

father who writes pretty compositions so that his boy may get the credit. Why not have a little boom of our own down this way ?

As a result of the action of the Goderich authorities, who are sending a deputation to Ottawa for the purpose of having the annual military camp made, a fixture at that place, the aldermen of London will take up the matter of urging London's claims. The camp was re-moved from London to Goderich owing to the fact that the former's training grounds provided insuffici-ent accomodation. However, Lon-doners are willing to purchase a tract of land near Springbank Park, which will be conveyed to the Government for the purpose of a training camp. for the purpose of a training camp.

I. O. F. Officers.

At the last regular meeting of the Independent Order of Foresters the fol-lowing officers were elected for the year 1912, viz :-

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V. C. R.-M. Moore.
R. S.-W. E. Fitzgerald.
F. S.-D. A. Maxwell.
Treasurer-J. A. E. Dowding.
Orator-Harvey Cook.
Organist-George Pike.
S. W.-E. A. Edwards.
I. W.-U. Weyne J. W.-J. Wynne. S. B.-ManIred Thompson. J. B.-C. E. Hollingsworth. Trustees-Robert Fleming and E. D Swift. Auditors-S. W. Louks and W. E

Fitzgerald.

Daughters of the Empire.

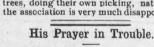
The January meeting of the Daughters of the Empire was held at the home of Mrs. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Lowry assisting hostess. There were eleven members and eight visitors present. The meeting opened in the usual way and after busi-ness and correspondence were dealt with the Chapter sang "The Maple Leaf." Mrs. Fitzgerald gave a splendid Scotch recitation; Miss Baird a fine piano solo, The Chapter sang "My Ain Countrie," part of the papers were reviewed and Miss Baird concluded the program by giving an excellent reading. Luncheon giving an excellent reading. Luncheon

Mrs. David Gray, of Sarnia, is laid up at her home with painful injuries as a result of falling from a Rrpid Railway car at Port Huron on Saturday evening. Mrs. Gray was descending from the car and fell backwards, sustaining injuries which will confine her to the house for some time. ome time.

The two-year-old son of Walter Gibson, of Lucan, will lose the sight of both eyes as the result of abscesses developing from as the result of abscesses developing from unknown cause. Physicians have prac-tically given up all hope of saving the little fellow's sight and are doing every-thing to relieve the terrible pain he is suffering. On Christmas night an accident oc-curred at Mr. E. Bailey's, Jericho, and serious consequences were everted only

by prompt action. Mr. Elijah Bailey, sr., had a coal oil stove burning in his room, averted only

Last fall a number of farmers living around Port Burwell formed an associa-tion to ship their apples to the old country. Altogether between two and three thousand barrels were shipped. Only the very choicest hand picked fruit was sent, the farmers doing the packing and furnishing the barrels. A few days ago the returns were received and one of the members of the association, a prom-inent farmer from that section, stated the other day that after expenses had been paid the fruit brought 52 cents a barrel, and as the barrels costs 47 cents each, ac-tually only five cents a barrel was realized on the apples. As buyers here were offer-ing \$1.25 and \$1.50 for the apples on the trees, doing their own picking, naturally the association is very much disappointed



Dear God, I need you awful bad; I don't know what to do. My papa's cross, my mama's sick, I hain't no fren' but You.

Them keerless angels went and brung 'Stid of the boy I ast, A weenchy, teenchy baby girl; I don't see how they dast.

And, God, I wish You'd take her back,

She's just as good as new; Won't no one know she's second hand, But ceptin' me and You. And' pick a boy, dear God, Yourself, The nicest in Your fold; But please don't choose him quite so

young, I'd like him five years old. S. M. TALEOT. Blankets, Comforters, Rugs, Underwear, Fur Caps, Heavy Smocks, Sheepskin Coats and Heavy Shirts at Sale Prices.

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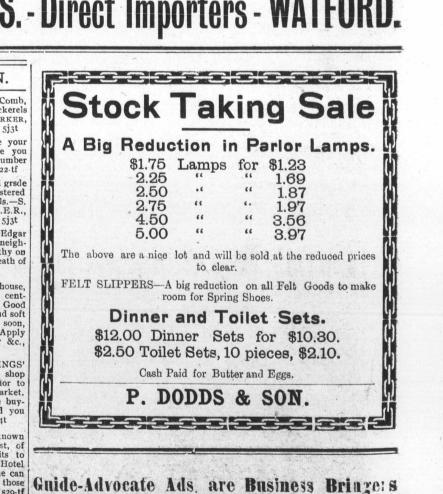
FOR SALE-Two young well bred grsde cows, in calf, two or three pair registered Lincoln ewes, and Shorthorn bulls.—S. W. EDWARDS, Lot 25, Con. 3, S.E.R., Warwick, Watford P.O. 5j3t

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Dr. Warner Cornell, the well-known ere, ear, nose and throat specialist, of Port Huron, will resume his visits to Watford, and will be at the Roche Hotel on Friday, January 26th, when he can be consulted on all diseases of those or gans. Glasses properly fitted, s29-tf



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