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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Hogs \$10.50 this week.
A shipment of House Dresses and Large Bungalow Aprons, 79 and 98 cents.—Swift's.

"Accepting a position" has gone out of fashion, and "hunting a job" has come in.

It isn't possible for mother to cut down her skirts for her little daughter any more.

The Chautauqua committee, after paying all expenses, have a surplus of over \$100 on hand.

Let the Guide-Advocate know of your summer visitors or where you are going for your vacation.

S. Stapleford & Son's wholesale produce warehouse has been brightened up with a coat of paint.

There's many a woman expects her husband to be an angel and to work like the devil all the time.

Rev. A. Jones will preach in the Watford Baptist church next Sunday, July 24th, at 7 p.m. All welcome.

After August 1st municipal clerks must make a monthly report of all fires to the Department of Insurance at Ottawa.

Harry Restorick lost a valuable horse by lightning on Thursday night. It was in a pasture field at Warwick when struck.

Trinity church Sunday School picked at Bright's Grove on Wednesday afternoon. The children report a fine time.

The baseball game Monday night between Forest and Watford was won by the local nine. Score 13-9. A good crowd witnessed the game.

Rev. W. J. Ford, Methodist minister here a few years ago, died at the home of his brother in Goderich on Monday. He was in his 76th year.

Good job there is no truth in the old St. Swithin prophecy or there would be no more rain this summer. The 15th was one of the nicest days this season.

"Did you ever ask God to make you a better boy?" enquired the fond mother, and the lad replied—"Yes, and I put in a word for you and daddy too."

Mr. Roy Dodds of Sarnia has opened up a tinsmith business in McLeod's hardware store at Ailsa Craig and moved his family to that village a couple of weeks ago.

It is a pretty hard job for a person to disguise their handwriting when inditing an anonymous letter, however true the sentiments therein expressed may be. Don't try.

The new lawn bowling green is the popular loafing place these warm evenings. With three rinks in action and a good crowd of spectators the green makes an attractive scene.

After September 1st, the Clerk of the Municipality is the only official who will be permitted to issue marriage licenses. \$4 of the fee goes to the government and \$1.00 to the clerk.

At a special meeting of the Board of Education held on Monday evening Mr. H. A. Case was engaged as assistant teacher in the High School to fill the position held by Mr. Ballantyne.

The lady in the song who "stopped to powder her nose, sir stopped to powder her nose," is no longer up-to-date. Now the dear creatures may be seen deftly dabbing it on as they walk the streets.

All the cities and a number of smaller places in Ontario will celebrate Emancipation Day this year—not because our colored citizens keep that day but because it is the recognized Civic Holiday.

The following is a popular menu for picnics:

- Lettuce sandwiches.
- Ants.
- Hard-boiled eggs.
- Mosquitoes.
- Lettuce sandwiches.
- Grasshoppers.
- Pickled beets.
- Spiders.
- Lemonade.
- Sand flies.
- Lettuce sandwiches.
- Ants.

Special New Prices on Black Silks.—Swift's.

The new Canadian five cent piece is not to be issued until next year. Revised to match the weather—"Man wants but little on here below."

Mrs. Lee is much improved in health, her niece Mrs. Seekins of Regina is at present attending her.

Among the wondrous sights I've seen, Was a setting sun, and in between A flapper dressed in crepe-de-chene.

At the 66th annual meeting of Grand Lodge of Ontario, A.F. & A.M., held in Ottawa this week, W. R. Dawson, of Inwood, was elected D. G. M. for St. Clair District No. 2.

The prices of Work Shirts and Overalls have struck bottom.—Swift's.

Probably the persons who experienced the most inconvenience during the recent hot spell were the housekeepers as the men folks generally expect a good substantial meal no matter how hot the day is.

Mrs. Patsy: "An' d'yer think doctor as me husbin' will pull through his illness?" Irish doctor: "O! cannot say, Missus Patsy, but if he can pull through the next two hours, he ought to be able to hold out for the rest of his life."

When girls appear in some offices now with drug-store complexions, their employers tell them to go home and wash their faces. The standard efficiency among women in the business world is steadily increasing. The employers want to keep it so.

Special Price in Suits to order at Swift's.

A meeting of all parties interested in the erection of a skating rink will be held in the Library basement on Friday evening, July 22nd, at 8 o'clock. It is hoped that there will be a good attendance as it is necessary to proceed with the erection soon in order to have the building in good shape before the cold weather.

The Congregational and Presbyterian churches will hold united services for the next four Sundays. The services for the last two Sundays in July will be taken by Rev. H. V. Workman of the Presbyterian church and the first two in August by Rev. T. D. Rayner. The service on Sunday morning, July 24th, will be in the Presbyterian church and in the evening in the Congregational church.

A Watford citizen lost a valuable Persian kitten on Monday. Going to the Guide-Advocate office to advertise for it he discovered kitty waiting for him on the front step. The owner claims that not being able to find its way home the kitty knew that the printing office advertised for lost and strayed articles or animals and its home would this way be found. During its 24 hour stay at this office it lived on paste and printing ink and seemed quite satisfied with the diet.

Watford Methodism was well represented at "Alma" Summer School this year, held from July 11 to July 18th. Among the many names on the roll are the following from Watford circuit. Misses Winnifred Fuller, Harriet Young, Lela Fuller, Florence E. Edwards, Wynne Harper, Ila Cook, Mrs. C. Fuller and Mr. Edwin Young. Among those who registered for the week end only are the names of Miss Mary Mansfield, Messrs Geo. Parker, Alex. Edwards and Russell Parker. The young people all report a very profitable and enjoyable time.

White Hosiery and Gloves and Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, open today.—Swift's.

During the severe storm on Sunday, 10th inst, the barn of Dan Ward on the 4th line, Adelaide, about a mile west of Strathroy, was struck by lightning and totally destroyed. The structure was of oak and one of the oldest in that section of the country, and was erected about 80 years ago. The contents, all of which was lost, comprised the season's hay crop, a thoroughbred bull, two calves and a quantity of last year's grain.

Try Guide-Advocate Want ads.

R. D. Swift was in Detroit this week.

Miss Beatrice Cook is spending her holidays in Detroit.

Mr. Reg. Brown returned from a trip to Ottawa Sunday.

Miss McColl, Ottawa, is the guest of Mrs. W. J. Howden.

Mr. W. C. Caldwell, Morrisburg, spent Sunday at Mr. A. G. Brown's.

Mrs. Davidson and daughter are spending a week with friends in Arkona.

Mrs. R. S. Kelly and family are summering with relatives at Imperial, Alberta.

Miss Bertha Oakes returned on Monday after a two weeks visit with friends in Inwood.

Miss Aura Harrison, Petrolia, spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. W. C. Aylesworth.

Mrs. Beven, who has just returned from a trip to India, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. G. Brown.

Miss Harriet Cook who has been spending her holidays at home returned to Detroit on Saturday.

Dr. A. W. Harper and wife, Flint, Mich., are visiting the doctor's brothers, Reeve and W. H. Harper.

Miss Grace Eddy, Sault Ste Marie, is spending a few weeks with her cousin, Miss Mary Mansfield, Front street.

W. E. Fitzgerald last Thursday afternoon attended the funeral of his cousin, William G. Fitzgerald at London.

Mrs. Armstrong, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Neil Bennett, left on Sunday for San Francisco where she will make her home in future with her son.

Miss Amy Minielly, London road, and Miss Audrey Hayward, Wyoming, are spending a few days at the home of Mrs. Chas. Hayward, St. Clair street.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Mansfield left on Wednesday of this week on a trip to the West. They will visit friends and relatives at Brandon, Dauphin, Regina, Lacombe and other places.

The Canadian Pacific will provide smoking compartments for women in its sleeping cars.

While passing over Fred W. Wright's pasture field, Colchester South on Sunday, Mrs. Wm. Martin was attacked by a cow which came up behind her and tossed her into the air with its horns. Mrs. Martin fell with such force that she broke her left arm.

The corn borer is again in evidence this year in Elgin. The government representative has been making investigation and finds that there will be several cases of the work of the insect to report before the season is over. Similar conditions have been found in Middlesex and a portion of Oxford. The moths are now on their wings and some of their eggs have been hatched.

Arthur Shaw met with a very painful accident a few miles west of Bridgen on Saturday while driving his traction threshing outfit across the railroad crossing. The steam gauge broke and the separator, while on the down grade, collided with the tractor, pinning him between the two machines and scalding him severely with the escaping steam. He was held in this position until other members of the threshing party could force the separator back and get him out. He is in a very critical condition.

David Allen Smith, a resident of Enniskillen township for twenty years died at his home on the 4th con. on Friday, July 8, after an illness extending over six years during which he had undergone four operations, two in Petrolia Hospital and two in St. Clair, Mich. Deceased was born in Brooke township on April 3, 1869, and in 1899 married Miss Emily Donald and moved to Enniskillen. His widow and two brothers, Sydney in Watford and John in the West survive. The funeral was held on Sunday, the Rev. Mr. Finlay of Oil City officiating.

HIGH SCHOOL ENTRANCE RESULTS IN EAST LAMBTON

PETROLIA, July 21.—Seventy-five per cent of the candidates in the high school entrance examinations in East Lambton were successful. Doris Kelly, 12 years of age, of Watford public school, passed first in the inspectorate. The examinations were written in six centers. The successful candidates are as follows, the names being in alphabetical order:

WATFORD
Ruby Atchison, Agnes Bryce, Loretta Bryce, Lena Bryce, Archie Cameron, Mary Connolly (honors), Roy Cooke, Dorothy Delmage (honors), Mary Edwards, Willie Ferguson, Edna Griffith, Sadie Harper, Carman Harper, Allan Heaton, Mabel Jackson, Charles Janes, Alma Johnston, Doris Kelly (honors), Gordon Kelly, Gilbert Kersey, George King, Jack Kinnell, Gordon Lester, John Lucas, Annie Main, Eleanor McIntosh, Donald McKecher, Margaret MacLean, Lorenzo MacLean, Charles Miller, John O'Neill, Muriel Parker, Ella Pearce (honors), Amelia Pyke, Burton Roberts (honors), Maxine Rogers (honors), Orville Shugg, Alice Sutton, Reta Stephenson, Eric Thompson, Oscar Westgate, Gordon Wilkinson, Gladys Zavitz.

ARKONA
Harold Campbell, Grant Evans, George Fuller, Frank Fuller, Elva Hall, Berton Hall, Gilbert Hall, William Johnston, Mildred MacPherson, Peter McNaughton, Kenneth MacPherson, Grace McColl, Clarence McColl, Edgar Sitter, Brock Thompson, Mary Turner, Harold Wilson.

ALVINSTON
Nettie Alderman, Norman Alderman, Florence Armstrong, Willie Benner, Charles Brown, Kenneth Campbell, Laura Campbell, Ruth Cooper, Wesley, Douglas, Irene Downing, Louis Gilroy, Jean Gray, Russell Hills, Gordon Lightfoot, Hugh Leitch, Gordon McGugan, Jean McIntyre, Lenora McCoubrey, Bessie Munroe (honors), Berthena Oke (honors), Alma Ross, Jack Stephenson, Keith Thompson, George Whitton.

FLORENCE
Alice Bailey, Alfred Beatty, Ila Bolton, Laura Craig, Annie Grose (honors), Alice Hannay (honors), Earl Hunter, Garnet Kelly, Cecil Kimball, Tena Leitch, Anna Little, Blanche Morningstar, Madalene Parking, Milton Powell (honors), Edna Patterson, Mildred Scarlett, Edress Smith, Harold Spearman, Grace Sinclair, Hazel Wray, Alton Woods.

OIL SPRINGS
Gordon Aldred, Delena Bass, Edna Bradley, Kenneth Cameron, Willie Cook, Isabel Clubb, Louis Dillon, Nellie Eagleson, Phyllis Eden, Jessie Fry, Llewellyn Griffin, Glen Hartley, Roy Hartley, Pearl Jaques, James Johnson, Jack Kay, Andy Mills, Gordon McAllister, Helen McDiarmid, Clifford McKegan, Stella McPhee, Jimmie O'Neill, Richard Park, Stewart Radford, Marie Sheppard, James Shortt, Pansy Smale, Laura Simpson (honors), Burton Tiffin, Margaret Thompson, Amelia Unsworth, Lloyd Warwick, Arthur Wilson.

PETROLEA
Rheta Alexander, Robt. Anderson, Ethel Baker, Bernard Bassett (honors), Ralph Bennett, Ernest Berdan, Ralph Boges, Rae Brain, Willie Bryant, Harold Cary, Lorraine Churchill, Harry Chalk, Beatrice Collins (honors), Levina Columbus, Randolph Corey, Jenn Core, Agnes Cowan, Madeline Dewar (honors), James Drope, Valeria Drope, Marion Ellis, Edna Ferguson, Alice Ferguson, Helen Goudie, Will Heaver, Clark Hillis, Roy Howlett (honors), Harold Howlett, John Isber, Hilda Kerr, Kathleen Kirkpatrick, Lucille Lawson, Leslie MacDonald, Wilfrid MacDonald, Marvin McNabb, Cameron McHattie (honors), Roy McLean, Flora McLeod, Marguerite McManus Isabel Mackey, Clifford Maitland, Orval Miller, Ada Mills, Phyllis Moore (honors), Margaret Pearson, Jack Pepper, Jean Porter, May Shaw, George Shaw, Victor Slack,

Douglas Steadman, Phyllis Stapleton, David Syer, Jean Tanton (honors), Edna Thompson, Vera Trott, Ivry Truan (honors), Blake Webb, Helen Wilson, Muriel Wolsey, Thomas Wynn (honors).

PETROLEA
The successful candidates in the junior public school graduation examinations in East Lambton are as follows:
Gordon Adams (honors), Perry Burr, Norine Bayton, Ella Craig, Florence Craig, Lizzie Coleman, Aubrey Dobbyn, Roland Dobbyn, Annie Davis, Keith Howden (honors), Ivan Kimball, Mabel Main (honors), Leoto McIntyre, Irene McAlpine, Beatrice Perry, Ada Stevens, Mac Wiley, Flossie Willis.

LOWER SCHOOL EXAMS. RESULTS
Lambton candidates named below have passed the Lower School examinations for entrance into the Normal Schools.
F. Austin, D. C. Allan, F. Anders, E. Anderson, E. M. Annett, E. M. Belton, C. A. Bell, D. A. Beatty, A. P. Brown, W. R. Botsford, R. A. I. Bruce, A. Clarke, M. Campbell, R. F. Carrigan, B. E. Churchill, G. H. Collins, V. A. Campbell, G. Cook, H. W. Crawford, I. H. Eastman, V. E. Ellis, J. M. Esson, D. B. Evans, J. A. Fuller, W. N. Fisher, R. Ferguson, M. W. Fletcher, D. Fowler, W. M. Fuller, M. V. Goode, L. T. Gordon, E. Gregory, V. L. Gregory, E. McK. Hartlon, A. M. Heaver, R. Hardick, E. C. Haney, C. C. Isber, M. M. Irwin, I. M. Johnston, V. M. Johnston, V. J. Jardine, M. I. Jones, J. W. Kerr, A. L. Kewley, A. B. Lithgow, R. A. Lithgow, I. Lampel, C. M. Letherland, E. V. Lucas, J. I. Lucas, J. McCallum, E. McKinlay, F. E. McPherson, L. M. McPherson, G. G. Murray, C. McPhedran, E. J. Marsh, N. B. McDonald, M. S. McLean, L. A. McMaster, E. E. Mackey, M. E. Matthews, H. R. Minielly, H. C. Monds, A. A. M. Manchester, Wm. L. Millman, A. E. Mills, G. G. Moore, C. W. J. Morris, J. V. Murphy, A. F. McGillicuddy, A. H. McKenzie, E. A. McKecher (honors), P. E. McGregor, V. E. Minielly, W. D. Minielly, L. O'Donnell (honors), F. O'Neill, C. J. Purves, D. Rogers, K. A. Richardson, W. G. Rawlings (honors), D. V. Reid (honors), K. Robinson, C. E. Shortt, R. M. Salisbury, H. L. Slater, M. E. Steward (honors), I. H. Smale, T. P. Steadman (honors), M. R. Stinson, J. N. Sutherland (honors), M. W. Sloane, F. T. J. Steadman, F. D. Thompson, T. Thompson, V. M. Thompson, G. Turnbull, S. M. Trenouth, H. Van Horne, A. Vollmer, C. C. Vollmer, A. Walker, A. Weed, M. A. Watson, E. Whyte, V. M. Wight, W. C. Winger, L. M. Warwick, F. M. Watson, J. C. Wellington, A. B. Wheatley, H. J. Woodmark (honors), R. G. Workman, B. M. Zavitz.

From the Watford High School Philena Rapson and Rhena Carroll missed one subject each.

BROOKE
Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Parker are down from the West visiting relatives here.
Mrs. F. E. Seekins, (nee Lizzie Coristine) and her daughter, Muriel are here from Regina visiting her brother, Dillon Coristine, and sister Mrs. A. Swan of Brooke.
On Sunday evening the 24th inst, a special evening service at 8 p.m. will be held in Chalmers church The Rev. Alex. McMillan D.D., Toronto will be the preacher. Dr. McMillan is secretary of the Committee on Praise in the Presbyterian church of Canada, and a foremost authority on hymnology.
Amherstburg council has adopted a by-law to collect a poll tax of \$5 from every male between 21 and 61 years of age, not otherwise assessed. Try Guide-Advocate "Wants."