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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

BOYS' WARM SUITS AND OVERCOATS.—SWIFT'S.

FOREST fair had 2,000 entries and \$425 gate receipts.

Trafalgar Day, Oct. 18th. Read the appeal on page 5.

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SOME people have no beefs days. They are always beefing about some thing or other.

TWO more newspapers have suspended publication, the Peterboro Times and the Barrie Gazette.

TIGER Brand Underwear for men. Best value in Ontario.—SWIFT'S.

SEVERAL young men from this district have already been examined by the Military Service Board.

WHAT some men know about motoring would fill a book. What they don't know fills cemeteries.

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TAXES are now due. Collector Alex. Cameron will call on you shortly if he has not already done so.

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INDIGO BLUE for men's suits—4 pieces, \$27.50 to \$32.00.—SWIFT'S.

THE frame of the old Roche building on Main Street will be sold by auction on Saturday afternoon at 4.30. See bills.

A CABLEGRAM was received this week from Lieut. Ernest Lawrence, who is with the 10th Canadian Field Ambulance Corps in France, stating that he had received a gun shot wound in the right arm and rupture of the ear drum by shock.

LAMETON'S 149, I.O.D.E., met at Miss Muriel Taylor's on Tuesday, October 9th. Arrangements were made for packing Xmas boxes for overseas. Plans for an entertainment on Halloween were discussed and will be published later. Next meeting will be at home of Mrs. J. W. McLaren.

THE regular meeting of the Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. John McKecher on Tuesday evening, October 9th, members present 12. After singing The Maple Leaf canvassers were appointed to go around with pledge cards for the conservation of food, after which Miss Germain played an instrumental very nicely and Miss J. McKecher gave a good reading. The singing of the National Anthem brought the meeting to a close.

TEN DOZEN women's cashmere hose, Penman's.—SWIFT'S.

The Late William Brison

Mr. Wm. Brison, mention of whose death was made in our last issue, was a native of Warwick, being born on the Main Road. He came to Watford many years ago and was always highly esteemed by all who knew him. He was married to Miss Mary Ann Evans of Ingersoll, who predeceased him five years ago. He leaves five children to mourn the loss of a kind father, namely three boys, David of Calgary; Stanley, of Coronation; Wellington, of Watford, and two daughters Miss Mattie, nurse, Pt. Huron, and Miss Vena, of Watford. Two brothers and two sisters also survive: John of Watford and George of Wisbeach; Mrs. John Mathews and Mrs. R. Kells, of Watford. The funeral took place from the family residence, Erie Street, on Thursday, Oct. 4th, to the Watford cemetery, the Rev. A. C. Tiffin conducting the service. The pallbearers were W. Ward, D. A. Maxwell, Dr. Hicks, J. H. Hume, W. E. Fitzgerald and C. H. Butler.

MARRIED

At the Rectory, Watford, on Sept. 25th, by the Rev. S. P. Irwin, Ernest T. Ferguson, of Enniskillen, to Miss Electa Corestine, of Brooke.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Hicks, Talbotville, is visiting her son, Dr. Hicks.

Mrs. A. J. Harkness, Sarnia, spent last week at A. Cameron's.

Mrs. Annie Roche, Detroit, is visiting her niece, Mrs. A. Cameron.

Miss Nellie Roy has returned from a visit with friends in Pembroke and Toronto.

Mrs. Seaton, of Buffalo, N.Y., has been visiting a week with her nephew, Mr. Thos. Collins.

Mr. Clarence Mott, of the Merchants Bank, Stratford, is visiting his friend, Miss Kathleen Elliot.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. McIveen, Miss Bowden, Philena and Jean Rapson, spent Thanksgiving in Clinton.

Miss Margaret Macalpine left for New York last week, where she will take a course in convalescent nursing.

Messrs. W. McLeay, J. F. Elliot and F. Kenward attended the funeral of the late Mrs. W. G. Fraser at Petrolia on Friday.

Mr. James Miller, Dresden, a former resident of Watford, who left here 16 years ago, called on relatives and old friends here on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Taylor, who have spent a few weeks here at their home, have returned to London, where Mr. Taylor is kept very busy looking after the six Taylor drug stores.

Petrolia Advertiser:—"Mrs. Laughlin has returned to her home in Watford after spending the past three weeks with her daughters, Mrs. Thos. Rawlings, Eureka Street and Mrs. W. LaPointe, Robert Street."

Flight-Cadet Clarence Tanner, Moose Jaw, member of the Flying Corps now at North Branch, spent Thanksgiving with Watford relatives. Cadet Tanner, who has lately been admitted to the bar, relinquished bright-prospects in order to serve his country at the front.

Among the Thanksgiving visitors here the following were noticed:—Miss Muriel Brown, Guelph; Mrs. Neil McLean, Sarnia; The Misses Tanner, St. Thomas; Dr. A. Tanner, Chatham; Mr. Will Thom, Toronto; Miss L. Doan, St. Thomas; Miss Annie Auld, Toronto; Mrs. S. B. White and sons, London; Mrs. (Dr.) Bentley and daughter Margaret, Sarnia; Miss Edna McIvor, Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Wanless, Sarnia; Miss Gladys Shrapnell, Ingersoll; Mr. and Mrs. John Tanner and daughter Kathleen, Toronto.

Albert Searsbrook, a Petrolia grocer, dropped dead on the street from heart failure Monday.

WHY ARMY IS LIKE A CIRCUS

Men Back From the Front Point Out Certain Similarities

Ottawa, Oct. 10.—An army in the field has been compared with a circus traveling about the country. The comparison is a rough and ready one, but according to military officers back from the front, it suffices to show certain essential features of the fighting force.

One is that a large number of men are needed to look after the transportation and care of equipment, to cook the meals and put up the tents, etc., while the number of actual performers is comparatively few. Many more work outside the ring than in it.

The army has many disadvantages, however, from which the circus does not suffer. It has to build its own railroads, as a rule, run them and keep them in repair, while it must also bring in with it nearly all the food and other supplies it needs. It must be braced also for a constantly increasing burden of casualties, requiring special care and comfort, and in modern war the big guns consume vast quantities of shells daily which must be replaced immediately.

Ever noticed the number of men who are engaged to keep the circus in running order? If you have you may be able better to understand why an army needs thousands of men behind the lines.

Earley—Edgar

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Edgar, Metcalfe, on Wednesday, Sept. 26th, at 3 o'clock, when their only daughter, Katherine Gertrude, was united in marriage to Mr. Ernest L. Earley, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Earley, of Adelaide. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Diehl, in the presence of immediate relatives and friends. The bride entered the parlor on the arm of her father to the strains of the wedding march played by Mrs. Athelstane Edgar, sister-in-law of the bride. The bride was prettily gowned in cream silk with georgette crepe and pearl trimmings and carried cream roses and maiden hair ferns. The bridesmaid, Miss Evah Pennington, wore blue taffeta with white silk trimmings and carried pink carnation. The groom was assisted by Mr. Athelstane Edgar, brother of the bride. During the signing of the register Mrs. Edgar sang "All that I ask is Love." The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome pearl necklace, to the bridesmaid a pearl pin, to the groomsmen gold cuff links and to the pianist a sunburst. They received many beautiful

presents, including a check from the groom's father. After a dainty luncheon was served the happy couple motored to London and there left by train for Hamilton, Brantford and Toronto, the bride wearing a navy blue taffeta suit and picture hat. On their return they will reside on the groom's farm, 4th line, Adelaide.

WARWICK

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Howard, London, spent Thanksgiving with their uncle, John Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Marsh and daughters, of Mount Brydges, spent Thanksgiving at Sidney Barnes.

Mrs. G. Creighton, Mooretown, and Mrs. E. E. Hilton, Strathroy, spent the week end with their cousin, Mrs. John Miller, 4th line.

A miscellaneous shower was given in honor of Miss Aggie Watson by Mrs. Nelson Wiley at the home of Mrs. W. Howden on Thursday, Sept. 27th.

The Rev. S. A. Brigham of Walpole Island will (D.V.) preach morning and evening in St. Mary's Church, Warwick, and afternoon in St. Paul's Church, Wisbeach, next Sunday, Oct. 14th, on the subject of Missions.

The Liberals of the Township of Warwick will meet in the Town Hall, Warwick Village, on Wednesday evening, October 17th, at 7.30 p.m. Mr. Neil McDougall and Mr. J. D. McEachern, the two candidates, and others will address the meeting.

A quiet wedding took place at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. David Watson on Tuesday, Oct. 2nd, when Miss Agnes B. Watson, Warwick, was married to Mr. John McNabb of Adelaide. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. G. Radcliffe, only immediate relatives being present.

The Warwick Patriotic League met at the home of Mrs. Hugh Vance on Thursday, Oct. 4th. Owing to the inclement weather the attendance was not as large as usual. It was decided in response to an appeal from Hyman Hall to donate \$10 to the British Red Cross. The collection amounted to \$15, with 14 ladies present. The bale sent to Hyman Hall this week contained 11 grey flannel shirts, 11 suits pyjamas, 18 pillow cases, 12 towels, 36 handkerchiefs.

PLYMPTON

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Minniely, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Kennedy motored to Goderich and took in the fair.

Rev. and Mrs. H. F. Kennedy spent a few days at Chas. Minniely's.

Chas. Minniely is away this week helping Leslie McKay fill silos.

KERWOOD

On Monday evening, Sept. 24th, Mrs. George Freer, entertained a number of her friends, the occasion being to present Miss Katherine Edgar with a miscellaneous shower. A social evening was spent in music and games, after which a dainty luncheon was served.

CHOP STUFF

Wyoming's tax rate is 30 mills, five more than last year.

Anderdon tomato growers report severe losses this season from grasshopper plague.

Geo. Sargent of the Blind Line, Petrolia, had a field of oats that averaged 82 bushels to the acre.

The Colonial Furniture Co. of Strathroy, has been forced to suspend operations for a time.

Thos. Haggitt, Glencoe, lost his barn and contents by fire last week. He fell while carrying a lighted lantern.

Mr. W. J. Colter, late of the Sarnia Police force, a former resident of Petrolia, has been appointed High Constable of the County.

Master Gordon Kell, the six-year-old son of Wm. Kell, townline Plympton, while riding a bicycle with his older brother fell off and broke his arm.

WANT COLUMN.

FOR SALE—One wood turning lathe, nearly new. Apply to H. McNALLY, Watford. s28-tf

FOR SALE, a one-horse delivery wagon, nearly new. Reasonable price for cash. Apply at office of this paper.

NOTICE—Any person trespassing on the field known as the McGregor property, Watford, will be prosecuted to the utmost extent of the law.—WM. MARKWICK. s21-tf

WORN OUT HORSES and tallen animals of any kind bought.—LETT BROS., fur ranchers, lot 18, con. 13, Brooke; Rural phone #821, Watford P. O. Phone messages at our expense. tf

FOR SALE.—The residence of the late Andrew McDonnell, Watford. Solid two-story brick, interior finished in natural wood. Two lots. Hard and soft water. Apply on the premises. 21tf

CARD OF THANKS.—We wish to thank our neighbours and friends for the many kindnesses shown us during the illness and death of our beloved father, Mr. Wm. Brison.—FAMILY.

SEVERAL good dwelling house properties in Watford for sale cheap, including the residences of Mr. Livingstone and the late Robert Kells. Private and other money to loan on farm property. Apply to W. E. FITZGERALD, Barrister etc., Watford.

Pay Will Be The Same

Men selected under the Military Service Act will receive the same pay as those now on active service receive. Pay will start from the time a man reports for duty. Money from the Patriotic Fund and Separation Allowance will also be available for selected men.

Canadian soldiers are well paid. The fact that wages in Canada are generally higher than those paid in Europe is recognized in the system of remuneration for men on active service. Clothing and all equipment in addition to food is also supplied to the Canadian soldier, leaving him with no expense except personal incidentals.

The rate of pay for men in the Canadian Expeditionary Force, other than commissioned officers, is as follows:

	Pay	Field Allowance
	\$2.00	30 cts.
Warrant Officers		
Regimental Sergt-Major, if not a Warrant Officer	1.85	20 "
Quartermaster-Sergeants	1.80	20 "
Orderly Room Clerks	1.50	20 "
Orderly Room Sergeants	1.50	20 "
Pay Sergeants	1.50	20 "
Squad, Batt., or Co. Sergt-Major	1.60	20 "
Colour-Sergeant or Staff-Sergeant	1.60	20 "
Squad, Batt., or Co. Q.M.S.	1.50	20 "
Sergeants	1.35	15 "
Lance-Sergeants	1.15	15 "
Corporals	1.10	10 "
Lance-Corporals	1.05	10 "
Bombardiers, or Second Corporals	1.05	10 "
Trumpeters, Buglers, and Drummers	1.00	10 "
Privates, Gunners, Drivers	1.00	10 "
Sappers, Batmen, etc.	1.00	10 "

As in the case of those already gone overseas, Separation Allowances will be available for those dependent for livelihood upon selected men. The Separation Allowance is \$20.00 per month for the rank and file, \$25.00 for sergeants and staff-sergeants and \$30.00 for warrant officers. The experience is that many men can afford to assign half their pay to dependents, in addition.

A considerable number of men who have enlisted in the Canadian forces have found themselves better off under the army rate of pay, which is granted in addition to board, lodging, clothing, equipment, transportation, etc., than they were while in civilian positions. Their wants are provided for, and they receive a steady addition to the bank account each month.

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ences the high esteem in which she is held by her numerous friends and acquaintances. The groom's gift to the bride was a beautiful diamond and sapphire necklace, to Miss M. Hamilton, a gold brooch set with sapphire and pearls, to Miss P. Kelly, a gold watch and forget-me-not chain, and to the flower girl, Miss A. O'Brien, old gold and pearl maple brooch.

The bride's going-away suit was a tailored brown broadcloth with hat and gloves.

The happy couple departed amid a shower of confetti and good wishes and motored to London to catch the bound train for Toronto.

The honeymoon trip will embrace the eastern part of Ontario, Ottawa and Montreal, and Mrs. Morningstar will be at home to their friends at Wanstead after the first.

WEEK BOYS AND GIRLS

It is a mistake to think that anaemia is a girl's complaint. Girls probably show the effect of weak, watery blood more plainly than boys.

Delayed menstruation, pale faces, headaches, pallor, and a feeling of listlessness, call for a weak blood in the case of young girls.

But boys in their teens grow thin and have pimples on their faces, showing that they have not enough blood.

The anaemic boy is just as likely to be a victim of consumption as the anaemic girl.

Let the boy and girl know that it is condition catch cold and he will be strong and his health becomes normal.

Prevent serious disaster to those of the young generation, let both boys and girls be given the new rich blood which Williams' Pink Pills are famous for.

Remember that the boy has to go to school, and the girl has to go to school, and a fair chance to develop strongly.

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