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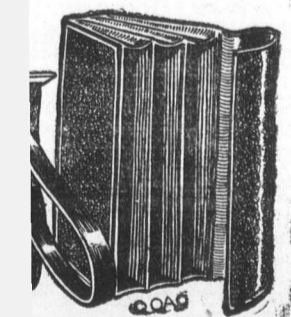
Sale Register

Friday, Oct. 13, household furniture,
Barnes. See ad.
Friday, Oct. 15, farms and farm stock,
Gregory. See ad.
Friday, Oct. 19, farm stock, etc. Frank
n. See ad.
Friday, Oct. 25, farm stock, R. H.
on. See ad.
Friday, Oct. 26, on lot 22, 21 sideroad,
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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

THIS GUIDE-ADVOCATE welcomes all
items of interest for this column.
Call Phone 11, send by mail or drop
item in GUIDE-ADVOCATE Letter Box.

CORRECT millinery at BROWN'S.
FRANK YERKS is reported "gassed"
and returned from France to England
for a time.

Who dies for liberty dies for mankind;
and who dies for France dies for Him
who died for all.

If Jules Verne were only alive to-day
to ride across the Atlantic in one of those
new airships.

LADIES' and gents' tailoring at
SWIFT'S.

BRITAIN has a million tons more pota-
toes than she needs and will not im-
port any from Canada.

THE anniversary services of the Meth-
odist church recently held are reported
to have been very successful.

REV. S. J. ALLEN, of Wyoming, will
occupy the Methodist pulpit next Sun-
day, both morning and evening.

TWINE accounts are supposed to be
paid by October 1st. Have you a receipt?
—T. DODDS & SON.

AFTER November 1st a war tariff of
one cent on letters and post cards will
come into force in the United States.

THE Militia Department has ordered
that the word "conscript" must not be
used when referring to drafted men.

Lieut. Frederick Collins Browne, 27th
Regiment, 149th Overseas Battalion, C.E.
F., has been placed on the reserve list.

HEAVY work shirts and overalls, big
size, price right.—SWIFT'S.

THE frame of the old Roche store
owned by T. A. Adams, was sold by
auction on Saturday, Mr. Albert Higgins
being the purchaser.

A NUMBER of young men in Class 'I'
have made application at the post office
for exemption papers. They are princi-
pally from the townships.

REFERENCE to the Military Service
Act published on page 5 will clear up
confusion with regard to the age limit of
Class I and other debated points.

COULD not some of our merchants
secure some of that cheap Atlantic fish
supplied by the government? The
people of the district would buy eagerly.

You will soon need rubbers. Our
stock is complete in all sizes. We keep
the celebrated Fleet Foot goods—unsur-
passed anywhere. Prices as low as
possible.—P. J. DODDS.

R. W. BRO. E. R. BOND, of Mt.
Bridges, the District Deputy Grand
Master for St. Clair District, will make
an official visit to Havelock Lodge, A. F.
& A. M., on Tuesday evening next.

THE young ladies of the Utopia Bible
Class purpose having a tea and program
in the basement of the Methodist church
this Friday evening from eight to ten
o'clock. Admission 15c.

A NEW immigration regulation has
gone into effect whereby all males are
required to sign a card at the local im-
migration office on entering Canada.
This card is used as a report, which is
sent to Ottawa daily.

Boys' all-wool jerseys, size 24 to 32, in
gray, navy and red.—A. BROWN & CO.

By a recent regulation of the Post
Office Department, letters for soldiers on
active service in France require the cus-
tomary 3 cents in postage. Letters to
others in France, not on active service,
require 5 cents postage.

R. STIRRETT, ESQ., Petrolia, will oc-
cupy the pulpits of the Baptist churches
on the Watford—Wyoming field next
Sunday, Oct. 21st, and will speak in the
interests of the Dominion Alliance. Ser-
vices at the usual hours. Everybody
welcome.

PROVINCIAL revenue from motor
licenses this year is expected to exceed
\$900,000. Returns to date show that
75,000 licenses have been issued compared
with 60,000 last year. The increase in
licenses has brought with it gain in re-
venue of approximately \$250,000.

PENMAN'S cashmere hose, fine, warm,
all wool, full stock ladies' and children's.
—SWIFT'S.

In future the police authorities of all
Canadian municipalities are in duty
bound to see that the regulations of the
Food Controller are carried out. This
was announced last week by Mr. Hanna's
department, who said that the regula-
tions had not been incorporated into the
local laws.

OCTOBER the 21st to 27th will be cele-
brated over the continent as Edison week.
The world owes a great deal to Mr.
Edison and it is appropriate that his
services to humanity should be recognized
in some special manner. Among his
more important inventions are the Phon-
ograph and the incandescent light.

MR. T. HOWELL, of Toronto, secretary
of the Federated Brotherhoods of Can-
ada, gave an excellent address in aid of
the suffering people of Belgium, in the
Presbyterian church in Watford in the
morning and in Knox church, Main
road, in the afternoon. At both services
an offering was made, the two totalling
about \$400.

ORDER your clothing now or buy our
ready to wear suits, none better, few as
good.—SWIFT'S.

LADIES' we have the latest in coats.—
SWIFT'S.

WATFORD MARKETS — Wheat \$2.05,
oats \$1.10, barley \$1.10, butter 35c, eggs 40c.

HYDRO seems to be acquiring one of
the bad habits of the old electric light
system—going out Saturday nights.

WORD was received here on Wednes-
day night that Roy Kells, formerly of
Watford, had died suddenly at Dauphin,
Man.

PRINCIPAL STERER raised some mam-
moth sunflowers this year. He distrib-
uted the seed to some of his friends who
keep chickens.

How many bundles of paper have you
for the Red Cross? Have your paper
tied and ready and it will be called for
next Saturday at the Q.P. Club.

A LONDON paper declares that the war
will be decided in the air. At any rate,
that's where the Kaiser and von Hinden-
burg spend most of their time now.

THERE is an agony that pierces the
heart more silently than leaden bullets—
the agony of the mother who sent to the
front the boy who never came back.

We would like your account paid this
week please.—T. DODDS & SON.

DON'T forget the 15c tea in aid of Red
Cross at Mrs. T. Dodds', under the
auspices of the Women's Institute,
Thursday (to-day) afternoon and even-
ing.

SIX POINT BILL, speaking about the
Food Controller says:—"Bill Hanna has
as nice a job as a preacher who has 17
factions in his church—and the choir an
added attraction, as the showmen say."

WE'RE not going to holler very loud
as long as Hanna and his fleet of lady
assistants don't come around and stick
this sign in our window:—"No punkin
pie will be in this here house till after
the war."

A COLLECTION of paper for the Red
Cross will be made next Saturday, Oct.
20th, by the Q. P. Club. Last month's
collection was a generous one and it is
hoped this one will be even better.

Boys' mackinaw school coats, warm
and stylish, sizes 7 to 16 years.—A.
BROWN & CO.

ACCORDING to the recently passed
Election Act, the mothers, wives, widows
sisters, and daughters, twenty-one years
of age, of the soldiers who have gone
overseas are entitled to vote in this
election. Those interested should bear
this in mind.

CHILDREN'S DAY will be observed in
Trinity church on Sunday afternoon at
2.30. The special form of service will
be used and addresses given. All parents
and friends of the school are invited to
be present. The offering will be given
to school work.

THE new entrance examination regu-
lations for 1918, change the valuation
for writing, so that only half the marks
assigned for the subject will be given for
the writing paper the other half being
allowed for the candidates writing as
judged from the answer papers in one of
the other subjects to be selected by the
board after the examination.

MR. J. E. FOWLER did his share to
increase production this year, having
raised two crops of potatoes off one patch
of garden. The second crop was planted
July 20th and proved quite prolific. He
brought a couple of the tubers to this
office which together weigh 1 pound 5
ounces. Anyone interested can see them
if they call.

Now is your time to 'buy boys' and
men's overcoats, big stock at SWIFT'S.

THE Daughters of the Empire of Wat-
ford intend sending a Xmas box to
every man from Watford and vicinity
overseas. Will everyone having a
relative at the front please send name
and present address to either Mrs. Kelly
or Mrs. T. G. Mitchell not later than
Oct. 28th, so that boxes may be mailed
in plenty of time to reach the boys by
Xmas.

ONE man in five only, coming within
the first class of recruits, will be called
to the colors under the Military Service Act.
Estimates show that at present time
there are 493,187 bachelors in Canada
between the ages of 20 and 34. Conse-
quently, out of every five men in the class
one will be called and four will be left at
home. The man who deliberately
neglects to comply with the act will for-
feit any right to exemption.

PREPARE for the Dominion Govern-
ment war loaf to be issued in a few days.
If you have any spare cash, invest it in
the loan. You'll get greater interest
than on mortgage, and your money is
secured by all the resources of the coun-
try, including farms and buildings. Govern-
ment bonds can be sold and turned
into cash any day. It is the best and
safest way to bring you in good returns.
Watch for the announcement and take
advantage of this opportunity.

THE November Cosmopolitan is to
hand and is an exceedingly interesting
number. Among the half dozen special
features is a most interesting article by
Arnold Bennett, entitled "The Meaning
of Flocks," which every man should
read; there is also Lillie Langtry's article
on "Myself and Others" and George
Adel's fable that will be found interesting.
Three interesting novels appear and six
short stories by Booth, Tarkington,
George Randolph Chester and other
well-known and pleasing writers. The
illustrations in this number are above
the average, especially "The Stage
To-day," which is a work of artistic
beauty.

WHEN you require shoes give us a call.
The largest stock west of London to
choose from. Everything for men,
women and children in all the leading
makes. We buy in large quantities and
the customer gets the benefit.—P. J.
DODDS' exclusive shoe store.

MOST of the Hydro users in town have
paid their first bills and secured the ten
per cent discount, and most of them
seem satisfied with the service and cost
thereof. The rate for domestic service
in Watford is 7/6 per k. w. hour, so for
7/6 you can burn a 15 c. p. light for 53
hours, a 25 c. p. for 32 hours, a 40 for 20
hours and a 60 for 16 hours. These fig-
ures are taken from an electric journal
and if correct show that you can have a
lot of Hydro light for very little money.

OUR black silks at \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00,
are fine value, 36 in wide.—SWIFT'S.

THE two Sarnia newspapers have been
amalgamated. The new paper will be
named The Canadian Observer. Daily
and weekly editions will be issued. It
will be independent in politics. Messrs.
W. M. Lowry, of Petrolia, A. D. McKen-
zie, of St. Thomas, and Leslie McAdams,
of Sarnia, are the managing directors of
the new company. Messrs. Henry Gor-
man, Fred Gorman and A. K. Wanless,
of the Observer, have resigned. In
retiring from the management of the
Sarnia Observer, Mr. H. Gorman severs
his connection with the printing business
after a connection of 39 years as pub-
lisher of that paper, and closes 64 years
of service as printer and publisher.

MEMBERS of the local Women's
Institute have been canvassing the house-
keepers of Watford during the past week
with the pledge cards for Food Conserva-
tion, and for the most part were received
kindly and met with affirmative response.
There were some few objections raised
and refusals given, but that was to be
expected. Nearly all housekeepers have
been economizing for months, and no
doubt some of them felt like the Toronto
woman who returned her card inscribed
"To hell with Hanna," but everything
considered the wisest thing is to sign.
There have been many things about the
war and its conduct, so far as Canada is
concerned, that have tempted good
citizens to give over all war effort. But
generally they have persevered, because
they know it is the right thing to do.
The war is the business of all of us; and
going on with it a universal duty. The
people generally understand that the
pledge is not to eat less, but to eat more
of other kinds of food, but less beef,
bacon and white flour, so that there will
be greater quantities of these strengthen-
ing foods to go abroad for the boys in
the trenches, and they may not want
while fighting our battles against the
Hun.

A NEW appeal has been sent out by
the Red Cross. Everyone can do his
share in answering that appeal by saving
paper. Save your waste paper, scrap
paper, newspaper, magazines, and help
along the work for our soldiers in France.

WARWICK

Miss Millie Barnes, student of the
London Normal, spent Thanksgiving at
her home, Main Road.

35 Durham and Hereford yearlings for
sale by auction at the Roche House,
Watford, on Saturday, Oct. 20th.

The Women's Missionary Society of
Knox Church, Main Road, will hold
their annual thanksgiving meeting on
Tuesday evening, Oct. 23rd. All are
cordially invited to be present.

Rev. S. A. Bingham of Walpole Island
preached missionary sermons to good
congregations in St. Mary's and St.
Paul's churches last Sunday. On Mon-
day the ladies of Warwick Village gave
his young bride a linen shower.

Children's services will be held on
Sunday next at Grace Church, 4th line,
Warwick, at 11 a.m., St. Paul's Church,
Kerwood, at 3 p.m., and St. Ann's
Church, Adelaide, at 7.30 p.m. Both
children and adults are all invited to be
present.

The adjourned meeting of the Liberals
of Warwick Township will be held in the
Town Hall, Warwick, on Wednesday
Oct. 24th, at 7.30 o'clock, p. m. Ad-
dresses will be given by N. McDougall,
D. J. McEachern and others. A good
attendance is requested. Ladies invited
to attend.

On Sunday next special thankoffering
services will be held in Zion Congrega-
tional church at 2.45 and 7.30 p.m. At
the evening service Rev. K. M. Stevenson
will preach on the subject "Will the
Church, or any part of it, go through the
Great Tribulation?" All who are inter-
ested in the study of the prophetic
scriptures are specially invited to the
evening service.

The Warwick branch of the Women's
Institute was held in the Forester's Hall,
on October 11th. Owing to the busy
season only 15 ladies were present.
Meeting opened with Maple Leaf and
prayer. Mrs. Robinson gave a report of
the Red Cross convention held in Lon-
don on Sept. 13th. A vote of thanks
was then tendered to the members of
the Council for their generous grant for
Red Cross work. Miss Anna Auld read
an earnest appeal for money and clothing
for Belgian Relief. Meeting was then
brought to a close.

Mr. F. A. Jennings, who has conducted
the Holwell House, Theford, for the
past sixteen years, will close the doors on
the 25th inst.

District Military Tribunals.

Lieut.-Col. Smith, district military re-
presentative, has announced the members
of the exemption tribunals. Those for
Lambton are:

No. 1, Sarnia—Rev. W. Weaver.
No. 2, Sarnia—Rev. John Morrison.
Brigden—Capt. J. M. McGillivray.
Courtright—Major R. G. Stewart.
Wilkesport—William H. McGhee.

Dawn Centre—Silas C. Smale.
Petrolia—John Strrett.
Theford—Capt. Bryant.

Forest—H. J. Pettypiece.
Watford—Lieut.-Col. Kenward.
Wyoming—Wm. Culbert.
Alvinston—James H. Lea.

October meeting of Tecumseh Chapter
was held at the home of Mrs. T. G.
Mitchell. Twenty-three members present
and two visitors. Interesting letters were
read from the following 149th men,
thanking the Chapter for boxes received:
—L. H. Aylesworth, H. Cooper, J.
Garrett, J. Anderson and from J. Menzies
who wrote for a number of his comrades
also. Treasurer reported a balance of
\$17.70 from Thrift Exhibit, after paying
prizes and other expenses; also the sum
of \$22.25 from sale of tags on Fair day.
The Chapter is very grateful to those
who worked so faithfully to dispose of
the tags in spite of the unpleasant
weather. The Chapter sends \$25 for
Y.M.C.A. work in France, \$25 towards
the Sailors' Relief work and \$25 to the
British Red Cross Society. It was also
decided to send \$10 to the Canadian F. C.
Commission to help send Xmas gifts to
Canadian soldiers in France. The Com-
mission aims to give every Canadian
soldier a small gift on Christmas Day.
Realizing that patriotism, like charity,
begins at home, \$10 will be sent to pro-
vide a library for some outlying school
section in the Canadian Northwest. The
books are chosen by the Educational
Secretary and will be such as will help
to make loyal Canadians of the boys and
girls growing up in these semi-foreign
sections. Secretary of sock committee
reported about 70 pairs of socks on hand.
It was decided to include these in the
Xmas boxes sent to Watford boys. A
busy meeting was closed in the usual
manner. Sewing for the next month to
be selected and done at home by the
members.

Thompson—McLean

A very pretty wedding took place at
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McLean,
when their youngest daughter, Lilly
Elizabeth, was united in marriage to
Richard Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs.
James Thompson, Kingscourt. The
ceremony was performed by the Rev. J.
C. Foster in the presence of immediate
relatives and friends. The bride entered
the drawing room leaning on the arm of
her father to the strains of the wedding
march played by Miss Rheta Thompson,
sister of the groom. The bride was
prettyly gowned in a well tailored suit of
navy blue and carried a pillow of white
asters and maiden hair fern tied with
white satin ribbon. The groom's gift to
the bride was a handsome pearl necklace.
After signing the register all retired to
the dining room where a dainty luncheon
was served. They received many hand-
some and costly presents showing the
high esteem in which the young couple
are held by their numerous friends and
acquaintances. The evening was spent
in music and games. Mr. and Mrs.
Thompson will reside on the groom's
farm on the fourth line, Kingscourt.

McGugan—McPhail

Miss Sadie McPhail of Alvinston, and
Arthur P. McGugan, of Brooke, were
married Sept. 26. The ceremony was
performed by Rev. Mr. McKay of Al-
vinston at the home of the bride's par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. McPhail, in
the presence of only immediate friends.
They were unattended and were mar-
ried beneath an arch of flowers and a
silver bell. The bride was prettily
gowned in pale blue silk crepe de chine,
with silver trimmings, and carried sun-
set roses. After luncheon the happy
couple left on a short honeymoon trip
to Toronto. They will be at home to
their friends after November 15 at their
home on the 10th line of Brooke.

Delay Very Ill-Advised

Ottawa, Oct. 17—"Procrastination is
the thief of time." This is especially
true with regard to individual duties un-
der the system by which the Military
Service Act is now being enforced.

Indeed, the provisions of the Act as
operated are such that procrastination
may be the thief of important privileges,
since a limited time only can be allowed
for applications for exemption to be taken
up by the Exemption Boards.

Canadians are advised to take such
action as may be dictated by their cir-
cumstances as soon as possible. Reports
for service or claim of exemption from
military service should be made, when-
ever possible, immediately after the
proclamation issues calling out the first
class. The machinery instituted under
the Act will work much more smoothly
if all those concerned come forward
without delay. In this case, prompt-
ness is a patriotic duty as well as being
in the highest interests of the individual
concerned.

PERSONAL

Mr. D. G. Brison, Calgary, is here this
week.

Mr. Thos. Norris returned from Sarnia
hospital Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. Duncan, Detroit, Mich.,
spent the week end at B. Craig's.

Miss Doris Shaw, Petrolia, spent last
week with her friend, Gladys M. Craig.

Mrs. (Dr.) James and son, Paul,
Sarnia, spent Monday with Watford
relatives.

Mr. Manford Thompson has returned
from Detroit, where he underwent an
operation.

Mrs. S. H. Mitchell has returned from
Toronto, after spending a week with
friends there.

Mrs. Walter Cooke, Sr., has returned
from a visit with relatives in Hamilton
and Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Barnes and son,
of Hamilton, were the guests of Mrs. W.
W. Hagle this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Parker have
returned from a visit with relatives and
friends in Leamington.

Mrs. Cochrane, who has been visiting
in this vicinity for a few weeks returned
to her home in Dutton, Saturday.

Mrs. (Rev.) A. C. Tiffin left on Tues-
day for her home in Trowbridge for a
visit, owing to the illness of her sister.

Mr. Robert Fortune, of Mallorytown,
and his nephew, Mr. Fred Ferguson, of
Landsdowne, are spending a few weeks
with T. Fortune.

Mr. John Livingstone has returned
from a visit to the West and is visiting
friends in town this week. He reports
that his daughter, Mrs. Moore, is in very
poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. James Blair, of Spokane,
Wash., and two children, took their
Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs.
J. A. Rice. Mr. Blair was many years
ago night operator at the G.T.R. station
here. Mr. Blair is the inventor of a new
railway device by means of which train
orders can be transmitted from the
stations to trains without stopping, for
which he has refused \$40,000 for the
patent.—Wyoming Enterprise.

Messrs. Reginald Washburn and Chas.
Andrews, Jr., President and secretary-
treasurer, respectively, of the Andrews
Wire & Iron Works, of Rockford, Ill.,
were here on Tuesday visiting with
Manager Bate and looking over the
factory. We understand their discussion
centred around the future development
of their Canadian business, which they
are to considerably increase in the near
future. They spent the afternoon at
Strathroy.

School Reports

Report of S. S. No. 17, Brooke, for the
month of September. Class V.—Doris
Williamson 85. Class IV.—Carrie Healy
79, Helen Williamson 78, Winnie Parker
79, Ruby Lucas 56, Irwin Lucas absent,
Class III.—Sr.—Lena Healy 87, Beulah
Saunders 73. Jr.—Verlie Williamson 94,
Muriel Parker 47. Class I.—Fred Kidd,
Ada Corestine, John Rundle. Primer—
Raymond Kidd, Goldie Lucas, Elsie
Corestine.—GARRRUPD LUCAS, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 5, Warwick.
Names in order of merit.
Class V.—Arlette Poore.
Class III Sr.—Arithmetic, Spelling,
History and Geography. Frank Hall,
Ira Richardson, Mary Hall, Christina
Hall.

Jr.—Lloyd Poore.
Class II—Spelling and Arithmetic.—
Bert Hall, Harold Campbell, Brock
Thompson, Gilbert Hall, Leatha Rich-
ardson.

Class I Sr.—Lloyd Orr.
Jr.—Mac Hall.
Primer.—(Margaret Hall, Fred Orr)
equal.—EDITH PATTERSON, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 2, Warwick, for
the month of September.
Class IV Sr.—Dalton Smith, Harold
Auld, Tommy Main, George Main, Olive
Corney, Gladys Sewell.
Jr.—Grant Bannister.

Class III Sr.—Geo. James.
Class III Jr.—Iliabell Corney, Annie
Main, Annie McElroy, Eric Thompson,
Mason Leggett, Charlie James.

Class II — Melvin Bartley, Clare
Thompson.

Part II—Edna Cooper, Jack Main,
Mary Smith, Mary McLeay.

Part I—Alfred Smith, Johnny Dolan,
Dougall James, Charlie Smith.

Pr.—Isabel Tanner, Helen Ross, Max-
ena Auld, Ruby Bartley, Marjory Cooper,
Beatrice Williams. — ANNIE ROSS,
Teacher.

DIED

In Alvinston, on Sunday, October 7th,
1917, Sarah Jane Wellman, aged 71
years, 7 months and 7 days.

In Arkona, on Sept. 30th, Daniel Car-
naghan, aged 94 years and 7 months.

It is reported that a farmer near Forest
received \$4,000 for his orchard of apples
as they were on the trees.

Ernest Thompson, near Parkhill, dis-
posed of \$4,500 worth of hogs since June
last. He still has about \$1,000 worth to
sell.

It is estimated that the Essex and Kent
tobacco crop will net the growers a cool
million this fall. The average price is
18 1/2 cents.