

ARKONA

New Years visitors in town:

Mr. Harold Johnson of Windsor, with friends in town.

Mr. Ivan Crawford of London, at his home here.

Miss Ella Copeland of London, guest of Miss Margaret Fuller.

Mr. P. Blackburn, of Sarnia, with friends in town.

Miss M. Bates of Toronto, at her home on 2nd con.

I set of light bob-sleighs for sale. Bargain. -BROWN BROS.

Miss A. Augustine left on Monday for Newbury where she has secured a position on the high school staff.

Miss Irene Dickinson is spending a few days with friends in Detroit.

Lieut. Williams has been transferred to Forest, Lieut. Kress of that place taking his position here.

Mr. Will Clark sold four International gasoline engines last week. Bill says, "just as easy as selling Ford cars."

Miss Maude Fair of Toronto spent the Xmas vacation at her home here.

Frozen fresh white fish, trout, halibut and herring. -BROWN BROS.

Arkona Company, 149th Overseas Battalion will worship at the Presbyterian church on Sunday at 3 p.m. Mr. Lawrence Grogan will sing a solo.

The regular meeting of the W. I. will be held at the home of Mrs. H. Smith on Saturday, Jan. 8th at 3 p.m. A paper will be given by Miss M. Brown and a chorus by the unmarried ladies of the Institute. Everybody welcome.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Bearss, on Saturday, January 1st, at 5 p.m., Miss Addie Bell, their only daughter, was married to Norman J. Curtz, of Bosanquet. Rev. H. J. Fair officiated. They will reside in their new home in Bosanquet.

Report of Junior Room, Arkona Public School, for November and December. Names in order of merit.

II Class: Peter McNaughton, Elsie Weidmark, Vera Stephenson, Harold Wilson, Harry Richter, Clara Smith.

Pl. II Class: Charlie Johnson, Niven Watts, Florence White, Willie Johnson, Arnold Lucas, Ema Smith, Charley Baynes, Howard Meadows, Franklin Martin, Willie Baldwin, Daniel Purdy, Jack Thoman.

Sr. I Class: Doris Huffman, Doris Kemp, Rhea Wilcocks, Anna Morningstar, Marvin Eastman, Paul Hostetter.

Jr. I Class: Clare Hume, Muriel Langgan, James Johnson, (Vera Johnston, Laurence Austin) equal, Roy Smith, Helen Purdy, Beulah Meadows, Carl Wilson, Herman Holmes, Eveline Johnson, Leatha Smith, Willie Woollett, Ruth Purdy, Willie Farbar, Ralph Butler.

M. FULLER, Teacher.

149th Honor Roll

Watford Recruits

The following list is furnished by the acting Press Correspondent of the Battalion.

Sergt. R. D. Swift
Sergt. W. D. Lamb
Corp. W. M. Bruce
Pte. J. C. Anderson
Pte. A. Banks
Pte. F. Collins
Pte. A. Dempsey
Pte. E. A. Dadds
Pte. J. R. Garrett
Pte. H. Jamieson
Pte. G. Lawrence
Pte. R. J. Lawrence
Pte. C. F. Lang
Pte. W. C. McKinnon
Pte. H. Murphy
Pte. W. C. Pearce
Pte. W. Restorick
Pte. T. E. Stilwell
Pte. R. Watson
Pte. A. H. Lewis
Pte. G. A. Parker
Pte. C. F. Roche
Pte. A. W. Stilwell
Pte. W. J. Saunders
Pte. A. I. Small
Sergt. W. H. Smyth
Pte. A. Armond
Pte. W. C. Aylesworth
Pte. J. Menzies
Pte. R. Clark
Pte. J. Shaw
Pte. S. McClung
Pte. J. McClung
Pte. S. H. Hawkins
Pte. S. Dadds
Pte. H. Cooper
Pte. C. Atchison

Monday was a red letter day in recruiting at this point, no less than seven men being signed up for overseas service with Lambton's 149th. Arkona also is doing good work, twenty-six men having been signed on up to Tuesday of this week.

To the Electors of Warwick

Kindly accept my thanks for the liberal support you gave me at the polls on Monday last.

F. KENWARD.

Card Of Thanks

Watford, Jan. 5, 1916.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

Allow me to convey to you my sincere thanks for the honor you conferred on me by electing me to a seat at the Council Board for 1916.

Respectfully yours,
JOSHUA SAUNDERS

Card of Thanks

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARWICK:

I wish to thank the ratepayers of Warwick for re-electing me Deputy Reeve by such a handsome majority. It will be my endeavor to continue to look after your interests to the best of my ability.

ARTHUR HOBBS.

MARKETS

WATFORD

GRAIN AND SEEDS—

Wheat, fall, per bush	\$1 00 @ \$1 00
Oats, per bush	30 34
Barley, per bush	45 48
Beans, per bush	2 50 3 50
Timothy	3 50 3 75
Clover Seed	9 50 12 00
Alsike	10 00 10 00

PROVISIONS—

Butter, per pound	28 28
Lard	18 18
Eggs, per doz	32 32
Pork	10 00 11 50
Flour, per cwt	2 50 3 35
Brar, per ton	25 00 25 00
Shorts, per ton	26 00 26 00

MISCELLANEOUS—

Wood	2 00 2 75
Tallow	6 6 6
Hides	12 12
Wool	24 30
Hay, per ton	11 00 13 00

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—

Potatoes, per bag	1 25 1 35
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POULTRY—

Turkeys, dressed	18 21
Turkeys, per lb.	15 17
Chickens, per lb.	10 12
Pow	7 10
Ducks	11 12
Geese	9 10

LONDON

Wheat	89 to \$1 00
Oats, cwt.	1 15 to 1 20
Butter	30 to 31
Eggs	34 to 38
Pork	11 50 to 12 00

TORONTO

Toronto, Jan. 4.—With very light runs of all kinds of stock to-day there was slightly more life and snap to business to-day than was the case yesterday and prices, while steady, were certainly not any easier. The average quality of cattle offering was not so good as yesterday, choice butchers being scarce. There is a moderate inquiry for a few stockers and feeders at the easier prices now going in this class. Light sheep and lambs were strong and higher, several lots of lambs selling up to \$11.25 and a few light butcher sheep at \$8.

Hogs, with a light run, were stronger though it is said that prospects are for lower prices.

Receipts at the Union stockyards to-day were 1,135 cattle, 134 calves, 479 hogs and 279 sheep and lambs.

To-day's quotations:

Butcher steers, choice	7 00 to 7 25
do., good	6 50 to 7 00
do., medium	6 40 to 6 65
do., common	5 50 to 6 00
Heifers, good to choice	7 00 to 7 25
do., medium	6 50 to 6 75
do., common	6 00 to 6 50
Butcher cows, choice	5 00 to 6 50
do., good	4 50 to 4 75
do., common	4 50 to 4 75
Butcher bulls, choice	6 00 to 7 00
do., good	5 50 to 6 00
do., medium	5 00 to 5 50
Feeders	6 40 to 6 50
do., bulls	4 50 to 5 50
Stockers	6 00 to 6 25
do., medium	5 75 to 6 00
do., light	5 00 to 5 50
Canners	3 00 to 3 40
Cutters	4 25 to 4 50
Milkers, choice, each	60 00 to 85 00
Springers, each	60 00 to 85 00
Calves, veal	9 00 to 10 00
do., medium	7 00 to 8 00
do., common	5 50 to 6 00
Yearling lambs	7 00 to 8 00
Culled lambs	7 00 to 7 25
Spring lambs	9 50 to 11 25
Ewes, light	6 25 to 8 00
Sheep, heavy and bucks	5 00 to 5 50
Hogs fed and watered	9 25 to 9 35
do., f. o. b.	8 65 to 8 75

East Buffalo.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 300 head; active and firm.

Veals—Receipts, 150 head; active and steady at \$4 to \$12. Hogs—Receipts, 8,000 head; active and steady; heavy and mixed, \$7.25 to \$7.30; yorkers, \$7 to \$7.25; pigs, \$7; roughs, \$6.15 to \$6.25; stags, \$4.50 to \$5.25. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,000 head; active; prices unchanged.

Death of T. H. Clark

(From the Portage la Prairie newspaper)

Following a short illness, the death occurred on Friday evening last, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. T. W. Prout, 64 Fourth street S. E., of Thomas Howes Clark, aged 82 years.

The deceased was born in Yorkshire, England, and in early life moved to Ontario and settled in the town of Watford, where he resided up to about one month ago, when he came west to spend Christmas with relatives in the city. Shortly after his arrival here he was stricken with a paralytic stroke, which caused death. He is survived by a sorrowing wife and a family of five daughters and four sons, they being: Mrs. T. W. Prout and Mrs. N. Wismer, of this city; Mrs. Wm. Collier, of Souris; Mrs. T. Collier, of Vancouver; and Mrs. G. Denham, of Gilbert Plains. The sons are Wesley, of Vancouver; Silas, of Edmonton; Albert, of Allan, Sask.; and Ira, of Seattle, Washington.

The funeral was held this morning from the residence of Thomas Prout to Hillside cemetery. The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. M. C. Platt.

School Reports

Report of S. S. No. 17 Warwick for December, percentage given:

Class IV, Jr.: Clarence Fleming, 80; Ellis Gregory, 73; Andrew Walsh, 71.

Class III.: Clarence Walsh, 84; Josephine Carroll, 63; Charlie Brayford, 62; Neil Gregory, 51; Howard Smith, 47.

Class II.: Florence Dean, 66.

Class I.: Beatrice Walsh, 78.

Primary: Kenneth Laird.

GLADYS SHRAPNELL, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 10, Warwick, for month of December. Names in order of merit. Class IV.—Arthur Miniely, Basil

Watson, Linda McIntosh, Class III.—Sr.—Russell Parker, Jr.—Franklin Adams, Willie Miniely, Alma McGillcuddy, Kenneth Cates, Harold Cates, Mary Williams, Zelma Conkey. Class II.—Gordon Adams, Ina McIntosh, Mac Wiley. Pt. II.—Sr.—(Elsie Miniely, Sarah Williams) equal. Jr.—Keith Howden. Pt. I.—Ivan Parker, Gordon Miniely, Fred McIntosh. Primer.—Harold Howden, (Dorothea Cates, Martha Williams) equal.—MARY MANSFIELD, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 11, Warwick, for the month of December. Names in order of merit.

Class IV. Elsie Fuller, Mary Gault, Susie Westgate, Beatrice Edwards, Florence Edwards, Albert Jarriott, Lily Jarriott, Mary Tanner.

Class III. Hazel Reycraft, Gladys Parker, Vera Edwards, Winnie Fuller, Mervyl Fuller, Elgin Cooper, Fred Tanner, Frank Edwards.

Class II. Thelma Ward, Leila Westgate, Eva Tanner, No. on the roll, 19.

Average attendance, 19.

S. M. LOGAN, teacher.

School report for December, S. S. No. 8, Warwick.

Sr. IV Class: Winnifred Muma, Willie Boyd.

Jr. IV: Clare Dunlop.

Sr. III: Arthur Percy, Shirley Benedict, Mildred Benedict.

Jr. III: Winnifred Eastman, Angeline Percy, Joe Percy, Beatrice Thompson, Bertram Evans, (Joe Dunlop, Irene Eastman) equal, Greta Muma.

II Class: Edna Dunlop, Gertie Thompson, Clifford Sitter, Ellwood Benedict, Olive Dunlop, Ethel Dunham, John Codman.

Sr. I Class: Edgar Sitter, Olive Boyd, (Cecil Dunham, Wilbert Eastman) equal, (Gordon Dunlop, Harold Evans) equal.

Primer Class: Harold Dunlop, Vera Fitzimmons, Stewart Cadman.

OLIVE A. OAKES, Teacher

BORN.

On Thursday, Dec. 30th to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brerton, 2nd line, Plympton a daughter.

In Bosanquet, 2nd con., on Dec. 27th, to Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Brebner, a daughter.—Blanche Bernice.

MARRIED.

On December 29th 1915, at the home of the bride's parents, Warwick township, by the Rev. W. Murton Shore, Lewis James Shepherd, of Strathroy, to Margaret L. Bryson.

At Manse, Wyoming, on Dec. 22nd, by Rev. J. A. Ross, B. A., Mr. Archibald Edward Park, son of Mr. Robt. Park, 2nd line, Plympton, to Miss Gertrude Marion Hendy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hendy townline.

At the Parsonage, Forest, on Tuesday, Dec. 21st, 1915, by Rev. A. E. Moorehouse, Mr. Finton A. Carson, of Pittsburg, Pa., to Gertrude, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dunham, of Plympton.

At the home of the bride's mother, on Thursday, Dec. 16, 1915, by the Rev. H. Williams, Mr. Jas. Houghton, to Joan, daughter of Mrs. John McIntyre, all of Plympton.

At the home of the bride's parents, Centre Street, Strathroy, on Monday, December 20, 1915, by the Rev. Mr. Shaver, of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Estelle Edna Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hill, to John Sutherland McIntyre, of Maple Creek, Sask.

On Monday, Dec. 27th, 1915, at the Methodist parsonage by the Rev. J. A. Aitken, Russel Muxlow of Biggar, Sask., to Miss Zella Sarah Routley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Routley, of Watford.

DIED.

In Plympton, on Tuesday, Dec. 21st, 1915, Mr. Thomas Sparling, aged 86 years, 1 month and 20 days.

At Consort, Alta., on Dec. 21st, Mrs. Sophia Guilfoyle, widow of the late Henry Guilfoyle, of Metcalfe, aged 70 years.

In Petrolia, on Saturday, January 1st, 1916, Susanna Campbell, relict of the late Lieut.-Col. Campbell, in her 83rd year.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Anna Maria, beloved wife of C. R. Williams, who died one year ago to-day, Jan. 7th.

Gone but not forgotten.

FATHER, SONS AND DAUGHTER.

Shepherd—Bryson

A pretty home wedding was solemnized at high noon, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Bryson, Warwick, when their only daughter, Margaret Lavinia, was united in holy wedlock to Lewis James Shepherd of Strathroy. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. Murton Shore, rector of St. Paul's church. The bride entered the parlor, leaning on the arm of her father, to the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march, which was played by Miss Irene Matthews of Strathroy, cousin of the bride. The bride looked very charming in a gown of cream silk embroidered net, over pink silk chiffon artistically designed with pearl and rose trimmings, she wore the original veil, and carried a shower bouquet of roses and lily of the valley. Miss Alice Venning, cousin of the groom, acted as bridesmaid, and was attired in old rose brocade silk trimmed with ecru lace and carried pink and white carnations. Little Iona Everett, cousin of the bride acted as flower girl and looked very charming in pale blue silk, carrying a basket of carnations and lily of the valley. Mr. Asahel Bryson brother of the bride acted as best man. After the ceremony a dainty dinner was

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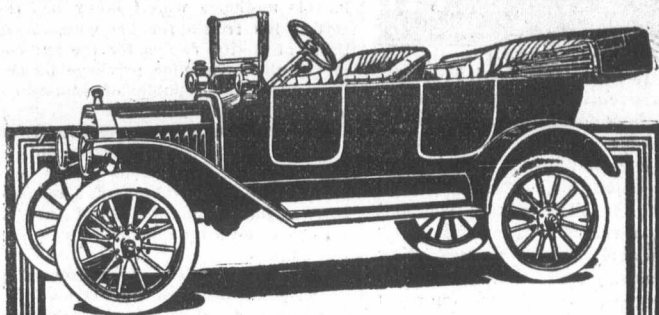
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FULL SAIL AND OPEN SEA—

We are headed for a big business this year and there is nothing standing in the way of us reaching our destination.

THE REASON IS—

We have the goods to offer at prices that cannot be touched.

Watford Planing Mills

Established 1870 Geo. Chambers

served to the guests.

The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome pearl necklace, to the bride's maid a chain and pendant, to the pianist a gold brooch set with pearls, to the flower girl a chain and pendant and to the best man a pearl tie pin. The groom's father's gift to the bride was a cheque for \$100. The gifts which were many and beautiful show the high esteem in which the young couple are held.

Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd left on the 5 o'clock train for points east. They will be at home to their friends at "Donneybrook Farm" Adelaide, after February 1st.

Clubb—Roane

A quiet but pretty wedding took place on Wednesday, December 29th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Roane, Brooke, when their younger daughter Mary Ethyle became the bride of John R. Clubb, of Petrolia.

Promptly at twelve o'clock the bridal party took their place under an arch of bridal bells, while Miss Annie Clubb, of Bridgen, played the wedding march.

The Rev. J. A. Snell performed the ceremony in the presence of only the immediate relatives of the bride and groom.

The bride was becomingly attired in pearl grey faille silk trimmed with shadow lace and pearls and carried a bouquet of white roses.

After a dainty wedding dinner, the happy couple left mid showers of rice and confetti, for London and Geneva, N. Y., the bride travelling in Belgium blue and black hat trimmed with white plume.

On their return they will take up their residence in Petrolia.

Farm Seed Supplies

Field and garden seed supplies are practically assured for the 1916 planting.

There is a scarcity in American grown crops including beans, onions, and to a lesser extent sweet corn. Amongst the imported stocks, swede turnips are rather short, also spinach and salsify and some varieties of carrots. Red Clover and Alfalfa are unusually short and show an advance in price from 30 to 75 per cent.

Other kinds that might be used as a clover substitute, as alsike, are higher in price than the supply would otherwise warrant.

Well-established Canadian seed houses with contracts made two or three years in advance will have no serious trouble this season in taking care of their regular trade. Seed merchants, who depend from year to year on the surplus stocks that may be offered, may have less assurance as to the character of their supplies.

John Mavity, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mavity, Sarnia, has enlisted with the British Army Transport service. He expects to leave for overseas service before the end of January.

A sad drowning accident occurred about one mile from Bridgen at 9 o'clock Monday night, when Jack Armstrong, aged 14, son of A. D. Armstrong, senior member of the firm of J. Armstrong Company, of Bridgen, with a party of young people skating on Bear Creek, went through the ice and immediately disappeared.