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### Death of James Chambers

James Chambers, an old and well-known resident of Caradoc township, died at the Strathroy Hospital on Monday morning, July 15th, aged 82 years. Mr. Chambers was taken to the hospital on Sunday and died the following morning. He leaves one son, John, of Caradoc Township, and one daughter, Mrs. Mary Smith, of Deseronto. He also leaves four brothers: Thomas, of Adelaide; Charles, of Warwick; George, of Brooke, and John, of Adelaide; and two sisters: Mrs. Mary Williams and Mrs. John Brown, both of Harbor Beach, Mich. Mrs. Chambers died about four years ago.

The funeral took place Wednesday afternoon from the residence of his son, Muncy Road, Caradoc township, the remains being interred at the Delaware cemetery.

### GIGANTIC PANORAMA OF EMPIRE HISTORY

Heroes of Britain Will Pass In Review Before Crowds at The Canadian National Exhibition.

Memories of the great fighters of long ago, the heroes of a thousand battles by land and sea, will be re-awakened by the grand stand spectacle at the Canadian National Exhibition. "Britannia Militant" will be more than a mere pageant; it will be the spirit of our Empire past and present, translated into flesh and blood, a romantic historic survey in which the spectators will be made to feel their kinship with the men of old. There will be a suggestion of Arthurian legends, of mediaeval knights, ancient castles, venerable cathedral ruins, and all the colorful paraphernalia of history and romance. The spirit of the Empire's yesterday will be caught and contrasted with the martial deeds of today and the men of the present, now fighting the greatest battle of all times, will not suffer by comparison, particularly in the dramatic climax when Currie's gallant Canadians arrive on the scene. The setting will be a gigantic reproduction of Windsor Castle, the scenic arrangement and general ensemble being the most elaborate ever produced at the Canadian National. There will be over 1,200 participants, all brilliantly attired in the styles of the period they represent, and the whole inspiring effect will be enhanced by superb musical treatment.

The evidence in a blind pig raid at Windsor, (2 gals.) disappeared from the Inspector's vault over night and cannot be located.

### Quite Satisfied With This World

The St. Thomas Journal often "picks up" articles that no one ever thought about. The following is one of its latest: "A man without a grouch and residing in the east end of the city, is willing to grow fat on war bread, so long as he can get away from the clutches of the doctor and undertaker. The old worn out world is good enough for him because he has no satisfactory documentary distinction what kind of world there is on the off-side of Jupiter, Mars, Venus and the rest of the suburban and sun-burnt planets. He doesn't want to die. There are men, he says, who argue that living is high, but they might try dying. A living man pays 15 cents for a shave but a dead one pays \$5 and never kicks. A good broad cloth coat cost \$25 but a wooden one costs \$100. A grave digger will plant potatoes at 30 cents an hour, but for planting you he gets four times as much. A taxi to a theatre costs \$1, but one to the cemetery costs \$5. A saloonkeeper will fill your hide to bursting for 50 cents but the embalmer gets \$12.50 for the same job. Come to think of it there are a lot of things left to live for in this old world despite the high prices and contrary weather."

### THE STORY OF THE STAIRS

Every time you go up stairs you can test your state of health—the condition of your blood.

Do you arrive at the top of the stairs breathless and distressed? Does your heart palpitate violently? Do you have a pain in your side? Perhaps you even have to stop half way up, with limbs trembling and head dizzy, too exhausted to go further without resting. These are unfailing signs of anaemia. As soon as your blood becomes impoverished or impure the stair-case becomes an instrument of torture. When this is so you are unfit for work; your blood is watery and your nerves exhausted, you are losing the joy of an active life and paving the way for a further break down and decline. In this condition only one thing can save you. You must put new rich blood into your veins without further delay and so build up your health anew. To get this new rich blood give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a fair trial, and they will give you new vitality, sound health, and the power to resist and throw off disease. For more than a generation this favourite medicine has been in use throughout the world and has made many thousands of weak, despondent men and women bright, active and strong.

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### Death of Levi Smith, a Former Resident of Brooke and Warwick

Strathroy lost another well-known and highly-respected citizen on Monday morning when William Levi Smith passed away at his home on English street, in his 65th year. The announcement of his demise brought a feeling of intense regret to the wide circle of friends and acquaintances of the family throughout the district, where he spent the whole of his life. Mr. Smith was born in Brooke. In 1877 he married Sarah Ann Patterson, the couple residing four years in that township. Then for twenty-seven years the family lived on a fruit farm in Warwick township, and about ten years ago moved to Strathroy. Deceased leaves his wife and five children (two sons and three daughters): Herbert, of Allan, Sask., and Roy, of Strathroy; Mrs. Hugh White, of Barrie, and Dora and Leafa at home. He is survived by three brothers: John, of Sarnia; David, of Enniskillen, and Sidney, of Watford. Mr. Smith was a Liberal, and a consistent member of the Methodist Church. He won the respect of all who knew him by the honesty and integrity of his dealings and his Christian walk of life was an example to both old and young. The funeral, which was very largely attended, was held at Strathroy Cemetery. The service at the house was conducted by his former pastor, Rev. A. E. Jones, of Clinton, assisted by Rev. J. C. Reid, both of whom paid tribute to the life and high Christian character of the departed. A beautiful solo was sung by Mrs. F. Thompson and several favorite hymns by the Methodist Quartette. The remains were borne to their last resting place by six nephews, Messrs. D. Smith and W. F. I. C. and B. Patterson. The casket was embowered in numerous floral remembrances, evidencing the high esteem in which deceased was held and the general sympathy felt for the bereaved family.

### Death Of Mrs. Colter

Mrs. Wm. Colter, one of the pioneers of Enniskillen township and relict of the late Wm. Colter, died at her home, Lot 24, Con. 13, Enniskillen, on Saturday, July 13th, 1918, aged 74 years. Mrs. Colter, whose maiden name was Elizabeth Stalker, was born in Halton county, and came with her parents to the Main road, Warwick township in 1847. In 1865 she married her late husband who predeceased her fifteen years ago. In 1873 Mrs. Colter came with her husband to her Enniskillen home where she resided until her death. She leaves to mourn her loss, three sons, John and James of Enniskillen, and Rev. W. H. of Avonlea, Sask., also two daughters, Mrs. E. J. Campbell and Deborah, of Sarnia. Another son, Ernest, was killed in action in France two years ago. Mrs. John MacDonald of Petrolia, is a sister. The funeral was held on Monday afternoon to Wyoming cemetery. Rev. Mr. Patterson, of Marthaville, conducted the services, assisted by Rev. Mr. McBae, of Petrolia.

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### LOCAL HAPPENING

THE GUIDE-ADVOCATE welcomes items of interest for this column. Please send by mail or direct to the Editor.

THE OAT HARVEST has started. SCHOOL holidays are half gone. THIS WEEK will about finish the year.

THERE will be no issue of the Advocate next week.

STRAW HATS, the balance at H. prices.—SWIFT'S.

GARANTHEE Ford size Tire \$16.00 up.—R. MORNINGSTAR.

NEXT MONDAY is Watford's holiday and all places of business closed.

ONE can't square himself unless he pays what he owes to his men.

MR. DUNBAR, of London, will conduct the service in Trinity Church next day evening.

THE increase in freight rates go effect on August 12th and will continue until after the war.

GET YOUR LIST OF SPECIALS for the fall show ready. The con will call on you shortly.

The average girl is a queer creature. She'll make fun of a young man and marry him the next.

EVERY man who tries can ex something, even if it isn't anything, than having a broken backyard the neighbors.

LADIES TAILORED SUITS for ea get your orders in as soon as poss SWIFT, SONS & CO.

SEND IN THE NAMES of your visitors, or if you are going away v let us know. Your friends are inte if you are not.

WHEN you have a half day to see if you can't help one of your friends who are so badly pressed help just now.

MISS R. CLARK sang a very be solo at the service in the Met church last Sunday evening whic very much appreciated.

MR. JAMES HAMILTON, of Pe was elected to the office of Distric City Grand Master of St. Clair dist the recent meeting of the Grand of MASONS.

SATISFACTORY progress is being on the new Merchants Bank bui The brick and mason work has completed and the interior work is rapidly pushed forward.

BUY your overalls and work shir fore the fall prices and goods coe hand. Big Saving.—SWIFT, SONS

EVERY BUSHEL of the great crop of Kansas was harvested by secured through the United State ployment service, and the Kansar wondering how it was done.

TWO CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTORS, E. Morrison and Telford Thom were sentenced to serve two ye Burwash penitentiary with hard after trial by court-martial at Lo last week.

NO GYPSIES are to be permitt pursue their wanderings about O this summer, the order that eve must work being due for strict en ment, and horse-trading and fo telling not being rated as work.

POTATOES sold on farmer's marke local Ontario points on Saturday la follows:—Belleville, \$2 per bag; I ford, \$2.25; Chatham, \$2.50; King \$1.60 to \$2.75; Port Hope \$1.80; stock, \$1.80; Stratford, \$1.50 to \$1.6 bag.

PECK OUT YOUR SUIT FOR FALL will make it later on.—SWIFT'S TA ING DEPT.

WARNING it again given out t more care is not taken in the use of an icings and making candy for p consumption, the Government w compelled to follow the United Sta adopting a sugar rationing—an c and a half a day.

CAPT. C. S. WYNNE, M.C., for of Watford, who was wounded and ed last October, was recently disch from the hospital at Stirling, Scot and has been assigned by the R.A. to duty as medical officer of the Pris of War Camp at Loch Doon, Scotla.

THE UNION SERVICES will be ce ned next Sunday. In the morning service will be held in the Meth church when the Sacrament of the L Supper will be administered. In evening the service will be held in Presbyterian church. Rev. A. C. will preach at both services.

COLLEGE students, particularly who have had experience in farm should plan their vacations this helping with the harvest. Things a serious this year that they can well go their usual vacation, well e though it be, to aid in the saving of crop.

Mr. Charles Nichol, of London, has been visiting Watford for the thirty years in the interest of the A Smith Co. of London, has given travelling and joined the firm of G & Eckert in which he is financially i ested. Mr. Nichol made many fr in Watford who will miss his bi-w visits.