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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.)

GOOD FRIDAY.

SUNDAY will be Easter.

EGGS are getting cheaper.

EASTER millinery at BROWN'S.

COURT LORNE meets next Monday evening.

GET your hot X buns at Lovell's this (Thursday) evening.

COUNCIL adjourned from Monday to this (Thursday) evening.

If you want good bread and pastry get your flour at R. Haskett's.

THE wise farmer helps to build up his home town and improve his home market.

WATFORD MARKETS.—Wheat 98c, Oats 36c, Butter 24c, Eggs 18c, Potatoes 75c.

A SPECIAL song service will be held in the Congregational church on Sunday evening next. All welcome.

GRAND Easter display Saturday.—SWIFTS.

ASTRONOMERS state that the sun is at present covered with freckles. It should wear a veil like the ladies do in spring time.

THE A. Y. P. A. of Trinity Church, will give an anniversary supper in the church basement on Monday, April 20th, from 5 to 7 o'clock. Admission 25c.

SERVICE will be held in Trinity church this (Good Friday) evening at 7.45. The Rector will preach. Special collection towards the evangelization of the Jews.

A 20th Century Suit for Easter. Have the best.—A. BROWN & Co. Sole Agents.

WHEN a man feels like criticizing the game of marbles as boys play it now, he should remember that the game as he played it when a boy was not highly esteemed by the men of that time.

OF the 1,820,742 persons whose names are on the Dominion voters' list, 1,307,528 voted in the last general election. Upwards of half a million of those who had the suffrage refrained from voting.

OUR stock of rugs is fine, prices right.—SWIFTS.

A PLATE glass front is being placed in E. Dowling's store by the owner, Mr. D. Ross. With one exception the entire block now presents a continuous row of plate glass, such as is seldom seen in a town of this size.

N. McDONALD, member of the Legislature for Centre Bruce, has introduced a bill to compel autos to slow down to four miles an hour when passing horse vehicles, also to prohibit autos carrying flags, banners, etc.

IF you receive a letter from a prisoner over in Spain offering to make you pay for a small sum in cash which you are to send him, do not forget that millions of copies of that letter have been circulated in the past twenty-five years.

A. BROWN & Co. have the Individual Tailoring Co's agency for Watford. Ladies' Suits, Coats, Skirts and Dresses made to your special measure.

THE Board of Railway Commissioners of Canada have ruled that train catchers must go over their territory once every three months to familiarize themselves with the physical conditions of that part of the road over which they have control.

THE Board of License Commissioners for the License District of East Lambton will meet at the Roche House, Watford, on Saturday, the 18th day of April, 1914, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of considering applications for liquor licenses for the license year 1914-15.

BECAUSE Christ lives, we shall live. This is the joy of Easter, and this is why when Lent is over and winter is past and spring has returned, Christian life reacts its highest water mark on the shores of time in an exultant Hallelujah that reverberates around the globe.

WEAR a "King George" or "Kenmore" hat for Easter.—SWIFTS.

A COUPLE of Muskoka papers are blowing about the number of subscribers for their lists who are paid in advance for 1914. O, pshaw! We have one who is paid up for 1918 and several for 1916, also some who won't pay until they are urgently reminded of their neglect.

THERE are many superstitions connected with Easter Sunday which are significant of the season, and are almost as imperative as laws. One of these is the necessity of having something new to wear on this day in order to insure happiness for the coming year. Hence the Easter bonnet.

THE model Art suits we are showing are right in both style and price.—SWIFT, SONS & Co.

THE Retail Grocers' Association has made a canvas of some of the members of the legislature and asked that legislation be passed amending the garnishee law under which they will be able to collect through courts, 50 per cent. of a man's wages for a grocery debt. The present law leaves the matter pretty much in the hands of the debtor, who, the grocers say, after running an account and being tided over the winter months, declines to pay and goes somewhere else with his ready cash.

HOT X BUNS.

HOUSE-CLEANING time.

SEND in the names of your Easter visitors.

EASTER neckwear that is right at SWIFTS.

THERE is more ice in Lake Huron this spring than for fifty years.

A REGULATION, passed by the Toronto Live Stock Exchange over a year ago, docking cattle that were not dehorned \$2 per head, went into effect on April 1st.

AT a meeting of the Armory Progress Club after the reception Tuesday evening, Neil McDougall, B. A., F. S. I., was made an honorary member of the club.

OUR Dress Goods are equal to stock of city stores.—SWIFTS.

THE Dundas Banner, one of the best known provincial weeklies, established in 1858, has ceased publication. The publishers have assigned to J. W. Lawrason.

A DELIVERY of Massey-Harris binders and other implements was made by the local agent, Reg. McIntosh, on Saturday last. The purchasers were entertained at dinner by Mr. McIntosh.

A CRATE of superior hand-painted china to hand at J. Mathews'. Your inspection of it is particularly invited. Although handsome, the price is reasonable.

Go to R. HASKETT's for your timothy, alfalfa, red alsike, clover.

THE High and Public Schools closed Thursday for the Easter holidays and will reopen on Monday, April 20th. There will be a short ten week's term between that and the summer holidays.

JUDGMENT in the case of Father Guam against Archbishop McNeil, heard at Sarnia a couple of weeks ago, was given at Osgoode Hall on Monday, Mr. Justice Britton dismissing the action with costs.

MISS JANET GOODHAND was instantly killed while crossing the track at Wyomington on Wednesday. Being hard of hearing she did not hear the approaching train.

EVERY citizen who sends or spends a dollar out of town for goods that can be bought here reduces the town's money capital by that amount. If \$100 a week is sent to mail order houses that means \$5,200 a year sent out of town.

"KING HATS"—a hat for every face and one year's guarantee.—A. BROWN & Co.

THE regular monthly meeting of the Watford Chosen Friends will be held in their hall here on Tuesday evening, April 14th. Several initiations. All applicants are requested to be present and a full attendance of members is desired.

GEO. MCKENZIE writes from Kelowna, B. C., 30th ult., sending renewal of subscription to March, 1918. He says: "We could not afford to get along without the Guide. Having beautiful spring weather here and a lot of the garden seeds are already planted."

SERGEANT-INSTRUCTOR PROUSE was tendered a banquet by the Sarnia officers of the 27th on Friday evening, prior to his leaving for St. Thomas. The sergeant will return to Sarnia early in May to prepare the guard of honor for the Duke of Connaught.

A HUSBAND is not bound to let his wife decide where she shall work or where he shall live. If she is not willing to go with him, she cannot claim support from him; and if he sends her enough money to support herself and the children she has no legal ground for complaint.

EASTER EGGS, Easter Display, Easter Stock.—SWIFTS.

SARNIA will in future be known as "The Beacon City" instead of the Tunnel Town. The motto or slogan that will be used for advertising purposes is "Sarnia Lights the Way." The prize of \$10 offered by Board of Trade for the synonym, was awarded to Master Boyce Mavity, son of John J. Mavity and the \$10 for the slogan was awarded to Miss Winnifred Gorman.

DR. R. GIBSON, Moose Jaw, formerly of Watford, has been unable to practice at his profession for some weeks on account of an ulcer on one of his eyes, but is now considerably better. It will be several months before the scar left by the ulcer will clear up. He is, however, gaining rapidly in health. His many friends here are glad to hear of his recovery.

Boys' Easter Suits in all the new Norfolk styles, specials at \$3.75, \$4.25 and \$5.00.—A. BROWN & Co.

ARRANGEMENTS are under way for the organization of a Boys' Club under the supervision of Lieut-Col. Kelly and the members of the Armory Progress Club. The age of membership in this club will be limited and the time of the meetings regulated so that the business of the club will not interfere with the studies of the boys or keep them from home at unreasonable hours. One of the rooms in the Armory will be fitted up for a club room.

MRS. (REV.) ARTHUR MURPHY, of Edmonton, formerly of Watford, was recently elected by the City Council, a member of the Hospital Board of that city. Mrs. Murphy's co-workers are fourteen men, she being the only woman member. Her experience as head for two years of the Women's Hospital Aid, as a member of the Tuberculosis Sanatorium Board, and as the original advocate of municipally owned hospitals in Edmonton qualifies her amply for her new position.

LOOK through our stock of Boys' Suits.—SWIFTS.

EASTER

When in the starry gloom
They sought the Lord Christ's tomb,
Two angels stood in sight
All dressed in burning white
Who unto the women said:
"Why seek ye the living among the dead?"
The Lord is risen indeed,
He is here for your love, for your need—
Not in the grave nor the sky,
But here where men live and die;
And true the word that was said:
"Why seek ye the living among the dead?"

Wherever are tears and sighs,
Wherever are children's eyes,
Where man calls man his brother,
And loves as himself another
Christ lives! The angels said:
"Why seek ye the living among the dead?"

—Richard Watson Gilder.

The Armory Progress Club Reception

Between five and six hundred people were present at the public reception, given in the Armory on Tuesday evening by the Armory Progress Club. The object of the gathering was to hear the program of entertainment provided by the Club, the principal feature of which was an address by Mr. Neil McDougall, Inspector of Public Schools for East Lambton, who was the guest of the club for the evening.

Mr. McDougall's theme was "Democracy and Its Fertilis," and he handled it in a manner that showed deep study of the proud position of government by the people as we have it at the present time. He also gave a word of warning of the perils of democracy, such as failure to secure proper men to lead and represent the people, and also that after having won all the liberty desired the tendency to rest on their laurels, which was detrimental to the cause.—To keep the liberty attained would require eternal vigilance. The speaker received a very attentive hearing and was warmly applauded at the close of his address.

Lt.-Col. Kelly, president of the Progress Club, presided. The Armory Orchestra gave a plentiful supply of excellent music, and the Watford Choral Society, under the efficient leadership of Mr. Martin Davies, rendered "The War Song of the Druids" from the opera of Norma, and "Haste to the Hills" by Rossini, in excellent style. This was the first appearance of the Choral Society in public and they acquitted themselves very creditably. At the close of the public reception luncheon was served to the members of the Club and their guest, and an hour passed pleasantly in the usual way of such gatherings.

It is expected that another reception will be held on Monday, April 20th, when the guest of the evening will be the Rev. Arthur Carlisle, of Windsor, a speaker of considerable note and ability.

PERSONAL.

D. C. Thom returned to his home in Winnipeg this week.

Frank Reid, Sarnia, was the guest of Mr. Jos. Keller, Friday.

Miss Hazel Lindsay, of Calgary, is spending Easter with Miss Vera Swift.

Rev. S. P. Irwin preached in St. John's church, Wyoming, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. F. J. Hughes left on Monday for Toledo, Ohio, to visit her aunt, who is very sick.

Mrs. Wm. Stonehouse, Port Lambton, spent the week end at Mrs. Wm. Mitchell's Front Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Doan returned from an extended visit to their son Rev. A. E. Doan of Luton Ont.

R. H. Trenouth and G. H. Patterson left for Lethbridge this week, and K. J. McEachern for Edmonton.

Rev. W. Connolly and daughter left for Brockville, on Tuesday, to visit relatives in his old home town.

Mr. Gordon Richardson, who has been with P. Kersey for the past two months, left for his home in Mt. Brydges on Wednesday.

Mr. Sid Brown returned from New Ontario last week and spent Sunday in Watford before going to Petrolia where he has purchased a barber business.

Mr. Clark, a special feature writer on the London Advertiser, was here on Wednesday. It is the intention of that paper to give Watford and the surrounding country a special write up in a Saturday issue in the near future.

Hockey Benefit Concert

The O. H. A. team being faced by a deficit after the season's games will give a concert in the Lyceum on Wednesday next, April 15th. The talent engaged for this concert embraces Harry Bennett, the famous singing comedian and character impersonator, Miss Jean Anderson Thirde, the talented soprano, and Mr. George Neil, the great Scottish tenor. The first part of the program will consist of comic and sentimental songs and duets followed by a most laughable sketch entitled "Tam o' Shanter and Souter Johnny." The admission has been placed at 25c. with reserved seats at 35c. The entertainment throughout will be first class. Let all who can attend, and help the hockey boys out of their financial difficulty.

Easter at Trinity Church

On Easter morning Holy Communion will be administered at 8 a. m. and 9.15 a. m. At the latter service the following music will be given by the choir:—
Processional—Hymn 171.
Anthem—"Why Seek Ye the Living?"

..... Cooke
Kyrie..... Mendelssohn
Gloria in Excelsis..... Plummer

In the evening at 7 o'clock there will be the usual Easter service and sermon by the rector, with the following music:—
Processional—Hymn 157.
Anthem—"Why Seek Ye"..... Simper
Magnificat..... Newby
Nunc Dimittis..... Klitz
Gloria—Gregorian
Offertory Anthem—"I will praise the name of God"..... Simper
Recessional—Hymn 592.

The Easter vestry meeting will be held in the school room on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

HIGH SCHOOL EXAMS

HISTORY—GREEK
V. Auld 82, O. Oakes 79, G. Mead 72, W. Bruce 68, J. McKercher 68, E. McCormick 77, A. Leggate 65, L. McPhedran 60, M. Hagle 57, B. Ramsay 50, J. Rogers 67, S. Pressey 51, E. Hicks 35, G. Crawford 33, L. Harper 25.

FORM IV—PHYSICS
K. Anderson 66, R. Leach 64, D. Wordsworth 60, C. Dolbear 50, M. Logan 50, H. Leach 49, C. Sullivan 45, O. Macdock 38.

FORM IV—CHEMISTRY
B. Currie 84, A. McDonald 82, D. Tanner 78, L. Fuller 74, B. Lucas 61.

FORM III—PHYSICS
A. Leggate 64, O. Oakes 62, E. McCormick 61, W. Bruce 55, B. Ramsay 50, V. Auld 47, C. Mathews 47, G. Mead 46, M. McManus 45, S. Pressey 45, G. Crawford 43, J. McKercher 42, J. Rogers 39, F. Hick 29, L. McPhedran 24, R. Brown 20, E. Hicks 15.

PHYSICS—FORM II.—G. Callaghan 79, F. Smith 79, B. Forbes 78, N. Kelly 78, M. Currie 77, Margaret Forster 76, J. Cameron 76, W. Harper 74, A. Hobbs 70, R. Wilson 70, S. Williamson 68, A. Harper 68, T. McCormick 67, J. McPhedran 66, G. Mead 65, B. Cook 65, J. Fitzgerald 65, C. McManus 64, E. Annett 59, T. Brunt 58, M. Barnes 59, Murray Forster 58, C. Cook 58, M. MacLachlan 58, F. MacDonald 57, C. Leach 56, E. Squire 56, Marie Roche 53, R. Luckham 52, A. McPhedran 52, W. Swift 50, W. James 47, A. Mitchell 46, S. McCausland 46, G. Ramsay 42, L. Blain 42, M. O'Meara 39, E. Prentiss 38, J. Gavigan 34, T. Roche 31, A. Barnes 31.

FORM II.—GEOMETRY.
E. Squire 90, M. Forster 84, J. Cameron 83, M. Currie 83, E. Annett 80, A. Hobbs 75, N. Kelly 75, T. Roche 75, A. Harper 72, G. Callaghan 71, R. Luckham 69, J. Fitzgerald 69, S. Williamson 69, M. Barnes 68, F. MacDonald 66, A. McPhedran 66, B. Cook 65, J. McPhedran 64, C. Leach 63, W. Swift 62, F. Smith 61, T. McCormick 60, C. McManus 60, Murray Forster 57, S. McCausland 56, J. Gavigan 54, G. Ramsay 53, M. O'Meara 52, B. Forbes 50.

FORM I—PHYSICS
F. Waddell 82, C. Fitzgerald 82, E. Cowan 81, E. Acton 79, R. Thompson 73, S. Cran 69, C. Phelps 67, V. Acton 66, A. Moffatt 65, L. Rankin 63, H. Zavitz 63, C. Kadey 60, L. Cook 60, B. Lucas 60, E. Thorne 59, V. Johnston 57, E. James 51, C. Cook 48, J. Willis 46, F. McCugan 38, R. Freer 36, A. Leacock 32, L. Higgins 32, G. Dowling 32, E. Fowler 28, C. Roche 10.

FORM I—SPELLING
E. Acton 92, L. Cook 92, R. Thompson 92, V. Dadds 92, L. Higgins 92, E. Fowler 92, E. Cowan 88, C. Phelps 85, V. Acton 88, L. Willis 88, V. Johnston 88, B. Lucas 84, F. McCugan 84, E. James 84, C. Cook 80, F. Wiley 80, C. Roche 80, C. Kadey 76, A. Leacock 76, E. Thorne 76, H. Taylor 76, L. Rankin 76, F. Waddell 76, E. Humphries 72, S. Cran 68, A. Moffatt 64, G. Dowling 64, R. Freer 64, H. Zavitz 60.

Tancred postoffice has been closed.
Ailsa Craig has a museum in the public school.

An amateur dramatic club is being organized in Forest.

Florence has a Board of Trade. Isaaq Unaworth is president.

A handsome brass pulpit has been placed in Grace Church, Bothwell.