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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

THE GUIDE-ADVOCATE welcomes all items of interest for this column. Call Phone 11, send by mail or drop item in GUIDE-ADVOCATE Letter Box.

BICYCLES and repairs at TAYLOR'S. BROWN'S for correct millinery. WATFORD MARKETS—Wheat \$2.15 Butter 35c, eggs 30c. SOME married men join the army because they are tired of fighting. WE all can't get into the firing line, but most of us can get into the backyard trenches. ODD trousers, young men's sizes, \$2.75 to \$4.00.—SWIFT'S. In Tuesday's casualty list appears the name of Lieut. L. R. Kooks, of Watford, among the wounded. THE business places will be closed on Wednesday at twelve o'clock from May 15th to September 15th. MADE in Canada, those new bath towels, 20 to 60 cents.—SWIFT'S. MISS WILLIAMS will have a new supply of the very latest styles in millinery for Friday and Saturday. THE day is coming when the average woman will be just as proud to see her name on the voters' list as in the society column. KOLIFRASK, Japanese, congolem and union rugs make ideal floor coverings—cheap and sanitary.—A. BROWN & CO. PROBABLY nothing bores a man more than to have another man begin an explanation that he himself was just going to explain. D. & A. and La Diva corsets and brassiers.—A. BROWN & CO. RESOLUTIONS of Condolence, Presentation Addresses (not the report), Cards of Thanks and anniversary memorial notices are charged for at 5 cents per line, minimum 50c. JAMES M. ROSS, merchant, Lucan, reeve of that municipality, was chosen as the Liberal candidate for the House of Commons for East Middlesex, at a meeting held in London on Saturday last. THE new blouses this week in silk and lawn, nifty new middies.—SWIFT'S. THE marriage of Myrtle Irene Richardson to Mr. Gordon Richardson, Mt. Brydges, took place on Wednesday, April 18th, at the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Richardson, Wall street. If wanting any radishes, green onions, rhubarb, cabbage, lettuce, pineapples, celery, oranges, lemons or bananas, call 89.—ROGERS & JACKLIN. UNION CARPETS for bedrooms, 2 by 3, 3 by 3 and 3 1/2 by 3.—SWIFT'S. In the Watford Methodist church next Sunday April 22nd, Rev. F. G. Robinson will speak at the morning service on "The Triumph of Death of a Good Man" and in the evening on "The Immense Value of the Soul." SMART STYLES in ladies spring coats.—SWIFT'S. THE colors of the 149th Lambton Battalion were duly deposited in the care of Warden J. B. Woodhall at the County Courthouse, Sarnia, on Saturday, April 14th. Warden Woodhall was assisted by Judge D. F. McWatt and Judge Taylor with Capt. J. M. McGillivray, former chaplain of the 149th acting as clergyman. MEN'S cotton work pants in khaki and mixtures at \$1.50.—A. BROWN & CO. It has been suggested in Government circles that retired farmers in the towns and cities go out and assist with the seeding this spring. These men, with their long experience, would be able to go about the work intelligently, without having to be looked after by the owner of the farm, as would be the case with green hands, however willing. FORMALIN for treating seed at TAYLOR'S. ANY person found driving an auto without license after April 21st will be fined, and anyone riding on sidewalks with bicycles will also be fined. No hens allowed to run at large; people not allowed to congregate on street corners or in doorways. All the by-laws of the town will be strictly enforced without further notice. By order.—J. F. ELLIOT. SMART STYLES in boys' Norfolk and Pinch Back suits.—SWIFT'S. LAST Thursday night in the Lyceum the Rev. J. H. Dyke, Field Secretary Muskoka Hospital, gave an instructive and interesting lecture on Consumption. By the aid of X-Ray slides the lecturer showed the lungs as they appeared in various stages of disease while the owner of the lungs lived or moved about. He also showed necessity of diagnosis and the great danger of delay in jeopardizing the chance of recovery, pointing out no disease is more curable if taken in time. He clearly showed the good work of Muskoka Free Hospital in caring for so many as 243 poor patients free, out of a total of 283. This institution is doing a great work in the province and worthy of all support. BOYS' nifty shirts, 12 to 14.—SWIFT'S. H. P. SAUCR 25c, Holbrook's Worcester-shire sauce 25c, Patterson Worcester-shire sauce 15c, Rex catsup 10c, 15c and 25c, Snyder's catsup 25c, peanut butter in bulk 25c lb.—ROGERS & JACKLIN. Phone 89.

PERSONAL

Miss Essie Howden, London, is visiting relatives in town. Percy Hay and Tom Scharf, Wyoming, spent Sunday in town. Mrs. Walter Cooke and son, Roy, visited relatives in Detroit and Sarnia last week. Mr. Gordon Hollingsworth and Fred McManus returned from the West Tuesday. Miss Fanny Moore, Guelph, is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. N. McKenzie, Erie street. Mrs. Orlo Jacklin and son, Edward, spent the week end with relatives in Sarnia. Miss Bernice Dodds left Saturday on an extended visit with relatives in San Francisco. Miss Mary Gault returned Monday after spending the Easter week with friends in Detroit. Mrs. R. J. Smith and family returned home after spending the Easter holidays with friends in London. Mrs. H. A. Cook Toronto is spending a few days visiting her mother Mrs. McLeay Main St. Mrs. Steele and family, Sarnia, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Orme, 88 West Avenue south, Hamilton. Miss Marie Roche, nurse in training at St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto, spent the weekend at her home here. Mrs. G. Russell Baird and Son Humboldt Sask., is visiting Mr. Baird's grandmother Mrs. McLeay, Main St. Mrs. W. E. Fitzgerald and son William, returned from a visit with friends and relatives in London and Ingersoll. Miss Edith Hayward, of Wanstead, has returned home after spending a few days with Mrs. James Robb, of Sarnia. Mr. Thos. Harris left last Friday for Waskada, Man., owing to the critical illness of his daughter, Mrs. C. L. Capron. Mrs. J. M. McKay and daughter, Florence, returned to their home in Galt after spending the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Humphries.

BORN

In Enniskillen, on Thursday, April 12th, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Woods, a son. In Watford, on Monday, April 16th, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dickson, a daughter. In Brooke, on Saturday, April 7th, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Watson, a son. In Brooke, on Monday, April 9th, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. Angus McLachlan, a daughter. In Warwick, on Friday, April 6th, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ridley, a daughter.

MARRIED

At the home of the bride's parents, on Wednesday, April 11th, Mr. William Arnot Porter, of Niagara Falls South, to Jennie Helena, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson, Evergreen Farm, Arkona.

DIED

In Forest, on Tuesday, April 10th, 1917, Mary Jennings, relict of the late John Greenough, in her 89th year.

Crawford—Mellor

On Wednesday April the eleventh at 2 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Mellor, of Arkona, occurred the wedding of Frances L. C. Mellor and R. Reid Crawford. Rev. H. J. Fair, of Atwood, performed the ceremony. The bride's gown was of white crepe de chene and lace and she carried a shower bouquet of Easter lilies and carnations, she was attended by her sister Miss Adele Mellor as maid of honor attired in pink taffeta. Mr. Ivan Crawford, of London, acted as best man, Mr. Will Holmes played the wedding march. After the young couple had received the felicitations of their friends the guests enjoyed a dainty luncheon, the tables were tastefully decorated in pink and white flowers. The groom's gift to the bride was a check and to the maid of honor an umbrella. The out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Doan and children, Frank and Muriel, of Belmont and Mrs. Frederick W. Mellor, of Detroit. The happy couple motored to Watford, where they entrained for Toronto and other points and will be at home to their friends in their new home at Arkona, after May the 1st.

Porter—Johnson

A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Johnson, Evergreen Farm, Arkona, when their daughter, Jennie Helena, was married to W. Arnot Porter, of Niagara Falls, Rev. Dr. Brown officiating. The bride was given away by her father and looked charming in a gown of white silk crepe de chene and tulle. Mr. Newman Johnson, brother of the bride, played the wedding march. After the ceremony the guests sat down to a dainty luncheon, the table being decorated in pink and white. The groom is science master of the High School, Niagara Falls South. The happy couple left on the 3 p.m. train for their future home.

WARWICK.

Read our ad. on page 7.—T. DODDS & SON. Mr. Ross Smith, of London, visited his brother J. F. Smith, last week. Miss Dora Richardson spent the week end visiting her cousin, Miss Vera Richardson. Mrs. Russ. G. Clark and daughter, Helen, Petrolia, spent Easter week at J. S. Clark's. Mr. George Ridley is wearing a broad Easter smile, (a daughter). Congratulations George. Miss Sadie Barnes, of Warwick Village, spent the Easter week with friends and relatives in London. Mr. Norman Vance and Graham Bros., have recently purchased new Ford touring cars. All the road and part of the ditch please. Mrs. Nellie Myres, Main road, has returned after spending the past two weeks with her parents at Petrolia. Mrs. J. B. Doan and children, of Belmont, and Mrs. F. W. Mellor, of Detroit, spent last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Brent. Mrs. Jessie Hanna, of Crawford, Kansas, is spending a few months at the home of her brother-in-law, Mr. James Cooper, 2nd line south. Annabell, the two weeks' old infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Cooper, passed peacefully away last Friday, interment being made at Arkona cemetery last Sunday. Miss Myrtle J. Luckham, of London; Miss Grace Luckham, of Wheatley; and Mr. Clarence Luckham, of Guelph, spent Easter with their parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Luckham. Mrs. George Brent Sr., Mr. and Mrs. George Brent Jr., and Mr. Stanley Brent attended the wedding of Miss Francis Mellor and Mr. R. Reid Crawford, at Arkona, on Wednesday the 11th, inst. Rev. H. J. Fair, of Atwood, attended prayer service at Bethel on Wednesday evening the 11th inst., and called on a number of friends in the vicinity on Thursday, leaving for home on Friday. His many friends were pleased to see him looking so well. On Monday morning Mr. Joseph McClesney, 2nd line, N. E. R., received a telegram from Kamloops, B.C., stating that his son, J. H. McClesney, teller in the Imperial Bank of that place, had been killed in an automobile accident on Sunday. The remains are being brought home by his brother, Dr. D. H. McClesney, of Seattle. The Warwick Branch of the Women's Institute held their regular monthly meeting in the Foresters' Hall on Thursday, April 12th. Thirty-two pairs of socks have been knit during the month and shipped to Mrs. McPhedran, Toronto. Six grey flannel shirts, 28 pillow slips, 6 pyjamas were made for the Red Cross at Hyman Hall. Donation to Prisoners' Fund amounted to \$4.55. Next meeting will be held on April 27th. The Easter Vestry meeting was held in St. Paul's Church, Wisbeach, on Tuesday evening, April 10th, with a good attendance. The Rev. W. M. Shore presiding. The wardens gave their report, which showed a neat balance on hand at the close of the church year. Mr. Geo. Bryson was chosen Rector; warden and Mr. Geo. Iles, people's warden; sidesmen, Mr. G. Williams and Mr. Will Bryson; vestry clerk, Mr. Ashel Bryson; treasurer, Mr. G. Williams. Mr. Geo. Bryson was elected Lay Delegate to Synod and Mr. Geo. Iles substitute.

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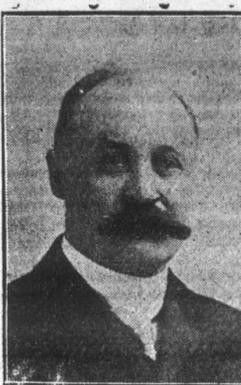
Mr. Foster of Orno is visiting his son here this week. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Johnson motored to London this week. Mr. Carlhart Overalls, the best on the market, at Fuller Bros. Try our "Fuller special tea". The best quality at the old price—Fuller Bros. Miss Margaret Clinch of Sarnia spent the week end at Mr. Thos. Lampman's. Mrs. D. & A. Corsets—For Style and Fit, they are the leaders.—Brown Bros. Mrs. D. Johnston and daughter, Dora returned to their home in Ottawa this week. Mr. and Mrs. S. Lucas and family of Alvinston spent Sunday with relatives in town. Messrs. J. L. Brown and Wm. Clark made a business trip to London on Monday. Miss V. Stevens who has been visiting at her home in Zurich, returned on Saturday. Miss Anna Augustine who has been visiting friends in Ingersoll returned home on Saturday. Mrs. Davidson of Watford, and daughter Miss Georgie of Melbourne, were in town last week. Miss Freida Thoman who spent the Easter holidays at her home here returned to Sarnia last week. Mrs. Adam Richter and Mrs. V. Scott who has been visiting friends in Windsor, returned home last week. Miss Olive Oakes, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. (Rev.) Hare, of Jarvis, returned home on Saturday. Rev. Fair of Atwood, formerly of Arkona, spent a few days last week renewing old acquaintances in and around the Ark. Mrs. Chas. Jackson has returned to her home in Bay City, Mich., after spending the past week at Mr. F. S. Jackson's. Spring house cleaning needs—wall paper, curtains, rugs, linoleums. Our stock is well assorted—prices right.—Brown Bros. Mrs. Harry Greer and family of Brooke have returned to their home after spending the past two weeks at Mr. Thos. Pressy's.

BROOKE

Read our ad. on page 7.—T. DODDS & SON. Rev. Sawers, of Watford, will preach in Chalmers Church, Brooke, on Sunday, April 22nd, at 3 o'clock. Sergt. Sterling Tobias has arrived home from England on three months' furlough. Sergt. Tobias enlisted in the first contingent and was one of the bodyguards at the funeral of Earl Roberts. He was wounded in the left arm at Ypres and has since been in the pay office in London, England. The Sutorville Red Cross wish to thank the Brooke Council for a donation of \$25. The next meeting of the society will be held at the home of Mrs. T. Kidd on April 28th. The Invincible Red Cross Society met at the home of Mrs. Robert King on Wednesday, April 11th. Twenty workers were present. A batch of the following was packed and sent to Hyman Hall: 52 pairs of socks, 19 grey flannel shirts, 9 trench towels, 9 hospital towels, 12 suits of pyjamas, 10 pillow slips, 2 binders. The Society is in need of funds to carry of this important branch of the work, and each family is expected to contribute towards the fund. Several dollars have already been donated for which we extend our hearty thanks. Next meeting will be on April 25th at the home of Mrs. Wesley Hoskin.

SALE REGISTER

Saturday, April 21st, household furniture of C. F. Abbott, on the premises, Wall street. Sale at 1 o'clock sharp. Terms cash, no reserve. See bills. J. F. Elliot, auctioneer.



The Late Major D. B. Bentley

The late Dr. Bentley was a Lambton boy, having been born in the Township of Warwick. After completing his education at the Strathroy high school, he took up the study of medicine. After graduation he practiced first at Oil Springs, and afterwards at Watford, and in the year 1895 established himself in Sarnia, where he soon built up an extensive practice. A Conservative in politics he occupied a prominent position in the ranks of the party in the county, and also interested himself in municipal and educational affairs, serving usefully in the council at Sarnia, and also on the board of education. On the reorganization of the public health service, Dr. Bentley was appointed by the Ontario government as Provincial Health Inspector, for the counties comprised in the Western District, in which position he proved himself a judicious and efficient public officer. Always interested in military matters, Dr. Bentley took a leading part in the organization of the 14th Field Ambulance Corps of this city. When the war broke out, Major Bentley was one of the first to offer his services, and he took the 14th Field Ambulance overseas with the first contingent. He served for some time in France, but was shortly appointed to the hospital transfer service in England, and was later given the important charge of the military hospital at Southampton, which position he held until failing health compelled him to desist from active duty some time ago. The late Dr. Bentley leaves a widow who for some time past has been with her husband in England, three sons, Othel, in the northwest, Albert and David, with the overseas forces, and one daughter, Margaret, with her mother in England. He leaves also a widowed mother residing in London, Ont., three brothers, Albert and John, in Cleveland, Ohio, and Dr. William J., with the overseas forces. And one sister, Mrs. Owens, of Battleford, Sask. To the bereaved family is extended the sincerest sympathy of this community.

The McLean—Johnstone Nuptials

(From the Acton Free Press)

A very pretty Easter wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Johnstone, Mill Street, on Saturday afternoon when their eldest daughter, Gertrude Jean, became the bride of Mr. Frederick McLean, Watford, son of Mrs. Donald McLean, Windsor. Promptly at five o'clock to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march played by Mrs. Leslie Cockburn, of Wyandotte, Mich., the bride entered the drawing room, leaning on the arm of her father. She looked very sweet and girlish in an empire gown of white silk tulle and gold lace and carried a bridal shower of white roses and lily-of-the-valley. Her only ornament was a diamond pendant, the gift of the groom. She was attended by her sister, Miss Wilma, and Miss Myrtle Fritz, of Guelph, the former wearing a yellow georgette gown with gold lace and carrying yellow tea roses, and the latter pale-green satin with silver trimmings and carrying beauty-roses. Mr. D. T. McGuire, of Niagara Falls, acted as groomsmen. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. C. Wilson, B.A. During the signing of the register Mr. Leslie Cockburn sang "Love's Coronation." After a dainty luncheon Mr. and Mrs. McLean left for Detroit and Akron, Ohio, the bride wearing a navy blue suit with gold embroidery and hat to match. On their return they will reside in Watford, Ont., where Mr. McLean is manager of the Merchants Bank.

Trinity Church Anniversary

Very successful anniversary services were held in Trinity Church on Sunday last. At the evening service the church was crowded. The Rev. Wm. Lowe, Rector of Lucan, preached two very able sermons, which were very much appreciated by all present. The special music by the choir was especially well rendered. The anniversary celebration was continued on Tuesday evening when the Rev. Capt. Carlisle, of Windsor, spoke of his experiences at the front to a good sized audience in the Lyceum. The address was quite a masterpiece. The Chaplain spoke in the highest terms of the men at the front and told of a deep religious feeling that was found on all sides. The men were being well looked after spiritually and always wore a sunny smile. Capt. Carlisle spoke for almost two hours and his brilliant address will long be remembered by all those present. Much appreciated solos were given by Mrs. Loftus Millar and Mr. W. Connolly. Col. Kenward acted as chairman.

St. Mary's Church Vestry Meeting

The Vestry meeting of St. Mary's Church, Warwick, was held Monday evening, April 9th, with the Rector in the chair. The Rector's report which was very satisfactory was received and adopted, as was also the reports of Sunday School and Women's Auxiliary. The Warden's report receipts for the past year for Parochial purposes, \$433.15; expenditure \$397.22; balance on hand \$29.63. Missionary money received and forwarded \$305.85; Women's Auxiliary received and forwarded \$105.55. The Sunday School raised and forwarded \$12.97 for missionary purposes and have a balance of \$81.45 on hand. Total for missions \$424.37. A. E. Archer was appointed Lay Delegate to Synod with N. Herbert substitute. R. A. Tanner was appointed Warden by the Rector; E. O. Herbert was appointed warden by the people. Sidesmen—Wm. Wordsworth, Robt. Hawkins, John Kervell, Ed. Archer, Hanson Holbrook, John Archer. Ushers—O. Tamer, J. H. Robinson, H. Holbrook, N. Herbert.

WANT COLUMN.

TWO cars cedar posts to hand this week.—R. C. McLEAY. A HERFORD BULL for sale 2 1/2 years old with pedigree, lot 2, con. 3, S. E. R., Warwick. TWO SECOND HAND DRILLS in first-class shape for sale, cheap.—Apply R. E. JOHNSTON. THOROUGHbred Rose Comb Black Minorca eggs for hatching for sale. Apply to C. M. FITZGERALD, Watford, Ont. EGGS FOR HATCHING—from thoroughbred Barred Rock hens, \$1.00 per setting.—HUGH R. CLARK, R. R. No. 2, Watford. MR. AND MRS. JOHN COOPER wish to thank the neighbors and friends for their many acts of kindness shown them at the time of illness and death of their little daughter, Annabell. FOR SALE.—10 H. P. gasoline or coal oil engine, good as new. Also a shaper, a forge and anvil, and a turning lathe, all in first-class condition.—HARRY WILLIAMSON, Watford. 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. B'Blarneystone" a Shorthorn bull owned by Henry Smith, Hay Tp., died of indigestion. \$1000 was refused for him by Mr. Smith.