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### ARKONA

On Friday June 1st the wife of Jasper White of a daughter.

Mrs. John Muma is visiting in Port Colborne for a couple of weeks.

Miss Etta McLean, of Port Huron, is visiting at H. Ross', this week.

The Petrolia football team failed to put in an appearance on Tuesday night.

Rev. Marshall, of Komoka, will occupy the Baptist pulpit on Sunday next.

Mr. and Mrs. Hummelford, of Aberarder, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. Rooks.

Mrs. M. C. McCarty of Thamesford, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. G. Brown here this week.

Serg't G. Pearce, of the Canadian Light Infantry, is under canvas at London this week.

Miss Susie and Lucy Waterman, visited their sister, Mrs. Williamson in Watford on Sunday last.

Mr. C. J. Ready has disposed of his drug business to Mr. Mutrie of Grand Valley, who will take possession in a few days.

Mrs. B. Parker, who has been visiting in Philadelphia, spent a couple of weeks visiting at Atlantic City for the benefit of her health.

Arkona citizens are favored every Monday night with a free vocal entertainment. The piano or the steam pipe organ is not in it all with Mr. Don. Keys melodious voice.

Mr. and Mrs. Hez Stoner, Mrs. G. Stoner, Mrs. H. Rooks, Mrs. J. F. Dickson, Mrs. W. H. Thomas and Miss Murray left on Tuesday to attend the Baptist Association at Poplar Hill this week.

Mrs. A. A. Towns left on Tuesday for Winnipeg via Montreal. Mrs. Towns is one of the 20 lady journalists of whom the Canadian Pacific are giving a free round trip to the Great West.

Don't forget the Woodmen's picnic at Rock Glen Tuesday afternoon, June 12th. and Great preparations are being made a grand time is expected. A good vocal and instrumental program has been provided.

### PLYMPTON.

Mr. Thos. Short, G. T. R. policeman at Brantford, is home for a few days with his parents at Waukegan.

Sylvester Dell, of Strathroy, is helping his friend, Ben McCormick, with the carpenter work on his house and other improvements.

Mrs. (Dr.) Trizinsky and three children, Detroit, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Leeson are on an extended visit at the Willows, visiting their sister, Miss Sarah Donnelly.

Mr. Ed. Tait, who has been under the parental roof at Waukegan for the past two weeks, left on Monday for Pary Sound where he will have charge of a gang of men on the new railroad under the supervision of the contractor.

W. McCormick, of Watford, and his gang, have finished the cement foundation under Ben McCormick's house, and will be through this week with the foundation under John Forbes' barn and next week will finish John Dewar's.

An invalid driving a one horse wagon and selling horse lumens, hailing from Marthaville, lost his horse last week on the

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Capes side road. The horse was buried at the expense of the township and the old man will have to be looked after by the council of Boniskillen.

Donald McIntyre and sister, Miss Mary, met with a serious accident on Friday last. They were driving an unbroken three-year-old colt hitched with another horse, when the coupling pin of the rig came out causing a runaway. Both occupants of the rig were thrown out. Miss McIntyre escaped with a cut over the eyebrow and several severe bruises. Mr. McIntyre sustained a bad cut behind the ear, over two inches long and had two of his ribs broken. Dr. Reid, of Wyoming, attended to their injuries, putting five stitches in Miss McIntyre's eyebrow and seven in Mr. McIntyre's cut. Both are doing as well as can be expected. Miss McIntyre displayed good courage during the exciting runaway neglecting her own injuries to look after her brother.

#### FALL FAIRS.

Dates for the Fall Fairs in this section have been arranged as follows:—

Strathroy	Sept. 17, 18, 19
Petrolia	" 20, 21, 22
Sarnia	" 24, 25, 26
Glencoe	" 25, 26
Watford	" 27, 28
Bridgen	Oct. 2
Alvinston	" 2, 3
Therford	" 3
Forest	" 4, 5
Wyoming	" 8, 9

It was also arranged to have Government expert judges at all the above shows.

It would be well for those wishing to remember the dates to cut this out and paste it in their hats for reference.

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#### OBITUARY.

##### Mrs. J. MacDonald.

News reached here Monday of the death in North Dakota, on Saturday, May 26th, of Maggie Bremner, wife of Jackson MacDonald, formerly of the 10th con., Plympton. Deceased, who was a daughter of the late John and Catharine Bremner, was a sufferer with consumption for the past four years. She was born in Plympton in 1864, and was married in 1887 to Jackson MacDonald. They continued to reside in Plympton until about five years ago, when they moved to Petrolia, and a year later to North Dakota. Besides the bereaved husband she is also survived by two sons and two daughters, and also four brothers and five sisters, namely George, North Dakota; Peter, Petrolia; John and Neil, Plympton; Mrs. J. Greenlee, Forest; Mrs. John McPhail, and Mrs. Archie McPhail, Sarnia; Mrs. D. McPhail, Plympton, and Anna Bell, Plympton. The funeral took place on Monday.

##### Donald McLaughlin.

One of Warwick's oldest residents died Wednesday evening of last week, in the person of Donald McLaughlin, con. 2, N. E. R. Deceased was a native of Scotland, born in 1812, and came to Canada in 1865 with his wife and family. They lived in East Williams until the spring of 1866, when they moved to the present homestead in Warwick, which at that time was all bush. Notwithstanding his advanced age, he was very active until a few months ago, and could walk to Forest with the average young man. His wife predeceased him in October, 1880, and he is survived by six sons and one daughter, namely, Allan and Donald at home; John and Hugh, Manitoba; Lachlan, Wisconsin; Duncan, Montana; Mary at home. The funeral took place from the family residence, Friday afternoon, at St. Mary's cemetery, Warwick Village, the services being conducted by Rev. Mr. McGregor, of Toronto, assisted by Rev. Mr. Lester, Wm. Street, John Karr, Venning, Arthur Dodge. In politics he was a staunch Reformer, and was a friend of everyone who knew him.

##### Glencoe Knitting Factory.

Glencoe, June 4.—The vote taken to-day of the property holders of Glencoe to advance \$8,500 to the Messrs. Hogg Company to enable it to erect and equip a knitting factory at Glencoe was triumphantly carried, the vote being, for the bylaw 219, against it 7.

Great satisfaction is felt here at this result, and it is confidently anticipated that the town will now enter upon a new era of prosperity.

A proposal for aiding in the development of another industry already established here is before the council, particulars of which will shortly be announced.

##### Fruit Crop Report.

Ottawa, June 4.—The first fruit report of the year just issued from the fruit divisions, states that the frost in Southern Ontario the second week in May affected the early blossoms of the strawberry crop. No injuries to the trees, from winter killing were reported, but strawberries and to a less extent raspberries and blackberries suffered slightly everywhere. The show of apple bloom was never better. Early and fall apples show somewhat better than winter fruit. Pears are on the whole a medium crop. The commercial plum of Ontario are reporting a very light crop, in some cases an absolute failure. Peaches indicate an average crop. Cherries show well everywhere. Grapes are reported in good order, except in sections that depended on snow protection.

### Congregationalists To Talk Over Church Reunion Plans.

Embro, Ont., June 4.—The Congregational Union of Ontario and Quebec will meet here June 6-11. This will be the first departure from the cities during the 53 years of its organization. J. B. Silcox of Toronto is chairman and James T. Daley of Moxville is secretary. One hour every morning will be spent in a prayer and praise service, when a sermon will be preached. Those who have been selected for this purpose are the chairman, H. G. Rice, Montreal; W. R. Harvey, Stanstead; J. P. Garrie, Stratford; and T. B. Hyde, Toronto. Among the topics which will be prominent at the front are church union, congregational reorganization and the completion of the jubilee debt raising campaign.

It is expected that the negotiations between Congregationalists and the United Brethren will be completed. The larger union for movement with the Presbyterians and Methodists will also be considered. The reorganization question will probably cover the Dominion and result in the appointment of a special secretary. In connection with the union there will also be held the annual meeting of the Home and Foreign Missionary societies, the College, Publishing and Provident Fund societies. Rev. J. L. Brooks of Lingfield, England, will be the English representative.

### Ontario Law Reform Becomes Live Subject.

Toronto, Ont., June 4.—Law reform for Ontario is to come by commission before the next session of the legislature. Some five or six lawyers are to be appointed who will spend a month sifting out and taking records of the now ponderous obsolete system which now maintains in many of the courts. Among those mentioned as very probable to be with this work are I. B. Lucas and E. H. Lennox, M. P. P.'s. The attorney general will draft a bill on their report.

#### Family Eaten By Savage Dogs.

St. Johns, Nfld., June 2.—Reports from Labrador state that five persons were killed and eaten by savage dogs off that coast during the past winter. These dogs, which have largely interbred with wolves, have frequently killed people heretofore. One of the victims this winter was a man aged 35 years, and the others were two elderly men, his wife, daughter and grandchild.

#### Cabinet Changes.

Ottawa, June 4.—Hon. Mr. Fitzpatrick was appointed chief justice of the supreme court of Canada, Saturday. Mr. Aylesworth will be sworn in as minister of justice when Lord Grey returns from Toronto and Mr. Lemieux, solicitor-general, becomes postmaster-general. No appointment will be made to the solicitor-generalship for the present.

### GRAND DOMINION DAY CELEBRATION.

#### Petrolia, Monday, July 2nd.

Morning from 9 to 12. Four Brass Bands. Grand Horse Parade, \$200.00 in prizes. Balloon ascension at 10 o'clock. Afternoon, from 2 to 6. Running races \$500.00 in prizes. Balloon ascension at 3 o'clock. Baseball games, etc. Parade in front of grand stand of winners in horse show. Evening, from 8 to 10. \$500.00 display of fireworks. Grand band concert. No horses allowed on grounds in the evening. Meals 25 cents.

#### \$200.00 IN PRIZES.

Heavy Draught Team, \$25, \$10, \$5. Agricultural team \$25, \$10, \$5. General Purpose team \$25, \$10, \$5. Carriage horses, team \$20, \$10, \$5. Roadsters (single) \$15, \$10, \$5. Saddle horses \$10, \$5. Ponies in harness, driven by children, \$5, \$3. No entry fee.

CONDITIONS.—Entries received up to 8 p.m. Saturday, June 30th, 1906. Entries to be sent to A. M. McQueen, Chairman Horse Show Committee. Outside judges to be supplied by Central Fair Association. All entries to be at Market Square at 9 a.m. sharp, Monday, July 2nd, 1906, for classification and parade. Prize winners to parade before grand stand in afternoon. Rules of Central Fair Association to govern.

Special trains will leave via M. C. R. and G. T. R. after the conclusion of the evening performance.

WM. ENGLISH, Chairman of Com. H. SIMPSON, Secretary of Com.

### Tenders for Wire Fence

OFFERS for putting a wire fence around the Old Presbyterian Church Cemetery will be received on the ground on Wednesday, the 13th inst. at 3 p.m. Specifications at McLaren's Drug store. There will also be sold on the same day and date the old fence, purchaser to remove same.

### Desirable Farm and Gardening Property For Sale.

THIS UNDERSIGNED offers for sale that beautiful farm and garden of nine acres, situated at the south-east corner of the Village of Watford, end of Wall St., good crossing over railway track, two gates. Good house and stable, poultry house, pig pens, carriage house, orchard containing all kinds of fruit, apples, pears, cherries, and small fruits, 800 strawberry plants just commencing to bear, took nine prizes in fruit at last year's fair. Three good brick wells, plenty of water. Owner retiring on account of ill health. Apply to

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### Proposed Electric Line.

Detroit, May 28.—A special from New Haven, Conn., says: It is stated that First Vice President Perry R. Todd, of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railway Company, is to take a position at the head of a large electric railway enterprise in Canada.

The project, it is stated, contemplates the construction of an electric road several hundred miles long, paralleling largely the Grand Trunk railway and reaching several

of the most important Canadian cities to Western Ontario.

The new G. T. R. Station at Craig is nearing completion. The painters put the finishing touches to the outside of the building last week. When complete it will be one of the prettiest stations along the line. Work has been commenced on a new depot at Lucan and we understand that the station is also to be favored with a new station, work on which will be commenced shortly.

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