# Medical Inspection Urged for Rural School Children

County Council Will Consider the Appointment of Four Public School Nurses-Defective Eyesight Is Reported To Be Very Prevalent by Inspector.

The June session of the Middlesex county Council opened in the county buildings here yesterday aftermoon and will continue throughout the week. Practically every member of the council was present at the opening meeting, and County Warden Thomas Clark presided. The first item on the program was the hearing of a feminine delegation composed of Dr. Mc-Kenzie Smith, medical inspector of Onstario for rural school children, and Mrs. McNaughton, district president of the North Middlesex Women's Institutes. As a result of the plea put forward by these women the council will consider the appointment of four public school nurses at once on a motion by these women the council will consider the appointment of four public school nurses at once on a motion by cheep councillor Shaw.

Councillor Harrison said: "We could not invest a small amount to a greater benefit."

Others of the same opinion were M. F. Clatworthy and A. C. Ferguson.

Stanley Shaw, seconded by M. F. Clatworthy.

Dr. Smith, the first speaker, opened her address by stating that in the cities medical inspection of public cities medical inspection of public school children is on a sound basis.

Are Held Back.

The rural children are held back, the declared, "particularly because of defective eyesight. Medical inspection of the Government, it was the Women's Institute that originated the Women's Institute that originated the Women's Institute that originated the Value of such inspection. For instance, it Lucan one day last week of 102 bildren examined 10 had defective eyesight, 8 required glasses at once, 6 others needed attention to their children was fisher needed attention to their children cambined to had bective eyesight, 8 required glasses at once, 6 others needed attention to their examined to have tonis and adenoids removed. I am not a crank, and take the local doctor with me on inspections. Decayed teeth are another thing that receives little attention.

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What I want," said Dr. Smith, "is the county council to help us out Our Government has not yet decided, how often we should visit a school. We want nurses to sfollow up our work. With about 150 rural schools in the county, and Strathroy schools we need four nurses. The educational department will grant 110 annually per school ment will grant 110 annually per school cell when they should punish the backfor this work. For three years the Women's Institute paid every cent for the work, and 1,300 operations were performed. We will hold a clinic at performed. We will hold a clinic at the council and the works and the work and t

Women's Institute paid every cent for the work, and 1,300 operations were performed. We will hold a clinic at Lucan on July 16, when specialists will be present to operate free of charge if the people cannot afford it."

Mrs. McNaughton, armed with an array of figures, was the heat speaker. She stated that four nurses at \$1,200 per year would cost \$4,800, cars for them to visit schools would cost \$975 each, with \$200 each year for upkeep, making a total cost for the first year of about \$8,500. As the educational department would pay \$1,500 of this the county would be required to pay \$1,700, with an annual cost thereafter of about \$8,800. She guaranteed that the Women's Institute of Middlesex would provide and maintain medical supplies for the schools.

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Thousands take Hood's Sarsaparilla es their spring medicine for that tired feeling, nervous weakness, impure blood, and testify it makes them feel better, ! sleep better, and "makes food

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# Keep a Picture Story

tion. Picture-taking the Kodak way is simple interesting and not

Inspection invited of our comline without obligation.

J. H. BACK & CO. 210 Dundas Street.

Amid much laughter a member re-marked. "They want to punish Pur-cell when they should punish the back-

The will only mean about pne-elevery stanley on Wednesday, June 16. It is expected that about 400 will make the cluded, "and when the council granted trip, as all members of the regiment were invited to bring along a lady friend to be need at Port taking the property of the regiment were invited to bring along a lady

The battalion wound up a highly-successful season last night by taking 25 new men on the strength. This brings the unit up over the two hundred mark in recruits secured since enlistment started in the spring.

The band, under Lieut. Albert Slatter,

has been the most prominent part of the battalion, as it is now practically up to full strength with 35 trained musicians. Last night closed the drills for the summer. They will not be continued until a week after fair time in September. The rifle matches, however, will be shot on the dates set by Ottawa, and

# THORNDALE

Thorndale, June 7 .- The reports the county public school inspectors. which have been recently issued, show the total number of pupils enrolled in West Nissouri Township to be 436. During the present year truant officers have been appointed for each township, and as the new regulations require that any pupils enrolled who absents himself for at least half a day for any cause other than illness, must be reported to the officer, it is expected the average attendance will be greatly in-

creased.
The Strathcona trust prizes were awarded as follows to the schools of West Nissour!; First, S. S. No. 6; second, S. S. No. 12; third, S. S. No. 2.
The report also states that Thorndale Continuation School has done excellent work, and several of its graduates are work, and several of its graduates are new teachers in the township, and are doing splendid work.

The annual picnic of the local high school was held on Wednesday at Springbank Park, and was a decided success.

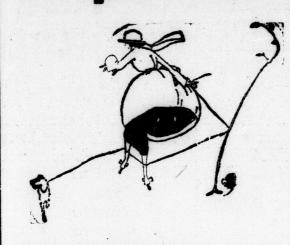
success.

A banquet was tendered the members of the Woman's Institute on Friday afternoon, June 4, in Harding's Hall. Mrs. Macom of Campbellford, the govern-ment delegates, addressed the meeting. At the annual meeting of the East Middlesex Telephone Company the following officers were elected: President.
Thomas Duffin: vice-president, R. H.
Harding: secretary-treasurer, K. M

#### Ta HAVE YOU LOST CONTROL OF YOUR NERVEL? WHEN YOUR HEALTH FAILS ALL IS LOST! When your good health leaves you then you lose energy, ambition and the desire to succeed in life. Things that are worth while do not interest you and you just drag on from day to day. Don't give up; Don't Weaken, do not be discouraged because other medicines have failed to benefit you, here is one that will Build Up and Strengthen the Body so that you will Hacking's Heart and Nerve Remedy It takes away "that tired feeling" and brings back the rosy cheeks of your younger days. Health, Strength and Vitality are yours if you desire them, geta few boxes of Hackings Heart and Nerve Remedy from your dealer today, and give them a fair trial. It is the Master Tonic and Builder that will succeed when others have failed. Mrs. H. Hinchcliffe of Wingham writes as follows-"Hacking's Heart and Nerve Remedy has done wonders for me, I was on the point of a Complete Nervous Breakdown, could not sleep nor plan my household duties; for years I suffered with my Heart and my Nerves and the doctors could do little for me. I took Hacking's Heart and Nerve Remedy on the recommendation of one of my friends. After taking the first box I improved so much in health that I took the full treatment of six boxes and am now feeling so much better that I am able to return to my work with renewed vigor. I am glad that I have at last found a medicine that has done me so much good.' Hacking's Heart and Nerve Remedy sells for 50c a box 6 for \$2.50. If your Druggist does not have it he will be glad to get it for you or we will be glad to send it to you by mail post paid. Insist on Hacking's. HACKING'S LIMITED, Listowel, Ont.

Sold in London and St. Thomas by the Standard Drug Stores.

# Important Sales For Wednesday Morning



A careful scrutiny of the sales listed below for tomorrow forenoon may solve many purchasing problems for you. The values offered have not been excelled on any previous occasion and the merchandise in each and every case is seasonable and wanted goods. Particularly worthy of note are the sales of ladies' hose, bath towels, corsets, petticoats, blouses, ginghams, cotton, flannelette, wall paper and china. To avoid disappointment be here at the opening hour, 9 a.m. From a distance of fifty miles people are motoring to attend these Wednesday morning sales.

# A Full Day's Business in the Forenoon

Prices are made to accomplish this object, and just that much in your favor are the sale

HALF-PRICE

36 Children's Trimmed Hats in a variety of

shapes and colors, some are all silk hats,

hand-embroidered in Alice blue, rose and

pink, and are non-crushable, and a number

of braids with silk combined in crowns and

facings; some New York models in the

group; good color range for immediate wear.

Every hat at half price to clear Wednesday

morning. Sale prices ......\$2.25 to \$7.00

Second Floor.

Milans and Tagels, Half Price

39 Milans and Tagels, untrimmed; a few

braided, in black, navy, sand, rose and grey.

Half price ...... \$1.50 to \$2.75

Six Trimmed Milans to clear ..... \$3.50 each

WEDNESDAY MORNING

SPECIALS, DRAPERY

DEPARTMENT

SALE PRICE, \$5.85 PAIR—Fine grade

Marquisette and Voile Curtains; 78 pairs,

superior quality, Marquisette and Voile

Curtains, finished with effective insertions

and laces; some with fancy chain-stitched

motifs and borders, and mostly hemstitched

borders, in ivory and ecru. Wednesday

morning ...... \$5.85 pair

38-INCH PLAIN MARQUISETTE, 48c

YARD-400 yards Plain Marquisette, 38

inches wide, in a good quality; used greatly

for all styles of curtains, also for mounting

hand-crocheted insertions and laces. We

have these in white and ecru. On sale Wed-

nesday morning only ...... 48c yard

WHITE CROCHET QUILTS, \$4.25 EACH-

100 only, White Crochet Quilts, fine white

finish, hemmed both ends; handsome Mar-

seilles designs, large size, 78x88 inches; a

very serviceable quilt. Wednesday morning

..... \$4.25 each

One-Quarter Off Cretonnes

and Chintzes.

5 to 10 yard ends; Cretonnes and Chintzes.

to be cleared; both light and dark grounds;

all washable materials. Secure your summer

.....One-Quarter Off

Neponset Floor Covering,

Wednesday, Only 79c

Many people who saw our advertisement for

Neponset at 79c a square yard three weeks

ago came Thursday and following days,

saying: "We did not know the price was for

Wednesday only"; so for Wednesday (to-

morrow) only we place on sale 1,000 yards

Neponset at the special low price of 79c per

ODD PIECES HIGH-GRADE

FURNITURE ABOUT HALF

Two only Dressing Tables-one is genuine

mahogany, the other genuine walnut; each

has triple mirror toilet; almost half value.

Wednesday special ......\$53.50 each

One only Genuine Walnut Dressing Table,

large size, with three mirrors, one-third less

than manufacturer's present price. Wed-

nesday special ...... \$46.50

Chiffonier, walnut, no mirror, to match dress-

ing table. Wednesday special .....\$44.50

Four only Large Walnut-Finished Dressers

44 inches wide, fitted with 28x34 British

plate mirror, two long and two short draw-

ers; one-third less than value. Wednesday

Factory Cotton, 25c

Something unusual these days. A special in

Factory Cotton. The quantity is limited, and

we expect a very quick sale. Take advantage

of this offer at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning;

34-inch ...... 25c yard

White Flannelette, 39c

39e a yard and a yard wide-A lovely qual-

ity of Flannelette, soft, firm, clean weave,

ideal for ladies' gowns and all purposes

that flannelette is used for babies. This is

a most unusual opportunity, and worth

your while-to lay some by for fall. Very

special ..... 39c yard

square yard. Choice of any pattern.

needs Wednesday morning at

#### No Phone or Mail Orders

As every item listed for Wednesday morning is at a greatly reduced price, and in some cases quantities are limited to protect customers who come at the opening hour (9 o'clock), we cannot accept phone or mail orders for morning sale goods. This applies to sale goods only.

# Writing Pads, 19c and 21c

Folding Linen Writing Pads, for correspondence; about 50 sheets to a pad. Wednesday, while they last, two sizes, sale price...... 21c

#### Wax Paper, 6 Rolls For 25c

(Twenty sheets in each roll.)

Each roll contains 20 sheets of heavy quality paper, instead of 15 sheets, as usual 5c roll contains; for wrapping and keeping fresh lunches, sandwiches, etc. Wednesday ..... Six rolls for 25c

#### Yarns, Half Price and Less

All-Wool Four-Ply Fingering Yarns, suitable for socks, especially good for sweaters; colors, grey, khaki, purple, raspberry, emerald, copenhagen; at less than half price. Price ..... \$1.75 lb. Stamped All-Linen Pin Cushions, 4 by 10 inches, and 4 by 12 inches, at ... 29c each

# Children's Shoes, \$1.98

Children's Shoes, black patent with dull kid top, lace or buttoned, sizes 4 to 71/2. Special price ...... \$1.98 Boys' Tan Calf Shoes, full round toe and welted sole, buttoned or lace, sizes 4 to 71/2. Special price ...... \$1.98

#### Hosiery Seconds, 47c and \$1.48 Pair

Sale of Ladies' Seconds in Silk Lace or Lisle Thread Hose. Very slight imperfections. Ladies' Black Silk Lace Hose, "Dainty Designs," double garter top, heel and toe, sizes 81/2 to 10; 20 dozen pairs only. Sale price 45 dozen, Ladies' Black or Brown Lisle

thread Hose, high spliced heels and double feet, fine weave, sizes 81/2 to 10; extra value. Sale price ...... 47c pair

#### 3.000 ROLLS WALL PAPER, ONE-THIRD TO ONE-HALF LESS

Late arrivals in Bedroom, Kitchen and Dining-Room Papers. About 3,000 rolls at onethird to one-half less.

Dining-Room Papers, in plain fabric weaves, two-tone stripes and figured styles, with cutout borders to match. Wednesday sale ..... 19c roll

Dining and Living Room Tapestries, in heavy colors of blue, rose, grey and green ......50c roll

Stripe Dining-Rooms in grey, tan and brown colors, with cutout borders and base decora-Kitchen Papers, in small conventional designs, in mixed colors of grey, blue, tan and green colors. Sale .........9c and 11c roll Bedrooms, plain and floral stripes, with cutout borders to match. Sale . . 9c and 11c roll Chintz and Plain Style Bedrooms, all colors. with borders to match.....15c and 19c roll Third Floor.

# IN THE BASEMENT

Six only 97-Piece Dinner Sets, in white and gold. One-quarter off ......\$19.49 Edge-Line Sprig Cups and Saucers, two shapes. Special Wednesday morning only ...... 25c each 18-Piece Sets. Special price:

6 Cups and Saucers and 6 Tea Plates \$2.29 6 Cups and Saucers and 6 Breakfast Plates ...... \$2.59 12 only very pretty patterns in 21-Piece Tea Sets. Very special ...... \$4.39 set Art Cut Glass Salt and Peppers (boxed), aluminum and pearl tops .........69c pair

# TWEED COATING, \$1.98 YARD

54-inch light Grey Tweed, suitable for motor coats for young ladies, a nice smooth-finish tweed. We consider this an extra value. compared with today's price. Special for Wednesday morning only ... \$1.93 per yard

# Embroidery Edges, About One-Third Off

Over 500 yards to be cleared on Wednesday morning, widths and prices as follows: 50 yards 21/2-inch. Sale price ..........11c 

#### CORSET COVER EMBROIDERY.

60 yards, 17-inch, Sale price, a vard ... 49c 35 yards, 17-inch. Sale price .........69c Flowing Veils, navy, brown, taupe, violet and black; 18x45 inches. To clear, 79c yard

#### Manufacturers' Seconds, Ladies' Vests, 42c Each

Eight dozen only, to be cleared Wednesday morning, low neck, sleeveless summer vests, out sizes. Sale price ...... 42c each Second Floor.

#### BATH TOWELS LESS THAN WHOLESALE

We should clear the whole shipment of these imported English Colored Bath Towels in the four hours' selling at prices that are below wholesale today. It will mean big selling, but with prices so low you will want them in dozen lots, not pairs; 200 dozen in the lot. Prices from ..... 29c to 89c each 50 dozen, a most useful hand towel for kitchen, for the children, or for lakeside, 15x36 inches. Special sale price . . 29c each Per dozen ...... \$3.25 50 dozen, a larger size and heavier weight,

grey and red stripes, 17x37 inches. Special 25 dozen large size, in very heavy quality and firm weave, 20x40. Special sale price ......59c each, \$7.00 dozen 25 dozen Heavy Double Weave, in large size,

light and dark colors of tan, grey and red stripe, 23x46 inches Special sale price.... ...... 89c each, \$10.25 dozen Other numbers at ......79c, 98c each See Window Today.

# Dress Ginghams, 33c Yard

A small but well-assorted range of this popular cloth, in checks and plaids; good gingham; absolutely satisfactory in wear or washing; the nicest and most sensible goods for children's rompers and dresses and ladies' house dresses. There won't be enough for all. Get yours early; 27-inch. Extra special ...... 33c yard

# Petticoats. 98c

One table of Ladies' Petticoats, made of splendid quality white cotton, flounces trimmed with lace and embroidery. Special Wednesday morning ......98c

# Work Aprons. 39c

One table of Work Aprons, made of good quality print, trimmed with rick-rack braid. Special Wednesday morning ......39c

# Half-Holiday Tomorrow

WE CLOSE

As in May, this store will close at I o'clock Wednesdays during the months of June, July and August. No noon delivery.

Early Dinner in the dining-room, II'to's 12:30 on Wednesdays.

#### GEORGETTE BLOUSES. ONE-QUARTER OFF

Fifty Blouses, made of georgette crepe, an assortment of broken lines, in navy, flesh grey, taupe, brown, maize or white. Wed nesday morning, one-quarter off.

Maize georgette, beautifully embroidered, in gaily-colored beach and silk embroidery; round neck, fancy pointed sleeves.

A navy georgette, braided in front with oriental colors; collar and cuffs of mahogany

Light grey model, has trimmings at collar, cuffs, and down front of navy georgette, with beaded motifs on either side of front. Copen blue georgette, heavily beaded in front, with beads of bright shade.

White georgette, beautifully embroidered in front and around collar, in sky and pale

Flesh georgette, front and back embroidered in white, with filet lace at either side, cuffs finished with filet. Navy georgette, trimmed with pin-tucking

and hemstitching, full length sleeve, with turnback cuff, hemstitched. White and flesh georgette, has vestee in front trimmed with pin-tucks, neat collar and turnback cuffs have edging of fine lace.

Tan or navy georgette, with vestee and collar, also cuffs of navy georgette. Fifty in the grouping at one-quarter off Wednesday morning. Sale prices ....

#### ..... \$9.35 to \$18.75 Black Dress Goods, 49c, \$1.69

Black Santoy, a fine cord weave in medium texture, suitable for one-piece dress, also correct weight for the popular pleated skirt; 40 inches wide; limited quantity only to clear Wednesday morning .... \$1.69 yard Black and white Shepherd Check Dress Goods, three pieces only of this popular dress, for ladies' or children's wear; 39 inches wide. For quick clearance Wednesday morning ...... 49c yard

# Petticoats, Half Price

One table of Petticoats, taffetine, moreen and sateen, a clearing of odd and broken lines; fitted band at waistline; finished at bottom with pleating and fine tucking; colors are emerald, brown, copen, black, navy or rose. Half-price..... ..... \$1.09, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75

# Sale of Sample Corsets

One table of manufacturers' samples of American Lady and Madame Lyra Corsets. Odd lines and sizes in both back and front lacing; some in plain pink coutil, others in fancy silk brocade; sizes 24, 25 and 26 only. Sale price ...... \$1.75 to \$10.00

# THE MEN'S SHOP

MEN'S 2-PIECE SUMMER SUITS, \$29.95

About 30 Suits to clear. This is a very low price for suits of this quality. The materials and workmanship are high grade. See these on Wednesday morning ......\$29.95

MEN'S RAINCOATS A fine range to clear on Wednesday at \$9.95

# MEN'S HATS

Toyo Panamas of excellent quality, in fedora shape, all sizes. At ..... \$2.89 Okmawa Panama Hats for men, very light, of good durable quality, fedora shape. At ..... \$2.49

# Garden Straws, 19c

You will need one of these, and they are certainly a bargain ......19c each Java Straws, 79c

A good hat for general use, light and airv, all sizes ...... 79c each

Men's Pure Silk Socks in assorted shades. Wednesday morning ..... 79c pair

Men's Cotton Socks, 29c A variety of shades in a good serviceable

### line at ..... 29c pair Men's Fine Lisle Socks and Silk

Plaited. 54c Pair It will pay you to secure a few pairs of these

on Wednesday. They are great value .... ..... 54c pair

Boys' Wash Suits, \$1.95 Wash Suits that look smart and will wear well. For Wednesday morning. A good variety of patterns to choose from. Price .....

..... \$1.95 suit ALL-WOOL SERGE, \$1.89 YARD.

38-inch Serge (navy), fast dye and pure wool, nice fine twill, a good serge to shed the dust, suitable for young ladies' middy skirts and blouses for the cool days and evenings of summertime. We consider this a very special offer; all-wool, 38 inches wide. Price ......\$1.80 yard

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