

ARKONA

Mrs. Neff, of Lobo, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Thos. Nelson. Inspector McDougall paid his official visit to the public school last week. He reports the standing of the school under the new principalship to be in splendid shape.

Mrs. Smith and daughter, of Embro, are visiting at Frank Lamb's. Jno. Stoner is spending the week with friends in London.

Buyers of red clover, alsike and timothy.—Brown Bros.

Hugh Johnson made a business trip to Toronto last Thursday.

Miss Ada Feightner, of Thorndale, is visiting at Mrs. F. Rutter.

Mrs. Harris, of Springfield, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jas. Crone.

Mrs. Rattan, of Mimico, is visiting her sister Mrs. Fred Nelson.

The putting in of an 80 ft. dam at Rock Glen is looking brighter every day. It will mean backing up the water for a distance of 20 miles. The matter of removing bridges is already being taken up by the Middlesex Council.

8 only ladies' jackets, this season's styles at bargain prices.—Brown Bros.

Mrs. T. Wilson, of London, visited Arkona friends last week.

J. L. Fuller spent Wednesday last in Sarnia.

Miss Alta Rook left on Friday for London where she intends spending the winter.

Stan Smith, of Brantford, and Harold Smith, Strathroy, visited at their home here.

All trimmed and felt hats will be sold at half price from now until the end of the season.—Fuller Bros. Millinery Dept.

Report of Continuation Class.—Biology

Shirley Pressey 80, Orval Augustine 69, Grace Crawford 68, Emerson Shrier 66, Lola Ross 61, Physical Geography—

Shirley Pressey, Emerson Shrier 76, Grace Crawford 69, Orval Augustine 65, Lola Ross 57.—EDITH PATTERSON, Principal.

STRATHROY.

Mrs. George Garside spent the week end at the home of Mrs. Cuddy, Oxford street.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Weedmark, Kingscourt, were in town last week.

Miss Olive Sparrow, of Kingscourt, has taken a position here.

Mrs. Levi Williamson, Warwick, who is shortly leaving for the west, spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Alford Gill, of this town.

Mrs. Fred Sparrow, of Kingscourt, has removed to Strathroy.

Strathroy Furniture Co. shipped 12 carloads of furniture last week.

The Lambton fields produced 205,456 barrels of petroleum during the year 1910.

SICKLY BABIES CRY
HEALTHY BABIES SMILE

Baby's cry indicates distress—his smile health and contentment. The mother may be sure there never was a baby who cried for the fun of it. Baby's disposition is naturally a happy one and it is only distress such as may be brought on by a disordered condition of the stomach or bowels that can change this. So, mothers, to keep your baby happy you must keep him well—Baby's Own Tablets will do this. Concerning them Mrs. Chas. Potvin, Causapaticia, N.S., writes: "Baby's Own Tablets have proved an excellent remedy for my baby. I had been using syrups, but they failed to help him and he cried constantly. The Tablets cured him and now he is a fat, healthy child." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

NAPIER.

The Busy Bee Mission Band held its November meeting at the Manse Saturday afternoon.

Miss L. Kadey, of Watford, who has successfully taught in the village school for the past two years, has been re-engaged for 1912 by the Public School Board at a salary of \$575.

December 22nd is the date of the St. Andrew's S.S. Xmas tree. The committee in charge are doing everything possible to have this year's entertainment maintain its usual standard of excellence.

Our quaint village presented a most picturesque appearance Friday morning last under its white mantle of snow, which, together with the recent rains, has left the roads in a very bad condition.

The Napier Branch of the Woman's Institute held an entertainment in the town hall Friday evening, Nov. 3rd.

Rev. J. Ure Stewart occupied the chair. Excellent music was furnished by the Napier orchestra. Messrs. Ted Wright and Hugh Jay, comedians of Strathroy, were the entertainers for the evening.

Vocal selections were given by Mrs. P. McGregor, Brooke, Woods Bros., of Watford, and Ella McMahon, Kerwood. An address was given by Mr. W. Sutherland, of Toronto, and a reading by Mrs. Woods. Refreshments were served at the close.

Big Fire in London.

London, Nov. 3.—The most destructive fire in London in a quarter of a century completely destroyed six of the largest business houses this morning.

A late estimate places the loss at \$750,000, with insurance of \$600,000. Approximately 600 people are thrown out of work.

The fire broke out at 3.57 and was first noticed by Sergeant Macdonald and P. C. Fowler.

At 6 o'clock all the six places were

burned out: Purdon Hardware Co., J. H. Chapman & Co., Kingsmill, Brewsters, Roome, Corbett & Co. and Mara's. Shortly after that time the firemen got control of the blaze. That the fire was not more far-reaching in its destination is due altogether to the splendid efforts of the firemen and the great pressure furnished by the new water system.

Dr. W. H. Woods Candidate of
West Middlesex Conservatives.

West Middlesex Conservatives in convention at Mount Brydges Thursday unanimously nominated Dr. W. H. Woods, of Mount Brydges, as their candidate for the Provincial Legislature. Several names had been announced in connection with the nomination, but when it became known that Dr. Woods, who has served for some time as secretary of the local Conservative Association was willing to take the leadership, the other possibilities withdrew, making the choice unanimous.

The nomination was received with enthusiasm by the meeting of upwards of 150 delegates, and it is felt that he will be in a position to put up a stiff fight.

Dr. Woods, in a short speech, thanked his constituents for the honor done him, and asked for ten days in which to consider the situation before finally accepting the nomination of the party in the western riding. His ultimate acceptance is, however, practically assured.

Dr. Woods is an old Warwick boy.

Wm. Moore Mentally Incapable.

Sarnia, Nov. 6.—Wm. James Moore, the slayer of Mrs. Mary King in Petrolia last summer, was declared by a jury at the assize court to-day to be mentally unfit to plead or to face trial, and he was committed to jail by Justice Britton to await the outcome of the disease from which he is suffering. Should he at any time recover he will be brought to trial.

BORN.

In London, on Sunday, Nov. 5th, to Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Gillett a son.

In Sarnia, on Oct. 19th, to Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Clarke, a son—Clifford Donaldson.

In Warwick, on Nov. 2nd, 1911, to Mr. and Mrs. John Learn, a daughter.

MARRIED.

At the Sacred Heart Church, Parkhill, on Monday, Oct. 30th, 1911, by Rev. Fr. O'Neil, Jos. Y. McIntyre, Toronto, to Katherine M., daughter of Mrs. Hugh Leonard, of Parkhill.

DIED.

In Bosanquet, on Monday, Oct. 30th, 1911, Margery Margaret, daughter of Wm. and Kate Allen, of Ayr, aged 9 years and 4 months.

In Stratford, on Nov. 1st, 1911, Sarah, relict of the late Thomas Banks, of Stratford, aged 82 years.

In Brooke, on Sunday, Oct. 29th, 1911, George Croft, in his 23rd year.

In Brooke, on Wednesday, Oct. 25th, 1911, Elizabeth Mellis, aged 79 years and 9 months.

In Brooke, on Wednesday, Nov. 8th, 1911, Nancy Canning, relict of the late M. Kennedy, in her 82nd year.

IN LOVING MEMORY of our dear mother, Mrs. Geo. Thorne, who died Nov. 10th, 1909.

Rest on dear mother thy task is o'er
Thy hands for us will toil no more,
But lonely are our hearts to-day,
To think thou hast forever passed away.

Mayor Sauvey, of Wallaceburg, is a Solomon. He found a \$10 bill, advertised it, had two claimants that proved they had each lost a \$10 bill. He gave them \$5 each.

House, Lot and Stable For Sale

A LOT ON RACHEL STREET, WATFORD, on which is a comfortable 1 1/2 story frame dwelling house, a good stable and hen house and soft water. This property will be sold cheap. A money for a quick purchaser. For further particulars apply to

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TEACHER WANTED FOR THE SECOND Part of the First Book, Watford Public School. Duties to commence January 2nd, 1912. State salary and qualifications. Applications received up to the 22nd November, 1911. Address

n10-2 D. WATT, Secretary.

CLEARING AUCTION SALE

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JOSEPH ACTON

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East Half Lot 8, Concession 11, Brooke,

—ON—

Tuesday, November 14, 1911

the following valuable stock, etc., viz:

1 H. D. mare, 8 years old, bred to St. Edmonds;

1 H. D. brood mare, 4 years old, bred to Milton Hill;

1 sucking colt, 3 months old, Milton Hill;

1 spring colt, H. D. Branton Surprise; 1 driving mare, 5 years old, Lord Roberts; 4 cows supposed in calf; 2 yearling heifers, 1 yearling steer,

3 heifer calves, 10 first-class breeding ewes, 2 brood sows, 15 sheep, 100 thoroughbred Leghorn hens, 1 M. H. binder, 1 Deering mower, 1 M. H. seed drill, 1 horse rake, 1 hay loader, 1 Perrin riding plow, 1 gang plow, 2 long plows, 1 set St. Thomas harrows, 1 steel scraper, set iron harrows, disc harrow, corn scuffer, land roller,

lumber wagon, (above implements are all nearly new), set bob-sleighs, gravel box, wheelbarrow, hay and pig rack, wood rack, top buggy steel tire, top buggy rubber tire, 1 cutter, 1 buggy pole, 1 fanning mill, set (2,000 lb.) scales, 1 set double harness, 2 sets single harness, 1 water tank, hay fork, car and slings and 75 feet of rope, stone boat and jumper, quantity of shingles, about 200 bushels good seed oats, quantity of straw to be fed on place, whiffletrees, forks, cow chains, etc., 1 Capital cream separator new, cupboards, tables, chairs, beds, churns, washing machines, and other articles too numerous to mention.

Everything without reserve as proprietor has sold the farm.

Sale to commence at one o'clock.

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