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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

ness is waste. Men's Overalls \$1.75 and \$1.95

-Swift's. Tell the merchants you read their advertisements.

Nine out of 15 prizes for Ontario grain at the Chicago fair isn't so

No one is complaining now that we're not having an old-fashioned

Service at Calvary Baptist church next Sunday at 3 p.m., and at Wat-ford at 7 p.m. Subject: "Jesus, the Saviour."

Get your boys a cheap overcoat now at Swifts.

A special attraction at the Lyceum next Thursday will be two reels of the Japanese Disaster taken immediately after the earthquake.

The annual Vestry meeting of Trinity church will be held on Tuesday evening, Jan. 22nd., at 7.30 in the schoolroom. Miss Sarah Mavity left for Wind-

sor last week enroute for California, accompanied by Mrs. A. K. Wanless, Yperlanti, Mich., and Mr. Hal. Mavity. Sarnia.

ion "Lawful Larceny" from the famous stage success with Hope Hampton, Conrad Nagel, Nita Nolda, and Lew Cody will be the attraction the Lyceum next Thursday, Jan. 24th.

Those heavy fur banded caps at Swift's for \$1.00 and \$1.25. A public meeting will be held in the Foresters' hall on Monday after-

noon, Jan. 21st, at two p.m. for discussing the merits of co-operative marketing of live stock on the graded system. The meeting will be addressed by W.P. Macdonald, B.S.A. of Petrolea.

The "Home Nursing and First Aid Class" under the skiller under the skillful management of Miss B. E. Bryson, R.N., Toronto, is being well attended. The lectures are very clear and concise proving both educational and

Heavy Rancher Coats \$6.75; sheep

\$12.50.—Swift's.
The Ontario Gypsum Company

Limited of Paris, Ont., attributes the large business coming to them these months to their newspaper advertising of Gyproc. They say "The business we have derived from these large newspaper advertisements has certainly been amazing. J. F. Elliot received a wire on

Tuesday announcing the death of his brother-in-law, Peter H. Mac-Millan, after a short illness home in Hamilton, North Dakota. Mr. MacMillan will be remembered by many of our older residents as a timber buyer while here some forty

The annual meeting of tht Directors of the East Lambton Agricultural Society will be held in the Council Chamber, Watford, on Friday afternoon, January 25th, 1924, to elect officers for the coming year, receive reports and any other business that may come before the meetj18-2t

The Dept. of Horticulture of the Ontario Agricultural College at Guelph is putting on a four weeks' course in horticulture, consisting of lectures and demonstrations by members of the College Staff and a number of prominent horticulturists from outside points. Tht course is entirely free to those who wish to attend. It commences on January 21st, 1924.

The home paper gives you the reading matter in which you have the greatest interest—the home news. Its every issue proves a welcome visitor to every member of the family. If you are not reading The Guide-Advoctae regularly, try it for a year, and see if it is not enjoyed

in your home. Among those from Watford and vicinity who attended the Conservative banquet in honor of Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen were John McCorm-Richard Williamson, James Sayers, S. B. Chambers, Thos. Kerr, from the 4th line west; J. R. Mc-Cormick, Reg P. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cowan, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Morningstar, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wil-hamson, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. McCormick, Dr and Mrs. W.G. Siddall, W. H. Harper and Dr. J. McGillicuddy. were very clever and amusing.

Every year is leap year to pedes-

Fine warm pullovers, white, \$5.00 each. See them at Swift's.

Some women are busy little bodies and others are little busybodies.

The world is divided among peo ple ambitious to pass another law or another car.

Storage Batteries of best quality 11 plate, \$15.00, 13 plate \$18.50 .-R. Morningstar, Wat-Ford Garage. 2t

The most satisfactory job is that of an efficiency expert. The boss can never tell whether he is loafing or thinking. If you teach a boy that money isn't

everything don't blame him if he takes a white collar job instead of laying bricks. Children's heavy fleeced shirts and drawers 59c each.—Swift's Dis-

count Sale. "Ziegfeld Follies" The famous star Gilda Gray and her dancers are

shown in "Lawful Larceny" at the Lyceum next Thursday, Jan. 24. He—"Is she progressive or conservative?" She—"I don't know. She wears a last year's hat, drives

year's income. Swift's Discount Sale-selling out ladies' coats. suits and dresses all must go. See prices in window.

President Falconer of the Toronto University, claims there are no reds in that educational institution. That bevy of red-headed co-eds that we saw down there last fall must have got their hair-dyed.

Examinations at office free to sick people, which will show you the cause of your illness. Dr. Anderson D.C., Watford, Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 9 to 11 a.m., over Mr. Rogers' store. For country calls

phone 92w Strathroy. An increase of two cents a gallon is announced in the retail price of gasoline. The new sales tax is blamed for the increase but some of the dealers declare the oil companies are simply using the tax as a means

of bleeding the public. Miss Isabel Harris returned to her chool in Welland on Wednesday; Mr. Orrie Harris left for his home in Calgary on Friday, after attending the funeral of their father, the

late Thomas Harris. An investigation by the Pullman lined \$9.00; heavy sheep, extra long Car Company with a view to reduc-\$12.50.—Swift's. saving of a cake of soap a week by each of its cleaners would amount to

\$12,000 a year One of the most effective penalties that could be imposed for speeding on the highways would be the suspension of the driver's license for a period. It would rid the roads of reckless drivers and would be a penalty that would deter a lover of spetd more effectively than any that could be devised.

The Forest Free Press, one of Western Ontario's oldest and wellknown weekly newspapers celebrated its forty-sixth anniversary last week. Mr. H. J. Pettypiece, the proprietor and a well-known weekly newspaperman, has been at its helm for the past forty-one years and the success that the Free Prèss enjoys day is due greatly to Mr. Petty-piece's efforts and perseverance. May the Free Press continue to

flourish for years to come. Mr. Merchant:-You will have traveller call on you in the next few days soliciting orders for counter check books. If he does, here is what he has done in other towns, he wili tell you that he is the only one you can buy from, that local agents have been discontinued. Pay no attention to him, but phone your order to the Guide-Advocate. We are still selling check books, and are prepared to

give our customers the lowest prices on the market. The January meeting of Women's Institute was held on Friday at the home of Mrs. Angus Mitchell with Mrs. J.H. Humphries presiding. The Institute hopes to have Mrs. E: Pankhurst of Canadian Social Hygiene Council to deliver an address here in the near future. A very interesting paper on "Canada, West Rockies" was given by Mrs. T.G.Mitchell and greatly enjoyed by her hearers. Mrs. Mitchell has taken this trip several times and was thus able to give very clear and en-tertaining description of many noted At close of meeting Mrs. Michell, hostess, treated the ladies to delicious home made candy. Twentythree members answered roll call with "Ancient Events" all of which

In the old days they used leeches to bleed a man. The income tax had

Have you noticed how much longer the days have grown since Decem-

ber 21? Neither have we. Three thousand German families want to emigrate to Canada. Canada might get worse. It's a safe bet that they wouldn't stand around on the street corners the greater part of the year, dodging work and talking like some of our newcomers are in the habit of doing.

Parties of scientists from all over the world will gather in Western Ontario to witness the total eclipse of the sun on Jan. 25. The sun will begin to be obscured by the moon about 8 in the morning. If the day is clear all Western Ontario wil have an excellent opportunity of witnessing this interesting phenomenon.

plain that the things they have to buy cost too much money. If they would have a heart-to-heart talk with some of Watford merchants and learn of the taxation which forces the merchants to ask the present a this year's car and lives on next prices, there would result a union of forces which would demand that a cut in Government expenses be put into effect at once.

Early on Friday evening little Bruce Foster, youngest son of Rev. and Mrs. J.L.Foster of Brooke Methodist circuit, was knocked down by an automobile driven by Dr. Jas. Newell of this village, and had his arm broken. The accident occurred on Main street south, immediately in front of the boy's home, the little lad rushed ahead of his brother, right in front of the automobile, giving the driver no chance to avoid

OLD BOYS' REUNION MEETING WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 30th

As will be noticed in the Council minutes on page three, the Reeve and Councillors of the Village of Watford are calling a meeting of the ratepayers in the Library Board room on Wednesday, January 30th to discuss the question of holding a Reunion of our former townsmen this coming summer, at the same time to celebrate the Fiftieth anniversary of Watford's incorporation.

BLYTH C. N. R. AGENT

GETS WATFORD STATION Blythe, Jan. 11.-Geo. E. McTaggart, Canadian National Railway agent here received word on Thursday afternoon of his appointment as agent of the Watford station, and leaves here on Monday to take over his new duties. Mr. McTaggart came here in May. 1906, and has looked after the welfare of both the company and the patrons in a highly satisfactory manner.

(Blyth Standard) Mr. Geo. E. McTaggart left on Monday for Watford where he has taken charge of the C.N.R. station

as agent. His removal from Blyth, where he has acted in a similar capacity for the past seventeen years, is much regretted by our citizens at large. While we regret his removal, yet we are pleased to know that the new position is considerably more remunerative and sincerely trust that abundant success may be his. In the capacity of C.N.R. agent in Blyth. Mr. McTaggart was courteous and obliging to the travelling public and painstaking and thorough in the work of the company in whose employ he labored. Not only in this will he be missed, but in our social and business life. He is an enthusiatic bowler, a much appreciated member of the Masonic and Oddfellow lodges and an energetic member of Trinity Church in which capacity he has acted as Recording Steward for a number of years. To Mr. McTaggart belongs the honor of acting as president of Blyth Memorial Hall Committee, under whose direction the erection and completion of this splen did memorial to our soldier boys marks a pleasing epoch in the history of our village. Until the end of De-cember 1923 Mr. McTaggart filled the office of secretary-treasurer of our Continuation and Public School Board to the entire satisfacion of fore in matters pertaining to the welfare of the community as a whole and his assistance in these matters will be much missed.

It is the intention, we believe, for Mrs. McTaggart and family to remain in Blyth until Spring.

MISSLEBROOK—ROUTLY

A quiet wedding took place at the rectody, Wafford, Wednesday, Jan. 16th, at four p.m. when Sybil Kathleen, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Routly, Warwick street, be-came the bride of Alvin G. Misslebrook, son of George Misslebrook, Abbey, Sask., the Rev. J.H.Hosford M.A., officiating.

The bride was becomingly gowned in brown silk chiffon velvet with suede slippers to match and wearing a rope of pearls, the gift of th groom.

After a dainty wedding supper at the home of the bride's parents, the young couple left on the evening train for Detroit and points west, the bride travelling in a brown marvella coat with coon trimmings and grey hat with side trimming of ostrick plumes. Upon their return they will reside on the 6th sideroad, Brooke.

The bride was the recipient of nany beautiful gifts among them being a substantial cheque from her

WATFORD HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

The annual meeting of the local society was held on Thursday even-ing, Jan. 10th, at the Public Library The business of the evening consist ed in the presentation of the annual report, election of officers and discussion of plans for increasing the effectiveness of the society for the coming year.

The Society had a successful year and ended with a substantial surplus of approximately one hundred and seventy dollars, so that prospective members may be assured that they will receive their money back with interest this coming season.

The election of officers resulted as follows

Hon. President-Mr. A. G. Brown President—Mr. F.W.Mahony. 1st vice-pres—Mr. E.D.Swift. 2nd vice-pres.-Mrs. A.G. Brown

Sec.-Treas.-Mr. C. W. Cook. Directors for two years: Dr. C. W. Sawers, Rev. Mr. Hosford, Dr. G.N. Howden, Mr. R. Stapleford, Mr. W. G. Connolly. Directors with still a year to serve

Miss M. Reid, Mrs. L.R. Kinnell, Mrs. J. McKercher, Mrs. T.G. Auditors-Mr. W. H. Shrapnell,

Mr. A. Doolittle

PEABODY LODGE I.O. O. F. INSTALLS NEW OFFICERS

On Monday, Jan. 14th, Mr. Alex. Westgate, D.D.G. Master of District No. 6, and suite visited Peabody No. 99 and installed Lodge officers into their chairs as follows:
Jun. P. G.—Bro. H.A. McKenzie

N. G.-Bro. J.T. Kersey. V. G.-John Gault. Rec.-Sec.-R. A. McIntosh Fin. Sec .- L. Aylesworth. Treas.—M. Thompson. War.-O. Richardson. Con.-J. E. Fowler. R.S.N.G .- F. Pritchett. L. S. N. G.—J. Piercey. R.S.V.G.—D. Hamilton. S.V.G.—A. Hay R S S - I Saunders L.S.S.-H. W. Nixon I. G. -Clare Lambert O.G.-R. Heaton.

Chap.-John McKercher. After the installation ceremon; ne brethren sat down to an oyster upper, after which speech and story empleted a most enjoyable evening

PETROLEA

The regular convocation of Bruce Chapter No. 53, was held Wednes day evening, in the Masonic Temple The officers were installed by Ex-Comp. Johnston Vance of Inwood as follows: Ex-Comp. C.J. Collins, Z; Ex-Comp. Fred Scarsbrook, H.; Ex-Comp. Stanley Churchill, J.; Ex-Comp.Edward Burleigh, Past Z; Ex-Comp. J. E. Wismer, Scribe E.; Comp N. Hilbibert, Scribe N.; Comp. R. Williamson, P.S.; Comp. Bloss Ellacott, S.S.; Comp. W. Polley, J.S.; Comp. Frank Gaunt, first veil; Comp. John Blake, second veil; Comp. Fred Boges, third veil; Comp. John Bradthe trustees. He was always to the ley, fourth veil; Ex-Comp. Jas. Hackett, treasurer; Comp. Thos. Kelly janitor. After the installation the companions sat down to an oyster supper after which Comp. F. H. Gilroy led in community Companions were present from Wat ford, Strathroy and Inwood.

BROOKE

Storage Batteries of best quality 11 plate, \$15.00, 13 plate \$18.50.— R. Morningstar, Wat-Ford Garage, 2t Miss Newell, R.N., has returned to Toledo, O., after spending a few weeks at her home on the 6th line.

The annual Vestry meetings of St. James' and Christ church, Sutorville, will be held on Monday, Jan. 21st, at 2.30 p.m. in the former and on Tuesday, Jan. 22nd, at the same hour in the latter.

WARWICK

Storage Batteries of best quality 11 plate, \$15.00, 13 plate \$18.50.— R. Morningstar, Wat-Ford Garage. 2t

Mr. Chas. R. Williams, Main Road returned on Wednesday after spending the Christmas holidays with his daughter, Mrs. Jas. H. Smith in London .

Several foxes are reported as being at large in Warwick township, and local hunters are on their trail. One night recently a fox ran on the road on the town line, in the lights

of a motor car.
The Ladies' Aid of Warwick Bethel church met at the home of Mrs. Wm. Vance and elected the following officers for 1924: president, Mrs. W. Vance; vice-president, Mrs. W. Luckham; secretary-treasurer, Miss Mabel Cable. The first meeting will be held at the home of Miss Jennie Vance on Jan. 31st.

On Thursday evening, Jan. 10th, the regular meeting of the Warwick Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Cook. The meeting was opened by singing the Institute Ode followed by prayer. The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted. Mrs. Main read a paper on "Self Control" which was enjoyed by all. Mrs. Cook was presented with some useful gifts by the members of the Institute. A dainty lunch was then served. meeting will be on Thursday evening February 14th.

A very pleasing and profitable meeting under the auspices of the D.O.B. Girls, of Kingscourt, was held at the home of Miss Lily Hickson on January 9th, with a good attendance. One visitor was present. The afternoon was spent in sewing pillow cases. The meeting was directed by the president, Miss Alma Mor-ris, and opened by singing "Simply Trusting." Secretary's report was giv en and roll call was annswered by verses from the Bible. This brought the meeting to a close, after which a dainty luncheon was served by the hostess. Miss Pearl Claypole cordial-ly invited the girls club to be held at her home Feb. 13th.

H. Fifield, of Strathroy, has ample reason to feel proud of the record made by his poultry during 1923. A flock of twenty-four hens productd no less than 2,951 eggs, an average of 122 eggs per bird.

BORN

In Plympton, on Saturday, Jan. 5th, 1924, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pascoe, a daughter. In Bosanquet, on Friday, Jan. 4th,

1924, to Mr. and Mrs. Wray Porter, a daughter. In Plympton, on Jan. 15th, 1924,

to Mr. and Mrs. H.D. Cameron, a daughter-Doris Francis. In St. Joseph's Hospital, London, on

January, 5th, 1924, to Mr. and Mrs Edward E. Carroll, (nee Mrs Edward E. Carroll, (nee Gertrude Brown, Brooke)a daugh-ter—Marie Evelyn.

MARRIED

At the Rectory, Watford, by the Rev. J. H. Hosford, M.A., B.D., on Wednesday, January, 16, 1924, Sybil Kathleen, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Routly, of Watford, to Mr. Alvin G. Misslebrook, of Brooke

DIED

Warwick, on Monday, January 14. 1924, Elizabeth Bryce, relict of the late Robert Fleming, aged 68 years, 3 months, 3 days

In Bosanquet, on Monday, Jan. 7th, Mr. John Buchanan, in his 75th In Thedford, on Thursday, Jan. 3rd, William A. Finnie, in his 74th year

In Vancouver, on Thursday, Jan. 3rd Archie McDougall, formerly of Plympton, aged 53 years. In Petrolea on Tuesday, January 15, Sarah, beloved wife of Oscar Brit-

ney. Interment in Petrolea ceme-

tery on Thursday.

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NEW MOTOR TRAFFIC LAWS

MOTORISTS SHOULD KNOW REQUIREMENTS OF NEW ACT

On December 31st, the new Highway Traffic came into force throughout Ontario. For some years the traffic laws of the province have been covered by three separate Acts. The Motor Vehicles Act dealt with the operation of motor vehicles in gen-eral, the Load of Vehicles Act conprovisions governing the speed, size of loads on the , including motor trucks; and weight, the Highway Travel Act set forth the rules of the road as effecting both motor and horsedrawn vehicles. These Acts had been amended frequently since their inception, with the result that they were difficult to understand and were, owing to the rapid advance in the use of motor vehicles, not as up to date as they might be.

During the summer and autumn off 1922, a special committee of the legislature held public sittings at various points in the Province and received the opinions of motorists, truck owners, manufacturers and police officials. As a result of the information secured, and the ideas received, it was decided to con-solidate all traffic laws in one Act to be known as the Highway Traffic Act. This was presented to the legislature and passed during the 1923 session of the legislature and it would appear from a perusal of its requirements. that it leaves little to be desired. It is extremely easy to understand. Separate sections deal with the various divisions of traffic laws such as speed, equipment, garage licenses, chauffeurs licenses, weight and load, rules of the road; responsibilty for accidents, traction engines, etc. Another important feature is the stating of the penalties for violations of the requirements of the Act, immediately following the description of these

A few of the more important follows:-

before, viz: 25 miles an hour in the intentionally avoiding service of villages, with limits of 10 and 121/2 miles an hour in corporations and in the country respectively, past intersections where the view is obscured.

Notwithstanding the speed limits gently or in a manner dangerous to the public is liable to a maximum penalty of \$200, shall be liable to imprisonment up to 60 days, and may have the permit for the car cancelled for a period not greater than six months. Where a speed greater than 40 miles an hour is same penalties and magistrates have no option other than to treat it as reckless driving.

lamps shall be of at least Tail four candle power and are required to properly illuminate the number

When cars are standing on the road, one light carried on the left side will be allowed if it is clearly visible for a distance of two hundred shows white in front and red to the

Brakes are subject to inspection by police officials, and if not in good order the police may order the driver to have them properly adjusted.

No flanges or clamps are allowed on wheels, which may in any way injure the road.

Cars must not be bought, sold or wrecked if the manufacturer's serial number is defaced or removed.

No vehicles which with their loads weigh more than ten tons can use roads without special permits Such permits may be granted by the authorities having control of the roads such as villages, towns, cities, townships, counties and the Depart-

ment of Highways. Up to December 31st, 1925. motor trucks which, with their loads exceed ten tons in weight, and which were previously registered in Ontario may receive special permits to carry a maximum load of five tors.

After January 1st, 1926, motor trucks with their loads must not weigh more than eight tons.

All vehicles with tires less than Little Essex Lad Had B

6 inches in width must not have a greater load on any wheel than will exert a pressure of 500 pounds for each, inch in width. Thus a 5-inch tire must not carry a total weight greater than 2,500 pounds. For tires over 6 inches in width the maximum weight per inch in width is 600 pound consequently an 8-inch tire may carry 4,800 pounds.

Broken or defaced tires will not be permitted and all solid tires must have 14 inches rubber between the rim and the road.

During the months of March and April, motor trucks rated at more one ton must not carry more than half the rated load outside of cities and towns separated from the counties for municipal purposes. During the same period all other vehicles are restricted to a wheel load of 250 pounds for each inch of tire width, without special permit.

Motor trucks must not carry a load greater than that for which they are registered.
All vehicles while carrying loads

extending over the rear for more than five feet, must carry a red flag by day and a red light at night atched to the rear of the load. Bicycles are required to carry red

mps or reflectors at the rear. Spotlights will be permitted, provided they are stationary and are at tached to the left of the motor vehicle, with the light directed to the right-hand side, striking the road within 75 feet in front of the vehicle. Movable spotlights are not allowed.

Probably the most outstanding change in the Act is that providing for the recording of convictions on the permit issued for motor vehicles and for the cancellation of the permits on three convictions for certain offences.Permit cards will have space provided on them for the recording of convictions and motorists who are summonsed will be required to present these in court in order that the magistrates may endorse them. The amount of the fines, and the cancellation of permits, in many cases, de-pend on the number of convictions and the above procedure is neceseary in order that magistrates may know how many previous convictions have been made. At the same time magistrates report all convictions to the Minister of Highways who may at any time for misconduct or for violations of the provisions of the Act or any regulations thereunder suspend or cancel any permit or license.

A new provision in the Act that motorists will appreciate is the limit of ten days required for the serving of summonses. In the past unnecessary time has elapsed between the offence and the serving of the summonses.. The limit of ten days may points are briefly summarized as however be extended by magistrate in cases where it is evident that of-The speed limits are the same as fenders could not be served or were

A limitation has also been placed on the time during which civil action for recovery of damages occas ioned by motor vehicles may be taken. In the past action could be brought at any time, long after destated above, anyone who drives a motor vehicle recklessly or negligotten and long after witnesses could be obtained. The new Act provides that no action shall be brought after six months following the damage.

All garages must obtain licenses from the Department' of Highways and must keep a record, and must report to the Department all motor vehicles bought, sold, or wrecked by made the offender is subject to the them within six days. They are also same penalties and magistrates have required to report all cars or trucks which remain on their premises for more than two weeks without good

reason While the above is a brief outline of the general features of the Act, it is the duty of owners or drivers of vehicles to study the requirements of the Act and become familiar with

All licenses and permis are issued feet from the front and rear and by the eDpartment of Public Highways, in which the administration of the Act is vested. Permits and markers can be obtained direct from the Department at Toronto or from the local agents of the Department of which there is at least one in each county of the province. Chauffeurs' licenses and garage licenses can be secured only from the Department at

> The new Act has been published in convenient booklet form and will be mailed on application to the Ontario Department of Public Highways Motor Vehicle Branch, Highway Administration Building. University Avenue, Toronto.



ON HIS WAY HOME

Little Essex Lad Had Been to Pay Visit to His Grandmother

Leamington, Ont., Jan. 13.-Little Donald Smith, aged two years and eleven months, was drowned on Sunday afternoon in about two feet of water in a ditch north of here on the

tenth concession.

He had gone across to see his grandmother on the adjoining farm to pay her his daily visit. When returning home, his grandmother 'phoned that he was on his way, but on looking out shortly afterwards his mother could not see him. She became anxious, and started out to meet him. While passing along a ditch she saw his cap floating on the water. He had evidently slipped at the edge of the ditch and fallen in, and it is thought that the ice held him down. His mother carried the body into the house, but when the doctor came he found life was ex-

LONDON WOMAN IS **ELECTROCUTED AS** SHE TAKES BATH

Receives Full Current when Reaching to Remove the Electric Heating Stove

London, Ont., Jan. 14.-Mrs. Row en Williams, 39, wife of Dawid Williams, 25 Grafton street, was electro cuted while bathing at her home Sat

urday night, shortly after 10 o'clock While standing in a bathtub, Mrs. Williams reached over to remove an electric heater, not knowing that it had become charged. As she took hold of it the full current passed through her and a few seconds later she fell unconscious into her husband's arms, and died.

PAPER FOUND BY BOY WAS \$300,000 DRAFT

Windsor Lad Makes Valuable Find Near Detroit Post Office

Windsor, Jan. 17 .- What Thoma McCarthy, 14-year-old Windsor boy, was a worthless piece of paper that he kicked outside the Detroit post office last Friday night developed yesterday to be an envelope containing a draft for \$300,000 on a New York bank.

The boy, thinking that the unstamped envelope was without value, placed it in his pocket, where it #mained until Saturday when the draft was discovered.

The boy's father, who lives at 145 Wellington avenue, returned the draft to the Detroit bank upon which it was drawn.

MY EYES NOW SPARKLE WITH HEALTH

So asys Mrs. F. Simms after taking three bottles of Dreco. This grand has built her health an made life worth living.

The lot of Mrs. F. Simms, of 72 Josephine St., London Ont., was a mighty hard one till she discovered Her digestive organs were in a pitiable state of weakness. Stomach kidneys, liver and bowels were all badly out of order, her blood circulation was poor; in fact, she was so badly run-down that life was hardly worth the living. Let this woman who surely knows what suffering is, tell you of the grand relief that Dreco, the famous system builder,

"I am another woman since taking Dreco," says Mrs. Simms. "I sleep and eat splendidly and life is again a pleasure to me. Meal time can't come quick enough, for my stomach troubles have disappeared and I no longer suffer the agonies of indigestion, dyspepsia, nausea or crampe My kidneys are stronger and rheumatic pains gone and my liver is act ive, ending the bilious attacks and dizzy speels that caused me so much

suffering. "My eyes sparkle with health and I do not hesitate to say that it is all due to Dreco. It has made a new woman out of a complete wreck and

I cannot say enough to praise it.' Dreco corrects and stimulates the kidneys, liver, stomach and bowels after and purifies the blood, overcoming all heart. forms of suffering that accompanies a weakened and run down system. It is made from herbs, roote, bark and leaves and contains no mercury, potash or habit forming drug.

Dreco is being specially introduced Watford by Siddall's Drug Co., and is sold by a good druggist everywhere.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children In Use For Over 30 Years

HE STERLING BANK OF CANADA

SAVE, Because---

Saving is ONE rut it is profitable to follow.

ORANGEMEN TO HOLD NEXT CELEBRATION AT FOREST

Forest, Jan. 10 .- It has been de cided that the twelfth of July will be celebrated by the Orange Lodges of East and West Lambton in Forest this year. Middlesex, Kent and Michigan Lodges will be invited to accept the hospitality of the local Orange

It is eight years since the last Orange celebration here. The local master, Robert Cope, will appoint his committees at the next meeting.

FORMER EDITOR ILL

Strathroy, January 14.-G. Richardson of Sault Ste Marie, Ont., former editor of The Strathroy Age-Dispatch, suffered a paralytic stroke according to word received here yesterday. A wire was received here to day that he was much improved and that it was expected that he would be around again shortly.

NEW INDUSTRY FOR PARKHILL

A communication was received by the Mayor of the town in December from a firm in Kalamazoo, Mich., which manufacturers cement silos, re opening a Canadian branch in Parkhill. On Monday night a representative of this Company met the 1923 Council and discussed the proposition The Company asks for a free site and the plant which they will erect here will be worth about \$10,000. There will be employment for six men. The Council were in favor of providing the site and it is probable that 1924 will see this manufacturing business established in Parkhill.

BOSANQUET DISTRICT L. O. L. ELECTS OFFICERS

The annual meeting and election Hall, Arkona, with Bro. Alex. Johntson, district master, presiding. The following members were duly elected for the ensuing year, and were afterwards installed by Bro. Wm. Brander, past county master; District master, George A. Smith; Dept. M., R. R. Wilson; chaplain, Lee W. Walker, recording secretary, Chas. Smith; financial secretary, James Gilliland; treasurer, Robt. Hawkins; D. of C., James Gilliard; lecturers, William Cable ir., and George R. Turner.

A Corrector of Pulmonary Troubles -Many testimonials could be presented showing the great efficacy of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil in correcting disorders of the respiratory processes, but the best testimonial is experience and the oil is recommended to all who suffer from these disorders relief. It will allay inflammation in the bronchial tubes.

SPARTA LOTHARIO ON TIME AT SCHOOL

Spends Night in Teachers' Rest Room After Seeing His Lady Love

St. Thomas, Jan. 14.—Courting a young lady of the city until a late hour at night got Jack Hall, a Sparta youth, into serious trouble today. Hall was located in the Wellingto street school, where, according to the report made in Police Court, he went last night or early this morning after leaving the young lady of his

From what Magistrate Maxwell could learn of the matter, it was not

A comfortable couch in the teachers' restroom on the second floor of the school was used as a bed by Hall.

He was removed to the second floor of the new sales tax will not increase He was remanded to the county jail for a week in order that the Court may have more time to consider his

Is Your ad. in this paper this week ?

UNITED STATES MANUFACTUR-ERS PLAN TO ESTABLISH IN CANADA

Sarnia, Jan. 14.—T. Mueller, pres-ident of Mueller Metals, Limited, Port Huron, Mich, addressing the Sarnia Chamber of Commerce Lunch Club this afternoon expressed the opinion that Canada would see greater influx of manufacturers from the United States within the next ten years than in all previous time. He declared unbounded faith in the natural resources of the country, which, he said, was also held by most of the big men in the Republic.

Worms in children, if they be not attended to, cause convulsions, and often death. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator will protect the children from these distressing affictions,

BIOGRAPHY OF SIR G. W. ROSS

Margaret Ross, of Strathroy, who is 78 years of age, has become auther of the biography of her illustrious brother, the late Sir George W. Ross, who represented West Middlesex for many years in the Ontario Legislature and rose to be premier of the province. The book was begun some time ago, but the auther at that time had no intention of writing for the public. The biography was to be a gift to his grandchildren and was to be printed privately. A year ago, however, friends of the author persuaded her to revise her manuscript, deleting allusions to strictly family affairs, and to put it into the hands of a publisher. This she did, with the result that it now appears in printed form. The book is dedicated 12 grandsons of Sir G. W. Ross and contains an interesting introduction by premier W. L. Mackenzie-King, as well as complimentary letters from Dr. Jordan, of Queens Univerof officers of the Bosanquet district sity, Kingston., Sir John Gibson, Orange lodge was held in the Orange former Lieutenant-Governor of the province; Peter McArthur and others.

WEAK ANAEMIC WOMEN

What They Need to Restore Good Health and Vitality.

The woman who feels tired out.

who aches all over when she rises in the morning, who feels depressed most of the time, needs the help that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills can give her new, rich blood and stronger nerves. The number of disorders caused by poor blood is amazing, and most women are careless about the condition of their blood. Their nerves are quickly affected; they worry over trifles and do not obtain refreshing sleep. There may be stomach troubles and headaches; shortness of breath with the certainty that they will find and a fluttering of the heart. This is a condition that calls for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, the blood-improving nerve-restoring tonic. Mrs. William Henry, Lovett Street, London, Ont., has proved the value of these pils, and says: "I had a very severe attack of anaemia. I was always tired and the least thing would make me sick at the stomach. I could hardly go aboutand suffered terrible pains in my legs from cramps. I had no color in my face and was as white as a sheet, The doctor gave me several kinds of medicine, but could not understand why I did not get results from it. Then I went to a hospital and was there for three months, but home no better than when I went. My friends were worried and feared consumption. While I was still in this the first time Hall had been guilty of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I tried them such trespassing. He had been in the habit of spending the remainder of ing me, and I gladly continued their the night in the school after calling on his sweetheart, gaining entrance to the building with a special key in heliaya that I will woman, and I firmly heliaya that had it may been for Dr. ing me, and I gladly believe that

the price of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, as the company pays the tax. You can still obtain the pills through any medicine dealer at 50 cents a box, or by mail post paid, at this price, from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville., Ont.

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THE ADVANT

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THE ADVANTAGES OF BEEKEEPING.

(Experimental Farms Note). Bees can be kept in town or country, by young or old, rich or poor. For one entering the business on a large scale with more than one apiary the country, of course, is necessary ere larger sources of nector are available. A few colonies can, however, be kept on a small town lot or even on the roof of a house for the bees will fly to a distance of two or three miles for nector. Bees can be kept in situations which are useless

There is scarcely a spot in Canada where a few colonies of bees cannot be kept profitably. An abundance of nector secreting flowers with a high average of flavorable weather for the cretion and gathering of nectar makes Canada an excellent country

for any other enterprise.

for beekeeping. Almost anyone can keep bees, and without investing in land or expensive equipment, a man or woman who has the aptitude can learn to produce an article of food that is unsurpassed for quality and which will keep in good marketable condition even from year to year. It is difficult to state the amount of honey that will be obtained from an apiary, as this will wary in different locations and sea sons. Most localities, however, will be covered if it is put at from 50 to 150 pounds per colony in an average season. With proper management one or two colonies will yield enough hon

ey for the average family. Beekeeping affords a pleasant out door occupation during the best season of the year. As a hobby for office men it provides a profitable and interesting recreation. For teachers and students it offers an occupation for summer vacation, which is educational and remunerative. Many students have paid their way through college by keeping bees during the summer. Many are finding it a profitable auxiliary to other lines of work As an exclusive business, many find

it well worth while. Beekeeping not only gives one a erop of honey and a little wax, but efited by having bees in the vicinity of their ordhards and fields. Large crops of fruit and seed are obtained cross pollination of the blossoms and honey bees are important agents

C. B. Gooderham, Dominion Apiarist. WINTER HARD ON BARY

The winter season is a hard one on the baby. He is more or less confined to stuffy, badly ventilated rooms. It is so often stormy that the mother does not get him out in the fresh air as often as she should He catches colds which rack his little system; his stomach and bowels get out of order and he becomes peevish and cross. To guard against this the mother should keep a box of Baby's Own Tablets in the house. They regulate the stomach and bowels, and break up colds. The new sales tax will not increase the price of Baby's Own Tablets, as the company pays the tax. You can still obtain the tablets through any medicine dealer at 25 cents a box, mail post paid from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co, Brockville, Ont.

WESTERN UNION HUMOR

It has been reported that a certain well known young married man of this community burst into the office in the wildest excitement recently and wired his wife's relations as fol-

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All Dea ers. 50¢ Box.

FOREST

Brandon Bros., following their successes at the Royal and Guelph are exhibiting ten of their shows, are exhibiting ten of their Clydesdale stallions, mares and colts at the Ottawa Winter Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Frale Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Dunlop and Mr. Richard Jennings attended the polit ical banquet to Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen in London on Friday.

A quiet wedding was solemnized a

the Presbyterian manse Thursday afternoon by Rev. H.D. Cameron when Miss Etta Merle Rogers, daugh ter of Mrs. Lillian Rogers, was mar ried to Mr. Sherrard Moffat, son of Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Moffat, both of Forest. They were unattended and will reside in Forest.

Nelson Caldwell, an employee of the Forest Basket Company slipped into a vat of boiling water and painfully scalded his right foot and leg. Mr. Caldwell is at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Caldwell.

Henry O. Lane, janitor at the public school, while at his work, had the middle finger on his left hand severely jammed between a wheel-barrow and the stone wall. Several stitches were required to close the wound.

PETROLEA

B. Churchill was in London on Saurday on busin

aurday on business.
Miss Cleo McLachlan of Brant ford is spending a few days with her parents, owing to sickness among the pupils in the school in which she is

Young men of the town are put ting on a dance in the Oddfellows hall

next Thursday evening, Jan. 17. Marsh and Elmer Kennedy of Sarnia were called to the bedside of their brother Wilfred Kennedy who is seriously ill here in the C.E.E. hospital.

Tom Edwards returned yesterday to Sudbury after visiting with his brothers, F.H. and H.B. Edward. A. McKenzie of Windsor spent the

weekend in town. Mrs. W. Young of Dorchester, is visiting with her sister Mrs. Wn Pauling, Princess street.

C. R. Salts, who held a suc cessful auction sale on Dec. 28th has sold his farm, 8th con., to Mr Lewis Miller, of Petrolea. Mr. Salts has purchased Mr. Miller's residence on Robert St. and will move to town on Jan. 15th. The proceeds from the sale and farm amounted to about \$11,000

James Wilson was fined \$50 and costs of \$12 by Magistrate Woodrow on Tuesday on a charge of consuming liquor in a public place. A charge against George Pierce of selling liquor, was dismissed for want of evidence. It was testified by Chief Ferguson and License Inspector Scott that Wilson had told them he bought liquor from Pierce, but this Wilson denied on the witness stand. The case awakened considerable interest in town

ACCOMMODATING

Igg-'So you didn't like Cuba?" Tigg-"Naw. I went into a restaurant there to get a glass of milk. The waiter didn't speak any English so I drew a picture of a cow, and the son-of-a-gun went out and bought me a ticket to a bull-fight." Igg-"Serves you right for order-ing milk in Cuba."

A 1c stamp will bring your news items to The Guide-Advocate.

W. G. Connolly, Councillors, C.H. Hollingsworth, J.R. McCormick, P.E. Fuller and J.W. Doar. Hollingsworth-McCormick, that we adjourn to meet at 8 p.m. for

regular business.—Carried. Council met pursuant to adjourn nent with Messrs, Connolly, McCormick, Hollingsworth, Doar and Ful-

1924 MUNICIPAL COUNCILS

PLUNGE INTO YEAR'S

WATFORD COUNCIL

ing to their declarations of qualifica-tions and office before the clerk.

ler present. Doar-Fuller, that Bylaw No. 1 for appointing municipal officers for the year 1924 be read first time.-

Carried and Bylaw read.

McCormick—Hollingsworth, Bylaw No. 1 be read second time and filled in.-Carried, and bylaw read

Doar-McCormick, that we point Misses Leila Fuller and Esther Hume auditors for the year 1924 at a salary of \$20.00 each.—Carried. McCormick-Doar, that we appoint Wm. McLeay treasurer for 1924 at a salary of seventy-five dollars, salary to include the preparing of the Financial Statement.—Carried

Fuller-Hollingsworth, that W.S. Fuller be appointed Clerk at a salary of two hundred dollars.-Carried. McCormick-Hollingsworth, John Cowan, K.C., be our solicitor

for 1924.—Carried McCormick-Hollingsworth, Joshua Saunders be appointed a embers of the Local Board of Health.-Carried.

Fuller-Doar, that Jeffry Trenouth be appointed secretary of the local Board of Health,—Carried. McCormick-Doar, that Mrs. A

G. Brown be appointed a member of the Public Library Board.—Carried. Hollingsworth—McCormick, tha Thomas Roche be appointed Pound-keeper for 1924.—Carried.

Fuller-Doar, that J. F. Elliot, J. McGillicuddy, and R. Auld be appointed Fence Viewers for 1924. Carried.

Hollingsworth-Connolly, that Fin nce Committee be composed of J.R. McCormick, John W. Doar and P. E. Fuller.—Carried.

Hollingsworth-McCormick, that Commissioner's Divisions be comosed as follows:-Retve, Main st. Mr. Hollingsworth, west of Main st. south of Erie st to south limit; Mr. Doar, west of Main st. from Erie st. to north limit; Mr. McCormick, east of Main st. and north of Ontario St. to north limit: Mr. Fuler east of Main st. from Ontario St., to the south limit.—Carried.

McCormick -Hollingsworth. treasurer be instructed to transfer the Corporation account to the Sterling Bank for the year 1924.-Car.

McCormick-Doar, that a meeting of the ratepayers of the Village of Watford be called for Wednesday, January 30th, 'for the purpose of discussing an Old Boys' Reunion.—

Carried. Finance Committee examined ac counts and recommend payment: Treas. Hydro Com., light ac.\$113.50 McCormick Bros., tile . . .

J F. Elliot, to pay Jas. Roy for shov. snow 50c, Mr. Hollingsworth shov. snow 50c, Robt. Thompson, tolling bell \$1, A.D. Hone, painting signs \$4. Wes.

Willoughby rep. hose \$1 W.G. Connolly, railway fare to Ottawa re monument.

and Postoffice 24.40
Fuller—Doar, that accounts be passed and Reeve grant his order .-Hollingsworth-Connolly, that we

adjourn .- Carried. W. S. Fuller, Clerk.

GET TO WORK

"An' what's your job around here, young feller?" asked the farmer of an official in a big city railroad station. "I'm the train caller," answered

that dignitary. "Well, call me one, then. I'm in hurry.'

KEEN COMPETITION HERE

A young matron in whom the shopping instinct was strong asked a German butcher the price of a Hamburger steak.

Twenty-five cents a poundt," he

"But," she said, "the price at the corner store is only twelve cents."
"Vel," asked Oto, "vy don't you
buy it down there?"

"They haven't any," she explained.
"Oh, I see," replied the butcher. "Ven I don't have it I sell it for ten

BROOKE COUNCIL

Allvinston, Jan. 14th, 1924 Council elect for the Township of Brooke for the year 1924, met in Code's Hall, Alvinston, at the hour

appointed by Statute.
Present—Wm. Annett, reeve; E. Loosemore, deputy-reeve; Jas. H. Johnston, Jas. E. Wallis, Herbert Watford, Jan. 14th, 1924 The Reeve and Council elect men at council chamber at eleven o'clock in the forenoon taking and subscrib-

Declaration of office were signed Johnston Wallis, that W. J. Weed be re-appointed Clerk at salary of \$450.00 and postage allowance, but no extras for Township work.—Car.

Loosemore-Johnston, that tender of Alvinston Free Press for township printing for the sum of \$265.00 be ccepted.—Carried.

Loosemore-Johnston that Walter Annett be re-appointed treasurer at salary of \$200 and postage allowance -Carried.

Johnston-Holbrook, that Duncan McIntyre and Gordon A. Oakes be appointed auditors at salary of \$40.00 each.—Carried. Dr. Loosemore-Johnston,

McLean be appointed M.O.H. and Dr. R. Urie be a member of the local Board of Health. Applications for assessing received Thos. Coristine for \$150.00; from Henry Dundas \$120.00. Application

for collecting Jas. B. McNally \$124 Thos. Coristine \$124. Holbrook- Wallis. that Henry Dundas be appointed Assessor at salary of \$120.00 and Thos. Coristine

collector, to collect all rates at salary of \$124. - Carried. Annett-Johnston, that Jno. Cowan K.C., Sarnia, be appointed solicitor, retaining fee of \$30.00 .- Carried .

Loosemore-Johnston, that depos its and accounts be continued with the Molsons Bank, Alvinston,-Car Communication received from the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto asking for aid for the same.—Filed. Mr. L. McLean, commissioner in charge of repairs to the Holbrook drain, reported the work completed. \$817.00; Expenditure

\$883.00; overpaid \$66.00. Loosemore-Johnston, that report be adopted and overpayment be pro rata over lands and roads assessed under bylaw No. 26 of 1920 and entered on 1924 Collector's Roll for collection.—Carried.

Brooke Municipal Telephone System asked that \$300 be advanced for telephone purposes. Granted on motion of Loosemore-Johnston.

Holbrook-Wallis, that A. oosemore be commissioner division No. 1; Johnston No. 2; Wallis N. 3; Holbrook No. 4; Annett No 5, and that the sum of \$600 be appropriated to each commissioner to be expended for the improvement of the roads, etc., therein.-Carried.

Loosemore-Holbrook, that order be drawn on Treasurer in favor of The Municipal World for \$9.00 for copies of the Municipal World for use of council.-Carried

Wallis--Johnston, that the treas urer. Mr. Walter Annett, be authorized to sign cheques and other documents on the Township account carried at the Sterling Bank of Canada, Watford until notified to the contrary in writing .- Carried.

By-law to authorize the charging against the account of the corporation of Brooke in the Molsons Bank, Allvinston, any debenture or coupons payable at the office of the treasurer. any orders signed by the Reeve and Clerk or Deputy-rteve or any individual councillor as commissioners for their divisions or as commissioners for drains, submitted and read,

Johnston-Holbrook, that by-law be read a third time and finally pass--Carried. Holbrook-Wallis, that Reeve and

Clerk be authorized to sign and submit to the Minister of Public Works and Highways of the Province of Ontario, the petition of the corporation of the Township of Brooke, showing that during the period January 1st, 1923 to December 31st, 1923, there has been expended upon the township roads the sum of \$--- and request ing the statutory grant on that amount, as provided by the Ontario Highways Act and amendments there to.-Carried.

The following orders were issued in payment of the following accounts and on motion of Johnston-Hol-brook, were passed. and

R. J. Richardson, School Attend ance officer 1923, \$25.00; Alvinston Free Press, printing extra ballots and order books, \$23.00; Brooke Municipal Telephone System advanced \$300.00; W. J. Weed, time adjusting B. and Warwick T.L. expen and B & Metcalfe 1922 & 1923 T.L. expt. \$6.00; William Annett, ditto \$5.00; Walter Annett, excise stamps, 1923, \$25.00; Municipal World, \$9.00;

Johnson-Holbrook, that Council do now adjourn to meet in Inwood on Saturday, the 16th day of February, 1924.—Carried.

W. J. Weed, Clerk.

Is Your ad. in this paper this weak ?

WARWICK COUNCIL

Warwick, Jan. 14th, 1924 The council met today as per statutes. The members all present and having signed their declarations took their seats as follows: Benj. F. Muma, reeve; S.B. Chambers, Henry Mansfield, John McClelland and Wal-

ter Percy, councillors.

By-law No. 1 appointing M.
Barrett and E.O. Herbert, and at a salary of \$15.00 tach. Geo. Mathews assessor at a salary of \$120. Wm Marshall collector at a salary ber of the Board of Health was pass-

ed in the usual way. e following orders were gr N. Htrbert, election exp....\$ 75.00 Forest Agri. Soc., grant.... Elwood Jones, work on 9 side br. Hubbard, medical attend-20.00 4.00

ance on Harry Monatt... Chas. King, taking Harry Monatt to London 5.00 Mrs. R. Shepherd, attendance on Harry Monatt 38.00 Dr. Taylor, medical attendance on Harry Monatt Wm. Auld, ser as sheep in spector for 1923 2.00 Toronto Stencil Works, 425 dog tags Maurice Smith, work on Att-13.67 10.00

6.25 H. Ellerker, ditto Guide-Advocate, printing financial statement Mun. World, 7 subscriptions Mun. World, supplpies Children's Aid Society, grant 10.00 Sick Children's Hospital, gt 10.00

C.E. Janes, postage, station-. McClelland, that Mr. Philip Austin be appointed San Jose Scale inspector for 1924.—Carried

Chambers-McClelland, that the Treasurer be authorized to borrow money needed for the current expenses of the municipality from the Sterling Bank, Watford.—Carried. By-law No. 2 authorized the Reeve

and Treasurer to borrow money from the Sterling Bank to meet the currtnt expenses of the municipality was read the first, second and third time and finally passed.

The council then adjourned to meet in Monday, 18th day of February at ont o'clock for general bus-

N. Herbert, Clerk. WANSTEAD FARMERS' CLUB

HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

The large crowd which almost filled the school house on Saturday afternoon on the occasion of the annual meeting of the Wanstead Farmers' Club was ample evidence of the interest taken in the question of coaion of the services rendered by the Club. The auditors report showed s total turn over of \$70221.37 of which sum \$59631.09 represents the amount of live stock shipped. The ing the year, being an increase over last year of 30%, lambs showed an increase of 10%, and calves 50% with a slight discrease in the number of cattle. Owing to lower prices received for all classes of live stock during the year the money value was considerably lower but it was gratifying to the members to know the Club was making steady progress every year, showing a substantial increases. The question of the formation of a joint stock company to take over the business of the Club was discussed and favorably received but action was deferred until another meeting. Mr. W.P. Macdonald, Co. Agricultural Representative, present and gave a splendid talk on marketing and strongly urged the formation of an incorporated company thereby putting the business on a more substantial basis.

Mr. P.W. McPhedran, who has filled the position of president in a most satisfactory manner for the past three years announced his retirement and thanked the members for the support given. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: president, Orville Ramsay; vice-president, Jas. Jackson (reelected), sec.-treas., Arch. Williamson (re-elected). Directors: Alex. Dawson, Edwin Morris, At. Thompson, G.A. Dewar, Duncan Ferguson (re-eltcted) and J. E. Capes.

The fact that more men joined the Club at Saturday's meeting than joined last year promises well for 1924.

Mrs. A. Rouse, Toronto, who has spent the past two weeks in Detroit spent over Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Elma Ramsay.

F. S. Campbell was a Sarnia visitor Saturday.

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Cowan, Cowan & Gray, Solicitors for Executors. Ino. W. Kingston & Donald Cameron. Dated this fifth day of January 1924.

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Shorts, cwt\$1	.55
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CARD OF THANKS

CARD OF THANKS—The family of the late Mrs. Mary McIntyre wish to express to friends and neighbors, their appreciation of their many acts of kindness during their recent beravement in the loss of their mother.

CARD OF THANKS-The family of the late Thomas Harris wish to extend their sincere thanks to their many friends for kindness during their father's illness and for sympathy in their bereavement; also for beauitful floral tokens from personal friends and from the citizens of Watford, Daughters of the Empire, the Masons, the Guide-Advocate, Young People's Guild of Holy Trin-ity Church, Welland, Choir of said church, and teachers of the Welland Public School.

NOTICE

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Andrews Wire Works of Canada will be held in the office of the Company, January 31st, at j18-2t one o'clock.

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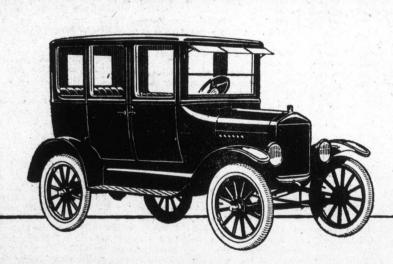
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Amherstburg Echo: "There is no doubt but what the farmers in general derive considerable benefit throration, someone gave the reporter a of the recent slump in the price of sult of the v news item a few weeks ago stating eggs, which was unfortunate, but election day.

that by feeding tankage he persuaded his hens to lay as in the summer time. The Harrow Farmers now report many sales of this product and the poultrymen all say it makes them ugh reading the Echo. As an illust- lay. This is no doubt the chief cause

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The College News of Forty Years Ago and the College News of

MEDICALS TAKE A NIGHT OFF (As Reported Forty Years Ago) Last night the students of the Medical Faculty took a night off and held heir annual parade of the town. Forming up on the campus outside the windows of the dissecting room "Meds" moved in a compact body down College Avenue. Policeman Mcwho tried to stop them at

the Nicomachean Ethics of Aristotl Mr.. Easy while expressing his regret that he had not had time to prepare a paper on the Ni-comachean Ethics of Aristotle delivered in place of it an excellent rendition about Harte's Heather Chinee. At the close of the recitation the Chairman announced that the de-bate which had been announced for occasion on the topic of Are Mathematical Judgments Syntheti cally a Prior, had been abandoned owing to the fact that the topic involved more preparation than the the society were pre-



"THE PROCESSION THEN MOVED UP TOWN.

the corner of Main street was knocked senseless and was deposited by two of the boys down the coal chute of the First National Bank.

After upsetting a horse car, the driver of which sustained certain injuries by inadvertently falling under the horse, the boys proceeded to the corner of Main and First street, where speeches were made, exalting the progress of the Medical School, and where two more policemen were knocked senseless. The procession then moved uptown again towards the president's residence carrying with it the front door of the First Baptist Church.

After setting fire to the president's house the students adjourned to the campus where they started a bonfire which unfortunately one or two of the by-standers were accidentally burned about the feet, hands, head and body. The arrival of a body of mounted police supported by a couple of squadroons of cavalry brought the

evening to a close. President Foible on being interviewed this morning stated that the damages to his house were quite insignificant, amounting to little more than the destruction of his furniture. The police who were unfortunately injured in their attempt to interfere | The professor then having thrown with the students are reported as doing nicely. The driver of the street car will be at work again in a week A cheerful tone prevades the whole college. The president further stated that the relations between the stu-

MEDICALS TAKE A NIGHT OFF (As Reported Today)

night the students at the Medical Faculty took a night off from their arduous labors and were the guests of the Ladies Reception Committee at the Y.W.C.A. Building on Third Street. After the singing of a few of the better known by the organist of the Insane Asylum the students listened with evident enjoyment to a talk by the Rev. Mr.

After the pastor has said everything that could be said on this interesting topic, each student was doughnut. The president of the college in thanking the ladies of the W.C.A. for their cordial reception said that he was sure the students would now return to their studies with renewed eagerness after singing "Rock Me to Sleep Mother." The gathering broke up at nine- still higher the discipline of the in

PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY MEETS

(As it Used to Forty Years Ago)
Last night the Philosophical Society held the third of its, bi-weekly beer parties in the supper room of the Men's Residence. After the reading of the Minutes, coupled with the drinking of beer, followed by the usual routine of drinking the health of the outgoing officers of the week and the toast of welcome to the officers of the week following, the Chairman invited the members to ing of the semi-annual meeting of Rutherford662 fill their glasses and listen, if they the Students' Control Committee at cared to, to a paper by Mr. Easy on the University. This committee, as

pared to give it

He suggested instead that the after filling its glasses, society. should invite Mr. Freak of the senior class to give his imitation of two cats quarreling on a roof. The invitation was followed by similar exercises and the meeting was sustained to a late hour, those of the members who went home leaving about two

PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY MEETS

(As It Does Today)

Last night a very pleasing meeting Philosophical Society was of the held in the parlor of the Women's Residence in the Martha Washington Building. Professor Strong in opening the meeting said that she was glad to see amongst the members of the Society, a very creditable number of men, if she might use the phrase. She said no professor could feel that her work was satisfactory unless she could attract a certain number of men students.

The professor then read her pa the Socialogical Elimination of the Delinquent. As the paper only lasted an hour and a half it was lis tened to in a luxury of enjoyment. the meeting open to questions, and a question having been asked, she very kindly spoke for another hour. At the close of the address a vote was taken on the resolution That the Humbler Classes of Society Ought dents and the town had never been to be Chloroformed, and was carried, operation has to exist between the unanimously.

DISCIPLINE COMMITTEE REPORTS

(As It Reported Forty Years Ago) The report is pubilshed this morning of the Discipline Committee of the Faculty of the College. This Committee consisting of the senior professors of the Faculty was established, as readers will recall, about medical hymns and after being two years ago with the object of treated to a harmonium solo in B-flat elevating the moral tone of the student body by explusion, fines and the application of the criminal law. The Chairman reported that the Weep of the First Street Church on Committee had every reason to be the subject, "Where Is Hell? Is It gratified at the progress made during the period of its existence.

The number of cases of suspen sion of students from lectures ha increased under the operation of the committee forty per cent.; students warned by sixty per cent.; students found guilty of drunkenness by seventy per cent., and students expelled for unbecoming and insubordinate conduct ninety per cent.

The report enumerates a new schedule of fines calculating to raise stitution and recommends hereafter that every student guilty of striking or kicking a professor be brought before the committee and warned. The committee adds a further recommendation to the effect that meas ures be taken to let the student body understand that their presence at the University can only be tolerated within reasonable limits.

STUDENTS CONTROL COMMIT-TEE REPORTS

(As It Reports Today)

readers will recall, was established raising the academic standard of the college. It is empowered not only to netitute inquiries as to the capacity of the professors, but to recommend the explusion of those of them who seem to the students committee to be lacking in personality or deficient

The opening pages of the report deal with the case of the president of the college. A sub-committee, pointed from among the first year students in Accountancy have sitting on the case of the president for six weeks. Their report is in the main favorable and their decision is that he may stay. But the sub-com mittee pass severe strictures on hi home life, and recommend that he has too many children for him to be able to give full attention to his college work and suggest a change

The Committee accepts and adopts the recommendation of the second year class in philosophy who report that the professor's lectures are above their capacity and ask for his dismissal. A similar request comes from the third year students in mathematics who report that the professor's lectures are below their

The committee has received and laid upon the table the report of the fourth year class in commerce to the effect that they have thus far failed to undersand all the lectures that were given thtm. and ask that they be given their degrees and let The committee acknowledges in its report the gratifying statement made by the chairman of the Trustees in his annual report to the effect that Student Control marks another milestone on the arduous path that is leading the college to its ultimate

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SCHOOL FAIRS ARE MOST POPULAR IN LAMBTON CO.

There are twelve organized school fairs in Lambton county. The school fair movement continues to grow in popularity. There is one school fair in each of eight townships and two in each of the other two townships The onus of success of the school fair is entirely within the local organization. There are two groups into which the school fairs may be divided. The first group consists of Sarnia township school fair, Euphemia township school fair at Cairo, Dawn township school fair at Ruth erford: Enniskillen township school fairs at Oil Springs and Petrolea and the Plympton township school fair at Camlachie.

The second group consists Bosanguet school fair at Jericho Uttoxeter school fair, Arkona, War wick Village and Moore Township fair at the township hall.

The former group, in each the mar and Ratepayers Association. case of the second group the Womens Institute at the local point acts as convenors of the school fair. The agricultural representative, in all cases, acts as manager. A bond of coratepayers, the trustees, teacher, children, the local organization and the agricultural representative to

insure real effective work. School fairs are one of the finest mediums to teach rural children type quality, characteristics, market de mands, varieties and breeds of farm animals and general products. A sense of fair play and leadership is developed by the competition in exhibits, contests and public speaking The staging of the annual events. school fair is an event looked forward to by all the rural school children. Primarily, the work of the agricultural people is production. The school fair marks the achievement and advancement relative to school children for the year.

There are 159 schools engaged in school fair work and 3881 children. They were supplied with seeds of the choicest varieties for 6955 plots and 426 dozen of bred to lay Barred Rock eggs. The Lambton Corn Growers' Association also supplied the children requesting same with 505 packages of seed corn, consisting of one peck each. All of the seed submitted is of the best varieties suitable to the locality.

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There were 426 dozens of bred to lay Barred Rock eggs distributed and a report on the hatch of the eggs supplied is requested from each supplied is requested from eac school child receiving same. 346 in dividual reports were received wit the following results: 28 eggs broken in transit or on nest; 30 eggs infertile; 49 chicks died in the shell; 2367 chickens hatched; total hatch, 57 per cent.

CHOP STUFF

According to the By-law the busi ess places of the Town of Dresden will close at seven o'clock every night except Saturday, until April 1st.

Hydro on Monday carried in Es-Kingsville, Leamington Sandwich by large majorities in each

Canada in the past year exported \$37,467,169 worth of automobiles \$15,000,000 more than the value of the automobiles exported last year.

The new siren whistle which was ed by the Water Committee of the Essex town Council arrived by express on Tuesday from Rochester, The whistle cost \$425 plus \$153.25 duty and \$22.62 express

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The only motor cars in England which are allowed by law to have no number plates are those belonging to the King. When His Majesty is on a ceremonial tour his car is distinguished by the royal standard badge which is fixed in front. At night time, this badge is superseded by a small blue light on the canopy above the chauffeur's head.

Organized two years ago with a membership of 73 East Kent farmthe Kent County Potato Growers' Association has concluded its second successful season. Approximately \$20,000 bags of early potatoes were shipped from 350 acres, and prices realized were on whole very good ranging from \$3.25 a bag in July to \$1.86 a bag at the end of the season. The lowest price was \$1.34.

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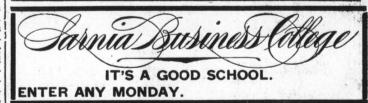
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KERWOOD

The prayer meetings held in the Methodist church every evening of last week were well attended. There will be prayer meeting every Thursday evening at eight o'clock in the Sunday school rooms, the pastor will give a series of talks on the teachings of Jesus. A welcome is extended to

Mr. and Mrs. House of Port Dal housie visited the latter's sister. Miss Martha Dowding who will return with them and spend the re mainder of the winter.

Mr. Young of Woodstock spent a few days of last week visiting his son Stanley of the Kerwood Cream-

ery staff.
The many friends of Mr. Robert Brunt will be pleased to know he is improving after a critical operation in Grace Hospital, Windsor.

Mrs. Fonger of Springfield spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. M.

C. Morgan.
Mrs. McMahon of Millington, Mich., who has been visiting her sis-ters, Mrs. Joiner and Mrs. Brandreth left last week for Inwood to visit a sister Mrs. M. Kimball.

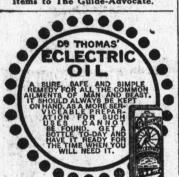
The many friends of Miss Beatrice Foster and Mr. Neil Langford are pleased to see them able to be around again after their long confinement to their respective homts through ill-

Miss Rhena Carroll and Miss Mattie Dowding of London Normal School visited at their homes over the weekend.

Mrs. Routley of Alvinston visited her sister, Mrs. Geo. Denning recent-A large number attended the social

evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bourne last Friday evening and report a pleasant time

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WYOMING EASTERN STAR CHAPTER ELECTS OFFICERS

At the regular meeting of Liberty Chapter, No. 54, Eastern Star held in their hall last Monday evening, 7th inst., the following officers were in-stalled by D.D.G.M. Sister Minnie Smith, of Petrolea, assisted by Sister Bertha Shannon, Grand Marshall. Wor. Matron.—Sister M. May

Wor. Matron—Sister M. Maw. Wor. Patron—Bro. Harry Maw. Assoc, Matron—Sister Rawson,
Conductor—Sis. Lena Steadman.
Assoc, Con.—Sis. Louisa Dodds.
Sec.—Sis. Ethel Davis.
These Sis Vor Malayach Treas.—Sis. Vera McIntosh, Chap.—Sis. B. Stinson, Marshall—Sis. M. Dennis. Organist—Sis. Mabel Travis. Adah—Sis. M. Goudie. Esther—Sis. McDonald. Ruth—Sis. H. Maw. Martha—Sis. M. Maw. Electa—Sis. B. Maw. Warden—Sis. M. Robertson.

Sentinel-Bro. J. Dennis. At the close of the regular busi ness refreshments were served and a pleasant hour spent in social converse, music, etc.

PENINSULAR WINTER FAIR

Preparations for the Show are under way; the buildings are being re-modeled, and the catalogue prepared in order that on Jan. 22nd everything will be ready for three big days.

The entries are larger than anticipated, 100 horses, 125 cattle, 200 sheep, 300 hogs, with a correspondentry in seeds and poultry.

Many of the best individuals in the province will be shown-many of them prize-winners at the Royal and Guelph.

The Fair will be opened at two p.m. Jan. 22nd by W.A.Dryden, president of the Royal Show, and the judging will follow immediately.

The judging with special attract

ions, will be carried on on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings. as well as in the afternoons of those Music will be provided every after-

noon and evening.

A get-together banquet will be held Thursday evening, Jan. 25th. Hon, J. S. Martin, Hon. Manning Doherty, E. Tellier, M.L.A., and others will speak. Music will be provided.

The Annual sale of pure-bred hogs and cattle will be held Jan. 25th at 2.30 o'clock in the arena.

For reduced rates on railways enquire from your nearest ticket agent. Remember the dates: Jan. 21 to 25. This Show belongs to the people of South-Western Ontario, and the management of the Show cordially nvited all to attend.

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Officers of Arkona Lodge, A.F.& A.M. No. 307 were elected as fol-

W.M.—Jas, McIntosh. I.P.M—W. Woolvett. S.W.—Thos Brown. J. W.—Lorne Murray, Chap.—Herbert Hall. Treas-F. Eastman. Sec.—Stanley Catt. S.D.—Fred Glover.

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ALVINSTON H. S. OPENS MOCK PARLIAMENT

The first session of the A. H. S. Mock Parliament was held in the local high school on Friday after noon. As it was the first meeting since the organization of the parlia ment it meant the inauguration of the various members of the house in caucus. Several interesting speeches and discussions were given by the various members of the house and by the cabinet ministers. A few bills were discussed and new bills introduced.

The Mock Parliament consists of the following members: premier, Fraser MacDougall; lieutenant-governor, Miss S.V. Massey; sergeant at arms, Miss C.C. Dolbear; clerk of the house, Florence McIntyre; speaker, Ralph Connor; minister of finance, Howard Pitz; minister of public works, Wm. McCallum; minster of intellectual affairs, Irene Mc-Alpine; minister of organization, Basil Myers; secretary of state, Anne Ferguson; Wm. Benner is leader of the opposition.

ALVINSTON

The week of prayer was observed in the local churches and have been conducted as union services, Tuesday evening in the Methodist church, Wednesday in the Anglican and Thursday in the Presyterian.

The local book club held a social evening at the home of Mrs. Thomas Allison on Friday of this week. Games and contests were indulged in and a pleasant evening was spent. A dainty luncheon was served at the close.

The Y.P.S. of Guthrie Presbyter ian church held their regular meeting in the church basement recently. Mrs Herb. Leitch took the chair. meeting opened with devotional exercises. A very interesting and instructive illustrated address was given by Rev. Wm. Montieth on "From Beet to Bowl," dealing with the manufacture of sugar from the beet to the finished article we buy in the store. A solo was given by Marguerite Preece and a piano duet by Augusta E. Campbell. The mainder of the evening was spent in

games and contests. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McPhail of Delisle, Sask., are visiting at the ome of the latter's sister, Mrs.

Sarah Dolphin. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Warren and children of Portage la prairie, are visiting at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Mark Burford.

Mr. James Reader, of Chatham, spent the weekend at his home here. Miss Mary Bindner spent the week Band Sacred Concert at the Star Theatre.

The many local readers of the Guide-Advocate regret the death of their faithful editor, Mr. T. Harris.

ALL FROM A WOMAN'S VIEWPOINT

A rather unique story of a fire is told of one which occurred in an English provincial town. No members of his regular staff of reporters being present at the rtime, the news editor of the bcal paper sent the newly engaged society editor to investigate and report. The following description

was handed in: "A brilliant fire was held yesterday afternoon at the house of Mr and Mrs. Sniff, in Dash street. A large number of persons were present. Mrs. Sniff, who had recently had her hair bobbed, made a charming escape in a pretty silk blouse, a pattern of which appeared in our woman's page last week. The firemen were becomingly garbed in blue, full-cut tunics. The weather was delightful for an affair of this kind. Because of the fire Mrs. Jones of 336 Dash street, opened her home to Mrs. Sniff and her two charming daughters. The expression was heard on all sides that the fire was a most successful event. It must have cost at least £5,000.

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INWOOD

Mr F. McMann who spent the past year in British Columbia and the West was in Inwood last week. Mr. Albert Chandler returned to

Detroit Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. L. Anderson, Mrs A. Thompson and Mrs. Wm. Neil went to London Monday.

Mr. Robert Jardine visited Mr. T. Hartley Sunday.
Mr and Mrs. Wesley Tait and boys
were the geusts of Mr. Eli Metcaffe

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith were in London the fore part of the week. Mrs. R. Hughes has returned to Windsor after visiting ner sister

Mrs. J. Bishop.

Mr. Jas. Johnston is touring the Southern States and Florida. Mrs. B. McMann of Millington,

Mich., is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. Kimball for a couple of weeks. The Bible Class of the Presbyterian Sunday school passed a pleasant social evening at the manse Friday.

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Mr. Wm. McClurg was home Sun-Mr. J. W. Johnston and Mr. Robt Dawson were present at the Chev-rolet banquet and convention in

London last week. Mr. and Mrs. W. R Dawson, Mr. .S. Courtright and Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Graham attended the Conser-

vative banquet in London. Mr. Burton McLachlan is visiting in Port Huron and Detroit.

Mrs. T. Armsrong and Mrs. H. Johnston visited in Alvinston one day last week.

Mrs. C. Atkin is visiting her daughter. Mrs. Edward Oke of Detroit. Mr. Uriah Dudley is returning to

his former work in Windsor.

Mrs. Fred Brune of Detroit is visiting her mother, Mrs. Ed. Chap-

Mr and Mrs. R.B. Warner made a business trip to London Thursday.

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FORD STEADMAN AWARDED GOLD MEDAL

Military headquarters announced Tuesday that Cadet Harry Stirling (Woodstock), Platoon Leader Ford Steadman (Watford), and Charles Dyson (Lorne avenue school, London), were awarded the Strathcona Trust gold medals as the best shots in heir respective inspectorates for last year.

HOCKEY

Watford Alerts 2-Forest Juniors I

The Watford Alerts were the winners of a fast game of hockey in Forest on Tuesday night when they defeated the junior team of Forest. Although the Forest rink is much smaller than the local arena the Alerts adapted hemselves to the conditions and played the game hard from start to finish. The first period end in St. Thomas where she was was scoreless but in the second Mc-'celloist at the 25th Regimental Intosh by two spectacular rushes scored twice. In the third period with only one minute to play the Forest team scored their only goal. The Alerts drew two penalties, Cook and Vail, while Roche and Kimball of Forest did similar time for Forest.

The line-up: Alerts Kinnell McIntoshl. defence.. Doolittle Harperr. defence....Roche Prentiscentre.... Cookright wing. Rogersleft wing Vailsub.... Rawlings



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Grain Movement Over The Canadian Pacific Railway

Sept. 1 - Dec. 12, 1923

Clickety-click, clickety-click... It is the sound of car wheels passing over the railroad tracks, and you could stand and listen to the same clickety-click for 44 hours on end, if you were to watch that part of the magnificent crop of Canada grown in districts served by the Canadian Pacific railway and moved from the upper reaches of the Rocky Mountains. That is how many freight cars there would be. But cars alone cannot make a train. There are the engines, as well, and the road has kept in the neighborhood of 670 freight engines tugging grain trains east and west day and night throughout the season and in addition to these there are 171 switch engines employed at terminals. The season, be it understood, is taken as the period from the opening of the Canadian crop year, Sept. 1 to the efficial close of navigation with regard to shipping insurance on the Great Lakes, which falls Dec. 12.

So much for computation trains. In point of fact however, the longest train which was made up during the season consisted of 125 cars and was approximately 1 mile in length. It was operated from Stoughton to make a train, clickety-click for 44 hours on end, if you can, and may a mile an hour, then he who stood on the bank and had the patience to watch, might pitch his tent and had the patience to watch, might pitch his tent and had the patience to watch, might put had had the patience to watch, might patience to watch, might put had had the patience to watch, might patience to watch, had had the patience to watch, might put had had the patience

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Now during the season, there were 88 days on which cars could be loaded, for Sundays are excluded. During those 88 days there were trains operated on an average every 50 minutes day and night, trains carrying nothing but grain mind you, for passenger traffic and other freight business were conducted at the same time, and on uninterrupted schedules too, be it noted. These trains were on an average 45 cars long.

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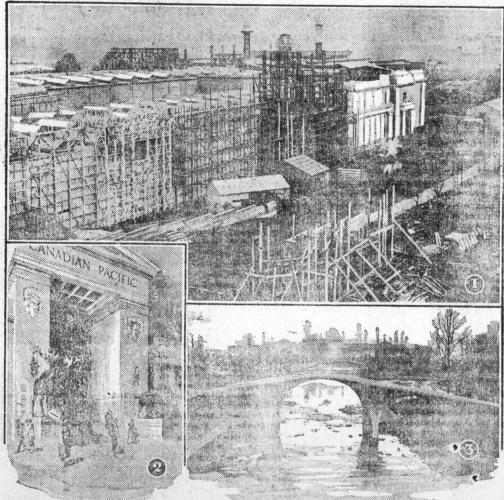
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In all, from Sept. 1 to Dec. 12, 1923, there were marketed in districts served by the Canadian Pacific Railway more than 200,000,000 bushels of all grains the largest quantity ever reported since the inception of the road. Taking the cars loaded as more truly representative of the activities of the company in the matter of grain movement, these have been reported at 116,232 for the period, representing 169,931,184 bushels. Suppose for a moment that all that grain were to be dumped into a river bed 100 feet wide and five feet deep, and that the

or even mountains, however high or picturesque they may be. Let us consider what would happen if all the wheat were made into four deaving coarse grains aside) and kneaded up and baked into bread. If this were done there would be approximately 104,700 miles of regulation size, 16 ounce loaves, if they were placed end to end. This tremendous string of loaves would stretch back and forth across Canada, from a outreal to Vancouver 26 times. If the loaves were taid side by side and end to end, they would form a gold helt as a like homeion wides they would form a solid belt according to the height of a city lamp policy gain if they were in a trans-Canada wall one to fidee the lamb wall would be 12 feet. the Dominion wider

A particularly interesting leads ment of the present season accordicials to the increase that had be amount of grain sent by the last the for every last the last the

Canada at British Empire Exhibition



The Canadian Pavilion with the towers of the Indian building in the background.
 Entrance to the Canadian Pacific building.
 Showing the progress made in the building of bridges and lakes with the Malaya Pavilion in the background.

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PRESBYTERIAL OF SARNIA REPORTS SPLENDID WORK

Annual Meeting of Executive at St. Andrews Arranges for Meeting In Petrolea

Plans for the annual meeting of the Sarnia Presbyterial to be held on May 7 and 8 at Petrolea constiituted an important part of the deliberations of the Presbyterial executive which met in St. Andrews church Monday afternoon, with Mrs. George Aiken of Centre Road, pre-

Mrs. R. Stirrett announced that the honor roll of missionaries of the Presbyterial was almost ready for distribution. A report was received of the work at Mathieson hospital, mention being made that the hospital was suffering from a serious lack of surgical instruments. It was decided to donate a sum of \$25 for instruments, subject to the approval of the provincial board.

Good Work Done
Miss N. Geddes, of Strathroy,
treasurer, reported a total of \$8,-024.51 contributed by the women of the Presbyterial in the past year. The report on strangers' work was read by Mrs. Workman of Watford, and Mrs. Telfer of Sarnia, library secretary, reported that thirteen auxiliaries were providing literature for the camps of Northern Ontario.

Purchase and shipment of an organn to New Liskeard was reported | complete.
Mrs. F. Hoden, of Sarnia, reported Y.W. extension at Watford, Cor-

unna and Burns. Mrs. Alfred Wheeler of Sarnia ceported the dispatch of clothing and many bales to the File Hills School in Saskatchewan.

Mrs. J. McLennan, the press secretary made a request that all branch press secretaries submit reports of interesting matter to her.

Blyth Standard:-Miss Tiffin of Goderich, is spending a few weeks visiting her brother at the Methodist parsonage.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that creditors and others having claims against the estate of Elizabeth Ferguson, late of the Village of Watford, in the County of Lambton, Widow, deceased, are to send in full particulars of such claims together with the naof such claims together with the has ture of security (if any) by mailing them to Cowan, Cowan & Gray, at Watford, on or before the twenty-second day of February 1924. and after the said date the executors will ald Ross, Ross Kenzie, Alfred Smith, proceed to distribute the estate

Cowan, Cowan & Gray, Solicitors for Executors.

WELL KNOWN RESIDENT OF SOURIS PASSED AWAY TUESDAY

(Souris Plaindealer) There died at his residence in Souris on Tuesday, Jan. 8th, John Weedmark, one of the pioneers of

The deceased was born at Burrits Rapids, Ont., in the year 1843, and lived in that community until 1867. In 1866 he served in the militia during the Fenian Raids. For this service he was given a medal. In the year after the Fenian Raids, he married Miss Catherine Celiah Dellabough, who survives, with their daughter, Mrs. Theo Styles of Souris. In 1896 the deceased and his family came from Ontario to Souris, where he worked at his trade as a carpenter until failing health com-pelled him to retire from his steady occupation. Although failing in health he was active and continued to work according to his strength. About a month ago he suffered a stroke from which he made rapid though only temporary recovery, and about a week ago had a relapse from which his frail body could not rally and he passed peacefully away on Tuesday morning, January 8th.

The deceased was a consistent member of the Methodist church and was always found in his place of worship when it was posible to be there. The bereaved family have the sympathy of their many friends in their sorrow.

WHO WILL BE WARDEN?

Chief interest in the inaugural meeting of the Lambton County Council, which meets in Sarnia on Jan. 22nd, rests in the selection of the warden to guide the destinies of the county during the year. From present indications the contest for the highest office in the gift of the county will be a keen one with at least four candidates. These most prominently mentioned are Reeves Leslie Harkness, of Sarnia township; Fred Eastman of Arkona: Charles Stevens of Dawn, and W.G. Connolly of Watford. Fred Jennings of Thedford, had been mentioned late in 1923, but he was not a candidate for re-election and consequently his name is automatically dropped.

SCHOOL REPORTS

Report of Kelvin Grove School Warwick. Names in order of merit. Class IV Sr.-Isabel Tanner, Helen proceed to distribute the estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of Franklin Kenzie, Myrle Cooper, Margaret McElroy, Elmer Thompson, Rantley, Robert McLeay, Chester Bartley, Robert McLeay, Class II-Marie Clarence Smith. Harold Cooper, Cooper, Nelson Annie M. Dowding, David Auld Main, Eddie Dolan. Pt. II-Flossie Smith, Howard Dolan, Primer-Rhee

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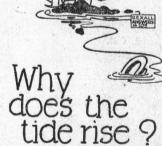
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