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CHOP STUFF

Sergt. Geo. Newman, of Sarnia, is among the wounded.

H. Fraleigh has hemp on his farm, near Forest, nearly six feet tall.

Chaplain Carlyle of Windsor is returning home from the front.

The Thedford paper will not be published this week. Annual holiday.

Wm Reid, a well-known resident of Middlesex for many years, died at his home in Metcalfe last week, in his 77 year.

Delaware township has an outbreak of rabies, and the township council has ordered that all dogs be muzzled immediately.

David McMillan of Sarnia, was thrown from his auto on Saturday and had his right leg broken in three places, also was severely bruised about the body.

John McAlpine, at the River Thames, has a field of oats from which a sample measures 36 inches in the straw. His other crops are equally good.

Carrie Lightfoot, eight-year-old daughter of John Lightfoot, living near Alvinston was terribly burned on Friday when a can of coal oil exploded in her hands. She succumbed to her injuries on Saturday.

The residence of W. Volk, who lives north of No. 18 school house, Sauble Valley, was burned down last week. A spark from the chimney lighting on the roof is supposed to have started the fire. Most of the contents were saved.

Girls and boys under fifteen years are not allowed on the streets of Alvinston after 8.30 in the evening unless accompanied by their parents. The constable gives notice in the local paper that the law will be strictly enforced.

A. Wark, 2nd line, Plympton, met with a serious accident. When he was getting into the buggy the horse started suddenly, his foot slipped and caught in the buggy, and he was dragged for some distance, causing severe bruises and cuts.

Mrs. A. D. Urline, of Hamilton, formerly of Dutton, was robbed of \$30 while visiting Buffalo. A man representing himself as an immigration officer told her that she must deposit \$30 with him, as no one without that amount could enter the country.

John McMahon of Petrolia has on two occasions been reported dead. In making the correction the Topic says:—"To see him cavorting about the bowling green would convince anyone that his youthful days are far from being spent, and here's hoping so."

Letters received in Sarnia to-day, from members of the 70th Battalion state that the greater part of the battalion had gone to the front in drafts of 100 to 200 at a time. Lieuts. Garyey, LeSueur and McCormick were already in France at time of writing, July 4-5. Major Fred Gorman, Capt. Grainger, of London, and Lieut. Menish, of Strathroy, were leaving

to join the 4th Canadian Mounted Rifles. Lieut. Stewart Cowan was also under orders to join a mounted rifle battalion in France. Hec. Cowan and Jas. Mackenzie were still in England with the artillery.

Late tomatoes, in a good many places, are reported to be in poor condition with the prospect of only half a crop. While the tops look good a blight appears to have struck the under part of the vines. This condition prevails to a greater extent on land affected by wet weather. Grubs have also been doing some damage.

If every farmer would follow the example of Wm. Martinson of Howard, the Belgians would soon be provided for. This genial Howard farmer dropped into The Herald office the other day, and announced that his hogs that week had brought him a nice little sum, and he wanted to leave a five dollar bill of it for the Belgian Relief Fund.—Thamesville, Herald.

The marriage of Captain H. A. Trainor of Lambton's 149 Batt. and Miss Edna Pearl Smith took place at the home of the bride's parents in Cornwall last week. Capt. Trainor, who was formerly local manager of the Bell Telephone Co. in Sarnia, is well known in Watford where best wishes for a long and happy married life are extended himself and bride.

The Western Fair

The amusement programme at the Western Fair, London, Ontario, Sept. 8 to 16 promises to be an especially attractive one. Here are a few of the acts under contract. Lawrence and Harfills, a comedy chair act, which is simply wonderful. Dick's Dog and Pony Circus, this is the act the older people like to take the children to see. Taisier Bros., two japs doing some wonderful feats. Rice, Sully and Scott, a comedy rubber act, something new and novel. The Dayton Family, twelve people who give a remarkable exhibition. The four Aerial Bells, the greatest aerial artists, and others. The new steel Grand Stand, with every seat a good one, will be filled no doubt twice daily. A grand display of fireworks by the International Fireworks Co. of London every night. The Meyerhoff Carnival Co. will fill the Midway with a fine lot of good clean shows. Two speed events on the track daily. Everything will be in full swing at this year's exhibition September 8th to 16th. All information from the Secretary, A. M. Hunt, London, Ontario.

George Stephens, ex-M. P., and for many years a prominent business man of Chatham, died Monday.

The consumption of cigarettes in Canada has been increased during the war. In the last fiscal year the aggregate number entered for consumption at the Inland Revenue Department was 1,168,097,845, of which 86,936,545 were entered for "army and navy stores"; 49,900 heavy cigarettes, and 95,363 pounds of tobacco came under the same head.

Watford's Busy Store

Now is the time to Paper, as next year prices will be much higher on account of coloring material. We have a large stock of distinctly new patterns at old prices—some odd lines, enough for one room, at bargain prices. Call and let us show you our patterns and prices.

SHOES of all descriptions, including Pumps, Colonial and Strap Slippers. Roman Sandals for children, also patent button with blue top or white top.

CHINA—a large assortment suitable for Wedding presents, also Dinner Sets and Toilet Sets, a large assortment at low prices Call and let us show you our stock.

OUR GROCERIES will please you; they are always fresh. A trial order will convince you we can serve you well.

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THE GREATEST CLOTHING SALE

July Bargains

MEN'S SUITS \$7.50, \$9, \$10, \$11, \$12.50. Every suit a money saver from \$2 to \$4. Sizes 34 to 44 in navy and fancy tweed—the goods cost more.—SWIFTS.

YOUNG MEN'S SUITS in Norfolk and two piece with cuffs and plain \$8.50, \$10, \$12.50, regular money makers in sizes 32 to 38.

BOYS' SUITS in a large variety of styles—plain, Norfolk single and double breasted—good tweed and navy serges, every suit a July bargain. Sizes 28 to 34; you can count on a big saving on every suit.—SWIFTS.

SUITS FOR SMALL BOYS, sizes 22 to 28 in fancy styles and plain from \$1.00 to \$2.00, savings on every suit. Smart bloomers in all boys' suits. Our July sale will show a big saving in odd coats, vests and pants. Vests as low as 40c, pants \$1, coat \$2.

BIG SHOWING in tweed pants, men's young men's and youths'. Sizes 30 to 44, ranging in price from \$1.00 to \$4.00.

SPECIAL BARGAINS in boys' two-piece suits, sizes 28 to 34, \$2.75 and \$3.75. These will cost nearly double this price next fall. Duck and cotton tweed pants, bloomers, small boys' duck and drill suits in big assortment all at July bargain prices. Come quick as the stock will not last long at these prices.

10 dozen Men's Shirts, soft front, double cuff, 95c.

10 dozen Boys' Cotton Sweaters, 24 to 32 at 25c.

10 dozen Outing Shirts, sizes 14 to 16½, 50c each.

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WANT COLUMN.

FOR SALE.—A good second-hand baby carriage. Apply to HARPER BROS. W.

FOR SALE.—Brick residence on corner of Front and Warwick Streets. For particulars apply to A. DUNLOP, 237 Grand Ave E., Chatham, Ont. m31-tf

FOR RENT OR SALE.—A comfortable two storey seven room house in good condition. Hard and soft water.—Apply to Mrs. SCOTT, Ontario Street. J7-3t

LOST ON Wednesday of last week, on 18 sideroad or Main road west, a man's coat. Owner please leave at this office or with J. MURKOW.

WORN OUT HORSES and fallen animals of all kind bought.—LETT BROS., fur ranchers, lot 18, con. 13, Brooke; Rural phone 4821. Watford P. O. Phone messages at our expense. tf

FOR SALE.—A comfortable brick house on Wall Street, with one acre of land, frame barn, all kinds of fruit. Apply to proprietor, R. KELLS, Watford. J 30-13

ESTRAY

Strayed into the premises of the undersigned, Simcoe St. Watford, on Tuesday, July 18th, a brood sow, white. Owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take her away.

JACOB D. BROWN.

The latest parade state at Camp Borden demonstrates that the list of illegally absent soldiers now numbers 1,000 men.

Strathroy, July 18.—Capt. Frederick William Jay, one of the most popular and efficient officers of the 33rd Battalion, and among the best known of the men whom Strathroy has sent to the front in this war, was killed in action on July 9, according to the official notification received here to-day. As a citizen Captain Jay was one of the best. He was one of the town's boosters, a lover of clean sport, a member of the Board of Trade, a volunteer fireman and a worker in any movement for the betterment of municipal affairs.

MARKETS

WATFORD

GRAIN AND SEEDS—
Wheat, fall, per bush...\$ 90 @ \$ 90
Oats, per bush... 45 45
Barley, per bush... 48 50
Beans, per bush... 4 00 4 50
Timothy... 4 00 5 00
Clover Seed... 12 00 16 00
Alsike... 9 00 12 00

PROVISIONS—
Butter, per pound... 22 22
Lard... 18 20
Eggs, per doz... 25 25
Pork... 14 00 15 00
Flour, per cwt... 2 50 4 00
Bran, per ton... 25 00 28 00
Shorts, per ton... 28 00 28 00

MISCELLANEOUS—
Wood... 2 00 2 75
Tallow... 8 8
Hides... 17 17
Wool... 32 42
Hay, per ton... 8 00 9 00

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—
Potatoes, per bag...

POULTRY—
Turkeys, dressed... 18 21
Turkeys, per lb... 15 17
Chickens, per lb... 10 12
Fowl... 7 10
Ducks... 11 12
Geese... 9 10

LONDON
Wheat...\$ 85 to \$ 93
Oats, cwt... 1 70 to 1 75
Butter... 27 to 28
Eggs... 25 to 26
Pork... 14 75 to 15 00

TORONTO
Toronto, July 18.—The market at the Union stockyards to-day was a repetition of that of yesterday. The general tendency of the stock was easy and sales drab. Prices held about steady, with few exceptions. Butcher steers of a very choice quality moved quite readily, but the medium classes sold slowly throughout the market. Butcher cattle held fairly steady, but the sales were slow. Butcher cows were one of the lowest items, easing off to 50c a hundred lower. The sale was slow and very drab. Butcher

bulls were about steady. Stockers and feeders were in no demand. Milkers and springers held at firm prices.

Light sheep continued to hold the small stuff division, but heaviest were in very poor demand. Choice yearlings sold freely at steady prices. Common and medium calves were in slow demand. Hogs in very small numbers, but prices held fairly steady. Spring lambs in fair demand at firm prices.

Receipts to-day, 24 cars, 327 cattle, 118 calves, 233 hogs and 131 sheep.

To-day's quotations:

Choice heavy steers... 8 75 to 8 85
do., good... 8 90 to 9 00
Butcher steers, choice... 8 50 to 8 80
do., medium... 7 75 to 7 90
do., common... 6 50 to 7 00
Butcher bulls, choice... 7 60 to 8 00
do., good... 7 00 to 7 25
do., medium... 4 50 to 5 00
Butcher cows, choice... 7 25 to 7 40
do., good... 7 00 to 7 10
Stockers... 6 25 to 6 30
Feeders... 6 25 to 7 25
Cutters... 8 75 to 4 75
Milkers, choice, each... 75 00 to 65 00
do., medium... 40 00 to 60 00
Springers, each... 50 00 to 100 00
Sheep, light, ewes... 7 75 to 8 50
do., heavy, clipped... 5 00 to 5 50
Spring lambs... 14 00 to 14 75
Calves, veal, choice... 9 50 to 12 25
do., medium... 7 25 to 8 50
Hogs, fed and watered... 11 15 to 12 50
do., f. o. b... 10 60
do., weighed off cars 11 40

East Buffalo.

East Buffalo, July 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 400, slow. Veals—Receipts, 200; active, \$4.50 to \$13.00. Hogs—Receipts as 6,000; active, heavy, \$10.30 to \$10.35; mixed, \$10.30; yorkers, \$9.35 to \$10.30; pigs, \$9.85 to \$10.00; roughs, \$8.85 to \$9.00; stags, \$5.50 to \$7.50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 400; active; lambs, \$7.10 to \$7.50; yearlings, \$5.50 to \$9.00; wethers, \$7.75 to \$8.25; ewes, \$4.00 to \$7.50; sheep, mixed, \$7.50 to \$7.75.

Wheat exports from Canada for the first 15 days of July totaled over thirteen million bushels. The daily average since April has been nearly one million bushels.