

Guide-Advocate

HARRIS & CO. PROPRIETORS.

WATFORD, JUNE 30, 1916

NOTE AND COMMENT

Montreal Star: The British military authorities have clearly decided that the salient must be held just as it stands. Indeed, so firm are they in this opinion that they have just sent in the Canadians to win back a section of the original front. No one will for a moment doubt the judgment of the headquarters staff.

The Calgary News-Telegram:—The Western Grain Growers, Guide predicts a steel famine for the world which will be most marked in Canada. It is stated that wire fencing will soon be beyond the buying powers of western farmers. If this falls true it will have to be worth its weight in gold, for the farmer of the prairie is fairly coining money these days.

The Philadelphia Record says that an American observer has been looking back over history to discover if the British navy ever was defeated. In order to find a serious defeat he had to go back 250 years, to June 1, 1666, when the Dutch fleet under De Ruyter defeated a British force of fifty-seven ships under Admiral Monck off the Flemish coast. The Dutch had the best of it for nearly two months, but on July 25 of that year they were badly beaten and driven back to their ports.

In many of the mercantile establishments of the west, the three-price system in the sale of goods is being adopted and its success, depending upon the backbone of the merchants, has been an agreeable as well as a satisfactory surprise to both the shopkeeper and his customer. The merchant sells a service with the goods. The cost of the goods is the same to every customer, but if the buyer desires to have the commodities delivered, that is a service, if he wants credit that is another service. If he wants the goods on credit and they be delivered, he pays a certain price. If he carries them home himself he gets a five per cent reduction. If he pays cash and takes the goods home, thus getting rid of both credit and delivery, the customer is allowed ten per cent off. If the buyer does not want the delivery service or the credit service he does not have to pay for them which is apparently fairer than sticking to the one price principle, whether or not the credit and delivery service are included. How many of the high-up dames of the city will insist upon the delivery of a spool of thread or box of matches rather than soil their hands in handling the goods and put the merchant to an expense of five times the value of the article in its delivery, and so it is in the same sense in the purchase of other commodities.

ARKONA

All stores will be closed on Saturday, July 1st.

Miss Bessie Brown visited friends in London on Tuesday.

Rev. H. Moule is visiting his sister in London this week.

All kinds of picnic goods—pickles, olives, canned goods, etc.—Fuller Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Harnish and Mrs. Adam Richter visited Sarnia friends this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Friend Smith and family of Camlachie spent Sunday with Mrs. John White.

A good assortment of fancy huck towellings, all pure linen at the old prices.—Fuller Bros.

Mrs. Ben Herrington is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Lovey of Eddie's Mills this week.

Ptes. Dan Donaldson, Arthur Butler and I. Smith of the 149th Battalion, spent Sunday with friends in town.

Rev. H. J. Fair and Mrs. Fair and Miss Maude Fair left this week for Atwood where Mr. Fair will take up the pastorate of the Atwood Methodist church.

Mr. Harold Eastman left this week to take up the pastorate of the Clinton and Auburn Baptist Churches during the absence of their pastor who is at the front.

During July and August there will be a change in order of services in Methodist Church as follows: Sunday School in morning from 10 to 11 o'clock, morning services 11 to

12.30 o'clock, evening service 7.30 to 8.15 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend.

See our special in black taffeta silk and duchess satin.—Brown Bros.

Mr. Abel of Toronto spent a few days last week with Mr. Jas. Jackson.

Several of the boys of the 149th spent the week end at their homes here.

Miss Irene Dickson is spending her vacation with her brother Ed. in Detroit.

A shipment of latest styles in men's Panama and fine straw Sailors just to hand.—Brown Bros.

Several of the Arkona citizens motored to London to the Military Review in honor of Col. Sam Hughes' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moore who have been visiting friends in the Ark left last Monday for Grand Rapids, Mich.

Mr. Arthur Jackson of Sudbury and brother Lloyd of Toronto are spending their summer vacation at their home here.

L. O. L. 2336, Arkona, will attend divine service in the Presbyterian church on Sunday, July 9th, at 3 o'clock. The Rev. Bro. Hare will conduct the service and preach. Brethren will meet at the lodge room at 2.30. Visiting brethren invited.

MARKETS

WATFORD

GRAIN AND SEEDS		
Wheat, fall, per bush	90	@ \$ 90
Oats, per bush	40	40
Barley, per bush	48	50
Beans, per bush	4 00	4 50
Timothy	4 00	5 00
Clover Seed	12 00	16 00
Alsike	9 00	12 00

PROVISIONS		
Butter, per pound	22	22
Lard	18	20
Eggs, per doz	24	24
Pork	14 00	15 00
Flour, per cwt	2 50	4 00
Brar, per ton	25 00	26 00
Shorts, per ton	26 00	28 00

MISCELLANEOUS		
Wood	2 00	2 75
Tallow	8	8
Hides	17	17
Wool	32	42
Hay, per ton	12 00	14 00

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT

Potatoes, per bag	2 00	2 25
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POULTRY		
Turkeys, dressed	18	21
Turkeys, per lb.	15	17
Chickens, per lb.	10	12
Fowl	7	10
Ducks	11	12
Geese	9	10

LONDON

Wheat	95	to \$ 92
Oats, cwt.	1 75	to 1 82
Butter	24	to 25
Eggs	22	to 23
Pork	14 75	to 15 00

TORONTO

TORONTO, June 27.—Receipts at the Union stockyards to-day were 601 cattle, 221 calves, 883 hogs and 258 sheep and lambs. With a very light run of fresh cattle to-day buyers apparently decided that they were not particularly in need of cattle for a day or two, in view of yesterday's heavy purchases. An active demand to-day would probably have met a little stiffening in prices. As it was, with most of the buyers holding off, prices held just about steady with yesterday.

Hogs were again the exception and with several buyers in the market competing prices were run up another 10c to 15c. This will probably be the peak price for this week, as a heavy run is in sight for to-morrow's market.

To-day's quotations:		
Choice heavy steers	9 75	to 10 50
Butcher steers, choice	9 45	to 10 00
do, good	9 20	to 9 40
do, medium	8 90	to 9 15
do, common	8 00	to 8 75
Heifers, good to choice	9 00	to 10 00
do, medium	7 50	to 8 00
Butcher cows, choice	7 50	to 8 25
do, good	5 75	to 6 50
Butcher bulls, choice	7 75	to 8 50
do, good	7 25	to 8 50
do, medium	6 75	to 7 00
Feeders	5 00	to 6 25
Stockers	5 50	to 6 00
do, medium	7 00	to 7 50
do, light	6 00	to 6 50
Canners	4 00	to 4 25
Cutters	4 50	to 4 75
Milkers, choice, each	60 00	to 85 00
Sheep yearling	10 00	to 13 00
Sheep, light, clipped	7 50	to 8 25
do, light, unclipped	9 00	to 9 50
do, heavy, clipped	6 25	to 6 75
do, heavy, unclipped	8 50	to 9 00
Spring lambs	13 00	to 14 00
do, medium	6 00	to 9 00
Calves, veal, choice	9 00	to 12 50
Hogs, fed and watered	11 40	to
do, f. o. b.	10 85	to
do, weighed off cars	11 65	to 11 80

EAST BUFFALO

East Buffalo, N. Y., June 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 500 head; slow. Veals—Receipts, 25; active, \$4.50 to \$12. Hogs—Receipts, 2,500 head; slow; Heavy and mixed, \$10.15 at \$10.20; yorkers, \$9.15 at \$10.15; pigs, \$9.65 at \$9.75; roughs, \$8.60 at \$8.75; stags, \$6.50 at \$7.25. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 100; active and unchanged.

Splitting bottles often cause cracking headaches.

NEW GOODS FOR JULY TRADE

LADIES' SECTION MEN'S SECTION

Latest Attractive Novelties

New Blouses—right from the factory, the latest up-to-the-minute styles, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50. The Kitchener middy, its smart, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50. Silk and Lisle Hose, 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00. Black Cream, 3 pair for \$1.00, this is the best hose in Canada for the price; New Collars, Laces and Corset Covers, Embroideries, New Sheen Silks and Organdies for waists, also Grafton Voiles in smart styles from 25c to 85c per yard are showing at 45c and 50c, are smart. New buttons open today, white and black Silk Gloves, 60c to \$1.00, long and short.

New Snappy Styles

Straw Hats, American and Canadian styles, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50. Soft and stiff hats, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50. Soft shirts, double cuffs, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50; special with collars at \$1.00; Silk Caps in new shapes 60c, 75c and \$1.00; special Silk Hats \$1.00; Soft Collars, the new shapes; Combinations, long and short styles, \$1.00 a garment; Shirts and Drawers, 75c to a dollar a suit; new light weight Braces, Porusknit Underwear. Two special ranges of light weight Trousers with cuffs, \$3.25 and \$3.75, also White Duck and Flannel Trousers.

SWIFT'S SWIFT'S

ASK TO SEE OUR NEW JULY STYLES IN CREPE, SILK AND MULLS IN WAISTS. THE NEW COAT MIDDIES ARE SMART.

SWIFT SONS & CO. IMPORTERS.

Lambton Farms Wanted

A seventh list of farms for sale in Lambton County will be published by the Lambton Publicity Association on the 5th of August, 1916.

Farms that appeared in the last list will reappear in the forthcoming list if request be sent to the Secretary before above date and present price of farm stated. These lists will have wide circulation at the Canadian National Exposition, Toronto, and other places of concourse.

Those who have farms for sale will please send a full description, the price and post office address of owner to the undersigned, in order that the parties enquiring may be brought into personal touch with those who have land to sell.

There will be no charge or commission of any kind, and the parties furnishing descriptions are not bound in any way. Give details as to situation, acreage, roads, improvements, soil, distance from churches, schools, towns, railways, telephone service, etc., etc., that would be of interest to prospective purchasers at a distance.

When sale of farm takes place, please notify the Secretary so that it may be struck off the list. Parties offering large farms, suitable for fruit growing, would do well to offer them in lots of 15 to 50 acres. The Publicity Association exists for the purpose of advertising Lambton County and for no other purpose. It consists largely of the members of the County Council and the expense of the advertising is paid by the County.

The information is wanted for the purpose of placing a list of farms in the hands of those who wish to buy and who have written to the Secretary in answer to general advertisements and descriptions of Lambton which have been published in various newspapers in Canada, the United States and Britain.

The description may be sent by mail to R. Stirrett, Secretary of the Association, not later than Saturday, August 5th, 1916. J 30-2t

WANT COLUMN.

PAINTERS WANTED—Experienced or beginners. Apply to A. D. HONE, Watford.

FOR SALE.—Brick residence on corner of Front and Warwick Streets. For particulars apply to A. DUNLOP, 237 Grand Ave. E., Chatham, Ont. m31-tf

WORN OUT HORSES and fallen animals of any kind bought.—LETT BROS., fur ranchers, lot 13, con. 13, Brooke; Rural phone 4821. Watford P. O. Phone messages at our expense. tf

FOR SALE.—A comfortable brick house on Wall Street, with one acre of land, frame barn, all kinds of fruit. Apply to proprietor, R. KELLS, Watford. J 30-43

PRIVATE and other money to loan on farm property. A few good dwelling house properties and two business properties in Watford for sale. Before buying elsewhere apply to W. E. FITZGERALD, BARRISTER, &c., Watford.

The only persons who can be considered serious are those who can't be seriously considered.

The trouble with life is that there are no simple answers.

Watford's Busy Store

Now is the time to Paper, as next year prices will be much higher on account of coloring material. We have a large stock of distinctly new patterns at old prices—some odd lines, enough for one room, at bargain prices. Call and let us show you our patterns and prices.

SHOES of all descriptions, including Pumps, Colonial and Strap Slippers. Roman Sandals for children, also patent button with blue top or white top.

CHINA—a large assortment suitable for Wedding presents, also Dinner Sets and Toilet Sets, a large assortment at low prices. Call and let us show you our stock.

OUR GROCERIES will please you; they are always fresh. A trial order will convince you we can serve you well.

P. DODDS & SON Watford's Busy Store

Utility Keynote of C. N. E. Prize List

A glance over the Premium List for 1916, just issued by the Canadian National Exhibition, shows a marked tendency throughout to give encouragement to utility breeds and types and with this object in view the Dominion Government has again contributed \$5,000 to the prizes, the Exhibition has added another \$1,000 and the Hereford Society a similar amount. A full classification has again been given to all grades and for the first time reserve ribbons will be given in all classes of the stock.

Among the new classes in the horse section are for aged Standard Bred stallions in harness, one for trotters and one for pacers.

In the Poultry section the breeding pens, added for the first time last year, will be repeated and liberal treatment is again assured the utility breeds.

Several changes are noted in the Fruit Section including the addition of two extra classes in apples and pears in 10

box lots and a 9 x 24 display of Canadian fruits. For the latter prizes amounting to \$400 will be given.

The Honey men will again have a chance for competition. They retired about two years ago, but have again asked for representation.

The butter-making competitions will be repeated. Among the changes in the Dairy section is a class for standard creamery packages of 56 pounds in place of the obsolete "not less than 50 lbs." classification.

The Live Stock buildings, barns, stables and pens have all been disinfected and approved by the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa and exhibitors need fear no evil results from the recent occupancy by the Military horses.

Private L. B. Smith who was a member of the First Canadian Contingent and who was wounded and had to return to Canada as a result, enlisted last week in the 149th Lambton Battalion. Private Smith says he cannot walk around in civilian clothes while his friends are fighting in France.—Observer.

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