayed box of parcels for Watford boys had reached her for distribution.

Sec'y of knitting committee reported 60 pairs of socks ready to send overseas. The members were glad to add the name of Mrs. J. Osborne to their list.

Much routine business was disposed of and a busy and pleasant meeting closed by refreshments and the National Anthem.

Telegraphic Briefs

The British casualties for last week number 15,614.

A military hospital will be opened in London Ont.

Pte. Pierson, of Allsa Craig, was gassed in a recent battle.

Portugal's war expenses are ten million dollars a month.

French restaurants are forbidden to sell milk after 9 a.m.

Russia has commandeered the corn on the Roumanian fronts.

An earthquake at Bogota, Colombia, destroyed 300 houses.

German airmen are dropping poisoned candy over French towns.

Forest grown flax seed has won a number of prizes in Ireland.

Hundreds of fish were killed during an electric storm near Belleville.

The Tiger baseball club of Sarnia, won the London Free Press trophy.

The shipment of grain from the Western provinces has commenced.

The Burford show buildings were destroyed by fire Tuesday. Loss \$3000.

Dressed hogs sold for \$22 per 100 lbs. on the London market Tuesday.

Norway lost 21 ships last month with an aggregate tonnage of over 41,000.

Toronto retail clerks want shorter hours. They now work 72 hours a week.

A Guelph boy ran in front of a race horse Labor Day and had a leg and arm broken.

Norway has provisions for only one month and the import prospects are very gloomy.

Four men have been arrested in connection with the murder of Dr. McKobie, of Hamilton.

Duncan McKellar, who at one time kept hotel at Komoka, died Monday at Lexington, Mich.

A gang of women have been put to work by the C. P. R. at Regina, cutting weeds along the track.

War scandals have commenced in the U. S., defective cartridges being supplied to the forces in France.

The Labor Day attendance at the Toronto Exhibition was 152,500 which is 5000 greater than last year.

Joseph Leduc, one of the Montreal dynamiters, shot and killed himself Sunday when about to be captured.

A railroad switchman met a horrible death at Detroit. He walked into an ash-pit 10 feet deep and was roasted alive.

Two million acres of grazing land in England will be used for raising grain. It has been decided to sacrifice cattle to save grain.

The rector of the village of Atwood has enlisted in the Flying Corps. He wants to do his bit and also get nearer to the angels.

An electric storm on Monday did a lot of damage in Perth County. Three barns were fired by lightning in the vicinity of Mitchell.

The United States will allow no food-stuffs to be exported to neutrals bordering on Germany, save such as is absolutely necessary for the neutrals themselves.

UNDER the provisions of the Military Service Act, all those who are making themselves useful in any way in the increase of agricultural production will be exempted.

Major Campbell one of the chief recruiting officers of the department of militia, says that only one man in every four liable for service will be called on in the first draft.

Loftus Cuddy, millionaire coal and oil operator who died lately in New Hampshire, was born in Adelaide township and got his start in life in the office of Alex. Johnston, Strathroy.

Tobias Martin, a farmer residing near St. Jacob's was found dead in his field. He was out with two horses attached to a hay-rake. It is supposed the horses got unmanageable and run away. Mr. Martin's neck was broken.

W. H. Kipp, a thresher living on the Governor's road, west of Princeton, died Saturday from injuries sustained when he was caught in the moving belt of a threshing machine. The man was oiling the machine when he was caught.

While her husband was waiting for her at the gate to accompany her to the train, Mrs. Ralph Vail of lot 24, concession 1, Dawn Township, dropped dead just outside her own doorstep. Mrs. Vail was to go to Sarnia to meet her mother from Detroit. Her husband was waiting with the vehicle to take her to the station when the sudden death occurred. Mrs. Vail was apparently in her usual health and had completed all arrangements to drive to Sombra with her husband.

WANT COLUMN.

WOOD WANTED.—Apply at SWIFT'S. WANTED, rough wood for furnace use. —SWIFT'S.

WANTED—Our bills paid as soon as possible.—SWIFT, SONS & CO.

HELP WANTED—Boys and girls. Steady work and good pay. Call at office, ANDREWS WIRE WORKS LTD.

CARD OF THANKS.—Alex. Steward and family, Warwick Village, wish to thank all the neighbors and friends who showed kindness and sympathy to them at the time of their recent bereavement.

WORN OUT HORSES and fallen animals of any kind bought.—LETT BROS., fur ranchers, lot 18, con. 13, Brooke; Rural phone 4821. Watford P. O. Phone messages at our expense.

FOR SALE—Comfortable one-story nine-room house, with cement foundation, situated on John Street. In good repair. Hard and soft water, fruit trees and small fruit. Good garden land.—Apply on the premises.—N. THORNER.

FOR SALE—One five h. p. gasoline engine \$125.00, and one ten h. p. gasoline engine \$225.00. Both made by International Harvester Co., and in good running order. Call at ANDREWS WIRE WORKS LTD.

SEVERAL dwelling house properties in Watford for sale cheap. Before buying elsewhere get particulars. A stable in Watford to rent. Private and other money to loan on farm property. Apply to W. E. FITZGERALD, barrister, etc., Watford, Ont.

BORN

In Galt, on Friday, August 17th, 1917, to Rev. and Mrs. P. K. Smith, a son—Wesley Raymond.

On August 29th, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. Lorne J. Williams, Edmonton, a son.

In Calgary, Aug. 15th, 1917, to Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Shipley, (nee Gertrude Batchelor) a son.

In Bosanquet, on Friday, August 24th, to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. R. Brand, a son.

In Warwick, on Wednesday, Sept. 5th, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hume, a daughter.

MARRIED

In the Bankview Methodist Church, on Thursday, August 16th, 1917, by Rev. Thomas Powell, Miss Emily Cassidy, of Calgary, to Mr. Orville A. Batchelor, formerly of Warwick.

DIED

In Warwick, on Friday, Aug. 31st, 1917, Andrew Harrower, aged 74 years, 7 months, 5 days.

In Warwick Village, on Friday, Aug. 31, 1917, Katherin, beloved wife of Alex. Stewart, aged 60 years, 8 months, 5 days.

In Arkona, on August 20th, Samuel Knisely, aged 75 years.

In Forest, on Wednesday, Aug. 20th, Mathew O'Donnell, Sr., in his 80th year.

In Thedford, on Monday, August 27th, 1917, Mrs. Martha J. Ryckman, in her 88th year.

In Strathroy, on Saturday afternoon, August 25th, 1917, Margaret Grant, relict of the late David Davis, in her 79th year.

In Petrolia, on Friday, August 24th, 1917, Cornelius Maston, aged 72 years.

Slackers' 23rd Psalm

My friend in khaki is my shepherd, I shall not want.

He maketh me to lie down in my cosy cottage. He spareth me the evils of the fight.

He gladdeneth my heart. He maketh possible for me to walk in the paths of cowardice, for my own life's sake.

Yea, though the shadows of destruction, fear and death hang over my covering head, I will fear no evil, for is not my brother fighting for me. His weapons and his courage they comfort me.

He enableth me to prepare a plentiful table, while he keepeth my enemy far from me, luxury and pleasure attend my way; the cup of life never tasted so sweet.

Surely safety and happiness shall follow me as long as my friends are unfailing; and I will dwell, not in the trenches, but in my own house, undisturbed, as long as my brother does his duty.

Food!

1. Buy it with thought.
2. Cook it with care.
3. Serve just enough.
4. Save what will keep.
5. Eat what would spoil.
6. Home-grown is best. Don't waste it!

United States Potato Crop

This is a record year in the growing of potatoes in the United States. The crop is estimated at 467,000,000 bushels being 47 millions more than the record crop of 1912. The buckwheat is the largest for many years and oats equals that of 1915.

A special vegetable committee is to be appointed by the food controller. Its first business will be to co-operate with the distribution bureau of the food controller's office, to insure proper distribution of this year's apple crop.

EARLY FALL GOODS

(15 cases)

OPEN THIS WEEK

(15 cases)

LADIES' COATS FOR EARLY FALL WEAR

New Goods All Over The Store

SWIFT'S



DRESS 9331

BUTTERICK PATTERN



TRANSFER 2355

BUTTERICK PATTERNS
COAT 9324 SKIRT 9318

Canadian Goods

FOR EARLY FALL WEAR

Smart Styles, New Patterns at Prices for Present that Cannot be shown later



MISSSES SALON DRESS 9325 JUMPS DRESS 9334

BUTTERICK PATTERNS

Imported Goods

DIRECT FROM GLASGOW

Per S. S. "SATURNID," via Montreal, to Watford.

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MARKETS

WATFORD

GRAIN AND SEEDS—		
Wheat, fall, per bush..	\$2 10 @ \$2 10	
Oats, per bush.....	50	50
Barley, per bush.....	1 00	1 00
Timothy.....	3 00	3 50
Clover Seed.....	9 00	10 00
Alsike.....	10 00	11 00

PROVISIONS—		
Butter, per pound.....	35	35
Lard.....	30	30
Eggs, per doz.....	40	40
Pork.....	21 00	21 00
Flour, per cwt.....	6 00	7 25
Brar, per ton.....	40 00	40 00
Shorts, per ton.....	44 00	45 00

MISCELLANEOUS—		
Wood.....	2 50	3 25
Tallow.....	8	8
Hides.....	16	17
Wool.....	57	70
Hay, per ton.....	7 00	7 00

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—		
Potatoes, per bag.....	2 25	2 25

POULTRY—		
Turkeys, per lb.....	00	00
Chickens, per lb.....	13	16
Fowl.....	13	14
Ducks.....	12	14
Geese.....	00	00

London		
Wheat.....	\$ 2 15 to \$2 15	
Oats, cwt.....	1 60 to 1 65	
Butter.....	43 to 44	
Eggs.....	45 to 45	
Pork.....	19 00 to 19 00	

Toronto Markets

Quotations:		
Choice heavy steers....	11 50 to 11 00	
Butcher steers, choice..	10 00 to 11 00	
do., medium.....	9 00 to 9 50	
do., common.....	8 00 to 9 00	
Heifers, good to choice..	8 50 to 9 00	
Butcher cows, choice....	8 00 to 8 50	
do., medium.....	7 00 to 7 50	
Butcher bulls, choice....	8 00 to 8 50	
do., good.....	7 50 to 8 00	
do., medium.....	6 00 to 7 00	
Feeders.....	8 00 to 8 50	
Stockers.....	7 25 to 8 50	
do., light.....	6 00 to 6 50	
do., light.....	6 50 to 6 75	
Canners.....	5 00 to 6 00	
Cutters.....	5 50 to 6 25	
Sheep, light.....	9 50 to 11 00	
do., heavy.....	6 00 to 7 50	
Calves.....	8 00 to 15 50	
Spring lambs.....	14 00 to 15 50	
Yearlings.....	10 00 to 11 00	
Hogs, fed and watered..	17 50 to	
do., weighed off cars	17 75 to	

There was another airplane raid on England Monday but little damage was done. In one on Tuesday 107 people were killed and 87 wounded.

A good salad is made with chopped green peppers, a little grated onion, lettuce leaves and boiled dressing.

SCHOOL SHOES

OUR STOCK OF SCHOOL SHOES IS COMPLETE

SOME SPECIALS:

Girls' Gunmetal, button or lace, size 3 to 7.....\$3.50

Girls' Grain Calf, lace, size 3 to 7..... 3.00

Misses' Grain Calf, lace, size 11 to 2..... 2.40

Misses' Gunmetal, lace or button size 11 to 2..... 2.50

Misses' Box Calf, button or lace, size 11 to 2..... 2.50

Boys' Box Kip, tan or black.... 3.00

Boys' Gunmetal, lace, size 1 to 5 3.25

Young Men's Gunmetal, lace, size 6 to 10..... 4.00

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