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\$1.50 A dressy Blouse made of fine cotton, with pretty embroidered trimming. Sizes 36 to 44.

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BOYS' JIRSEYS—In navy and red, white and khaki, long sleeves.....40c and 50c

BOYS' KHAKI BLOOMERS—sizes 24 to 33.....75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25

Boys' Cotton-Tweed Bloomers give excellent wear.....75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25

BOYS' FINE SHIRTS—With or without collars. Very special values at 90c, \$1.00, \$1.25

BOYS' ALL-WOOL BLOOMERS—10 doz. only boys' wool bloomers, sizes 24 to 35. Made in the best style. Belt loops and patent fasteners at the knee. To clear at.....\$1.50

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Summer Course for Teachers

Summer courses in agriculture for public, separate, high or continuation school teachers will be conducted this year under the direction of the Education Department at Guelph and Whitby. Travelling and living expenses will be paid to each teacher who satisfactorily completes a summer course leading to a certificate in agriculture and who teaches agriculture throughout the school year following the course. The course opens on July 8th and continues until August 9th. Women students may obtain board and lodging at the Ontario Agriculture College or at the Ladies' College, Whitby, for \$35 for the session.

School Reports

Report of S. S. No. 13, Brooke, for the month of May.
 Class IV Sr.—(Lottie Higgins, Velma Griffith) equal, Gordon Johnston.
 Jr.—Sadie Fisher, John Lucas.
 Class III Sr.—Edna Griffith, Harry Chalk, James Burns, Isabell Williams' Jr.—Kathleen Burns, Margaret Lucas.
 Class II—John Griffith, Mary Lucas.
 Class I—James Chalk, Jeanetta Hewitt, Vera Chalk, Hazel Griffith, Fisher Burns, Clarence Johnston.
 Primer—Gerald Swan, Mina Lucas.
 L. ROCHE, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 3, Watford, for

month of May. Names in order of merit.
 Class III Sr.—Jessie Blain.
 Class III Jr.—Verna Caughlin, Earnie Minielly, Stanley Clark.
 Class II—Wilfrid Dolan.
 Class I Sr.—Anthony Dolan, Alma Minielly, Mabel Blain, Orval Clark, Sadie Willer.
 Class I Jr.—Kersey.
 Primer.—Amy Minielly, Roy Willer.
 M. A. BARNES, Teacher.



Wedding Gifts

SILVERWARE is the acceptable gift and the Bride of today usually chooses **OLD COLONY** or **ADAM** pattern. That is why we are selling more of these patterns every day.

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Carpet Sweepers O-Cedar Mops Oil Stoves
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Paroid Roofing

2-ply \$3.00 per square
 3-ply \$4.00 per square

Santite Roofing, 2-ply, \$2.65 per square
 Asphalt Felt, 400 ft., \$2.50 per roll

The above roofing materials are made by the F. W. Bird Co., pioneers in the roofing business. Remember this is the only store which handles genuine Paroid

The N. B. Howden Est.

THANKFUL MOTHERS

Thousands of mothers throughout Canada—many of them your neighbors—speak with thankfulness concerning the use of Baby's Own Tablets. Once they have used the Tablets for their little ones they would use nothing else. The Tablets are an absolutely safe medicine for even the youngest baby, being guaranteed by a government analyst to contain neither opiates nor narcotics or other harmful drugs. Concerning them, Mrs. David McRobb, Divide, Sask., says: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets and have found them so satisfactory I would not be without them." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

NEW HIGH RECORDS MADE BY MERCHANTS BANK.

Report Shows Gains in all Departments

Business men throughout the country need not fear the outcome of the adjustment from war to peace if the statement of the Merchants Bank made public at the annual meeting be any criterion. The period covers the year ended April 30th, 1919, so includes six months of war, and six months of peace. The showing made is most satisfactory as every department of the bank's activities registers gains. In such matters as net profits, dividends, deposits both interest bearing and non-interest bearing, quickly available assets, current loans and total assets very satisfactory increases have been made. Net profits stand at \$1,383,000 as compared with \$1,236,000 for the previous year. The dividend was increased during the year from 10 to 11½, note circulation gained \$1,000,000 and it is now \$13,316,000, interest bearing deposits stand at \$32,000,000 as compared with less than \$76,000,000 last year, non-bearing interest deposits are now \$43,500,000 as compared with \$34,800,000 quickly available assets stand at \$62,750,000 or 5,000,000 over the figures for the previous year, current loan amount to \$96,800,000 as compared with \$76,000,000 in 1918 while total assets are \$166,725,000 a gain of nearly \$26,000,000 during the year.

At the annual meeting Sir H. Montagu Allan reviewed the year's business and referred to the death of Andrew A. Allan a director of the Bank. Mr. D. C. Macarow the General Manager commented in a general way upon the results achieved and drew a very gratifying picture of the country's position and prospects. It was pointed out that since the war ended many new branches and sub-branches had been opened which the only have absorbed the Bank's officers returning from the front, but have provided additional banking facilities for the public. It was also shown that the Bank's clientele invested \$45,000,000 in Victory Loans of which only \$1,400,000 were conversions. Altogether the showing is one that reflects the highest credit on the management.

Provision was made at the meeting for increasing the Bank's Capital from \$10,000,000 to \$15,000,000. This being explained by the President, merely in preparation for future requirements there being no intention to issue further new stock in the near future.

Celebrate Their Golden Wedding

A most unique happening occurred at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Hall, 710 York street, London, on Tuesday afternoon, May 27th, when the aged couple celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding in the presence of about 45 relatives and immediate friends.

The house was beautifully decorated with various displays of flowers and a most sumptuous wedding dinner was served, at which Mr. and Mrs. Hall were presented with a purse of gold by their two granddaughters, Miss Rea and Miss Edith Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall are former residents of Warwick, coming to London about 17 years ago and have lived retired. They were farmers in Warwick Township for many years and are very well known there. They have three sons, Walter, Charles and Herbert, who are all farmers in Warwick. Mrs. Rea, of London, is a daughter.—London Free Press.

Increase in Income Tax

Among the items of the budget presented to Parliament on Thursday last is greatly increased Income Tax. In future the tax will be as follows: For unmarried persons and for widows and widowers without children the exemption is now fixed at \$1,000. From that amount up to \$8,000 the incomes of such people are to be taxed at 4 per cent. For other people the exemption is \$2,000, and from that up to \$6,000 the rate is 4 per cent. On all incomes exceeding \$6,000 it is 8 per cent, with a surtax beginning at \$5,000, and advancing from \$6,000 to \$100,000 for every \$2,000. Upon incomes in excess of \$100,000 higher rates than those now holding are levied. The business profits tax applies to enterprises carried on on a capital \$25,000 and up to \$50,000, and takes one-fourth of all the profits exceeding 10 per cent, on the capital. Incorporated companies with a capital of \$50,000 and over have an exemption of profits amounting to 7 per cent, and other than incorporated companies of like range of capital have an exemption of 10 per cent. On profits in excess of the exemption, but not greater than 15 per cent, on the capital, such business must turn over one-fourth to the Government; when the profits range from 15 per cent to 20 per cent, on the capital, the Government gets one-half; of profits in excess of 20 per cent, the Government's toll is three-fourths.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Minutes of a special meeting of the Watford Board of Education, called for business as specified, held in the Library Board Room on Monday, June 9th, 1919, at 8 p.m.

Present—C. W. Vail, chairman; Dr. Howden, J. D. Brown, John McKercher, John McGillicuddy, Dr. Newell and E. D. Swift.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

Howden—Brown, and carried, that the following accounts be paid:—

High School.—B. H. Parker, planting trees and other work, \$6.00; Wm. Williamson, coal, \$25.20; John Bruce, putting door in chimney, \$2.00.

Public School—N. B. Howden Est., glass and putty, \$1.10.

McKercher—Newell, and carried, that we confirm the secretary's request to the municipal council to supply \$350 for public school purposes for June 19.

Public School Inspector's report, dated

February 22nd, 1919, was read.

Newell—McKercher, and carried, that the Inspector's report of last visit in February be received and filed.

Brown—McGillicuddy, and carried, that this Board inspect the Public School in regard to repairs on Friday evening, at 7 p.m., June 13th. A full attendance is requested.

Newell—Swift, and carried, that a dental inspection be made of the pupils in the public school and that Dr. Howden act as inspector.

Howden—Brown, and carried, that we adjourn.

D. WATT, Secretary.

RICH, RED BLOOD MEANS HEALTH

Weak, Pale People Require a Blood-making Medicine.

It took centuries for medical science to discover that if the blood were always abundant, rich and pure, very few people would ever be ill. It was not until the end of the 19th century that an instrument was invented for measuring the red part of the blood. Then doctors could tell just how anemic a patient had become, and with medicine to make new blood the patient soon got well.

All the blood in the body is nourished and kept rich and red by the food taken daily, but when, for any reason, a person is run down and cannot make sufficient blood from the food to keep the body in health, then a blood-making medicine is required. The simplest and very best of blood-makers suitable for home use by anyone, is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. When a course of these pills is taken their good effect is soon shown in an improved appetite, stronger nerves, a sound digestion and an ability to master your work and enjoy leisure hours. For women there is a prompt relief of, or prevention of ailments which make life a burden. Mrs. Thos. Kaake, Trenton, Ont., tells how she obtained new health and strength through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. She says: "The weakness came on me so gradually that at first it was hardly noticeable. But after a time it got so that I could not go up stairs without stopping to rest. Every particle of color left my hands and face, and the least exertion would tire me and leave my heart palpitating violently. I consulted a doctor who told me the trouble was anemia and prescribed a tonic. I took this medicine for some time, but it did not seem to help me a bit. Then I read of a cure in a similar case through Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and decided to try them. The result was these pills made me feel like a new woman. I have gained all my former health and strength, and feel that I owe my present condition entirely to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

You can get these pills through any dealer in medicine, or by mail at 50c a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Wm. Wellington, of Forest, a pioneer of Bonanquet, died last week. He was an Englishman by birth and in his 70th year.

Miss Janet Louisa Branan, daughter of the late J. W. Branan who for over forty years was postmaster at Alvinston, died last month at Chicago.

Commencing Monday, June 16th
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