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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Study the ads. Children's Christmas Coats at

All municipal councils meet today All municipal councils meet today to close up the business of the year. Don't miss May McAvoy in William J. Lockes' famous English story. "Morals" at the Lyceum To-night. Say. Dad, the Boy needs new Hockey Shoes this winter. Pick him out a pair that will last—at P. Dodds & Son.
Mr. R. J. Thompson, Ontario st., had the misfortune to break his forearm while cranking his car Saturday night.

urday night.

Last meeting of the Watford council for 1922, will be held this (Friday) evening. If you have any account against the municipality send

it in to the Clerk.

The Northern Ontario fire sufferers need your help to tide them over the winter. Have you done your bit.

They are looking to old Ontario to lend a helping hand.

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The store windows have quite a Christmasy appearance. Some of them are very artistically arranged and pleasing to the eye.

Our boxes of Chocolates are something worth seeing this year. You can't make a mistake in selecting one for a Christmas gift.—F. H. Lovell.

Chas. M. Fitzgerald has recently installed a radiophones for Mr. Ray Morningstar and Mr. Fred Just. They report hearing stations as far dis-

report hearing stations as far distant as Havanna, Cuba, quite clearly.

A Christmas treat for Boys. Overcoats, 27 to 30, real good coats at bargain prices.—Swift's.

Rev. W. K. Hager will preach at morning and evening scryices next Sunday in the Watford church. The evening subject will be "Our War and water them".

Sunday in the Wattord church. The evening subject will be "Our War Heroes and what we owe them."

The Light Brigade is gone, but the season comes around again when mother and the rest do a lot of charging, as the Old Man will paintage of the control of the cont fully observe when the bills come in at New Year's.

Dr. C. W. Sawers took unto him-

self a wife last week in the person of Miss Ann Ross of Avon, Ill. The doctor and his bride arrived home from their honeymoon Saturday.

Congratulations.

The Watford Skating Rink Company will issue season tickets this season at the following rates: men season at the following rates: men \$3.00, ladies \$2.50, family \$7.00. Single admission: children under 12 O cents; ladies 15c, men 20c. Mr. John V. Humphries passed

away on Wednesday morning after a lengthy illness. The funeral will be held from the family residence, Wall street, on Friday afternoon for Watford cemetery. Service at the house

The small boy was being repoved by his mother. "Why can't you be good?" she asked. "I'll be good for a nickel," he said. "Oh, responded the mother, "you want to be bribed. You should copy your father and be good

or nothing. Mr. W. L. Millar's term as Waterworks and Hydro Commissioner ex-pires at the end of the year. No bet-ter man could be found for the position and there should be no opposition to his re-election. He is a practical man and well-skilled in the duties of the position.

With nomination day drawing near time to cease yawning and pegin to think whom we want to represent us on the town council board for 1923. It is likely all the old members of the Council will stand for reelection

Snappy well made Overcoats for young fellows, sizes 32 to 37. Heavy freize, leather buttons.—Swift's. William De Mille's new elaborate comedy success "Clarence" is taken from Booth Tarkington's famous play, will be presented at the Lyceum next Wednesday. The cast includes three prominent screen stars, Wallace Reid Acceptage and Market and Mar

Wallace Reid, Agnes Ayres and May Word was received here Wednesday of the death of Mr. Thomas Goodhand, who passed away at Saskon, Sask., Tuesday. The remains were sent to Dauphin, Man., for burial. No particulars are known. Before going West Mr. Goodhand kept a grocery store in Watford, and previous to that time farmed in Warwick township. wick township. He leaves a wife and

nigstar has recently had a radio-phone receiving set installed at his residence and a few days ago had one installed at his garage. It is his in-tention to the control of the control of the control of the tention to the control of the control o tention to treat his customers and friends to Saturday, evening radio concerts. You don't have to buy a "Ford" to hear the concerts.

Baby Knit is attracting attention just Cleverly made lines and at

Start your Christmas shopping now, every minute counts.—Swift's. Everything for Christmas buying at Swift's. Dorp in and look around.

brown leather slippers. P. Dodds sells them at \$2.50 and \$3.00.

The Methodist Sunday School entertainment will be held in the Lyceum on Friday evening, Dec. 22nd. Good program. Admission 25c and 15c. d15-2t Prof. Haand of the Mines Branch says there is "enough coal in Canada to last more than fifty thousand years." There is, however, only about half a ton in our coal bin. We wish he would get to work and distribute some of it.

"Myrtle Howden, of Humberside Collegiate, has been awarded a scholarship by the Ontario College of Art."—West Toronto Star. Miss Howden is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Howden, Toronto.

Indian Linen crochet doylies from 15 cents to \$5.00.—Swift's.

Mr. W. G. Willoughby, manager of the Lambton Farmers' Insurance Co., has moved into town and is now domiciled in his comfortable home on Huron street. Parties having business with him will find him at the

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pavement made good skating for the
kiddies Thursday last and many of
them enjoyed the sport. From the
fourth line to the railway bridge
made a great stretch to speed up on.

The stamp tax on receipts for
amounts of \$10 goes into effect on
January 1st. This applies not only

the year. Just what form the special treat will take they are keeping secret at present.

Smart new serge dresses at Swift's for Christmas buying.

The Watford nominations for reeve, councillors, four members of the Board of Education and 1 member of the Waterworks and Hydro-Electric Commission will be held in the Music Hall on Friday, December 22. at 7.30 p.m. If a poll is demanded, and it is almost sure to be, it will be held on New Year's Day in the usual places, at the Fire Hall and in

usual places, at the Fire Hall and in the basement of the public library. If you would like some thing better than we have in stock in Box Goods let us know so that we can send your order in and it will be filled in time for Christmas.—F. H.

The ever welcome May Bell Marks and the Marks Bros. Dramatic Company played in the Lyceum Friday and Saturday nights and gave a matinee for the children Saturday afternoon to fair-sized audiences.

matinee for the children saturday afternoon to fair-sized audiences. The acting was just as good as ever and the costumes striking and of the best. The vaudeville, also, was up to the average. The Marks Bros. are always patronized by people who enjoy clever acting and clean plays. "The Christmas gift de luxe" an overcoat from our big stock of smart models, all sizes.

At a meeting of the Y.P.S.C.E. of the Cong'l church held on Tuesday evening the treasurer, Thomas McCormick, reported the net profits from the lecture by Jack Miner to be just over \$75. The society added \$25 from its treasury to make the total of \$100. It was then voted to donated \$50 for missions—\$25 each to the Home and Foreign Missionary Societies—and to donate \$50 to the church. Miss Carrie Healey presided church. Miss Carrie Healey presided

church. Miss Carrie Healey presided at the meeting and Miss Alma John-ston read a very helpful paper on "Better Speaking." Our Candy and Christmas stock has been carefully selected and bought from the best manufacturers in the country, so that you will not in the country, so that you will not make any mistake in buying here.—
F. H. Lovell.
The Citizen's Committee in charge

received here Wednessath of Mr. Thomas passed away at Sask-cuesday. The remains Dauphin, Man., for the plans for the proposed Soldiers' Memorial for the Village, held a meeting on Monday evening and report that the matter is progressing very favorably. They are unanimous very favorably. They are unanimous soldiers' Memorial for the Village, held a meeting on Monday evening and report that the matter is progressing very favorably. They are unanimous soldiers' Memorial for the Village, held a meeting on Monday evening and report that the matter is progressing very favorably. They are unanimous soldiers' Memorial for the Village, held a meeting on Monday evening and report that the matter is progressing very favorably. They are unanimous soldiers' desire that the Memorial shall be at once useful and ornamental, carrying down to posterity the names of gallant boys from this community who laid down their lives for freedom and righteousness in the Great War. "Their Name Liveth Evermore" it is true, but it is our duty and privilege as citizens of Watford to see to it that their names are not forgotten in the place of their birth. Smaller places than Watford have already erected memorials, and surely a progressive village such as ours is will not lag behind the smaller places. The committee would urday evening radio and surely a progressive village such as ours is will not lag behind the smaller places. The committee would urday evening radio and surely a progressive village such as ours is will not lag behind the smaller places. The committee would urday evening radio and surely a progressive village such as ours is will not lag behind the smaller places. The committee would urday evening radio and surely a progressive village such as ours is will not lag behind the smaller places. The committee would urday evening radio and surely a progressive village such as ours is will not lag behind the smaller places. The committee would urday evening radio and surday evening radio and surely a progressive village such as ours

Our Irish linen towels on display are wonderful value, each pair in a folder.—Swift's Christmas Store.

Christmas Furs. Special bargains in fur collars.—Swift's.

Usual service in Watford and Cal
MEETING IN SARNIA TUESDAY Usual service in Watford and Calvary Baptist churches Sunday.

we have nice boxes of cigars suitable for a Christmas gift, 10 in a box, 75c and \$1.00.—F. H. Lovell.

If you want Dad to stay home and enjoy his evenings this winter, be sure and get him a pair of beautiful brown leather slippers. P. Dodds sells them at \$2.50 and \$3.00.

The Methodist Suncay School entertainment will be held in the Lyceum on Friday evening, Dec. 22nd. Good program. Admission 25c and 15c.

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The stamp tax on receipts for anounts of \$10 goes into effect on January 1st. This applies not only on receipts for payments on account but also on cash sales, for which bills are made out. The tax is not a graduated one like that on cheques, but a two cent stamp must be affixed to each instrument regardless of the sum involved.

Spats, any color \$1.00 to \$2.50, very cheap and very popular.—P. Dodds & Son.

The teachers of the Congregational Sunday School at a recent meeting decided not to plan for a Christmas entertainment this year. Instead they propose to provide an additional treat of the sunday school are school, which takes place early in the year. Just what form the special freat will take they are keeping for 1923. Two or three candidates are already mentioned. Reeve M. E. Parker of Warwick is favored by many of the representatives are already mentioned. Reeve M. E. Parker of Warwick is favored by many of the representatives are already mentioned. Reeve M. E. Parker of Warwick is favored by many of the representatives are already mentioned. Reeve W. E. Parker of Warwick is favored by many of the representatives in already mentioned. Reeve M. E. Parker of Warwick is favored by many of the representatives in for warvick is favored by many of the representatives are already mentioned. Reeve For dwarwick is favored by many of the representatives in for warvick is favored by many of the representatives in for warvick is favored by many of the representatives are already mentioned. Reeve E. Parker of Warwick is favored by many of the representatives are already mentioned. Reeve E. Parker of Warwick is favored by many of the representative are already mentioned. Reeve E. Parker of Warwick is favored by many of the representatives in for warvick man and the rouncil may dood chance for election. It is some time since the Wardenship was held by a Warwick man and the council may dood chance for election. It is some time since the Wardenship was held by a Warwick man and the cou tically disappeared and the warden is

now chosen regardless of his political affiliation.

Real Madeira Hand Embroidered round and oval pieces, 35c to \$4.00 each.—Swifts.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Vera A. Fuller was in Ottawa this week.
Mr. W. G. Connolly was in Toronto Mr. R. F. Johnstone of Saskatoon was a guest of his sister, Mrs. Mac-Lean this week.

Mr. John Lamb returned home this week having been sailing on the lakes between Sarnia and Ft. William. Mr. J. Warren Bate, the enterprising and popular Secretary-Treasurer of the Andrews Wire Workshere has been promoted to a more remunerative and responsible position in the Rockford, Ill., factory of the firm and leaves for his new home at an early date with his family. Mr. Mahoney of Rockford will fill Mr. Bate's position here. During his sojourn in Watford Mr. Bate has accorded himself to be a desirable enproved himself to be a desirable, energetic and progressive citizen and all will regret his removal and the loss of his estimable wife and fam-

ily, and wish them all success and happiness in their new home. LAMBTON'S 149 I. O. D. E.

Sixteen members were present at the December meeting of Lambton's 149 I. O. D. E., held at the home of Mrs. G. Harper, on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Adams, the Regent, presided. The meeting opened in the usual manner using the I.O.D. E. prayer. The minutes were adopted as read. The Regent reported on the Memorial Committee re the proposed by-law. The Chapter was unnaimously in favour of same and will put forth every effort to have same passed by the people. A catalogue of goods manufactured by members of the Canadian Institute for the Blind is to hand and any orders for these articles will be attended to. The Chapter was arranged into groups the December meeting of Lambton's the Canadian Institute for the Blind is to hand and any orders for these articles will be attended to. The Chapter was arranged into groups for money-making purposes. The usual Christmas cheer was planned and a committee appointed to purchase same. The meeting closed by singing "God Save The King" after which a dainty lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Harris. The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. W. McLaren.

BORN

In Plymptom on Monday. Dec. 4th, to Mr. and Mrs. Orville Irwin, twin girls.

DIED

AN EDITOR'S WARNING The editar of a Kansas newspaper says: "Ten cents per line straight will be charged for all obituary notices of business men who did not advertise while living, and delinquent subscribers will be charged fifteen cents a line for obituary notices. Advertisers and cash subscribers will receive the best in the show when they shuffle off. Better send in your advertisements and pay up your subscription now; a choiera epidemic is abroad in the land." The editor of a Kansas newspaper abroad in the land."
Is your subscription paid in advance? David Ross

ve Teams Will Fight it Out For District Honors-Winner Will be Decided in One Month of Play WATFORD MEETS GLENCOE HERE ON WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27th

Intermediate O. H. A. Hockey will open in Watford Arena on Wednesday, December 27th, when the locals meet their old-time foes, Davenport and his Glencoe speed kings. "Pep" Luckham, secretary of the Watford Club represented the tocals at the district meeting.

district meeting.

At Tuesday's schedule meeting called by Convenor Fred S. Dent in the Chamber of Commerce rooms, the dates for the district season were drawn up, approved of the have been forwarded to O. H. A. headquarters in Toronto. The season opens on Decomples 27th and elegant and the contract of the contract o December 27th and closes on Janu-

December 27th and closes on January 30th.

Strathroy sent a representative to the meeting and the new entry was taken in by unanimous vote. making the district the same strength as last

The following referees were recom-mended to the meeting and the names will be forwarded to the O.H.A.: Harry Prout, James Brady, Wm. Harry Prout, James Brady, Wm. McCart, N. L. LeSueur, Sarnia; Fred Rogers, A. Elliott, N. Trenouth, Watford; Jacob Weaver, Art Davenport, Glencoe; Alex. McEachern, Simon Williams, Alvinston; H. Munroe, W. H. Chambers, H. Parlow, Strathray Strathroy

Cut This Out and Paste in Your Hat The playing dates were set at fol-

lows:
Wednesday, Dec. 27, Glencoe at
Watford, Alvinston at Strathroy.
Tuesday, Jan. 2, Sarma at Alvinston, Glencoe at Strathroy.
Friday, Jan. 5, Watford at Glencoe: Strathroy at Alvinston.
Tuesday, Jan. 6, Strathroy at Wat

Tuesday, Jan. 9, Strathroy at Wat-ford; Alvinston at Sarnia. Friday, Jan. 12, Sarnia at Wat-

ford, Strathroy at Glencoe. Tuesday, Jan. 16, Sarnia at Strath-roy; Glencoe at Alvinston. Friday, Jan. 19, Watford at Alvin-

Friday, Jan. 19, Watford at Alvinston; Strathroy at Sarnia.
Tuesday, Jan. 23, Glencoe at Sarnia; Watford at Strathroy.
Friday, Jan. 26, Alvinston at Watford; Sarnia at Glencoe.
Tuesday, Jan. 30, Watford at Sarnia, Alvinston at Glencoe.

BROOKE

Mr. T. McMahon leaves this week for Vancouver, B. C.
Mr. Arch. McGill leaves this week for a visit with his sister, Mrs. Jas.
A. Blåin, Spokane. Wash.
Don't forget Chalmers' Church, Christmas Entertainment on Friday, Dec. 22. Good program of dialogues, music, etc

music, etc.

Rev. T. A. Steadman requests
those having infants and young chilren to be baptised will present them
at the Christmas Sunday service,
Dec. 24th.

Don't forget the Sunday School concert and Christmas Tree in Bethesda Methodist Church, Friday, Dec. 22. Three short humorous plays and a good musical program will be giv-

1. Admission 25c and 15c. The Sunday School entertainment and Christmas Tree of Salem Methodist church will be held in the school house on Wednesday evening, Dec. 20th. A fine program is being prepared. Admission 25c and 15c.

DIED

DIED
In Forest, on Friday, Dec. 1st. 1922,
Stephen McDonald, in his 78 year.
In Forest, on Thursday, Nov. 30th,
Christina Campbell, relict of the
late George Gray, in her 93rd year.
In Watford on Wednesday, Dec. 13,
1922, John V. Humphries, in his
72nd year. 72nd year.

NORTHERN ONTARIO FIRE

The following subscriptions have been received up to Wednesday

WARWICK

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ellerker spent Sunday with friends in Bosanquet.

Mrs. George A. Smith, 12 sideroad is visiting her mother, Mrs. C. E. Stewart of Forest.

Miss Florence E. Edwards spent the weekend in Strathroy as guest of Miss Erva M. Gough.

Miss Sarah Vance, 4th line, spent a few days with her brother, Mr. Wm. Vance last week.

The annual S. S. entertainment of the Calvary Baptist church will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 20. Mr. Brock Thompson, who has

been in the hospital having his ton-sils removed is now doing nicely. Rev. W. K. Hager will preach the Sunday School anniversary ser-mon at Zion at 2.30 on Sunday next. Miss Mary Smith, 12th sideroad, is spending a couple of weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Ernest Lester, 6 sideroad. J. B. Parker and D. A. Ross are in Guelph thrann nnnnn nnnnnn Guelph this week attending the an-nual sale of the Hereford Live Stock Association.

Association.
The annual entertainment of Grace

The annual entertainment of Grace Church Sunday School, fourth line, east, will be held in the school house of S.S. No. 12, on Tuesday, Dec. 19th. A good program of dialogues, recitations and drills. Admission 15c and 25c.

William Squire Matthews, a former resident of Windsor, died at the home of Mr. Laurence Roberts, Warwick Village, on Saturday, the funeral taking place Monday afternoon. The deceased was in his 27th year

eral taking place Monday afternoon. The deceased was in his 27th year and leaves a wife and one daughter. The barn of Paul Sullivan, second line, south Warwick, was totally destroyed by fire Friday evening, when a gasoline engine used in cutting feed exploded, igniting the building. Mr. Sullivan saved the horses and cattle, but lost a number of hogs and chickens, beside a large amount of chickens, beside a large amount of grain and a number of implements. The loss, between \$5,000 and \$6,000 is partly covered by insurance.

A kitchen shower was tendered to Mr. and Mrs. Otto J. Ellerker at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Richardson, 4th line, last Thursday night. There were about forty of the neighbors and friends present. They spent a very pleasant evening in music and games after which a dainty luncheon was served and everybody left wishing Mr. and Mrs. Ellerker much joy and happiness in their future home.

their future home.

The fowl supper and entertainment given by the members and ladies of L.O.L. 516. Warwick, was a decided success. The supper was an elaborate one with chicken and all other orate one with chicken and all other viands lavishly served. Capt. Riddiford, Grand Organizer, acted as chairman and gave a fine address. Addresses were also given by Rev. Johnston and Rev. Haggar. Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert McLeish of Keysers rendered solos, while Miss Eva Smith gave two interesting recitations, Master Clare Stewart, mouth organ selections and J. Learn and T. Brush violin music. Entertainment classed by singing Cod Sense The Wing. closed by singing God Save The King.

A GOOD WOMAN GONE

(From the Sparta, Tenn. Newspaper)
Mrs. Thomas McWaters passed
away at her home Monday at 1.30 p.
m. She had been in feeble health for
some time and her death had been
expected for several days. Funeral
services were conducted at the home services were conducted at the home Tuesday afternoon by Rev. R. H. Brown, assisted by Rev. R. J. Craig. A large crowd of relatives and friends were present at the services. Interment took place at Highland

cemetery.

The McWaters family came here
The McWaters family came here
Watford, several years ago from Watford, Canada, and have been among our valued citizens. Mr. McWaters died

valued citizens. Mr. McWaters died a few years ago.

The subject of this sketch was a member of the Methodist church and her many kind deeds to the sick and afflicted and to those in distress will keep her memory sacred among those with whom she lived. Deceased leaves three sisters, all living here: Mesdames G. W. Crout. W. W. Hull, L. D. Hannon, and four children. Mrs. Lourine Quarles, who lived with her mother, Mrs. J. F. Madden, of Fayetteville, Oscar McWaters of Miami, Fla., and Carlton McWaters, of Danville, Ky. Mrs. Madden and Carlton were present at the funeral, Oscar having visited his mother recently and returned home.

Mrs. McWaters was a good woman and she will be missed by the people of Sparta.

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