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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.

**COMES TO THE FAIR.**  
**LADIES** tailoring at Swift's.  
**PROBS**—Fine and comparatively cool. How do you like the new tungsten lamps?

**COURT LOVER** meets Monday evening next.

**BROWNS'** for clothing on Fair days and every day.

**THANKSGIVING DAY** has been fixed for Monday, October 30th.

**HUNT** up your flannels and see your furnace is in working order.

**THANKSGIVING DAY** is the next holiday, but you should give thanks every day.

**TREPOLI**, the centre of the war trouble, is pronounced Trip-o-lee, with the accent on the first syllable.

The editor acknowledges receipt of late Belfast and Enniskillen papers from Mr. W. J. Moffatt who is in Ireland.

**10 DOZEN ladies'** embroidered collars, regular 25c for 15c.—SWIFT'S.

**CALL** and see us on Fair day. Leave your parcels and make our store your headquarters.—P. DODDS & SON.

**A STRATHERY MAN** had twenty-eight beer bottles concealed in his clothes while walking along the street fair day. So says the Age.

**THE heavy rains** on Saturday and Sunday were welcome. Plowing was an impossibility in some districts before it came. Now everything is lovely.

**TED PARKER**, humorous entertainer, of Toronto, has been engaged for the "Bowlers' Concert in the Music Hall Friday night." Plan of hall at McLaren's.

**NEW linoleums** and oil cloths for the fall cleaning up.—A. BROWN & CO.

**A NEW serial story** begins in the October Cosmopolitan Magazine, also one in the McLean's and Everybody's, now on the reading room table.

**SEVERAL** from town attended the Layworkers Convention and unveiling of the Kingston memorial tablet in St. Mary's church, Warwick, on Monday.

**THE finest cloth** I ever saw, yes, sir, is right, nothing like it this side of the "bearing pond," \$25.00 a suit.—SWIFT'S.

The regular meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. Innes on Wednesday evening, October 11th, commencing at 8 o'clock.

**THE bird that gets the worm**, is the bird that early rises; the man who gets the trade, is the man who advertises.

**THE Parish of Port Stanley** notified the executive committee of the Diocese of Huron last week of the voluntary increase of \$50 for the stipend of the Rev. Canon Bowie.

**FANCY chirtz** comforters, imported direct from the makers in England, also shipment of genuine Scotch blankets.—SWIFT'S.

**MR. WM. J. THOMPSON** had his right hand badly lacerated in a threshing machine on Wednesday of last week. Fortunately no bones were broken but he suffers great pain from the injury.

**THE conditions** of the weather affected the attendance at the Methodist S. S. Rally last Sunday, but those present were much interested in the beautiful service commemorative to the illustrious founder of Sunday schools—Robert Raikes.

**REMEMBER** the big fair and don't fail to visit Browns' big store and take advantage of the big values they are offering.

**A CONVENTION** will be held in the First Presbyterian church, Brockville, October 23rd to 26th, to celebrate the centennial of the first Sunday School in Ontario, which was organized October, 1811, in the village of Elizabethtown, now Brockville. The first school was organized by Rev. Wm. Swart.

**THE annual meeting** of the Bible Society will take place on Thursday evening, Oct. 12th, in the Methodist church, beginning at 8 o'clock. Rev. R. J. Bowen, District Secretary, who has been working in Eastern Canada and Newfoundland, will be present and deliver the annual address.

**600 pins, 300 hair pins** 5c. a box, 900 articles for 10c.—SWIFT'S.

**New four dollar bills** are being put in circulation by the Government. The face of the new bill is easily distinguishable from that of the one-dollar bill—not so large figures on the backs. It remains to be seen whether they will be a convenience on the nuisance that the old four dollar bills really were.

**A VERY quiet wedding** was solemnized on Wednesday afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Bryce, 4th line, when their only daughter, Ethel Ruth, was joined in the holy bonds of wedlock by Rev. R. Stevenson to Mr. Gordon Hollingsworth, of the firm of Hollingsworth Bros., machinery agents, Watford. Their many friends wish them all happiness.

**FUN** and only refined fun by Ted Parker, humorous and descriptive entertainer, at the Bowlers' Concert in the Music Hall Friday, Oct. 6th. Plan of hall at McLaren's Drug Store.

**CATCHY** weather. SEND in the news. DECORATE for the Fair. SEE the new King hats—as usual they are the leaders.—A. BROWN & CO.

**THE big pumpkins** and the tall corn stalks have the floor this week.

**DR. CORNELL'S** next visit to Watford will be on Friday, November 24th.

**P. J. DODDS & SON** shipped a car of apples to Calgary and one to London this week.

**WATFORD school children** will be given a holiday to-day (Friday) to permit them to visit the fair.

**BOYS' overcoats**, see our prices, piles of goods to choose from. Swift's fair day specials, sizes 28 to 32.

**CORSETS**—Mrs. John Bryson still receives orders for Robinson's corsets. Best attention to all orders.

**SHOES** and rubbers in endless variety at P. Dodds & Son's. Call and see us Fair Day or any other day. We can interest you.

**SEE Laurant's** startling mysteries at the Band Concert in the Lyceum, Friday night. Plan of hall at Taylors' drug store. Don't miss it. Admission 35c.

**OUR DISPLAY** of ladies', misses' and children's coats will be of interest to Fair visitors.—A. BROWN & CO.

**PROBABLY** the oldest man in the country that voted at the election was Mr. L. McDougall, of Wallaceburg, who is 99 years of age.

**THE Rev. J. B. Kennedy**, of Toronto, organizer of the Temperance Moral Reform Association, will preach in the Watford Baptist church on Sunday evening next at 7 p.m.

**OWING** to a number of the members of the Lambton Rifle Association being with their farm work the L. R. A. rifle matches have been postponed until Oct. 16th, on which date they will take place.

**THE new Anglican hymnal** has proven to be an unqualified success, and instead of causing a loss to the finances of the Canadian church, the royalties for the past year have amounted to \$15,000, which will be devoted to missionary undertakings. The church has now decided upon the publication of a Canadian prayer book, and a committee of all bishops, together with 25 clergy and laymen, has been appointed to revise and compile the edition.

**VISIT** our millinery show room on Fair days—it will repay you.—A. BROWN & CO.

**THE many friends** of Miss Margaret Bell Saunders, of Watford, will be pleased to hear that she has been chosen by the Toronto World to be the first representative of Toronto to interview Mrs. R. L. Borden in her new role as first lady of the land. Miss Saunders is in Ottawa this week, and the interview will be printed in the Toronto Sunday World of October 8th. Coming from the facile pen of our talented young townsman the article will undoubtedly make very interesting reading.

**OUR stock** of plain and fancy voile skirt easy to see in dress goods department. Price \$5.00 to \$10.00.—SWIFT'S.

**A CLIPPING** from a Bakersville, Cal., paper describes a scene at Redlick's department store as "one of unusual splendor during an evening of the fall fashion show. Great throngs surged the beautiful store. A feature of the evening was the display of live models in their large arcade window in full view of every body. An attractive model was 'dressed' from fabrics in the piece and the results attained were nothing short of marvelous. This exhibition of draping will be continued each day during the fashion show by Mr. E. C. Gott. Mr. Gott is a brother of Mrs. John Bryson, Watford.

**HARVEST** thanksgiving services were held in Trinity church on Sunday last, but owing to the inclement weather were not as largely attended as usual, although the evening congregation was a good one. The interior of the edifice was artistically decorated with roots, fruits, plants, flowers, etc., and was a credit to those who did the work. In the morning the rector read the service, preached to the children, and administered holy communion. In the evening the Ven. Archdeacon Richardson, of London, took the entire service and preached from Gen. 8:22. The sermon was a comprehensive one, the venerable gentleman's expressive delivery and diction commanding close attention forcibly carrying the truths home to his hearers. A special collection for missions was taken up at the evening service and amounted to about \$50.00.

**THE tungsten lamps** have been placed on some of the streets. Where the trees have been trimmed at the bottom the new lights seem to give satisfaction, but where that has not been done the range of light is very limited. The lower branches of many of the shade trees should be taken off. In wet weather the weight of the water sags the branches to such an extent that it is inconvenient to carry an umbrella while passing along the sidewalks. The Council should direct all shade trees to be trimmed to a uniform height as nearly as possible. Trim the bottoms and not the tops and the appearance and usefulness of the trees will be enhanced and the new system of street lighting made a success. As it is unlawful to trim a shade tree without the consent of the Council, action should be taken by that body at once to regulate the same.

**SWIFT'S Big Store, Watford's Big Fair.**

**CAUGHT** in the act of selling a lady's coat \$2.00 cheaper than mall order prices. It's a fact. Our price \$22.00, other fellow \$24.00.—SWIFT BROS.

**PRESS** notices from all over the country are very flattering to Miss Pearl O'Neil, elocutionist, of Toronto, who has been engaged for the Bowlers' Concert in the Music Hall Friday night. Reserve your seats at McLaren's Drug Store.

**AT** the East Lambton Teachers' Convention held at Petrolia last Friday the following officers were elected for the coming year:—Hon. Pres. N. McDougall, I.P.S.; Hon. Vice-Presidents, Wm. Clyde, M.A., and L. J. Williams, B.A.; President, Richard Blake, Oil Springs; Vice-President, Miss Carruthers; Secretary-Treasurer, R. J. Campbell; Executive Committee, the officers and W. H. Strappell, Miss Mae Smith, P. K. Smith and Miss Letch.

**PERSONAL.**

Miss Ethel Tye, London, spent Sunday at her home here.

Miss Gladys Shrapnell spent the week end at her home here.

Mr. James Craig returned from Rouleau, Sask., on Friday.

Mrs. Henry Conn, Sarnia, is visiting Watford relatives this week.

Mr. Lance Stevens, Toronto, called on old friends in Watford Saturday.

Miss Forsyth went to London, Saturday, where she has accepted a position.

Mrs. R. Williamson, Windsor, is visiting friends and relatives here this week.

Mrs. Abram Brown, of Port Rowan, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. W. Louks, Ontario St.

Rev. W. J. Spence, rector of Holy Trinity, Chatham, was a Watford visitor Wednesday.

Miss Pearl Restorick left for Chicago Sunday night where she will visit friends for a few weeks.

Mr. H. Benjafield, Wanstead, spent the past week at the home of his sister, Mrs. Alf. Nash, Warwick St.

Miss Nelly Louks returned home after a pleasant visit with friends at Clear Creek, Port Rowan and London.

Miss Isabel Harris returned to Welland Saturday to resume her work as directress of the Kindergarten schools of that place.

Mrs. J. Koyle, Dubouyne, and Mrs. Wm. Dempsey, Strathroy, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thompson, Watford.

Cecil Sisson, formerly a student in the Watford High School, is taking a course in the Canada Business College, Chatham, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Willoughby, Ithaca, Mich., are visiting relatives in town. They will remain until after the fair.

Mrs. Kirkpatrick, who has been spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs. (Dr.) Auld, has returned to her home in Fernie, B. C.

Mr. Harold Shay, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. White, for the past two weeks, returned to his home in Gary, Ind., Sunday night.

**Daughters of the Empire.**

A very enjoyable meeting of the Daughters of the Empire was held at the home of Mrs. T. G. Mitchell, Oct. 3rd. There were thirteen members and eight visitors present. The program, which was excellent throughout, consisted of nine numbers. The first, an instrumental by Miss Alfrida Mitchell, then the Chapter sang "Blest be the tie that binds," a short account of John Fawcett the composer of this beautiful hymn was given by Mrs. Brown, a paper on "The Life of General Gordon" was read by the hostess, Miss Alma Glass gave a song "Anchored." Mrs. Chambers and Miss Elizabeth Baird each gave a reading and Miss Muriel Taylor an instrumental. A dainty lunch was served and the meeting closed by singing "God Save the King." The November meeting will be taken by Mrs. S. Mitchell, Mrs. Bennett assisting hostess. Subject "The History of the Union Jack." Quotations, "The Flag."

**WATFORD COUNCIL.**

Regular meeting of Council, October 2nd, 1911. Members present, Reeve, Brown, Williams, Graham and Willoughby.

Communication from John Livingstone read re damage to property on night of 21st of September.

Brown-Willoughby, that we do not entertain the claim of John Livingstone for damage to property on night of 21st of September.—Carried.

Finance Committee examined accounts and recommended payment:

Clifford Leigh, 3rd qr. ringing bell ..... \$ 10 00  
W. S. Fuller, 3rd qr. salary and postage ..... 39 50  
W. A. Thompson, repairs walks ..... 2 00  
Walter Scott, 3rd qr. salary care engine ..... 7 50  
Treas. Board Education, Public School ..... 250 00  
Ed. Clark, 2 days Williams div. .... 3 00  
Thos. E. Hume, 2 1/2 days cutting weeds ..... 7 00  
Guido-Advocate 3rd qr. printing ..... 15 75  
Thos. Kerr, gravel account ..... 50 45  
H. Kersey, drying account ..... 3 75  
Ed. McMahon, wood S. Laughlin ..... 3 00  
Wm. Dean, opening grave re Mrs. James Mat Boyles, cleaning crossings ..... 2 50  
Brown-Willoughby, that accounts be passed and Reeve grant his order.—Carried.

Brown-Willoughby, that we adjourn.—Carried.

W. S. FULLER, Clerk.

## THE FAIR.

Everything is in readiness for Watford's big fair, and fine weather only is required to make it a success. The entries are coming in rapidly and the directors and officers are leaving no stone unturned to make the fair a hummer. The grounds and track are in good shape and with fine weather a big crowd is assured who will, when the day is over, go home well satisfied that the East Lambton Fair is the best of the lot. There will be a Baby Show.

**Pipers Band**  
**Scotch Dancers**  
**Merry-go-round** for the children  
**Ladies' and gents' road races**  
**Two concerts**

And the biggest display of live stock, fruits and vegetables ever gathered together in the county.

How much more could you stand in one day?

**East Lambton Election.**

The official count was held by Returning Officer Augustine at Birnam on Thursday last and resulted in placing Mr. Armstrong's majority at 494. The detailed figures will be found on page two. There were 436 less votes polled than in the 1908 election, Bosanquet being the only municipality where there was not a shrinkage. Below we give the figures:—

**COMPARISON WITH 1908 ELECTION.**

	Fewer votes polled than in 1908	More votes polled than in 1908
Bosanquet	4	—
Warwick	95	—
Euphonia	50	—
Brooke	47	—
Oil Springs	18	—
Alvinston	12	—
Theftord	28	—
Arkona	9	—
Watford	26	—
Enniskillen	103	—
Petrolia	36	—
	440	4

**BORN.**

In Warwick on Oct. 4th, 1911, to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Aylesworth, a daughter.

In Warwick on Friday, September 25th, 1911, to Mr. and Mrs. John Parker, a son, Vernon Winfield.

In Warwick, on Monday, October 2nd, 1911, to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McLeary, a daughter.

In Theftord on Wednesday, Sept. 25th, 1911, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Vaughn, a son.

In Bosanquet, on Friday, Sept. 22nd, 1911, to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Moore, a daughter.

In Bosanquet, on Wednesday, October 4th, 1911, to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Porter, a son.

In Parkhill, on Monday, Sept. 25th, to Mr. and Mrs. John A. Patterson, (nee Belle Cameron) of Paris, a son.

In West McGilivray, on Sunday, Sept. 24th, to Mr. and Mrs. John J. O'Hara, a daughter.

In Plympton, on Sept. 24th, to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Johnson, 2nd line, a daughter.

**MARRIED.**

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McLean, on 1st line, Brooke, on Wednesday, Sept. 27th, by the Rev. N. A. Campbell, Donald Leach Minto, of South Plympton, to Lottie M., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. McLean of Brooke.

At the residence of the bride's parents, 4th line, Warwick, on Wednesday, October 4th, 1911, by the Rev. R. Stevenson, pastor of the Congregational church, Mr. Gordon Hollingsworth of Watford to Miss Ethel Ruth, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bryce.

At the Manse, Petrolia, on Friday, September 22nd, by the Rev. Dr. McNair, Margaret Viola Bosanquet, to Mr. Victor VanAlstine, of Parkhill.

**DIED.**

In Warwick, on Tuesday, October 3rd, 1911, her 80th year.

In Bosanquet, on Wednesday, Sept. 20th, 1911, Mr. George Tapp, aged 55 years.

In Strathroy on Thursday morning, Sept. 21st, 1911, Lottie Brown, beloved wife of Angus Mitchell, aged 36 years, 6 months and 29 days.

In Sarnia, on Friday, Sept. 24th, 1911, Wilkinson Weston, aged 74 years. Born in the town of Willow, Nottinghamshire, England, Sept. 24th, 1837.

**Ladies Orange Benevolent Association.**

The ladies of Watford Lodge No. 95 of the Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association held very successful meetings on Friday and Saturday, August 25th and 26th with the R. W. G. M. Miss Cullum, of Toronto, presiding. The object of her visit to our Lodge was to complete the work of organizing our Lodge and to instruct us in degree work. Our Lodge is progressing very favorably for the short time we have been organized and we think all ladies should be interested in this noble work as it is for a good cause. The officers of Watford L.O.B.A. are as follows:—

W. M.—Sister Mrs. Jas. Graham  
D. M.—Sister Mrs. C. D. Wilson  
Chaplain—Sister Mrs. Geo. Rivers  
Rec. Sec.—Sister Mrs. Fred Westgate  
Fin. Sec.—Sister Miss C. Cameron  
Treasurer—Sister Miss Susie Reycraft  
Dir. of Ceremonies—Sister Mrs. John Stanger

Inside Guard—Sister Mrs. John McIntosh  
Outside Guard—Brother Geo. Rivers  
1st Lecturer—Sister Mrs. Geo. Rivers  
2nd Lecturer—Sister Miss F. Shannon  
Committee—1st, Sister Mrs. S. Stable-

ford; 2nd, Sister Mrs. R. Jarrlott; 3rd, Sister Miss F. Shannon.  
Guardian—Brother Jas. Graham.

**WARWICK.**

Mrs. Colin Hagle purchased Mr. Wm. Harper's 100-acre farm last week.

Mr. Enoch Thomas sold his 100-acre farm last week to Mr. Harry Cable.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Knight and Master Orval, spent Sunday at Mr. Alex. Fair's.

Mr. John Anderson sold his 100-acre 2nd line farm to Mr. Luther Smith last week.

Mrs. Francis Crone, Madamain, spent a few days last week at the home of Mr. Joseph Crone.

Mr. Robert M. Jones, son of Reeve Jones, left for Toronto Saturday to take a medical course at the University.

There is a slight improvement in the condition of Mrs. Joseph Crone who has been critically ill for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Foster and daughter Elva, London, spent a few days last week with Mrs. Robert Campbell and Mrs. Will Vance, 15 sideroad.

Mr. James A. Thompson, Kingscourt, has purchased from John Collins the 100 acre farm being lot 6, con. 4, S. E. R., the consideration being \$5,700.

The Toronto World of Tuesday had an excellent picture of Mr. R. Mauders' 15 months old Shorthorn calf which weighs 1,400 lbs. It is a monster for its age.

Mrs. Leonard Thomas, who spent a month with relatives in Toronto, Hamilton, Strathroy, Adelaide and Warwick, returned to her home in Bad Axe last week.

Mr. Lorne V. James, who was on the Merchants Bank staff at Acme, Alta., has returned home and will shortly go to Toronto to enter the Ontario Veterinary College.

Mr. Johnston Cowan has sold his farm, the west half of lot 24, con. 6, S. E. R., 100 acres, to Mr. Ed. Ross, of Owen Sound, possession to be given March 1st. Mr. Cowan will move to the west in the spring.

Mrs. Geo. McCormick and daughter, Mrs. W. Loree, with her five little children, left last week for their respective homes in Carman and Winnipeg, after a two months' visit with Warwick relatives and friends.

The death occurred on Tuesday last at her home on 2nd line, S. E. R. Warwick, of Mrs. Janet Scott, relict of the late Joseph Scott, in her 80th year. The funeral took place on Thursday afternoon to the Watford cemetery.

The Judges' Court of Revision on the Warwick voters' list has been again postponed and will be held in the Town Hall, Warwick Village, on Monday, October 9th, at 10 a.m. All interested will please take notice.

A Thanksgiving service will (D.V.) be held in St. Paul's Church, Wisbeach, on Sunday next, Oct. 8th, at 3 p.m. The preacher for the occasion will be the Rev. A. H. Rhodes of Sarnia. The offertory will be devoted to the general fund.

The many friends of Mr. Bert Collier, Chief Probation Officer of the Juvenile Court, Vancouver, will regret to hear that he has been ill for some time and underwent a surgical operation. He is now making splendid improvement and hopes soon to be again in perfect health.

The Warwick Branch of the Women's Institute will hold its regular monthly meeting on Thursday, October 12th, at 2:30 p.m., in the Foresters' Hall, Warwick. A paper will be given by William Minnelly on "How to Make Our Institute Meetings Simple, Entertaining and Interesting." All the ladies or the vicinity are cordially invited.

The Lambton Rural Deacons and Layworkers Convention was held in St. Mary's church, Warwick, on Monday last. There were afternoon and evening sessions. There was a very large attendance in the evening. Col. Kenward, of Watford, presided. In the afternoon Rev. T. B. Howard, B.A., organizing secretary of Sunday Schools, gave a fine address and the Rev. Paul Berman, a converted Jew, gave an able address on Jewish Missions. In the evening a beautiful brass tablet which has been erected by the congregation to the memory of the late Mr. Charles Kingstone was unveiled. This was followed by three splendid addresses on the missionary work of the church, by the Rev. Canon Davis, Sarnia, the Rev. Paul Berman, Toronto, and the Ven. Archdeacon Richardson, of London.

**SCHOOL REPORTS.**

Report for S. S. No. 10, Warwick, for the month of September:—Class IV., total marks 175.—Verna McGillicuddy 135, Freida Wiley 131, Kathleen McGillicuddy 111, Class III., total 175.—Bridie Conkey 135, Margaret Ross 134, Class II., total marks 180.—Basil Watson 137, Linda McIntosh 126, Russell Parker 73. Pt. II., total marks 150.—Harold Cates 116, Arthur Minnelly 96, Class I.—Willie Minnelly, Mary Williams, Ina McIntosh. Attendance 13.—ROSA M. BROWN, Teacher.

At a meeting held at Kinnaird on Tuesday evening it was decided to enter into a local campaign in the township of Bosanquet. Committees were appointed to canvass for the necessary 25 per cent. petition to the council to have the by-law submitted.