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## Wentworth County School

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## AGRICULTURE

— AND —

## DOMESTIC SCIENCE

Under the Management of the  
Ontario Department of Agriculture  
Wentworth County Branch

To be held at

## WATERDOWN

November 28th, 1921 to March 3rd, 1922

Nov. 28th to Dec. 25th—Special Lectures  
on Fruit, Vegetables, Soils and Fertilizers.

HON. MANNING W. DOHERTY

Minister of Agriculture

W. G. MARRITT

Agriculture Representative

## Christmas Goods

Large Assortment of

## Xmas Cards and Folders

Also Tags, Seals, Tinsel Cord, Artificial  
Snow, Bells and Decorations.

## Papetries

Xmas Stationery, Correspondence Cards  
in Xmas Boxes, all sizes and prices. Come  
in and look them over.

See Adv. next week for Ivory Goods,  
Perfumes, Etc.

## B. Batchelor

Druggist

Waterdown

### Grace Church

REV. H. J. LEAKE, M. A., Rector  
Third Sunday in Advent

11 a. m.—God's New World.  
7 p. m.—A Faithful Saying.  
10 a. m. Sunday School and Bible  
classes.

Thursday, Dec. 15, W. A. meets  
at 2.30 p. m. in Parish Hall and  
the A. Y. P. A. at 8.30 p. m.

### Knox Church

REV. J. F. WEDDERBURN, B. A., B. D.  
Minister

Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.  
11 a. m.—The Power of Sentiment.  
7 p. m.—The Wonder of Jesus.

Sunday School and Bible Classes  
at 9.45 a. m.

The Church Club meets Wednes-  
day evening under the auspices of  
the Educational Committee.

### Methodist Church

REV. C. L. POOLE, B. D., Pastor  
Sunday School 10 a. m.

Public Services 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.  
Morning Subject—Theories of Two  
Great Men.

Evening Subject—Why Worry?

The Y. P. S. meets on Monday  
evening at 8 o'clock.

Prayer Service on Thursday even-  
ing at 8 o'clock.

### For Sale by Tender

Tenders will be received by the  
undersigned up to Dec. 31, 1921, for  
the frame building known as the  
Drug Store, 25 x 37, 18ft posts. Also  
the frame building in rear of Drug  
store, 21 x 56, 8 ft. posts.

Tenders will also be received by  
the undersigned for the Review Office  
building, front section 16 x 24, 18ft.  
posts; back section 20 x 27, 8ft posts.

Above buildings will be sold in  
bulk or separately. Purchaser to re-  
move said buildings before Jan. 31,  
1922.

Also two cistern pumps.  
TERMS CASH  
Wm. A. Drummond, Agent  
Waterdown

### Auction Sale

S. Frank Smith & Son have re-  
ceived instructions from Mr. H. A.  
Jenkins of Tweed, to sell by Public  
Auction at the Kirk House Stables,  
Waterdown, on Tuesday, Dec. 13th  
32 head of Choice Dairy Cows. Terms  
9 mos credit with 6% per annum off  
for cash.

### Auction Sale

S. Frank Smith & Son have re-  
ceived instructions from Mr. G. P.  
Gordon to sell by Public Auction on  
the premises, Victoria and Elgin Sts.,  
Waterdown, at 2 p. m. on Monday,  
Dec. 12th, the following property:  
1 Sideboard, 1 Table and 6 chairs  
to match, 1 Walnut Dresser, Walnut  
washstand, Rooker, Carpet, 6 Blinds,  
Single Iron Bed springs and mattress  
Oil stove with oven, Oil heater, Con-  
goleum rug, Camp bed, Odd Kitchen  
chairs, Commode chair, Set of Tire  
chains, Cupboard, Fruit Jars, Books  
Wheelbarrow, Garden Tools, and  
other articles. Terms Cash.

One of J. W. Griffin's horses was  
badly hurt when his team ran away  
on Main street last Saturday after-  
noon.

The W. M. S. of the Methodist  
church will hold their meeting in the  
Sunday School room on Wednesday  
afternoon, December 14th at 2.30.  
All ladies of the congregation are  
welcome.

### Orange Meeting

Waterdown L. O. L. No. 2837 held  
its regular meeting in the Orange  
Hall on Friday evening, Dec. 2. A  
good attendance of members proved  
that the Lodge is wide awake and  
determined to forge ahead. W. M.  
Jas. Rutledge occupied the chair.  
The Waterdown brethren were honor-  
ed by a large delegation of visiting  
brethren from Hamilton, among who  
were the Wor. County Master, Bro.  
A. A. Peall and County Secretary  
Bro. T. Dove, also Wor. Past County  
Master J. McNivin with a goodly  
following of brethren from Dundas.  
A pleasing feature of the evening  
was the presence of Bro. W. C. Clark  
of London, who is a member of the  
celebrated Star of Bethlehem L. O. L.  
of London. Mr. Clark delivered a  
very clear and concise address which  
was greatly appreciated by all present.  
After the regular routine of  
business was completed, the elec-  
tion of officers for the coming year  
took place. Wor. County Master  
Peall taking charge of the election,  
and installation, which he handled  
in a most creditable manner. On  
account of the Lodge having been  
only recently organized, the officers  
were all returned to their respective  
offices. One new candidate was ad-  
mitted to the Orange, and two others  
were exalted to the Blue Degree.

The officers for the coming year  
are: Wor. M. Jas. Rutledge, D. M.  
Wm. Drummond, Jr. Chaplain, Wm.  
Drummond, Sr. Rec. Sec. R. Griffin,  
Fin. Sec. Walker Drummond, Treas.  
A. J. Lovejoy, Lecturer, Geo. Rut-  
ledge, Dir. of Ceremonies, J. Griffin  
1st Committeeman, Walter Galin.

### Locals

Miss Vera Nicholson spent the  
week end in Preston.

Miss Konkie and Miss McDonald  
of the Public school staff who have  
returned to their duties.

Mr. Ed. Bagden left on Wednes-  
day for a three months trip to Brit-  
ish Columbia and California.

Mrs. Harry Hood and daughter  
Bernice of Carlisle spent the week  
end with Mrs. Chester Bowman.

Knox Church Sunday School will  
hold their Christmas entertainment  
on Wednesday evening, Dec. 21st.

The Good Time Club will hold a  
dance in the Township hall on Fri-  
day night and also one on next Wed-  
nesday night.

Mrs. W. J. McKee and two little  
daughters, of West Flamboro, spent  
last week here with parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. D. Ribson.

Mr. J. O. Buckley and wife of  
Hamilton and Wm. Trueman and  
wife spent the week end with  
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Griffin.

The Xmas Entertainment of the  
Methodist Sunday School on Friday  
evening Dec. 23rd. It gives promises  
of being one of the best yet given.

The Mission Circle will meet on  
Sunday afternoon at 2.30 at the  
home of Mrs. Harb Featherston,  
John St. As this will be their  
Christmas meeting a good attendance  
is expected.

The attendance at the Waterdown  
Public School for the month of Nov-  
ember was as follows:

Form	Teacher	Roll	Av	p.c
IV	D. Harper	39	37	94
III	Miss Powell	45	41	90
II	Miss Hamilton	32	29	88
I	Miss Konkie	26	21	82
Prim.	Miss Buchanan	26	21	82

### WINTERING OF PULLETS

If Possible Separate From All  
Hens and Cockerels.

Prepare Quarters Early and Transfer  
by November—Good Light and  
Ventilation Necessary—Winter  
Care of Pregnant Mares.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of  
Agriculture, Toronto.)

Many times the failure of securing  
a satisfactory winter egg yield is  
due to neglect of the pullets early in  
the fall. The ordinary pullets begin  
laying at from six to seven months  
of age, and many farmers get a few  
pullet eggs in October and November,  
followed by little or no production in  
December or early January. This  
frequently is due to a change in  
roosting quarters or being over-  
crowded and underfed in the poultry  
house.

Place In Winter Quarters Early.

To get the best results the pullets  
should be placed in winter quarters  
by November 1st. Before that time  
the henhouse should be thoroughly  
cleaned, the walls, ceiling, etc.,  
brushed down, and all old cobwebs,  
etc., removed. Then give the house  
a good whitewashing, and if the floor  
is earth or sand at least four inches  
of it should be renewed.

Separate Pullet From Young Hens.

If at all possible, separate the pul-  
lets from the old hens and cockerels.  
In order to lay well, they should be  
fed all they will eat, particularly of  
ground grains and green foods, and  
should not be overcrowded. About  
twenty-five to thirty-five pullets is  
plenty for a pen twelve feet square;  
in fact in many cases twenty-five pul-  
lets in the pen will lay almost as  
many eggs as the thirty-five. Should  
you be fortunate in having too many  
pullets, or where you can make a se-  
lection, get the earliest and best  
matured ones into the pen first. If  
you have to crowd or sell some, get  
rid of the small, weak ones and those  
that are slow to develop.

Have the Pen Well Lighted and  
Ventilated.

The pen should be light and well  
ventilated. Have all the ventilators  
or openings on one side of the  
house and close together. Do not  
have an opening in one end of the  
house and another in the other end.  
These cause drafts which are very  
apt to produce colds and sickness. It  
usually takes a pullet at least three  
weeks to get over a cold, and she  
seldom lays while she has a cold.  
Keep the house dry, and use plenty  
of dry straw in which the birds can  
scratch for the feed.

Give Laying Hens Plenty of Food.

Remember a laying hen needs  
plenty of food, grit, and shell ma-  
terial. Also there should be a vari-  
ety to the food; that is green food  
such as clover leaves, cabbage,  
or sprouted oats, or if none of these  
can be had some roots. She also  
needs some form of meat food—sour  
milk is the best, but beef scrap, or  
other meat offal, if untainted, will  
answer. Usually about one-third of  
the grain should be ground or even  
up to one-half. The whole grain  
makes exercise in hunting for it in  
the straw. Always remember the pen  
should be clean, dry, and sweet.—  
R. W. Graham, O. A. College, Guelph.

No Gain In Too Early Pasturing.

Farmers should not be in a hurry  
to turn their cattle out to pasture.  
The cattle will travel over the entire  
pasture area, and by cutting up the  
sod with their hoofs while the  
ground is yet soft, and grazing off  
the first blades of grass they will  
greatly reduce the amount of feed  
which the pasture will yield if they  
are kept off a few weeks longer so  
that the grass may have opportunity  
to make a real start. Under average  
conditions it will by all means pay  
best to keep the cattle off the pas-  
ture until the sod has become firm  
and the grass has attained sufficient  
start to support them fully from the  
time they are turned out. Cattle  
should be turned on new grass the  
first time about the middle of the  
day, after they have already had a  
good fill of dry feed. They should be  
driven back to the feed lot each night  
for three or four nights, and given  
opportunity to eat some dry food  
each morning before going to the  
pasture.

All classes of stock will give bet-  
ter returns where a variety of food  
is supplied. A mixture of grain is  
generally better than feeding only  
one kind.