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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Liste Hose, black and brown, 35c half price.—Swift's.
Jack Frost makes a short visit at night occasionally.
Rubbers at pre-war prices.—P. Dodds & Son.
A man may be in the swim and yet not have a clean record.
The paving debutantes are advertised for sale in another column.
The Strathroy curling club will put a 34 foot addition to their rink.
The lady who lost a sweater on Fair day can get same by calling at this office.
No girl now marries a man for better or worse. She marries him for more or less.
Lady Beck, wife of Sir Adam Beck, died in Toronto Monday after an operation.
8 dozen Men's Sweater Coats \$2, \$2.50, \$3.50 and \$4.50, mill clearance.—Swift's.
No man ought to sleep sounder or have sweeter dreams than he who owns his own farm and has his debts all paid.
Will the day ever come when the average woman will regard smuggling as a crime, and not an accomplishment?
Another teacher is required at Strathroy Collegiate Institute on account of the large number of pupils attending.
Now for Indian summer, when the moon is like a cheese, and the late last maple leaves come tumbling from the trees.
Little beds of posies
Little drops of paint,
Makes a pretty cottage,
Out of one that ain't.
Why not paper that room and brighten it up for the long winter nights? We have our New Paper for Fall.—P. Dodds & Son.
The public will be called on soon for subscription to the Navy League. Be prepared. Illustrated posters have been posted up giving information.
All former members of Tecumseh Chapter, I.O.D.E. are invited to spend a social afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. G. Brown on Friday, October 21st from 3 to 6 o'clock.
The partial eclipse of the moon Sunday night was very clear and witnessed by many. It was at its height before church time so there was no excuse to stay home to see it.
Absence from church was a punishable offense at one time. If it were now the jails would be full or the fines mount up so high that we would not want to pay taxes.
Order your clothing at Swift's Tailoring Dept.
Sociability goes a long way in smoothing the paths of others. Try saying "good morning" or "howdy" to those you meet, and see if you don't feel better for it. Certainly the other fellow will.
The convention of the Liberals of East Lambton will be held in Alvinston on Tuesday next, October 25th at 2 o'clock p.m. for the purpose of organization, etc. Delegates will not be appointed for this meeting.
The International Ferry Co., Sarnia, has purchased a steel ferryboat, 170 feet in length and 44 foot beam. The boat will have a carrying capacity of 50 autos each trip. Passenger cabins are located on the upper deck.
Have you seen the new Shoes for Fall. Some new styles at very low prices.—P. Dodds & Son.
A potato having a peculiar feature was grown by Mrs. McLatchey, 3rd Concession, Mersea. The potato was fully developed but when cut open contained a hard kernel near the center. Several other parties are reported to have found potatoes of a similar nature this fall.
An old lady, it was noticed, took to bowing at the name of Satan when ever it was mentioned in the church service. Her clergyman at last felt it his duty to remonstrate. "Well," replied the old lady, "after all, there's no harm in being civil. Besides, you never know what may happen."
Work on the new pavement is being pushed forward rapidly this week. The whole of the excavating is finished and the cement laid from the fourth line past the Presbyterian church and the contractors expect to be down to the business blocks early next week.
Children's Undershirts, 3 lots at 35c and 45c, also 79c. Come quick.—Swift's.
Is your subscription paid in advance?

New Coats at Swift's, Saturday.
The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church intend serving a Halloween tea in the basement of the church on Oct. 31st. Admittance 25c, children 15c.
Mr. Duncan Gillies accompanied his brother Mr. Donald Gillies to St. Joseph's Hospital, London, on Wednesday of last week. On Thursday morning he underwent an operation for cancer in the face. He is reported as progressing favorably.
Mill Clean-ups Men's Shirts and Drawers, 88 cents a garment.—Swift's
When I was nine
If my father gave
Me a copper cent.
Now I have a nine-
Year youngster who
Thinks nothing less
Than a dime will do.
A correspondent writes: "The wave of sickness that has swept over this country has been professionally attributed to the 'summer flu', but we believe a more proper diagnosis would lay the blame as a type of dysentery resulting from the rotten prices on farm produce.
I'm but a cog in life's vast wheel
That daily makes the same old trip,
Yet what a joy it is to feel,
That but for me the wheel might slip!
Tis something after all, to jog
Along and be a first class cog.
The children's service held in Trinity church Sunday afternoon was a most interesting affair. A large number of children and numerous parents and friends were present, the older people enjoying the sacred musical program supplied by the young people and all listening with interest to the addresses given by church workers.
Heavy All Wool Sox, ribbed and plain, 2 pair for \$1.25, also heavy union 4 pair for dollar.—Swift's.
The Annual Thankoffering meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church was held on Sunday morning at the usual service, which was set apart as a Missionary service. The Rev. H. V. Workman gave a very forceful address on the work accomplished and aims of the W.M.S.
A wicked exchange says a woman whose husband was in the habit of coming home tipsy at night, decided to cure him by fright. So one night she arrayed herself in a frightful apparel and when the boozey husband entered the front door she said in dread and sepulchral tones: "Come with me. I am the devil." "Zat sho? Shake. I am your brother-in-law. I married your sister."
No village west of Toronto the size of Watford can boast of a system of waterworks, cement sidewalks paved streets and AI schools both high and public. You now have the privilege of helping pay for the same. Will be at home afternoons from 2 to 5 except Saturday to receive your taxes. Don't all come at once.—S. W. LOUKS, Collector.
The Question of Sunday Work is a live question in our Village just now. Come and hear it discussed by Rev. T. D. Rayner in the Cong'l church on Sunday evening at 7 p.m. under the topic: "The King's Day". The morning topic will be "Heroes of Faith. No. 4 The Man who 'Ventured All.'" You are cordially invited to these services.
It was with very deep regret last Sunday, Oct. 16th, that the Watford, Wyoming and Calvary Baptist churches received the resignation of their pastor, Rev. A. A. Barnes, who has so faithfully ministered to them during the past three years. Mr. Barnes will occupy the pulpits of these churches Sundays October 23 and 30. He will continue his studies in McMaster University and will take up the pastorate of the Fairbank, Toronto Baptist church.
The Free Masons of Watford are deeply indebted to the Watford Women's Institute for the excellent meal furnished by the ladies to the brethren on the occasion of the Lodge of Instruction held here last Friday. The supper, which was served in Trinity Church school room, was one of the most tasty and satisfying meals one could wish to eat, the tables were attractive to the eye, the viands to the palate, and the ladies most attentive to the wants of the brethren. Everyone present enjoyed the meal and many laudatory remarks were heard from the visitors. Ladies, you have the hearty thanks of the brethren of Havelock Lodge.

Pay your account at Swift's, they need the money 25th October.
Col. John McCrae's poem, "In Flanders Fields," evidently has suggested to Lambtons 149 Chapter, Daughters of the Empire the observing of "Poppy Day" on November 11th, in aid of the relief of French orphans and war sufferers. It is to be hoped the public will willingly assist the Chapter in this work for workers will be about all day offering the good of mankind. On that day poppies for sale as a reminder to the living of all those who now sleep in Flanders' Fields. Let everybody wear a poppy on Nov. 11th.
The annual meeting of the Bible Society held in the Methodist church last Thursday evening was fairly well attended. The Rev. R. J. Bowen Secy for the District, delivered the annual address in his usual forceful manner, despite the fact that he was just recovering from a recent illness. The speaker dwelt upon the attitude of the nations of the East and South East of Europe to-day toward the teaching of the Bible. Their readiness to accept its teachings and the inability of the Bible Society to begin to supply the great demand for the various translated editions required. Also he pointed out that much of the unrest and disquieting influences both at home and abroad could be overcome if the people were given a more thorough knowledge of the teachings of the Bible. He complimented the Watford Branch on their splendid givings last year. The treasurer reported the subscriptions amounted to \$255.24. The officers elected for the ensuing year are: President, Rev. W. K. Hagar; Vice Pres., Wm. Shrapnell, Sec'y, Dr. Geo. Hicks, Treasurer, J. W. McLaren. Collectors and committee of management of last year were re-appointed.

PERSONAL

Mrs. (Dr.) Newell returned Friday from a visit with relatives in Chicago and Detroit.
Mrs. Jessie H. Willets of Monroe, Mich., is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Jackson, Huron St.
Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Dodds and child, Yale, Mich., are visiting relatives here for a few days.
Mr. Neil Bennett received a wire Monday announcing the death of his sister, Mrs. Mueller of Toledo on Saturday.
Miss Jessie Jackson entertained a few friends on Tuesday evening, the occasion being her seventeenth birthday.
Mr. John Livingstone, who has been in Petrolia for some weeks, spent the weekend in Watford and left Monday for Appin and Port Dalhousie.
Rev. and Mrs. Irwin, Colonel and Mrs. Kenward, Mrs. Newell and Mrs. Tannier attended the Deaneery and Sunday School meeting in Wyoming on Tuesday.
Mr. Geo. Hall, manager of Standard Bank, Bowmanville, accompanied by his wife and son; Miss Mitchell, Victoria, B.C., Mrs. W. C. Dodge, Hamilton, were guests of Mrs. T. G. Mitchell during the past week.

CONCERT BY BLIND GIRLS

All know what wonderful things are done by blind people, and those who attended the concert given under the auspices of Lambtons 149 Chapter I.O.D.E. in the Lyceum on Tuesday evening had an opportunity of seeing what training will do for those who cannot see. The artists were all blind, students of the Institute for the Blind at Brantford. The teachers there have reason to be proud of their pupils, and no doubt they are. Miss Sells is an able pianist. She proved herself to be master of the instrument and is also an excellent accompanist. Miss Lammie, violinist, secured her A.T.C.M. with honors. She is a fine violinist and also plays the piano with credit. She makes her violin speak as if it had a soul. Miss Slay, the elocutionist and vocalist of the party has a good voice well trained. Her elocutionary numbers were good and supplied lighter note to the entertainment and made the program a well-balanced one. Miss Sells and Miss Lammie possess pleasing voices and all their number were greatly enjoyed. The hearty applause showed that the audience was entirely in sympathy with the performers. The blind artists were under the direction of Miss Lillian Sedwick, formerly of Watford. Mr. W. G. Connolly filled the office of chairman. Proceeds \$42.00.

WARWICK

Miss Hope Taylor has returned from the West to her home with Mrs. Geo. Baird.
Miss Lottie Kadey returned on Tuesday from a month's visit in Springfield and Port Dover.
Mr. and Mrs. George Cundick and Mr. and Mrs. Kerr of London spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barnes, Main Road.
Watch for further announcement of a sale of Usefulland Fancy articles on Nov. 17th, under the auspices of St. Mary's W. A. Contributions for sale thankfully received.
Service in Zion Cong'l church at 2.30 p.m. on Sunday, when the pastor, Rev. T. D. Rayner will preach, his topic being: "Heroes of Faith. No. 3. The Man who Worked and Waited." Everybody welcome. Annual Thankoffering Day Sunday Oct. 30th.
On the evening of Thursday, Oct. 13th, the Warwick W. I. held their regular meeting in the Town Hall. The meeting opened in the usual way by singing and prayer. Roll call was answered by the name of some famous woman. A letter was read from the Navy League and a sum of money was voted to be sent to aid in the worthy work. Reports from the work of the School Fair were read, which showed how successfully the fair was carried out. Next meeting to be held in the Town Hall on Thursday evening, Nov. 10th.
The death occurred in Winnipeg, on Friday, Oct. 7th, of Casey Hagle, formerly of Warwick. Deceased had been in poor health for several years and was a son of the late Miles Hagle. He formerly lived at Birmam, until his removal to the West seven years ago. He is survived by his wife and daughter. The remains were brought here for burial, the funeral taking place from the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Vance on Tuesday to Bethel cemetery for interment. The services were conducted by a former pastor, Rev. McTavish. The bearers were three cousins, Gordon Vance, Clara and Dean Hagle, and three friends, John Cable, Will Richardson, and Fred Graham.

MASONIC LODGE OF INSTRUCTION

A Pleasant and Profitable Day Spent in Watford by District Craftsmen
The Free Mason Lodge of Instruction held in Watford Friday last was a red letter day in the annals of the craft in St. Clair District No. 2. The Armory was fitted up as a temporary lodge room and the visitors were pleased with its spaciousness and adaptability for the purpose. Representatives to the number of nearly two hundred were present, over twenty lodges in the district sending a contingent.
The lodge was opened in the first degree at 2.30 o'clock by Havelock Lodge and R. W. Bro. W. R. Dawson, District Deputy Grand Master and visitors were accorded a hearty welcome. Among the distinguished visitors invited to a seat in the East were V. W. Bro. Nixon of Toronto, representing Grand Master Colonel Ponton who was unable to be present, and a number of Past Deputy Grand Masters of the District.
W. Bro. G. O. Stephenson and officers of Havelock Lodge, Watford, exemplified the first degree and W. Bro. W. W. Miller and officers of Leopold Lodge, No. 397, Brigden, the second degree. These degrees were given an almost perfect rendition. The brethren were then called from labor to refreshment and proceeded to Trinity church basement where a tasty and nicely served supper was provided under the direction of the local branch of the Women's Institute. Over two hundred brethren sat down and much enjoyed the good things provided for the inner man.
Assembling again at 8 o'clock in the lodge room the brethren officially welcomed the Grand Lodge Officers present and accorded them the Grand Honors befitting their rank. W. Bro. Leslie W. Oke, M.P.P., and the officers of Alvinston Lodge, No. 328, then exemplified the third or Master Mason degree.
The beautiful ritualistic work of this degree was given a most impressive and almost word perfect rendition and throughout the entire exemplification held the undivided attention of the craftsmen present.

"MICKEY" Coming to the Lyceum

Wednesday, November 2nd.
Secure your seats at Taylor's now for "Mickey," which will be shown at the Lyceum on Wednesday evening, November 2nd. Reserve seats 50c. You must not miss this feature.
R. W. Bro. Dawson reviewed the work of the degrees and had little criticism to offer. The Grand Master's representative V. W. Bro. Nixon, gave an instructive and interesting address which was most attentively listened to. Bro. Nixon has many admirers in the district who are always pleased to hear him talk Masonry as he has complete knowledge of its working throughout the globe. After short speeches by other prominent brethren the gathering dispersed about 11 o'clock, all having enjoyed a most pleasant and profitable day.
JOSEPH E. ARMSTRONG
Unanimously Re-Nominated as the National Liberal and Conservative Standard Bearer.
A convention of the East Lambton National Liberal and Conservative Association as constituted for Federal purposes, was held at Alvinston on Wednesday afternoon and was largely attended. Mr. W. R. Dawson, president presided. The convention was called for organization and to select a candidate to contest the riding at the coming general election.
Joseph E. Armstrong, who for a number of years has represented East Lambton in the Federal House, was unanimously chosen standard-bearer in the coming election Dec. 6. Despite disagreeable weather and bad roads the hall was packed to the doors and the convention representative of every section of the riding gave the candidate an enthusiastic reception. The meeting was marked by the large number of women delegates, who occupied the center of the hall.
The president of the East Lambton National Liberal and Conservative party, W. R. Dawson, of Inwood, was the only other man proposed. As soon as the nominations had closed Mr. Dawson withdrew his name and moved that the choice be made unanimous. When the motion was put the hall shook with the applause and cheers.
"The man whom you have chosen as your candidate has been a credit to the riding of East Lambton," declared Mr. Dawson. "I have been a resident in the constituency for years and I cannot remember a man who has done so much for East Lambton as Mr. Joseph Armstrong. If we get together now, shoulder to shoulder, we can re-elect him. This is the best convention ever held in East Lambton."
At the conclusion of the meeting a resolution of the unanimous approval of the prime minister and the platform of the National Liberal and Conservative party was passed on motion of R. G. R. McKenzie of Petrolia, and Donald McLarty of Dresden. This was followed by three cheers for the candidate, Joseph E. Armstrong.
When the candidate arose to speak he was afforded an enthusiastic reception and accepted the nomination in a neat speech.
Other speakers were Rev. J. H. Woods, Mayor Woodrow and Mrs. Armstrong.
Before the nomination the officers of the Association were elected. All of the old officers and practically all of the executive returned. The officers and executive are as follows: President, W. R. Dawson, Inwood; first vice-president, D. R. McCahill, Forest; second vice-president, Mrs. Thomas Allison, Alvinston; rec. sec., T. Harris, Watford; cor. sec., W. E. Fitzgerald, Watford; treasurer, Dr. James Newell, Watford; auditors, W. G. Willoughby, Brooke Township, and T. B. Taylor, Watford. Executive: Sanford Lucas, Alvinston; Hugh Russell, Bosquet Township; Herbert Darvell, Brooke Township; Fred Jennings, Theford; James Beattie, Euphemia Township; Howard Fraleigh, Forest; David Hay and Charles Hawkins, Warwick Township; Dr. John McGillivuddy, Watford; B. J. Warren, Enniskillen Township; John H. Anderson, Oil Springs; George Caray Petrolia; John Vance, Thamesville; Donald McLarty, Dresden; W. S. Beamish, Bothwell; Harry McDowell, Zone Township; Taylor Vance, Camden Township.