

JULY SPECIALS

White Waists at 79c and \$1.59
Our entire stock of Ladies' White Waists has been divided into two lots and marked for quick sale.

50c "Kolorfast" Matting for 37c
3 pieces only of the celebrated "Kolorfast" matting, color absolutely guaranteed.

Ladies' Dresses and Wash Skirts at Half-Price
22 only Ladies' Dresses, in silks, embroideries and voiles.

Men's \$5.00 Raincoat for \$3.95
We have been fortunate in getting another lot of those \$5.00 Raincoats, all double stitched, well made, and good full sizes.

Men's 50c Neckwear for 35c
A manufacturer's clearing line—15 dozen in the lot. Each correct in shade and shape, the very best quality silk.

\$1.25 Cottonade Pants for \$1.00
Another 10 dozen for July. Extra heavy, well made, and good fitting cottonade pants.

REMEMBER THE HALF PRICE SALE OF MILLINERY A. BROWN & CO.

WATFORD PLANING MILL

A Busy Plant in a lean year is a sure sign that someone is delivering the goods. Orders never were so plentiful, hence business never was better.

THE REASON FOR THIS IS: We buy in big blocks and we sell at rock bottom prices. We also give a service that cannot be equalled.

Our Satisfied Customers are our Good Assets.

We keep an Expert Machinist and specialize all kinds of machine work, especially turning.

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GEORGE CHAMBERS

Aug. 28 - Canadian National EXHIBITION TORONTO \$150,000 IN PRIZES AND ATTRACTIONS \$150,000 "PATRIOTIC YEAR"

MAMMOTH Military Display MARCH OF THE ALLIES Farm under Cultivation Millions in Livestock Government Exhibits

THRILLING Naval Spectacle REVIEW OF THE FLEET Belgian Art Treasures Creator's Famous Band Biggest Cat and Dog Show

WAR TROPHIES Field Grain Competition Greater Poultry Show Acres of Manufactures

One Thousand and One New Things to See REDUCED RAILWAY RATES FROM ALL POINTS

A skilful French jeweler has made a perfect watch and set it inside a pearl, but a little more than half an inch in diameter.

The seat of a new bathtub chair will remain level no matter in what position the device is attached inside or outside of a tub.

WESTERN UNIVERSITY LONDON ANOTHER GREAT ADVANCE Income Doubled—now \$75,000. Another large addition to Faculty and equipment in Arts and Medicine.

THIS IS THE Age of Reason ISN'T it better at the first sign of failing vision to have your eyes attended to, than to put it off until perhaps your Optician can not do for you as much and as well as he could have done on the start?

CARL GLASS JEWELER ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES

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Pie Culture

(By Peter McArthur) An article published some days ago in which I mentioned the fact that the cherry pie was at one time considered the supreme test of a housewife, or rather, the test by which it might be discovered whether a girl was competent to be a housewife, has brought me a good story from Dr. Hugh MacCallum, of London. According to him the cherry pie plays a much wider part than I suggested in the life of the New England States. He says: "At a medical banquet which I once attended our great Dr. Osler, of Oxford, stated that Dr. Weir Mitchell, of Philadelphia, had once put his culture to the final test. Dr. Mitchell, who was present, nodded gravely. "He gave me a piece of cherry pie, to eat and watched me while I ate it." "Once more Dr. Mitchell nodded. "And, continued Dr. Osler, 'I ate it to his entire satisfaction.' "Dr. Mitchell applauded enthusiastically. "All we could learn," said Dr. MacCallum, "was that he ate it with a spoon and that he rejected the pits."

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Minutes of a special meeting of the Watford Board of Education called to further consider and accept tender for painting etc. of High School, also as to engaging Principal for High School, held in the Library Board room on Friday, July 16, at 7 p.m.

Present—P. J. Dodds, chairman; Dr. Newell, Dr. Hicks, John White, R. C. McLeay, Dr. Howden and J. W. McLaren. McLaren—Hicks, and carried, that we award the contract for painting exterior and interior of High School to F. J. Hughes as per tender, and an allowance of \$10.00 for good cost of scuzzing work to be completed by August 15th.

Newell—McLeay and carried, that in case of failure of Mr. Fallis' acceptance as principal of High School, that the board advertise at once for a Science Principal. Hicks—McLeay, and carried, that we adjourn.

SECRETARY.

SUMMER COMPLAINTS KILL LITTLE ONES

At the first sign of illness during the hot weather give the little ones Baby's Own Tablets, or in a few hours he may be beyond cure. These Tablets will prevent summer complaints if given occasionally to the well child and will promptly cure these troubles if they come on suddenly. Baby's Own Tablets should always be kept in every home where there are young children. There is no other medicine as good and the mother has the guarantee of a government analyst that they are absolutely safe. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

\$9,000 in Purses Offered at Port Huron Race Meet

Four weeks from to-day the starter's "go" will be heard at the Port Huron Driving Park and the horses will be off for another season. August 17, 18, 19 and 20 are the dates. Nine thousand dollars in purses, just \$1,000 more than has ever been hung up on the Port Huron track will be offered by the Port Huron Driving Park & Agricultural Association in 1915. Fourteen big races, two more than have ever been carded for a local meeting will be offered to the race loving public of Port Huron and vicinity. There will be four early closing \$1,000 stakes, well filled, one each day of the meeting. "You can say for me," said Secretary Knill, of the local association, "that not in years has the prospect been so bright for a track meet. I look to see the largest number of horses here that has ever graced our track and naturally filled to make the sport worth while, while the purses, as you see, are more attractive than ever before."

Sheppard—Robertson

The beautiful home of John Robertson, second line, Plympton, was the scene of a happy event on Saturday, when his youngest daughter, Miss Eunice, became the bride of Russell Sheppard, at 12.30. Only the immediate friends of the frimly gathered in the spacious parlor to witness the beautiful ceremony. The bride wore her travelling suit, and was attended. Rev. J. McGillivray, of Petrola Presbyterian church, tied the matrimonial knot. After congratulations and a dainty repast, the bridal party motored to Sarnia, embarking aboard the S. S. Noronic for a tour through the Western provinces, which will extend until fall. Heartiest wishes follow the bride, who is popular with a large circle of friends in this district. The bride travelled in a handsome moss green silk crepe de chene, with white sailor hat.

BOSANQUET COUNCIL

Council met on the 16th inst. All the members present. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed. A by-law was passed to raise \$1,650.00 for the completion of the Goosemarsh drain. Mr. George Jamieson was appointed weed inspector for road division No. 2. The following orders were given:—H. J. Fettyplace, \$2.00, for ads. in Free Press; Municipal World, \$2.58, supplies and postage; J. McE. Shaw, \$93.00, for cement; Wm. Mason, \$10.70, for work on bridge, No. 9 sideroad; Thos. Brand, \$4.00, repairing bridge on L. Road; Bert Yorkie, \$7.25, for work on Hanesy drain; Wm. Beach, \$9.00, for repairing grader, and Robert Tidball, \$12.00, to expend on Ipperwash road beat, being statute labor collected for same. Council adjourned to meet on Monday, August 9th, at 10 a.m.

GEO. SUTHERLAND, Clerk.

Model Military Camp

In view of the fact that so many of our Canadian soldiers are fighting on the battlefields of Flanders, the model military camp, which will be one of the specialties at the Canadian National Exhibition this year, should attract thousands of visitors, a great many of whom, no doubt, have sons or brothers at the front. In this camp will be seen a detachment of the Royal Canadian Dragoons, artillery, Royal Canadian Engineers, Royal Canadian Regiment, as well as machine guns and armored cars. The work of the A. M. C. Transportation Corps, A. S. C. and field kitchen will be an interesting feature. The camp, which will vividly portray life under active service conditions, showing even trench digging and the landing of hydroplanes with headquarters staff and field telegraph complete, will be situated west of the Transportation Building.

REMNANT MILL ENDS ODD GARMENT AT HALF PRICE.—SWIFTS

REMNANT mill ends and odd garments at half price.—SWIFTS. The first week of August will probably see the Provincial License Commission off on the first lap of their tour of the Province. The Commission will include a visit to every license district in the Province and to practically all of the large municipalities where licenses are held. They will be in Sarnia on Thursday, August 19th.

THEIR has been inaugurated a great Empire-wide movement to send rations to the soldiers at the front. A leading catering firm at Sheffield, Eng., has volunteered to put in as good shape as new all of the rations sent in, and they will then be distributed among the soldiers. Hardware dealers all over the Empire have been asked to co-operate in the gathering in of old rations. If you have on around the place, hunt it up and hand it to T. Dodds & Son.

THE Canadians have earned for themselves an undying name. The story is told of one of the members of the second contingent, conversing with an officer of the first unit back in England from Salonika. "We are having a hell of a time living down the reputation you fellows made at Salisbury," said the second contingent man. "Yes," replied the veteran from the front, "and you will have at either end of a time living up to the reputation we made in France."

THE Post Office Department call attention to the fact that letters addressed to soldiers at the front should be signed by the writer in full. Where letters are signed by Christian name only, can not be delivered owing to address being missing, wounded or dead. It is impossible for the Canadian postal service to return them to the senders. In view of this, the public is urged to fully sign all letters addressed to soldiers at the front and in addition to this to indicate the name and address of the sender on the upper left hand corner.

BIG business men compelled to sign couple of hundred cheques for incidents expenses every month occasionally realize what is meant by writer's cramp. The Ford Motor Co. is making preparation to attend to a little office detail of this kind in connection with the \$15,000,000 bonds to be distributed among Ford owners in August. The company has about to write 300,000 checks for \$5 each, to be mailed to owners throughout the world. A staff of thirty stenographers is to be employed in this task required six weeks for completion.

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