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His Infinite Wisdom, to our midst a loving husband and father and one of the most faithful employees, was the town of Ingersoll, wish to you our sincerest sympathy in your bereavement. For over five years the residents of Ingersoll have lived in the security, knowing that Jas. Brock was "on watch," and we that our most valuable treasure was almost immune from fire, that on the first tap of the bell, Jas. E. Sherlock was ready to personally, we all miss his presence as we pass the fire hall; as we miss him in his usual "on duty"; as a friend we miss his friendly conversation and good counsel of you to please extend our sympathy to your children.

oil adjourned at 9.25.

**BORN**

LEY.—In Ingersoll, on Sunday, 6th, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Bartley, a son.

WATER.—In Brampton, on 6th, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. F. Drinkwater, a son—John.

RIDGE.—In Ingersoll, on Tuesday, April 8th, 1913, to Dr. and Mrs. Coleridge, a son.

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### COMING AND GOING

**THURSDAY**  
Mrs. M. C. Elliott is in Glencoe today attending the funeral of the late Mrs. Daigetty.

Scoutmaster H. S. Richardson will leave for Toronto to-day to attend the Convention of Boy Scouts.

**FRIDAY**  
Miss Whyte, of Stratroy, is the guest of Miss Moffatt, John Street.

**MONDAY**  
Mr. Stephen King is in Tillsonburg to-day attending a meeting of the South Oxford License Commissioners.

**TUESDAY**  
Mr. Joseph Gibson left this morning for Toronto to attend a meeting of the Building Committee of the Methodist Book and Publishing House.

**ONE MONTH IN JAIL.**  
Chas. Colston, Who Obtained Hotel Board by False Representations Sentenced by Magistrate.

From Monday's Daily.  
Chas. Colston, who obtained board at the Daly House by making false representations in regard to a check which he expected to receive, and whose arrest was made at London, on Saturday, was sentenced by Magistrate Paterson to one month in the county jail. Colston, who claimed Kingston as his home, was a stranger here, and as soon as he disappeared leaving his hotel bill unpaid, suspicion was aroused as to his honesty.

**TENDERS WANTED.**  
Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to and including the 21st day of April for the outside painting of the House of Refuge, Woodstock. Contractor to furnish first-class material and two coats wanted. N. E. Bircht, County Clerk, Secretary Board of Management; John Campbell, Chairman.

**THE RINK CO.**  
Annual Meeting Was Held Last Night—Officers for Ensuing Year.

From Tuesday's Daily.  
The annual meeting of the Ingersoll Curling and Skating Rink Company was held last night. Various reports were submitted and adopted. It was decided to make some repairs and the affairs generally were discussed. All the directors were re-elected. At a meeting of the directors the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:  
President—S. A. Gibson.  
Vice President—W. M. Mills.  
Treasurer—J. E. Gayler.  
Sec'y.—O. E. Robinson.  
Management Committee—The officers and C. H. Sumner.  
Auditor—R. B. Hutt.

**APPRECIATION.**  
To the Officers and Members of Ingersoll Tent, No. 43, Knights of the Maccabees.

Gentlemen.—Please accept my sincere thanks for the kindness shown me during my late bereavement, also for the prompt payment of One Thousand Dollars insurance on the life of my late husband, James E. Sherlock. Trusting your Society may continue to prosper.  
Yours most respectfully,  
Mrs. Elizabeth Sherlock.

**CONCERT AT BEACHVILLE.**  
Splendid Program and a Very Appreciative Audience.

From Saturday's Daily.  
A very successful concert was held last evening in the town hall, Beachville, under the auspices of the Anglican church. The hall was well filled by an appreciative audience. The Rev. R. J. M. Perkins of Ingersoll, acted as chairman and the program consisted of numbers by Mr. Bert Hannah, London's popular elocutionist, assisted by Miss Tory, and Mr. and Mrs. Kain, London, and Mrs. Perkins and Mr. H. Crotty of Ingersoll.

The program was as follows: Part 1. Solo Mrs. Perkins; Reading, Mr. Hannah; solo, Mr. Crotty; Reading, Miss Tory; solo, Mrs. Kain; Reading, Mr. Hannah; solo, Mr. Kain; Part 2. Solo, Mr. Crotty; solo, Mrs. Perkins; reading, Miss Tory; solo, Mrs. Kain; reading, Mr. Hannah; solo, Mr. Kain; reading, Miss Tory; Miss Eastwood, Ingersoll, and Miss Sheppard, Beachville, were the accompanists of the evening. The concert was attended by a number of Ingersoll people.

**Duet Causes Asthma.** Even a little speck too small to see will lead to asthma which no words can describe. The walls of the breathing tubes contract and it seems as if the very life must pass. From this condition Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy brings the user to perfect rest and health. It relieves the passages and normal breathing is firmly established again. Hundreds of testimonials received annually prove its effectiveness.

### ANGELICAN CHURCH IN THIS COUNTRY

**REV. R. J. M. PERKINS EXPLAINS POSITION POINTING OUT LARGE INCREASE IN MEMBERSHIP—THE GROWTH IN INGERSOLL.**

From Monday's Daily.  
At the morning service in St. James' church yesterday the Rector, Rev. R. J. M. Perkins delivered an interesting address on the standing of the Anglican church in Canada, the keynote of which was thankfulness. After quoting from the official religious census for the last ten years showing that the Anglican church membership had increased over fifty per cent, he emphasized the great responsibility devolving upon the church and appealed for general cooperation from the membership. The speaker also pointed out that if the Anglican church increased during the next ten years at the same ratio, the church would hold the premier position in Canada. In Ontario during the last ten years the population had increased 340,000. The number of Anglicans was 121,000 or 35 per cent. This unprecedented increase is caused mainly by the large immigration from the old land, and the speaker pointed out that it was the duty and privilege of every Anglican in Canada to make them welcome in the church.

Mr. Perkins also referred to the very large and gratifying increase in the givings of the Canadian church to missions. Some time ago the church organized itself into a missionary society and adopted a systematic method of raising money for missionary purposes. During the ten years the givings have increased four-fold. Continuing, the speaker emphasized the importance of business and systematic methods in conducting the church's finances. He referred to the warden's report of St. James' church which had just been issued and pointed out that the increase in givings during the past year had been greater than in any two previous years, notwithstanding the fact that the increases had been very liberal for the last seven or eight years.

Reference was also made to the very large increase in the membership of St. James' Sunday school. During that time the attendance had increased over fifty per cent. It was now necessary to use, not only the school room, but both floors of the parish room as well as the church to accommodate the Sunday school.

Last year, St. James' congregation raised a much larger sum for missions than in any previous year, but the speaker pointed out that the amount could and should be considerably increased by the adoption of systematic methods of giving.

In conclusion Mr. Perkins emphasized the fact that all Anglicans should be thankful for the splendid condition in which the church was found at the present time and added that every member should assume his portion of the responsibility to keep the church flourishing.

### NARROW ESCAPE FROM DROWNING

**TWO THROWN INTO DEEP WATER IN SMITH'S POND LAST EVENING WHEN BOAT WAS OVERTURNED.**

From Monday's Daily.  
Thrown into ten or twelve feet of water near the middle of Smith's pond shortly after six o'clock last night Fred Sheldon, of Wellington Street, and Ben Holmes, a young son of Mr. Walter Holmes, narrowly escaped being drowned. Sheldon and the lad were in a boat and had only one oar. Ernie Harris, a small boy was in another boat, and when he drew near to them, Sheldon asked him for one of his oars. The lad responded and threw the oar, as instructed, Sheldon, in reaching for the oar, caused the boat to overturn, and both he and the Holmes lad were soon struggling in the deep water. The fact that both could swim and that assistance was near, saved them from going to the bottom. Young Harris pluckily rowed his boat alongside Sheldon and the boy. The Holmes lad managed to seize hold of the boat, and supported by Sheldon, who swam on his back, was taken to shore, although he went down a couple of times and was nearly exhausted. Sheldon was compelled to release his hold of the boy when shallow water was reached, as he had a large oar and was almost numb from the cold.

A number who had witnessed the accident were soon at the pond and young Holmes received immediate attention being taken to the home of a neighbor.

**DEATH OF S. E. EMBURY.**  
Was Widely Known Throughout Dereham Township Where He Had Resided for Many Years.

From Monday's Daily.  
The death of Samuel Detlar Embury an old and highly respected resident of Dereham township occurred yesterday afternoon at the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. Thos. Sharpe, at two o'clock and proceeded to the Harris street cemetery.

**DIED IN NORTH OXFORD.**  
Edward Richardson Passed Away Yesterday in His 86th Year.

From Monday's Daily.  
An old and widely known resident of North Oxford was claimed by death yesterday in the person of Mr. Edward Richardson. He was in his 86th year and highly esteemed by all who knew him. The funeral will take place Tuesday afternoon from the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. Thos. Sharpe, and proceed to the Beachville cemetery. Service at the house at 1.30 o'clock.

**SERIOUSLY ILL AT ROCHESTER.**  
Mrs. Arthur Murphy Patient in Hospital of Dr. Mayo.

Rochester, Minn., April 14.—Among Canadian patients at the hospital of Dr. Mayo here is Mrs. Arthur Murphy, of Edmonton, better known under her pen name of "Janey Canuck." Mrs. Murphy came here some little time ago to nurse a sister, who had undergone a serious operation, was herself taken ill and last Thursday underwent an operation. Her condition is serious.

**MILLIONS CLAIMED**  
By Relatives of Those Who Perished in the Titanic Disaster

New York, April 14.—To-morrow, the first anniversary of the sinking of the steamship Titanic, has been set as the last day on which claims against the Oceanic Steamship Company, owners of the ill-fated steamer, can be filed in the United States Court for loss of life or property. Damages in excess of \$10,000,000 have already been asked.

The last day for filing claims was originally set for February 1, but the time was extended. Up to that time a total of \$8,000,000 in alleged damages had been demanded of the company. Ninety-nine claims aggregating \$2,218,000 have been filed since that date, and more may be added to-morrow.

The amount in which the Oceanic Steamship Company is liable will be announced in a decision to be handed down this week by the United States District Court.

The ninety-nine claims filed since February 1 are principally those of persons seeking to recover for the death of sailors and steerage passengers. The largest suit is for \$510,000 for the death of Clarence Moore, who was a broker of Washington, D. C. Another claim is for \$50,000. It is made on behalf of the mother and father of Ama Skoog, who was lost with her husband and three children.

### MAY 28 DATE OF VOTE ON BY-LAW TO SEPARATE FROM THE COUNTY

**BY-LAW INTRODUCED AND GIVEN TWO READINGS AT SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNCIL LAST NIGHT—DIVISION ON PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT BY-LAW—THE FIRE, WATER AND LIGHT COMMITTEE GIVEN POWER TO PURCHASE NEW FIRE TEAM.**

From Wednesday's Daily.  
The by-law to separate the town of Ingersoll from the County of Oxford for County purposes, was given two readings at a special meeting of the council last night and will be submitted to the ratepayers on Wednesday, May 28th.

Although the introduction of this by-law was regarded as the principal matter on the slate, the session was of considerable length.

Deputy Reeve Walley introduced a by-law concerning certain permanent street improvements and to repeal a portion of by-law 284. The by-law was practically the same as the permanent improvement by-law which was submitted when the sewerage question was also voted on. The members were equally divided in their opinion as to the advisability of submitting the permanent improvement by-law. Those unfriendly to the measure mentioned that they recognized the importance of the principle, but believed it would not be advisable to submit several by-laws at the same time. The motion to have the committee and report the by-law passed with blanks filled in, called forth an amendment that the committee rise and report progress. A vote on the amendment resulted in the following division: Yea—Fleet, Mills, Elliott and Richardson. Nay—Walley, Manner, Henderson and Rogerson.

A vote was taken on the original motion with the same result and the motion was declared lost on an even vote.

**Communications.**  
John Lee called attention to the condition of the catch-basins on King street west. He had noticed by the report of the Medical Health Officer that last year there was only one case of diphtheria in the town, and he regretted that this was in his own home, due to the poisonous gases from the catch-basins on King street. He asked that these receive early attention that there might not be a recurrence of the difficulty.

Miss L. M. Ryman wrote calling attention to the recent flooded condition of Canterbury street and appealing to the council to take action to have the trouble remedied.

**Moving Buildings.**  
In connection with a letter read from the Ellis Furniture Co., as to damage from fire of otherwise was a small fire in the old Mansion House the Mayor stated it was a serious matter to grant permits for the moving of buildings like the one referred to. He mentioned that traffic had been tied up, and that members of the council would likely be notified of damage that had occurred.

Carmelo Angelo, who has a fruit store in the O'Callaghan Block, applied to the council for permission to tap a town drain under the usual conditions. The request was granted.

A petition for a hydrant for fire protection was read from residents of Charles street east.

**Enquiries.**  
Reeve Fleet enquired if it was the intention of the council to carry out the watering of the streets on the same plan as last year.

Ald. Mills replied that he would introduce a resolution to cover the matter.

A motion carried that the action of the superintendent of the waterworks department in placing to the credit of the current account of the department the value of the tools and stock taken over from the Company on May 1st, 1912, be ratified by the council and that the auditors' certify to the account.

**Street Watering.**  
The clerk was instructed by resolution to advertise for tenders for street watering, same to be in by noon of Saturday next.

Ald. Elliott introduced a by-law to authorize and direct the treasurer of the town of Ingersoll to deposit with the Treasurer of the Province of Ontario the amount levied and collected for the sinking fund of by-law No. 731.

In this connection the explanation was given by Mr. Elliott that the by-law empowered the Treasurer to send the money collected to the Provincial Treasurer. When the council of 1911 consummated the deal with the Waterworks Company, they figured the sinking fund to earn four per cent, and to accomplish this it was necessary to make the deposit with the Provincial Treasurer. The by-law was given three readings and numbered 758.

By resolution the council gave Mr. Holmes permission to construct a cement gutter and curb on Wenhams St.

**The Separation By-Law.**  
Reeve Fleet introduced a by-law to withdraw the town of Ingersoll from the County of Oxford for County purposes. The by-law was considered in committee of the whole with Ald. Elliott in the chair.

Voting will take place on the 28th day of May, this being the date inserted in the blank.

In connection with the by-law Reeve Fleet said it had been his intention to have presented some figures by way of comparison as to the amount of taxes paid by the town of Ingersoll and the townships. Owing to its being necessary to take up the by-law at once in order to come under the existing Municipal Act, as a new one will soon come into effect, he did not have time to collect the information desired. He had always considered that it was an injustice for the town of Ingersoll to be compelled to pay county rates on the business assessment. Separation he considered would be of financial benefit to Ingersoll.

Deputy Reeve Walley was of the opinion that from a financial standpoint separation would be very beneficial to the town of Ingersoll. He believed the town would have been considerably ahead had this course been adopted ten years ago. The saving through separation, he thought, would be \$1,500 a year, at least.

Ald. Rogerson enquired as to the sentiment in the town regarding separation and he was informed by Reeve Fleet that there did not appear to be any opposition.

Deputy Reeve Walley said that in deciding to submit the by-law the council should also be in a position to strongly recommend it.

Mayor Coleridge said that a critical stage in the municipal history of the town had been reached. In taking up the by-law the council, he said, should arm themselves with all possible facts and go before the ratepayers and explain the situation to the best of their ability.

Ald. Richardson endorsed the by-law very emphatically and said he was prepared to do all he could in its behalf.

Ald. Elliott said the matter was one about which there should not be two opinions from the standpoint of the taxpayer. He mentioned that since 1901 there had been an increase in the county rate of over one hundred per cent. He gave figures showing that the amount had jumped from \$2,150 in 1901 to over \$5,000 in 1912. "Not only are we being mulcted, but we are 'getting it' in the line of the equalized assessment," said the speaker.

Ald. Elliott also very emphatically endorsed what had been said by the Mayor relative to the individual members of the council assuming responsibility in regard to by-laws submitted. If the council as a whole were not prepared to go up behind the difficult measures, there was little use of submitting them. Members should be present when meetings were held for the discussion of the measures.

Ald. Mills said he was perfectly in accord with the by-law and expressed the opinion that had the same course been taken years ago, it would have been greatly to the benefit of Ingersoll. Discussing the increased county rate because of the good roads, Mr. Mills said many of the roads that are called permanent roads, are not worthy of the name. He believed separation would mean saving to the town of \$1,500 a year. The council, he said, should make up their minds to stand behind the by-law unanimously and by so doing the people would understand it better than by presenting many figures.

An explanation was given by Reeve Fleet as to the Ingersoll portion of the various debenture payments, mentioning that the last payments for the county buildings would be made this year.

It was moved by Ald. Mills that the Fire Water and Light Committee have power to purchase a team of horses for fire purposes, and that the committee also have power to dispose of the present team, no final action to be taken by the committee until sanctioned by the council at a special or regular meeting.—Carried.

Mr. Mills pointed out, and his remarks were endorsed by the Mayor, that the purchase of a new team was necessary.

A motion carried that W. J. Elliott and S. M. Fleet be each paid the sum of \$10, being expenses to Toronto and Hamilton in connection with industrial propositions, same to be charged to industrial account.

Deputy Reeve Walley introduced a by-law respecting certain permanent improvements, and to repeal a portion of by-law 284.

Discussing the by-law the Deputy Reeve mentioned that his object was to have some permanent streets built in the town of Ingersoll. The by-law at present on the books had been there for two or three years, and nothing in the way of permanent work had been done. It was explained by Mr. Walley that under the by-law which he had introduced citizens desiring permanent roads could petition for them and that the work would be undertaken on the basis of the property owners whose property abutted on the street paying 70 per cent of the cost of construction and the remainder

### TOWN AND DISTRICT

**MESSRS. MANZER & THOMAS** have purchased the property of John Dales, on Oxford Street, which has been leased by Mr. W. H. McEwen, the driver of the fire team.

A largely attended and most enjoyable progressive euchre was held in the lodge room of Oak Lodge, A.O.U. W. Friday evening. Much interest was manifested at the card tables and all enjoyed the competition. During the evening refreshments were served.

The bachelors and benedicts ball given in Christopher's hall Friday evening was a delightful event. Upwards of sixty were present and the entire program was thoroughly enjoyed. The hall was tastefully decorated and delightful music was furnished by the Tony Cortese orchestra of London.

Mrs. C. H. Crawford's friends will be glad to know she was able to be removed from the Alexandra Hospital to her home on Wellington street Sunday, after her serious accident of two months ago. Although confined to her bed she is making good progress toward recovery.

**WERE FINED \$15.00.**  
Decision of Magistrate in Cases Against Chas. Kelly and Thos. Rucker.

From Wednesday's Daily.  
Rowdiness was denounced in emphatic language by Magistrate Paterson yesterday afternoon before he gave judgment in the cases of Charles Kelly and Thos. Rucker, who exchanged punches on Thames street Monday night. "If I were satisfied that you used that knife," said the court, turning to Rucker, "I would give you three months in jail. But I am not sure that you did. The evidence was not that you did, but the fact that it was picked up near where the fight occurred, and that it was open when found, looks very suspicious."

Directing his remarks to Kelly the Magistrate said: "I am of the opinion that you were to blame. You stated yourself that you knocked Rucker down twice, and I think that if you had stayed away from him there would not have been further trouble. However, you were both to blame and I will fine you \$15 without costs, or one month in jail."

**HARNESSES! HARNESSES!**  
At T. Kenney's, the cheapest place in town.

**ADJOURNED VESTRY MEETING.**  
Missionary Committee Appointed and Weekly System of Givings Adopted

From Wednesday's Daily.  
The adjourned vestry meeting of St. James' church was held last night. A vote of thanks was passed to the different organizations of the church, the warden and Mr. Chas. D. Crawford the Sunday school Secretary-Treasurer. A missionary committee composed of Messrs. Richardson, Crawford, Ellis, Verbeles and Lee, was appointed to adopt the weekly system of givings to missions and for church expenses, duplicate envelopes being used.

The Warden was instructed to have ventilators put in the ceiling.

**LAI D TO REST.**  
From Wednesday's Daily.  
The funeral of the late Edward Richardson, of North Oxford, was held yesterday afternoon to the Beachville cemetery, and was attended by many relatives and friends. The Rev. Mr. Russ, of Beachville, officiated and the pallbearers were Messrs. Albert Warren, Thos. Cadeby, Jas. Nichols, Jas. Day, John Madson and Chas. Bowie.

**The Late S. D. Embury.**  
The funeral of the late Samuel D. Embury took place yesterday afternoon to the Harris Street cemetery and was largely attended. Rev. Mr. Ellis of Salford, conducted the service and the pallbearers were Messrs. R. Harris, H. Gregg, Geo. Way, Jas. Mayberry, John Banbury and M. Ball.

**Anna Bell, aged two years, infant daughter of Adam Fox, an Augusta township farmer, was burned to death in the sight of her parents.**

**CHILDREN IN THE HOME.**  
When there are children in the home it requires constant attention to keep them free from the many childhood ailments which come so quickly—some of them proving fatal while others leave the little one cross, restless and weak. To keep little ones well Baby's Own Tablets must be kept in the house. These Tablets regulate the stomach and bowels, break up colds and fevers; expel worms and make teething easy. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.