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## LOCAL HAPPENINGS

See window—Ladies' heather hose 79c, sale price.—Swift's.

The Dominion Parliament will open on the last day of January.

You can buy at Swift's Sale, 5 pairs heavy union sox for \$1.00.

Be pleasant until 10 o'clock in the morning, and the rest of the day will take care of itself.

You can't tell by the size of the car how much the driver owes his grocer or his printer.

You can buy at Swift's Sale men's heavy all wool sox 50 cents a pair.

There will be a celebration of Holy Communion in Trinity church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Mr. Wm. Culbert, Wyoming, is again on the job as license inspector, commencing his duties with the new year.

First shipment of the new spring gingham to be opened this week. English and Canadian makes.—A. Brown & Co.

The names of all persons who have not paid their taxes will be handed in to the Council at next meeting on Monday night.—J. W. Doan.

Watch night service was held in the Cong'l church under the auspices of the Young People's Society. The closing minutes of the year were spent in silent prayer.

You can buy at Swift's Sale children's sleepers, all sizes heavy weight \$1.00.

Don't miss Rudolph Valentine and Gloria Swanson in the season's most sensational photoplay "Beyond the Rocks" at the Lyceum to-night.

The regular monthly meeting of Lambtons 149 I.O.D.E. will be held at the home of Mrs. J.W. McLaren on Tuesday, Jan. 9th, at 3 p.m.

W. J. Taylor of Woodstock Sentinel-Review, has purchased the Chatham Daily News from A. C. Woodward. Mr. Taylor also publishes Rod and Gun.

You can buy at Swift's Sale for \$2.40, large cotton blankets.

The electors were favored with a nice day for voting and quite a large vote was polled in town, the result of which appears elsewhere.

There was a larger vote recorded against the Soldiers' Memorial question than was anticipated, a majority of 57 only being recorded.

The Annual Congregational business meeting of the Presbyterian Church, Watford, will be held in the church on Wednesday evening, Jan. 10th, at 8 o'clock. The Ladies Aid of the church invites all members and adherents to a supper which will be served in the School room from six to eight o'clock.

You can buy at Swift's Sale, girl's coats up to 14 years for \$7.50.

The coal situation is anything but satisfactory. If the weather were severe there would be much suffering as not enough coal is being received to take care of the actual needs of local householders. Fortunately a good deal of wood has been sold in the village, so that there is no real distress so far.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Harrower entertained their old friends of the fourth line and their Watford neighbors at an old-time farm dance at their residence on Erie street on Friday evening. Over one hundred guests enjoyed the hospitality of the host and hostess, dancing being kept up until about four o'clock.

You can buy at Swift's Sale 40 inch fine factory at 20 cents.

The Woman's Missionary Auxiliary of the Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. M. Mitchell on Tuesday evening, Jan. 9th at 7.30. All the ladies are invited to be present, whether you are a member or not, to hear the new study book (World, Friendship, Incorporated) given by Mrs. Hager and Mrs. Fitzgald.

An important event in Scottish Rite Masonry will take place at London during the latter part of February when some 100 candidates from all parts of the district will be admitted to the mysteries of the rite. The affair takes place on February 21 and 22, and will be participated in by Lodge of Perfection and Rose Croix Chapter.

At a meeting of the mothers' allowance board for Lambton county five applications for pensions were received and three were recommended. Seventeen mothers in this county are receiving pensions at the present time. J. H. Sproule, of Petrolia, was elected chairman for 1923, Mrs. Anderson, Oil Springs, vice president and A. W. Ellis, Petrolia, secretary.

## PERSONAL

Mr. L. R. Kinnell, Lucknow, was home for New Year's.

Dr. A. C. Tanner, Ottawa, spent New Year's at his mother's home here.

Mrs. Orlo Jacklin and family went to Bothwell Saturday to spend New Year's.

Mr. J. F. Jones, Pontiac, Mich., spent a few days at C. W. Vail's, recently.

Mrs. O'Donnell of Waterloo spent New Year's with her mother, Mrs. Moody.

Dr. E. D. Hicks, Wallaceburg, spent New Year's with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. Hicks.

Mrs. Edith Gleason, Detroit, Mich., spent the New Year's holidays with her mother, Mrs. Eliza Hagle.

Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Vail and daughter and Mr. Barrie Vail, Copetown, spent the holidays at the parental home.

Miss Eva Crummer, Toronto, spent the holidays at Mr. W. S. Fuller's, town, and at her grandfather's, Wm. Watson, Main road.

Mrs. Russell Muxlow returned to her home in Biggar, Sask., after spending the past two months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Routley.

Miss Sadie and Opal McCausland spent their holidays at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. McCausland.

Miss Mamie N. Moir, who has charge of the Primary room of the Thamesford public school, returned to that village to resume her duties after spending the vacation at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCausland and two children, Jean and Helen, spent the New Year with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. McCausland.

Ransom R. Prout of Alberta, L. A. Prout and Miss Catherine Prout of Flint, Mich., John R. Prout of Lutherville, Mich., and Addison R. Prout of Bothwell, were guest at the family reunion at the home of their sister, Mrs. James Cadwell over New Year.

## SPECIAL EDITION NEXT WEEK

As announced last week the Guide-Advocate will run a special edition of over five thousand copies next week, covering every home in East Lambton from Lake Huron to Kent County.

Merchants and business men who have any announcements or advertisements to place in this edition phone 11w at once as no advertising will be accepted when copy is not in by tomorrow evening (Saturday).

Phone 11w now to reserve space and write your ad at once.

## HOCKEY

WATFORD 5—ALVINSTON 2

There was a little amusement over at Watford Arena last night (Wednesday) when the local club engaged Alvinston in the first game of the N.H.L. series. The two schedules, O.H.A. and N.H.L. running simultaneously makes it difficult for both players and fans to keep their bearings and the result from the fans sector was only a fair attendance and only three of the usual lineup happened to be in town for the auspicious occasion. However, Rogers guarded well the goal door and Harry Cook, Stan, Trenouth, Jack Bruce and W. H. Brown filled up the loop holes. This formidable aggregation completely battered down the morale of "Sime Williams' awkward squad" (who were ably assisted by Timmy Gallivan and Ken Wilson of Petrolia.) The two latter stars were noticeably at a disadvantage due to their first appearance on a real hockey rink, but no doubt after a series of grinds in such super arenas as Watford and Alvinston possess will prove a worth-while help to the Southern Squad.

"Corker" Legg, of London, let the timekeepers run for the three periods, and then called the game score 5-2. 'Twas a glorious victory! — so they say!

Alvinston—Parker, McLachlan, Whitton, McEachern, Wilson, Gallivan, Munroe and G. Whitton, sub. Watford—Rogers, N. Trenouth, Greer, S. Bruce, W. H. Brown, S. Trenouth, Harry Cook, J. Bruce. Referee—W. H. Legg of London.

## THE VOTE IN WATFORD

FOR REEVE			
	Div. 1	Div. 2	Total
W. G. Connolly	111	80	191
Paul Kingston	67	61	128
Majority for Connolly... 63			
FOR COUNCILLORS			
John Doar	92	75	167
P. E. Fuller	78	68	146
C. H. Hollingsworth	105	72	177
J. R. McCormick	103	66	169
John McIntosh	64	45	109
Joshua Saunders	63	55	118
BOARD OF EDUCATION			
G. N. Howden	97	61	158
D. A. Maxwell	36	55	91
J. McGillicuddy	115	80	195
A. Rumford	26	36	62
W. G. Siddall	107	70	177
G. O. Stephenson	77	51	128
T. B. Taylor	38	48	86
McGillicuddy, Howden, Siddall and Stephenson elected.			
SOLDIERS' MEMORIAL VOTE			
For the Memorial	103	74	177
Against Memorial	68	52	120

## BROOKE

The regular meeting of the Brooke Women's Institute will be held at the home of Miss B. MacIntyre, Thursday, Jan. 11th. Roll call "The funniest scrape in which I ever saw anyone."

The Mission Circle will meet at Miss Calla Dobbear's on Friday evening, Jan. 12th, a full attendance of members is requested.

Brooke services next Sunday and for the remainder of the year will be Salem S.S. at ten a.m. and preaching service at eleven; Walnut at 3 p.m. and Bethesda at seven p.m.

The following were New Year's visitors with Rev. and Mrs. Steadman John C. and Mrs. Wilson, Wilbur Steadman, Mrs. Steadman and family, Park Steadman, Robt. Germaine Jr., and the Misses Cooper, all of Petrolia.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holbrook and son, Morrison, Toronto, spent the weekend and New Year's day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Saunders, visiting Mr. Holbrook's mother, and also other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holbrook, 12th line, spent New Year's day at "Maple Leaf Farm", the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Saunders.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Capes and daughters, Reba and Mabel, were guests at "Maple Leaf Farm" New Year's day.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Sisson and son, Wellesley, with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holbrook and Mr. Kenneth Holbrook spent the last evening of the old year at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Saunders, renewing kind remembrances with Mr. Holbrook's mother and the other members of the home, also Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holbrook and son Morrison of Toronto.

## OFFICERS L. O. L. 1029

Warwick Union L. O. L. No. 1029 elected the officers for 1923 on Dec. 27th, as follows:

W.M.—Roy Heaton.  
D. M.—Jack Higgins.  
Chaplain—Thos. Higgins.  
Rec.—R. A. Higgins.  
Fin. Sec.—Stanley Lucas.  
Treasurer—Sanford Lucas.  
D. of C.—John Saunders.  
Lecturer—R. J. Lucas.  
Committee—Thos. Lucas, Eddie Higgins, Arthur Sayers, E. D. Lucas, David Higgins.

## NORTHERN ONTARIO FIRE RELIEF

Previously acknowledged... \$45.00  
Mrs. M. Shirley ..... 5.00

Forwarded to Head Office... \$50.00

Further subscriptions should be sent direct to the Northern Ontario Fire Relief Committee, Royal Bank, Building, Toronto.

The amount credited to the Kingscourt School should have been \$5.00 instead of \$25.00.

## LAMBTON COUNTY COUNCIL 1923

Bosanquet—Nicholas Sitter.  
Brooke—Wm. Annett, A. E. Loosmore.  
Dawn—Chas. Stevens, John McDonald.  
Emmiskillen—J. Hackett, B. J. Warren.  
Euphemia—John Barron.  
Moore—W. Miller, W. Edwards.  
Plympton—D. Smith, T. Burnley.  
Sarnia Tp.—L. Harkness, A. Hillier.  
Sombra—Victor Green, E. Armitage.  
Warwick—W. E. Parker.  
Forest—Robt. Hair.  
Petrolia—Bert McLeod, J. A. Landon.  
Alvinston—Robt. Rilett.  
Arkona—F. C. Eastman.  
Courtright—Jas. Kerr.  
Oil Springs—J. Sproule.  
Pt. Edward—J. Mara.  
Thedford—F. A. Jennings.  
Watford—W. G. Connolly.  
Wyoming—Alex. Wark.  
Where two names are given the second is that of the Deputy Reeve.

## LATE MRS. ARTHUR HIGGINS

On Tuesday evening, Dec. 19th, Catherine, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kersey of Watford, and beloved wife of Mr. Arthur Higgins, aged 45 years, 8 months and 13 days passed away after a lingering illness of four years and eleven months which she bore with great patience.

Besides her husband she leaves to mourn her loss three daughters and one son, Mae of Watford, Ula, Roy and little Mary at home, also her aged father and mother and four brothers, John, Herbert, and James of Watford and Freeman of Georgetown. The funeral was held on Friday, Dec. 22nd, from the family residence, lot 9, con. 6. S.E.R., Warwick to the Watford cemetery, the service being conducted by the Rev. W. K. Hager of Watford Methodist Church of which she was a member, assisted by Rev. T.A. Steadman.

The pallbearers were Albert, Thomas Henry, Victor, Jack, Eddie and Tom Higgins.

Commencing with the new year Alvinston stores close every evening at 6 o'clock.

## WATFORD PUBLIC SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

November and December, 1922

Following is the Honor Roll for Watford Public School for November and December. Pass Standing is 60 per cent. Honor standing is 75 per cent. The names are arranged in order of merit.

### DIVISION I—PRIMARY ROOM

Class I—Honors—Margaret Jackson, Bruce Hay, Doris Kersey, Edith Sawers, Dorothy Willoughby, Katherine Howden, Phyllis Lovell, Audrey James, Jack Rogers, Florence McKay. Pass—Frank Prangle, Earl DeGraw, Frances McAnnis, Warren Bate, Mary Elliott, Kathleen Laird, Everett Doan.

Class II and III—Honors—Verne Williams, Anna Jean McLaren, Edith Callahan, Donald Aylesworth, Clayton Fuller, Sidney Welsh, Jessie Delmage. Pass—Kenneth Kersey, Genevieve Brush, Margaret Elliot, Glenn Siddall, Robert Newell, Bessie Dickson, George Moore.

### DIVISION II—CLASS I

Honors—Earl James, Patty Millar, Lorne Hay. Pass—Donald Tait, Doris Harper, Helen Callahan, Alexander McLaren, Foster Thompson, Fred Kelly, Beatrice Spalding, Ruth Sawers, Margaret Aylesworth, Mons St. Anselm, Keith Aylesworth.

Miss L. M. Cameron, Teacher

### DIVISION III—CLASS II

Honors—Grant Lovell, Allan Brown, John Hollingsworth, Irene James, Laird Stapleford, Bertie Kersey, Herbert Tait.

Pass—Marion Roberts, Ivan Caley, Keith Hollingsworth, Marjorie Hicks, Margaret Sharp, Helen Nixon, Dean Steadman, Kenneth Rayner.

Miss J. L. Hume, Teacher

### DIVISION IV—CLASS III

Sr. III—Honors—Cecyl Hollingsworth, Elizabeth Watson and Ross Kersey equal, Carl A. Class, Gladys James, Llewellyn Macnally, T. J. Kersey, Bertha Durston. Pass—Margueretta Collins, Gordon Rayner, Harvey Stapleford, Gordon Sargent, Margaret Bayley, Robert Bruce, Lyle McIntosh, Leslie McIntosh, Carman Spalding, Frank Jackson, Jean Sharp.

### Jr. III—Honors

Honors—Hanley Millar, Doris Howden, Edward Jacklin, Pass—Jack Nixon, Mary Hay, Bernice Brown, Dorothy Kersey, Elmer Doan, Ernest DeGraw.

Miss E. Hume, Teacher

### DIVISION V—CLASS IV

Percentage is given.  
Sr. IV—Constance Kelly 84, Regina Stapleford 83, Mary McGillicuddy 81, Muriel Howden 78, Vance Kersey 66, Mac McIntosh 54, Frank McCrae 53, Clayton Chittick 51.  
Jr. IV—Alberta Lovell 82, Marjorie Callahan 81, Marguerite Kersey 79, Edward Logan 77, Fred Piercey 76, Ora Kersey 72, Lizzie Spalding 71, Robert Chambers 70, Melvin Hastings 69, Billie Vail 66, Edna McIntosh 64, George Tait 63, Fern Roberts 62, Eva Newell 49.  
J. H. Mahon, Principal