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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 LetterBox.

Boy's school caps, 15c.-Swifts'. DUCK shooters did not have much luck

Ir is nearly time to start your Christmas shopping.

REPORT of D. of E. meeting to hand too late for this issue. IPPERARY biscuits and cakes at

LOVELL'S. THERE were 22 cars of apples shipped from the Watford station this week.

THE Ontario Provincial Winter Fair will be held at Guelph from December oth to 10th.

Big reductions on all millinery .- A. ROWN & Co.

BUTTER 24c, eggs 24c, potatoes 50c, wheat \$1.05, oats 45c. All poultry has slumped.

SATURDAY was delightfully balmy and most people had doors and windows open all afternoon. THERE is no foundation for the report that Dr. Basil Harvey had been brutally

treated by Germans. SPECIAL blanket and comforter prices.

MR. W. J. TRENOUTH received a fine young deer sent him by one of his sons from New Ontario.

DID you see the transit of the planet Mercury across the sun's disk on Satur-

day morning at sunrise? Men's sheep lined coats, a leader at \$5.00, other values up to \$10.00. —A. Brown & Co.

SECOND-HAND clothing and bedding for the Belgians to be left at the armory. A parcel goes each week.

THE Ladies of Trinity church will hold their annual home-made baking sale on Saturday, Nov. 21st in the school room.

Boys' odd bloomer pants. Special price, 90c; all sizes.—Swifts'. WATFORD is to have movies twice a week. A new company, Messrs. Thomas & Pilling, will exhibit on Thursday & Pilling, will exhibit on mights, commencing next week.

KEEP Wednesday evening, November 25th free to go to the concert to be held in the Armory, in aid of the Belgian children. The program will be almost exclusively by the children of Watford.

WHEN asking for goods tell the mer-chant you noticed his ad. in the Guide-Advocate. It will please the merchant, it will do the Guide Advocate a fayor and you will feel the better for it yourself.

8 doz. men's ties, regular 50c. Clearing at 35c.—A Brown & Co. A LARGE percentage of the made from Bros. Minstrels forwarded to the Belgian Relief Fund. It would be a good idea to devote a per-centage of all concert receipts this winter

to patriotic purposes. COPPERS plated with silver are being wassed in Western Ontario and unless the arsed in Western Ontario and unless the unerchants and others look closely they are liable to be fooled. They ring true and look very much like a half dollar. Examine the "halves" you take in.

MEN's heavy tweed pants, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00.—Swifts' clothing sale.

THREE Mississippi judges, to encourage the cotton industry, have appeared on the bench in overalls. It is earnestly hoped that the silk industry will not suffer on account of the war, else their honors might be moved to appear in tights.

In a few weeks the municipal elections will be on. In the meantime aspirants will be getting their ammunition ready so that they can tell the electors on nomination night who is to blame for the high tax rate and the law suit. They will all promise a reduction in taxes if elected.

OUR ladies tailored to your measure garments are proving a great success— Let us show you the range.—A. Brown & Co.

THREE HUNDRED of the Canadian THRHE HUNDRED of the Canadian troops in England took part in the Lord Mayor's procession in London last Saturday. Six men were selected from each battalion. Lots were drawn for most of the men. Many of the officers and men went up to Loudon on leave of absence to see the sights, some of the Watford officers being among the number.

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Hon. Mr. DUFF states that the farmers of Ontario had responded to the call upon them for the increasing of the fall wheat acreage in the province. Fully 1,000,000 acres, which had hitherto been used as pasturage, had now been sown in wheat. The fall wheat acreage in Ontaric last year was 727,000 acres. The increase more than doubles the acreage.

Boys' suits at prices you have seldom

Boys' SUITS at prices you have seldom heard of.—SWIFTS' clothing sale.

A LIVE, healthy farmers' weekly newspaper is the Weekly Sun of Toronto. It is not owned by any "special interest", but takes a fearless and independent stand on all public matters, regardless of politics. It stands for the farming interests, and is in the thick of the fight. It has the prestige of an established personality. You should read it—every issue.

ANY suit in the window for a ten spot.

Fownes gloves at "before the war" prices—these are scarce goods—secure your supply early.—A. BROWN & Co. THE date for the High School Commencement Exercises has been decided on. It is Monday, Nov. 30. Bear it in

PICTURE SHOW in the Lyceum on Thursday next, Nov. 19th. Six reels. Admission 10 cents, children 5c. Thomas & Pilling, proprietors.

LADIES' flannelette gowns, 49c and 9c. Special value.—Swifts'.

THE dyster season will open this week, and we wish to say that we will handle only the best and have them fresh at all times.—Lovells'.

THE members of Trinity Church Wo-men's Guild will hold their annual sale of home-made baking, in the schoolroom on Saturday afternoon, Nov. 21st. 2t

THE Watford Chosen Friends, at their meeting on Tuesday evening, initiated several new members, after which lunch was served and a social time enjoyed by

CLUETT-Peabody shirts opened this week-a very special line at \$1.00.—A. Brown & Co. THERE was some very strong language used on the street Saturday between men discussing the trial, but the dove of

peace is now hovering over the warlike ones and will soon alight, and all will be lovely again. WINNIE JUSTINE beloved wife of Mr. W. E. Cowan, of Deloraine, Man., formerly of Brooke, died in the Winnipeg Hospital on Friday last. The funeral was held on Tuesday to Lisgar Cemetery,

Brampton, Ont. LADIES' NIFTY COATS, open to-day and Saturday. - Swifts.

Any person who refrains from eating at least one apple a day is a traitor to his country, his family, and himself. He only befriends the medical profession by his unwise abstinence. This is the opinion of the best authorities, and the experts.

ONLY once more will the war film be shown at the picture show, next Tuesday night. That will conclude the four weeks they will be shown. The war pictures next week will be of exceptional merit, the nearest to the front of any pictures yet out.

SPECIAL this week 10 doz. men's and boy's fur lined caps—regular price 60c and 75c, for 39c.—A. BROWN & Co.

A writer in the Farmers' Sun says:
On account of the war our stock of
mangel seed will be difficult to procure
next spring, and the year following. I
would strongly advise farmers to select a few medium size and well formed roots, and store in a cool place to plant for seed next spring. One root will produce on an average a quarter of a pound of seed. It is quite a simple process to raise sufficient for our own use.

GENT'S Irish Linen Handkerchiefs in dozen boxes. Any letter, order by fine goods-Swifts'. 75c the box.

MEXICAN money has been discovered in circulation and the public is warned against accepting any of it. The money is in the form of \$5 bills and bear a strong resemblance to Dominion notes. They are drawn on the Banco de Coahuhu and are the value of five pesos, which are equal to \$5, only that Mexican currency is depreciated by 50 per cent. Arrests have been made in Toronto of men who passed the money. It is thought that the bills tound their way into Canada with men returning from Mexico. So far as is known none of the notes have been passed here.

LADIES' suits, tunic skirts, regular \$20 for \$15.00, and \$15.00 for \$11.00.—Swifts'

MANY FRIENDS and acquaintances MANY FRIENDS and acquamnances were pained to hear of the death of Frances Taylor Stewart, daughter of Mrs. Alena Stewart and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ingram P. Taylor, which occurred at the residence of her grandparents, 94 Horton Street, London, or Monday morning of last week. She grandparents, 94 Horton Street, 1000051, on Monday morning of last week. She died after a week's illness of appendicitis, at the age of 8 years and 6 months. The funeral was private, interment being made at Chatham on Wednesday. Little Frances was well known in Watford. Frances was well known in Watford. She was an exceedingly bright child and her taking off is keenly felt by her relatives, who have the sympathy of all their acquaintances.

HAVE you seen those 40c. dress goods

at SWIFTS'. Cheap at 60 cents. PATRONS of the Watford branch of the Merchants Bank will shortly miss the courteous greeting of Manager Frank the courteous greeting of Manager Frank Kenward when doing business at the local branch, he having been superannuated by the management and retires with a comfortable allowance. Mr. Kenward has been with the Merchants since the branch was opened in Watford, that institution having bought out the private banking business of Thomas & Kenward many years ago. The affable Colonel. banking business of Thomas & Kenward many years ago. The affable Colonel has a very lerge circle of warm friends, and it is partly owing to his pleasant and genial disposition, extensive acquaintance in the district, and careful and painstaking business methods that the Bank has gained and retained many customers. That he may live many years to enjoy his retirement from active business is the hope of his numerous friends. The new manager is Mr. F. C. Smith, of Shawville, who will take charge in a few days.

SPECIAL sale of corsets, odd lines, half

#### Marwick-Clark

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A very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mrs. Mary Clark, Huron street, Watford, on Weduesday, Nov. 4th, 1914, when her daughter, Lettie May, was united in marriage to Mr. William Marwick, of the same place. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. Stevenson, pastor of the Congregational Church, in the presence of the immediate relatives. Promptly at six o'clock the bridal party entered the parlor to the strains of the bridal chorus, played by Miss Ruth Marwick, cousin of the groom. The bride, who was given away by her brother, Mr. Russell Clark, was daintily attired in white embroidered voile and carried a boquet of white chrysanthemums and ferns. After the usual congratulations had been received, the party repaired to the dining room where a dainty wedding dinner was served. The many beautiful and useful presents testify to the high esteem in which the young couple are held. After a short honeymoon trip to Detroit and other places Mr. and Mrs. Marwick will make their home in Watford. ome in Watford.

# BASKET BALL

#### Watford 10; Strathroy 3.

On Thursday last the Watford H. S. On Thursday last the Watford H. S. girls went to Strathroy to play a return game of basket-ball with the S.C.I. girls. The game was played in the gymnasium from 7.30 until 8.15, the result being a victory for the Watford girls, 10-3. Miss Allie Harper capably refereed the game. Although the playing on both sides was a little rough great interest was manifested in the game as was testified by the rooting done for both teams, Line-up:

Strathroy. Watford.

Strathroy. Watford Marie Roche
D, Wordsworth
Josephine Rogers
Meryol Logar
Jean Fitzgerald
Carrie Sullivar
ona Harper, Cap rwards. Centre.

# FUOTBALL

# Strathroy 3; Watford 0.

Strathroy Collegiate soccer 11 won from Watford high school at Strathroy on Thursday of last week by a score of

ı	3-0. The line-up	
		Strathroy.
	Brown	goal McCabe
1	Forster	backsPincombe
ļ	Ramsay	backsCampbell
ı	Trenouth	halvesAlthouse
	Robinson	halvesFonger
	McPhedran	forwardsSextor
	Cook	forwards Smith
	Trenouth	forwardsMcCabe
	Hicks	forwardsPatterson
	Forbes	forwardsGedde
	Referee-William	Inghman.

# Obituary

Mr. Robt. H. Wilson was born in County Derry, Ireland, on July 12th, 1842. In the year 1849 he came to Can-ada, where he made a home for himself. In politics he was a strong Conservative In politics he was a strong Conservative and was a life long member of the Presbyterian church. He was a devoted husband and father in his untiring efforts for the welfare of his family. Besides his wife he leaves one son, Thos. R., of Huron St., Watford, and one daughter Mrs. Albert H. Bryce, Warwick, and four grandchildren, also two sisters, Mrs. John Robinson, Sarnia, and Miss Annie Wilson. Strathroy, and two Mrs. John Robinson, Sarnia, and Miss Annie Wilson, Strathroy, and two brothers, John, of Strathroy and William of Sarnia. The funeral was held from his son's residence, Huron St. Watford, on Monday, Nov. 2nd, attended by a very large number of friends and relatives. The Rev. J. C. Forster assisted by the Rev. R. Stevenson conducted the services and the remains were interred in vices, and the remains were interred in the Watford cemetery. The pallbearers, were John Bryce, Wm. H. Lambert, John McCormick, Fred Williams, Ben. Williamson and Robt, Sutton.

# PERSONAL

Phil. Fuller returned from the West on

Mrs. Herbert Macfeely, of Maple, Ont. is visiting Mrs. John Bryson.

Dr. V. L. Newell. Detroit, spent Wednesday with his parents here.

Messrs. Corey and Roy Harvey, St. Thomas, were Watford visitors on Friday. Rev. Dr. Bartley, Belmont, visited his aunt, Mrs. Nixon, on Saturday last week. Mrs. Ed. Lamont, Detroit, spent the week-end with relatives and friends in Watford.

Mrs. W. J. Marsh, Hamilton, s. W. J. Marsh, Hamilton, spent Sunday with her son, Mr. W. L. Marsh.

Dr. J. T. Woods, Chelsey, Mich., called on relatives and friends in this district last week.

Will L. McWatters has left Hamilton for Chatham, where he is managing a drug store for J. G. Clarke.

Miss Maree McLachlan leaves on Fri day for Toronto where she will train for a nurse in the Western Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Newman Fuller were here this week, having come from their distant home in Montana to attend the diamond wedding of Mr. and Mrs. George Fuller, of Arkona, which was celebrated on Saturday last. Mr. Fuller was a resident of Watford some 25 years ago and still retains a warm place in his heart for the old town. He is now in the employ of the Chicago & Milwaukee

#### WATFORD COUNCIL.

Watford, Nov. 2, 1914. Regular meeting of Council. Members resent—Reeve, Brown, Doan and Hawn. Minute book at court. Minutes were

Minute book at court. Minutes were not read!

Stapleford—Brown, that we grant Mr. Currie license for running picture show for one year for \$25.00,—Carried.

Finance Committee examined accounts and recommended payment.

Jas, A. Graham, drawing engine to Sharp for determing. \$2.00

Thos, Malone, labor Stapleford div. ... 6.00

Taylor & Son, acid for fire engine. ... 4.00

P. Dodds & Son, soda for fire engine. ... 4.00

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P. Joshi Milsma, aid surveying re drain and stending to gravel. ... 5.50

Treas, Board of Education, High School. ... 450

Pall Telephone, conversation. ... 110

Treas, Board of Education, High School.
Public School.
Bell Telephone, conversation.
W. S. Fuller, selecting jurors.
W. J. Howden
S. Stapleford,
Cowan, Towers & Cowan, re Fowler and
Village.
B. H. Parker, attending surveyor re Fowler draun.
John Doar, constable on fair day.
Clifford Leigh, ringing bell.
Geo, Chambers, electric light.
Telford Thompson, gravel drawing.
Isaac Kadey,
Jino. Joynt,
Jino. Saunders,
Jino. Manders,
Fred Morgan,
Willard Morgan,
J. Bryce,
Wm A. Carroll,
Patrick Gavigan,
Ben Smith,
Vaughn Williamson,
Kenney Williamson,
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Moved by Mr. Brown, seconded to

Moved by Mr. Brown, seconded by Mr. Hawn, that accounts be passed and Reeve grant his order.—Carried. Doan-Hawn, that we adjourn .- Car

W. S. FULLER, Clerk.

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Special meeting of Council at call of
Reeve. Present—Stapleford, Brown,
McKercher, Hawn and Doan.
Stapleford—Brown, that Mr. Cowan,
our soicitor, be requested to take such
steps as necessary to deal with the directions of the Judge made in the Fowler
suit and communicate with the Public suit and communicate with the Public Health Department regarding the same, and to give directions to the Council what is required to be done under the

circumstances.—Carried. Hawn-Brown, that we adjourn .-

W. S. FULLER, Clerk.

# BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Watford Board of Education, held in the Library board room on Monday, Nov. 2, 1914, at 7 p.m. Present—P. J. Dodds, chairman; D. A. Maxwell, E. D. Swift, S. W. Louks, Dr. Hicks and Principals Shrapnell and Potter. W. H. Shrapnell was appointed secre-

tary pro tem.

The minutes of the last meeting were

read and confirmed.

High School report for October was Number on tendance 113.

Public school report for October was Swift-McLaren, and carried, that the

High and Public School reports be received and filed. Hicks—Louks, and carried, that the following accounts be paid:—Prizes for Public School exhibit at fair, \$5.00; J. Public School exhibit at fair, \$5.00; J. W. McLaren, supplies, \$18.25; P. Dodds & Son, wc od, \$3.75; Jacob Fowler, work at Public School, \$11.50; John Bruce, work at Public School, \$2.00; Geo. Chambers, lumber, \$9.33; T. H. Willoughby, extra work at High School, \$3. Payment of High School fees were discussed.

Swift-Louks, and carried, that we ad-W. H. SHRAPNELL,

Secretary pro tem.

# BORN.

In Brooke, on Wednesday, Nov. 4th, to Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Alderman, a daughter. In Kerwood, on Monday, Nov. 2nd, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Woods, a son.

In Warwick, on Oct. 22nd, 1914, to Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Muxlow, a daughter. In Watford, on Saturday, Nov. 7th, to Mr and Mrs. Robt, Walker, a son.

# MARRIED.

the Methodist parsonage, on Wednesday, Nov. 4th, by Rev. A. Moorehouse, Mr. Al-fred Franklin Clark, of Bosanquet, to Miss Ettie Pearl Lester, of Forest.

# DIED.

In Bosanquet, on Tuesday, Nov. 3rd, Gerald, so of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wells, aged 14 years. In Bothwell, on Sunday, Nov. 1st. 1914, Jos Henry Wood, aged 85 years, 11 months and 6 days.

o days.

In Caradoc, on Saturday, October 31st, 1014, John Walsh, aged 71 years, 11 months and 14 days.

In Detroit, on Nov. 3rd, Margaret, relict of the late Chas. A. Pike, of Strathroy, aged 89

In Ailsa Craig, on Thursday, Oct. 29th, Duncan Craig, aged 57 years and 10 months.

# Patriotic Meeting

Patriotic meeting in the Armory on Monday evening next at 8 o'clock. Ad dresses by J. E. Armstrong, M. P., Dr. C. O. Fairbank and others. Object to organize a local committee in connection with Patriotic Fund. Everybody wel-

A foreman of R. S. Lang, apple shipper, Thedford, was fined \$10 for illegal packing of apples.

#### WARWICK.

(Too late for last week.) Mr. Finlay Logan, who visited friends in Michigan lately, returned last week. Mrs. Sutton, London, is visiting her cousins, Messrs. George and Charles

cousins, Me Richardson. Mr. James Anderson, who spent the past year in the west, is visiting friends around his old home here, who are always glad to see him.

Mr. Wm. Richardson, delegate from Zion Congregational Sunday School; Mrs. George Brent, Mrs. J. Smith and Mr. Harvey Vance, from Bethel Methodist Sunday school, attended the provin-

cial Sunday school convention held in London last week. The Ladies' Aid of Zion Congregational The Ladies' Aid of Zion Congregational church made record time at a quilting last Wednesday afternoon. At twenty minutes after 4 o'clock they began to quilt a large-sized quilt, and at precisely ten minutes to 6 they took it out of the frames, being just ninety minutes. The quilting was in four-inch squares.

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Mr. W. H. Luckham received a long letter last Wednesday from George Matthews, who went with the first contingent. He sailed on the S. S. Laurentic, one of the best boats that comes to Canada. The boat, which was painted white, had to be repainted the same color of the German cruisers, and, as it had to be done in a hurry, help was asked for, and George volunteered, and is proud of having the honor. He says hanging over the side of the ship and clinging to the mast were good exercise, but rather a trying experience. The boys had a good time aboard ship and a royal reception when they landed, the cheering being almost deafening. George was in this neighborhood four years, and a host of friends are interested in him.

Quarterly meeting was held at Bethel church, last Sunday.

Henry Bartley, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bartley is still very low. Mrs. N. W. Leckie, Sarnia, spent the week-end at Alex. Fair's, 18 sideroad. Mrs. W. L. Lucas, Gladwin, Mich., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Isaac Newell,

6th line Miss Meryl J. Luckham is a guest at the home of Mrs. (Dr.) E. B. Blain, For-est, this week.

Uncle Andrew is offering a haudsome reward for the return of his milk stand—Allan Thompson.

The ladies aid of Bethel church had their annual quilting in the basement of the church on Thursday p.m., and quilted five quilts.

The Ladies Aid of the Zion Congregational church packed a large bale on Wednesday of last week; consisting of the sewing they had done during the year together with miscellaneous gifts of clothing, dried apples, jam etc. The bale is to be sent to the relief of the Belgians.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Woods are now comfortably settled in their handsome new home on the 6th line, which they new home on the 6th line, which erected to take the place of the one destroyed by fire last summer. The house is one of the most comfortable in the discount of the state of the finished in modern style. G. O. Stevenson was the contractor and he did a job that is a credit to himself and his assistants.

his assistants.

The Women's Patriotic League of Warwick shipped to Mr. H. Prudhomme, Montreal, eleven cases of clothing, weighing 2500 lbs., also sending thirty dollars in cash, for the Belgian Relief Fund, which is under the patronage of His Royal Highness the Governor-General of Canada. They also collected thirty dollars and sixty-three quarts of fruit and jelly, which was shipped to Mr. Noel Marshall, secretary of the Red Cross Society in Toronto. The energetic work is still going on and the ladies will gladly accept contributions of new and second-hand clothing, quilts, etc. Especially remember the children.

# Address and Presentation

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A very pleasant evening was spent on Friday, Nov. 6th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thorner, when a number of their friends and neighbors gathered to bid them good-bye, before leaving for their new home in Sarnia. Mr. Richard Brock acted as chairman, and a number of speeches were given, then the following address was read by Mrs. Ed. Upton:

To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thorner.

We, your friends and neighbors, cannot let you depart from our midst without expressing to you the esteem and respect in which you are held by us, you who have lived among us for so many years. The interest you have taken in our town and the many neighborly acts of kindness will never be forgotten. It is a great pleasure to know that you will not be far from us and that we may be able from time to time to renew old acquaintance. You will please accept these silver knives and forks and cuff links, to show the esteem in which you are held by your many friends. And we sincerely hope you luck and prosperity in your new home.

Mrs. Ed. Uptrox, Mrs. Ed. Uptrox, Mrs. Ed. Uptrox, Mrs. Jim Smith.

Mrs. Jim Smith.

Mrs. Thorner gave a very feeling reply, thanking all for the very unexpected gift. Then a nice lunch was served and the rest of the evening was spent in music and dancing, finishing up by sing "He's a Jolly Good Fellow," and all wishing them luck in their new home in Sarnia.

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