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## LOCAL HAPPENINGS

THE GUIDE-ADVOCATE welcomes all items of interest for this column. Call Phone 11, send by mail or drop item in GUIDE-ADVOCATE Letter Box.

**SEE FRIDAY BARGAINS.—SWIFTS'.**  
AUCTIONEER ELLIOT bought a fine jet black driver Tuesday at a fancy price.

THE Watford blacksmiths have rearranged their tariff for horseshoeing.

LARGE quantities of eggs are being shipped from here to the cities just now.

WALL paper, a big choice, all grades and prices at P. Dodds & Son's.

EDWARDS, the stock man, shipped a car of mixed stock to Toronto on Tuesday.

HAND in your money to the Clerk and get your livery and dray license. They are due.

MR. JOSEPH MITCHELL's handsome "Hudson" five passenger motor car arrived this week. It's a beauty.

H. WILLIAMSON has been awarded the contract for two cement fire-water tanks, ten feet square with six inch walls.

SCREEN DOORS \$1.00, \$1.50, \$1.75; screen windows 15c to 25c; poultry netting and screen wire in all sizes, at Howdens.

THE "Wilson Wiggle" is the latest absurdity in the United States. It is a new walk, and is described as a graceful creeping.

THURSDAY, August 12th, is the date selected for the Watford Band Excursion to Detroit. This date will likely be made the Civic Holiday.

YOUR past due bills at Swift's need paying.

It is likely that the annual training camp will be held at London this year, not Goderich. The decision is left with Col. Hodgins, of London.

REV. H. KENNEDY, Warwick Village, will occupy the pulpit in the Methodist church here next Sunday. Rev. H. E. Currie preaches at Warwick.

THE members of L.O.L. 505 intend holding a church parade to the Congregational church on Sunday evening, May 31st. Full particulars next week.

REFRIGERATORS \$9.00 to \$16.00. Oil stoves 90 cts. to \$15.50. Ice cream freezers, lemon juice extractors and all warm weather goods, at Howdens.

THE recent rains have immensely improved the appearance of things in this locality and farmers are very optimistic over the prospects of the season.

ALL persons are notified not to put soap-suds, filthy water or filth of any kind into the main drain at the north part of the village. By order of the council.

REV. H. E. CURRIE and Mr. T. B. Taylor left for Petrolia on Thursday morning to represent the Watford church at the district meeting of the Methodist church.

WE have the best work shirts in Ontario for 75 cents.—SWIFTS'

THE daily rural mail routes for this district will probably be commenced during the summer, three months notice having been given to some of the present mail carriers.

ED. T. ROSS, Port Arthur, purchased from W. B. Annett, Brooke, a young thoroughbred imported Clydesdale stallion which he shipped to Port Arthur the other day.

QUITE a crowd of people attended the Chi-Namel demonstration at T. Dodds & Son's on Wednesday and Thursday and watched with interest the using in various ways of this decorating material.

NOW is the time to get your pineapples for preserving. Leave your order for them or for your preserving rhubarb with P. Dodds & Son and you will get the choicest procurable.

SEE ad.—sale of ladies suits and coats. You save money on every garment.—SWIFTS, SONS & CO.

RAY MORNINGSTAR, the energetic agent for the "Ford" car, is meeting with success and has done a good business since taking the agency. The "Ford" is becoming more popular every day.

WATCH for window display this Friday and Saturday of all early spring hats, garden hats, children's school hats, all at extra low prices. This is a special opportunity to secure a useful hat for a very small amount of money.—Miss S. J. WILLIAMS.

COMPLAINTS are made that the electric light current is not turned on early enough on dull evenings. On several occasions lately lamps have been called into requisition while waiting for the current. Turn on the juice earlier, please, on cloudy nights.

LAQUERETTE will stain and varnish at one operation and can be used by a child. 18, 30, 50 and 90 cent tins. Your money refunded if not satisfied at Howdens'.

BOYS and young men are reminded that it is against the law to shoot song birds and that offenders are liable to severe punishment. There is plenty of sport provided by pests without it being necessary to take the lives of birds which do no harm and make the summer pleasant by their presence and song.

A STIFF hat for church wear, \$1.50 to \$2.50.—SWIFTS' Hat Department.

THE Owen Sound Herald, the anti-local option paper at Owen Sound, has gone out of business.

THE weatherwise prophets predict a dry summer. It certainly will be in large portions of the province.

A BARGAIN table of shoes at P. Dodds & Son. Your choice of a large variety for \$1.50. Call and see them.

A SPECIAL in black and tweed effect overall pants, one dollar, the best yet.—SWIFTS'

FOUR cars of logs were shipped from the O.T.R. station this week, two to London and two to Petrolia.

THESE are the days when the bartender may roll over on the other side and go to sleep for another two hours.

It is the intention of the Watford Orange Lodges, both the L.O.L. and the L.O.B.A. to picnic at Rock Glen, Monday, May 26th.

SHERWIN-WILLIAMS paints, stains and varnishes are the best made. Brighten up your woodwork and furniture.—N. B. HOWDEN EST.

MERCHANTS and business men of Watford will keep open on Saturday, May 24th, and observe Monday, May 26th, as a holiday.

BRUCE GOODHAND, Dauphin, Man., a Watford boy, was successful in the examination for pharmaceutical chemists recently held in Toronto.

A KANSAS judge has decided that a man is the owner of his wife's clothes. If her new bonnet costs too much to suit him he can wear it himself.

It is not likely that the King's Birthday, June 3rd, will be observed as a holiday here. Few towns that observe Victoria Day will holiday June 3rd.

YOUR two piece suit will be needed soon. See what we are doing.—SWIFTS'.

THE WATFORD BAND is open for engagements for picnics, socials, excursions, etc. The boys deserve your support. Don't forget them when you are getting up your entertainment.

"How does this damp weather agree with you, Mrs. Moloney?" "Badly, thin, I'm just contrivin' to keep out of the hands of the undertakers." "Faix, an' I'm sorry to hear that same, ma'am."

JAMES STANLEY, formerly of London township, died at Lucan on Wednesday, 14th inst., and was buried at Clonduboy on Friday afternoon. Deceased was a half-brother to Mr. Robert Haskett, merchant, Watford.

50 gingham one piece dresses, embroidered trimmed, regular \$1.50 to \$1.75.—98c. Open Saturday.—SWIFTS'.

DR. KELLY, medical health officer, has notified the Council that he considers the drain in the north part of the village is in want of immediate attention from a sanitary point of view. The Council will take steps to have the drain repaired at once.

MRS. CECIL BUTLER received word this week that a cousin of hers residing in Simcoe was kicked on the head by a colt a few days ago and died from the effects on Tuesday. Mrs. Butler left Thursday morning for Simcoe to attend the funeral.

THE directors of the Lambton Farmer's Mutual Fire Insurance Co. held a meeting at the Roche House, Watford, on Tuesday and settled the claim of Mr. T. A. Woods, who lost his fine dwelling house and contents on the 6th line by fire a few weeks ago.

THIS is going to be a short pineapple season and the prices will be higher. Leave your order and we will guarantee you number one fruit.—THE N. B. HOWDEN EST.

At the convocation on May 16th, the Rev. J. A. Shirley, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Shirley, Watford, received the degree of M. A. from the University of Manitoba. Rev. Shirley graduated from Toronto University in 1910 and is at present curate of St. James' Church, Winnipeg.

THIS is the time of the year when the old hen never fails to get into your neighbor's garden. You know the result. One good scratching hen can in five minutes scratch up all the friendship that has been growing for many years between neighbors. Keep her at home or cut her head off.—Exchange.

DARK print shirt waists 49 cents.—SWIFTS'.

It generally reads Births, Marriages, Deaths. Some papers say The Cradle, The Altar, The Tomb. In one paper the headings were The Entry, The Union, The Exit. It may soon change to Faith, Hope, Charity.—Faith, in the future of the child; Hope, that the marriage may be a happy one; Charity, for the idiosyncrasies of the departed.

THE Reeve informs us that there will be no further delay in connection with the Armory, Cowan & Towers having made the transfer of the site for the government this week. Construction will now be proceeded with as soon as the Dept. of Militia notifies the contractor. Tenders will soon be called for the Post Office, it being the government's intention to go ahead with the construction this fall.

GORDON, the six-year-old son of Dr. R. G. C. Kelly, placed a Canadian cent in his mouth Thursday morning and it accidentally slipped into his throat. Although medical aid was close at hand the coin could not be reached and it slipped down into his stomach. So far the little fellow has not been inconvenienced in any way and serious results are not anticipated.

THE local banks will be closed on Saturday next, May 24th, Victoria Day.

Boys' bloomer suits. Nifty styles for large boys.—SWIFTS'.

MRS. D. M. ROSS passed away at her home on Simcoe street early Wednesday morning in her 76th year, after a lingering illness. The funeral will be held this (Thursday) afternoon, at 3 o'clock, to the Watford cemetery. Service at the house at 2:30, conducted by Rev. J. C. Forster, pastor of the Presbyterian church. A more extended obituary notice will appear later.

To keep cool this summer, Dr. Kiefer, of Detroit, advises the people to "Wear as few clothes as the law allows. Yellow attracts the fever rays of the sun. Government experiments showed this and the men of the army wear khaki. Those who don't like yellow will find that light blue is the next best." Yellow is a very popular color in this district on the 12th of July.

THE King's birthday is now June 3rd. The next sovereign's birthday will be June 23rd if the Prince of Wales succeeds his father. These dates are both too near Dominion Day to permit of their being set apart as a general holiday.

Until something of great national moment obscures, the 24th of May, the birthday of Victoria the Good, will remain Canada's national spring holiday.

ORDER your clothing at Swift's. Nothing better, few as good.—SWIFTS' Tailoring Department.

JOHN FARRELL, Immigration Agent, with five hundred immigrants, will arrive in Ontario in one huge batch on the steamer "Tunisian", which sailed from Liverpool last Saturday, and one hundred more who sought passage too late will follow on a later boat. All of these newcomers are booked for different points in Ontario and comprise farm laborers, domestics, experienced farmers and capitalists who desire to exploit land in an agricultural fashion.

THE amendments to the Children's Act recently passed are now in force. One of the new laws is that no child shall be allowed to loiter in a public place after 9 o'clock at night unless accompanied by parents or guardians. Any constable or any officer of authority may warn the child and if the warning is not heeded they may be locked up. Parents are held responsible for the actions of the children. Another new law is that no girl under 16 years of age, and no boy under 10 years of age shall be permitted or licensed to work or to engage in any occupation whatever.

WHEN your home merchant presents you with his bill, do not allow the hair on your spine to rise like porcupine quills, and look as though you had been insulted. The chances are he trusted you for the shirt on your back and the groceries to keep your family. Speak kindly to him who has accommodated you for you know you like prompt pay to others. A man whose temper rises to ninety degrees in the shade when he is asked for a just account and feels his dignity has been trampled on, is a good man—not to trust.

THE motor law regarding chauffeur's license has been amended, and hereafter all persons driving motor cars for hire must pass an inspection examination. The applicant for a license to drive a motor car must furnish a certificate from two members of the Ontario Motor League appointed by the Lieutenant Governor and the chief of police of the municipality in which the applicant resides, stating that they have examined the applicant as regards his character and general fitness to drive a motor car, and that he is a proper person to receive a license.

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WATFORD, MAY 23, 1913.

### The Man Who Pays as He Goes

There's a man who is greeted with anthems of joy, with thunderous plaudits and cheers—the only original curly-haired boy whose'er in our midst he appears; from ocean to ocean, from north unto south, we hail him wherever he grows, and loudly his praises pour forth from each mouth—the fellow who pays as he goes. Wherever he dwells in this beautiful land his home is a scene of content; the first of each month with the bills in his hand he hikes off and settles the rent; no bailiff will enter by force in his door, and hurl him outside by the nose; he's welcome as spring in the grocery store—the fellow who pays as he goes. How proudly erect he can carry his head each day as he walks down the street and passes the shop of the baker of bread, the store of the seller of meat; how happy in sooth is the honest man's lot—how calmly he sips at his brose, how sweet to his taste is his pease porridge hot—the fellow who pays as he goes. There's many a rock of misfortune he'll miss on which other folks will go smash. His plan is a goodly and wise one, I wis—to deal

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on a basis of cash. The men who buy aught with the gold of their dreams are laying up troubles and woes; but always the sun of prosperity beams on the fellow who pays as he goes.

### The 100 Years' Peace Celebration

A very notable event is the invitation sent forth as the first act of the representatives of the English-speaking people, now assembled in the United States, to all the nations of the earth to join them in the celebration of their hundred years of peace. They could not have appealed to two more willing agents for the forwarding of this invitation than Sir Edward Grey and Mr. Bryan. If ever there was a man sighing for days of settled peace, that man is Sir Edward Grey, who for months has been fighting manfully for peace against all the powers of strife, and holding the unenvied position of a sort of umpire between angry disputants. The congress of the powers which has so long been acting as mediator between the nations is an earnest and a foretaste of the day when friendly counsels shall triumph over war.

### Learn to Laugh

A good laugh is better than medicine. Learn how to tell a story. A well told story is a welcome sunbeam in a sick room. The world is too busy to care for ills and sorrows. Learn to keep your own troubles to yourself. Learn to stop croaking. If you cannot see any good in the world, keep the bad to yourself. Learn to hide your pains and aches under pleasant smiles. No one cares whether you have the earache, headache, or rheumatism. Don't cry. Tears do well enough in novels but are out of place in real life. Learn to meet your friends with a smile. A good humored man or woman is always welcome, but the dyspeptic is not wanted anywhere and is a nuisance as well. Above all, give pleasure. You will pass through this world but once. Any good thing, therefore, that you can show to anyone, you had better do it now; do not defer nor neglect it, for you will pass this way again.

### Time Brings Many Changes

Appropos to the death of a large number of papers in recent years, the Kentville Advance says: "A dozen years ago, when boss printers could be hired for six dollars a week, and extensive printing house machinery was not a necessity, little one-town papers flourished. To-day the successful rural newspapers must serve a wider business constituency, and must possess an equipment suited to such service. Country weeklies are dying off in this growing Dominion at the rate of two hundred per annum—this in spite of new towns in our western provinces. The passing of the little village paper is to be deplored; just as was the passing of the village hatter, or shoemaker, or fuller; but it cannot be prevented. Meantime the strength of rich and progressive communities is reflected in such rural weeklies as survive. They are not to be regarded, either, as the last survivors of a passing class of industries, but rather as the fittest survivors of a passing industrial era. The new era will be one of centralization; of consolidated schools; of centralized postal service; of amalgamated telephone service; of co-operative farming and of general business consolidation. The people are bound to be served much better, even if somewhat less picturesquely, in this age."

### NOTE AND COMMENT.

Official figures of the Bulgarian losses in the war, published at Sophia, give the following estimate:—Killed, 300 officers, 29,711 men; wounded, 950 officers, 52,500 men; missing, 3,195.

A motorist who was stopped by a deflated tire in Essex, found a nail in it with a piece of leather attached, whereon was the usual inscription, "Votes for Women."

Foreign missionaries will be pleased to hear that the King of the Cannibal Islands, who was wont to broil them on coals in his evening fire, has passed in his tentacles. His last feast was an old editor who had turned missionary. The ex-editor's cheek proved to be indigestible and

for the first time in his life the king succumbed to the force of circumstances.

About \$600 was spent last year in Windsor in placing oil on the streets. This was largely in the nature of an experiment, but the results were so satisfactory that the board of works proposes to increase the appropriation to \$1,800 for this year. Reports similar to this have been made by nearly every municipality. From a sanitary standpoint oil is recommended in preference to water.

The young woman who keeps her hands white at the expense of her mother, who performs the household duties, is never likely to astonish people with her order and cleanliness when she gets a home of her own. Neither is the young man who depends on his father for the necessities of life and the good clothes which he wears, apt to set a very large portion of the world afire.

Words of kindness do more good than hard speeches, as the sunbeams without any noise, will make a traveler east of his coat, which all the blustering winds could not do. If we are kind to others, we not only benefit them, but the influence on them is great, and if we cultivate the grace of kindness our own characters grow nobler and better.

### Oil Ran Down Creeks

In a book entitled "Sketches of Creation," by Alexander Winchell, L.L.D., a professor in the University of Michigan, we read the following interesting history of the discovery of oil in Lambton county.

"The amount of oil that has been ejected from certain wells is marvelous to relate. Though Western Pennsylvania has produced numerous flowing wells of wonderful capacity, there is no quarter of the world where the production has attained such prodigious dimensions as in 1862 upon Oil Creek, in the township of Enniskillen, Ontario. The first flowing well was struck there January, 11, 1862, and before October not less than thirty-five wells had commenced to drain a store-house which provident Nature had occupied untold thousands of years in filling for the uses—not for the amusement—of man. There was no use for the oil at that time. The price had fallen to ten cents per barrel. The unsobered settlers of that wild and wooded region seemed inspired by an intuition. Without an object save the gratification of their curiosity at the unworldly sight of a combustible fluid pouring out of the bosom of the earth, they seemed to vie with each other in plying their hastily and rudely-erected "spring-poles" to work the drill that was almost sure to burst at the depth of a hundred feet, into a prison of petroleum. Some of these wells flowed three hundred and six hundred barrels per day. Others flowed a thousand, two thousand, and three thousand barrels per day. These flowed severally six thousand barrels per day; and the "Black & Mathewson" well flowed seven thousand five hundred barrels per day. Three years later, that oil would have brought ten dollars per barrel in gold. Now its escape was the mere pastime of full-grown boys. It floated on the water of Black Creek to the depths of six inches, and formed a film upon the surface of Lake Erie. At length the stream of oil became ignited, and the column of flame raged down the windings of the creek in a style of such fearful grandeur as to admonish the Canadian squatter of the danger, no less than the intility and wastefulness, of the oleaginous pastimes. From detailed determinations, I have ascertained that, during the spring and summer of 1862, no less than five millions of barrels of oil floated off upon the water of Black Creek—a national fortune totally wasted, as inherited fortunes are apt to be wasted by those not educated to an understanding of the amount of labor and time consumed in the accumulation of such fortunes."

### Bodies of Four Explorers Found in Ice

Christiania, Norway, May 16.—Death has overtaken Lieut. Schroder-Stranz and four of his companions of his scientific expedition, which became icebound near Spitzbergen while pursuing scientific researches, according to a cablegram received here today from Capt. Straxrad, leader of a Norwegian relief expedition. Two members of the party, Dettmers and Moeser, were drowned; another, Eshard, was frozen to death, and the fourth, Slave, succumbed to illness brought on by exposure.

Lieut. Schroder-Stranz was reported missing and given up as lost.

The German expedition under Lieut. Schroder-Stranz was organized last year. It was expected to be away from three to four years, making scientific explorations.

Lieut. Schroder-Stranz led a research party into Spitzbergen, where they were caught by the Arctic winter. After a time the party managed to get word of its plight to civilization.

One relief party set out but had to turn back.

Of course, experience is valuable, but nearly every man you meet is willing to swap some for money.

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### Do You Know These?

What is that of which the common sort is the best? Sense.

Enough for one, too much for two and nothing for three; takes one to make and two to keep? A secret.

Why is a girl not a noun? Because a lass (alas) is an interjection.

Why are lazy persons' beds too short for them? Because they lie too long in them.

Why is a kiss like a rumor? Because it goes from mouth to mouth.

When is it easy to read in the woods? When Dame Autumn turns the leaves.

Which is the largest turn in the world? Room for improvement.

Why are the western prairies flat? Because the sun sets on them every evening.

Why are the laws like the ocean? Because most trouble is caused by the breakers.

Why are the stars the best astronomers? Because they have studied (studied) the heavens since creation.

Why is a schoolmistress like the letter "Q"? Because she forms lasses into classes.

What two words contain all the vowels and in their proper order? Facetious and abstemious.

Why is a young lady dependent upon the letter "Y"? Because without it she would be a "young lad."

### Color is Mark of Progress

Linen holds undisputed claims to seniority among textiles, dating back to 5,000 years. Silk comes next, and it is to Siling Chi, the Chinese Empress of twenty-seven centuries ago, that it owes much of its development. Although we have been unable to improve but little in the matter of texture in the intervening ages, we have advanced in the art of dyeing, until to-day, instead of three, there are 15,000 different colors, shades and tints in silk. Color is the mark of human progress. For long ages color was limited to blue, yellow and red, the products of indigo, annatto and madder.

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THE BUSINESS MAN AND HIS STATIONERY

"Is the Cobbler's Son Well Shod?"  
The merchant encourages us always to buy a good article in preference to that which may be cheapest—he is right, without doubt, but how often he fails to learn this lesson himself—especially in this noticeable in-stationery—some stationery and envelopes which reach us through the mail are a disgrace to the sender.  
We wonder if the merchant always understands that his business is measured oftentimes by the class of stationery he sends out—yes, even by the quality of paper in the bills he renders—we venture to say there is nothing which points out business men's carelessness and general make-up more plainly than the quality and style of the stationery he uses. It advertises his standard—it announces clearly to the public what class of goods they may expect at his store.  
If the merchant sends out a wishy-washy rag of a letterhead, envelope, invoice or statement, the public may reasonably expect the same quality and cheapness in the merchant's stock of goods.  
Just think over the business firms you are acquainted with and notice the quality of their stationery.  
And Mr. Business-man, think this over too and see that you do not suffer for proper attention to this sometimes neglected but very necessary detail.

THESE PILLS CURE RHEUMATISM.—To the many who suffer from rheumatism a trial of Parnee's Vegetable Pills is recommended. They have pronounced action upon the liver and kidneys and by regulating the action of these organs act as an alternative in preventing the admixture of uric acid and blood that causes this painful disorder. They must be taken according to directions and used steadily and they will speedily give evidence of their beneficial effects.

Fish Stories From Bermuda

(New York Evening Post).  
Down in Bermuda they have octopuses of the kind you don't meet in muck-raking magazines. According to the 'Royal Gazette,' one of the principal newspapers of Bermuda, Pilot Joseph Millet, commanding the 'Mariette,' and his crew recently had an encounter with a big octopus about thirty miles northwest of the islands, while waiting for one of the steamships from New York.  
'They noticed,' says the paper, which came through the mails to-day, 'a commotion on the surface of the water and sailed up to it; when only a few yards distant they saw that the disturbance was caused by an immense octopus that was sporting himself. His arms were from 12 to 14 feet long, his body as big as a large barrel, and the large suckers from 3 to 4 inches in diameter.  
'To capture the monster was impossible, so they let him severly alone and came along inshore, only to fall in with a devil fish, supposed to have been the largest ever seen in these waters.  
'The monster was about 18 to 20 feet long, his body as big around as a punch-con and his horns were fully a foot or more in length; no attempt to capture this monster was made, as it has been to date impossible to capture them. When they are harpooned they simply settle away and tear the irons out or break the warp. These devilfish, so called on account of the horns protruding from their heads, are perfectly harmless, and are frequently seen in these waters by fishermen and others.  
And as if these two incidents were not enough proof of the piscatorial monstrosities to be seen in Bermudian waters, the same number of the 'Gazette' contains an account of a school of grampuses seen on the south side of the island by another pilot boat. One of these fish was a large one, it was said. Of course, they were all puffing.

MINISTER PRAISES ZAM-BUK

Tells How it Cured His Wife's Bad Sore  
When Everything Else Had Failed  
Rev. Henry J. Muntion, of Blackfields, Alta., writes: "My wife had a very bad sore foot, which it seemed impossible to heal. The sore would heal to a certain point and then fester again, and so on. I procured a box of Zam-Buk, and after persevering with this herbal balm for some time the sore was completely healed.  
'We were so grateful for this cure, and Zam-Buk acted so differently to any other of the numerous remedies we had tried that I thought you ought to know of this case. I have since recommended Zam-Buk to several of my parishioners, and it always gives satisfaction.  
Another instance in which Zam-Buk proved of unequalled value is told by Mr. N. L. Gerry, of Brandon, Man. He says: "I had my left foot run over by a wagon loaded with wheat. The foot was very badly crushed, and my little toe and the next toe were laid open. I applied Zam-Buk, and only had to miss work two days. Zam-Buk healed the wound so quickly that on the third day I was able to put on my boot and walk to my work. In a very short time my toes were quite healed, and the foot is now as sound as ever, thanks to Zam-Buk."  
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Why We Should Eat Raisins

In a table of comparative food values, a pound of raisins is said to be equal to:  
Six pounds of apples.  
Five pounds of bananas.  
A pound of bread.  
Two pounds of milk.  
A pound and a quarter of fish.  
Seven-eighths of a pound of eggs.  
Three-fifths of a pound of beef.  
A pound and fifth of potatoes.

A Suffragette Goose

Lisbon, Conn., May 16.—Female suffrage is a fact in Connecticut as far as the geese are concerned.  
Hearing the suffragist call, Mrs. Goose, after sitting on a dozen eggs for two weeks, became weary of her task and ordered Mr. Goose to take up the job. It was all unlady-like, of course, but Mr. Goose, having felt the beak of Mrs. Goose on several occasions, sat right down and stayed down until nine little goslings pecked their way through their shells to daylight.  
Then, so proud was he of his feat, according to Judge Edward D. Tarbox, of Ross farm, who is responsible for this tale, that he quacked loudly for more eggs. Judge Tarbox therefore took five more half hatched eggs from Mrs. Goose and placed them in Mr. Goose's nest. Soon five more wee goslings broke into the sunlight.  
Mr. Goose is now busy finding food for his little charges and proud of it, so proud in fact, that he drives away Mrs. Goose with loud hisses whenever she attempts to approach his offspring.

To Remove Smoke Marks From Ceilings

Mix a thick paste of starch and water and with a clean flannel spread it over the mark. Allow it to get thoroughly dry, then brush off with a soft brush and the marks will have disappeared.  
Consolation can be found in the dictionary, but it is an inferior variety.  
After a spinster is married she may discover that she merely drew a consolation prize.  
When a man begins to shoot his virtues from the housetop his neighbors proceed to sit up and take unfavorable notice.  
Breadcrumbs added to scrambled eggs are a great economy. With this addition two eggs go as far as four without it.

Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills

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The man who tried to kick his way to popularity learned better after awhile.

A Smile or Two

"Oxygen, oxygen, madam. That is what you need," said the eminent specialist. "Come every afternoon for your inhalations. They will cost you \$5 each."  
'I knew our family physician didn't understand my case," declared the fashionable patient. "He told me all I needed was plain, fresh air."  
A traveler in Indiana noticed that a farmer was having trouble with his horse. It would start, go slowly for a short distance, and then stop again.  
Thereupon, the farmer would have great difficulty in getting it started. Finally, the traveler approached and asked solicitously,  
'Is your horse sick?"  
'Not that I know of."  
'Is he balky?"  
'No. But he is so afraid that I'll say whoa and he won't hear me, that he stops every once in a while to listen.'  
The tramp sat, serene and dirty, on the backdoor step eating the breakfast for which he had asked, and the servant stood looking at him curiously.  
Presently the knight of the road observed the attention she was paying him.  
'Wotter yer lookin' at me for?" he asked in idle curiosity. "Think I'm a long-lost cousin?"  
'No," replied the maid, coolly; "but I must say you remind me of a man I used to know."  
'Sweetheart?" asked the tramp, coyly.  
'None of your business!" was the maid's retort. "But something happened to him which'll never happen to you."  
'What's that? Died a millionaire, did he?"  
The maid's reply was crushing.  
'No; he was accidentally drowned while bathing.'

Home Hints

Wrap cheese in a cloth soaked in vinegar if you wish it to be kept moist and free from mold.  
If the alarm clock rings too loudly slip and elastic band around the bell to diminish the noise.  
Shelves are a necessity in every bathroom. So is a little medicine closet to hang on the wall.  
Heat the cloths if you would have warm hands while hanging out the clothes in cold weather.  
A great aid to baby's bath when he is afraid of water is some water toys which he can play with.  
Before dyeing a garment, mark the right side with thread so that there will be no doubt about it.  
Every housekeeper should keep a pair of butcher's cuffs on hand to protect the sleeves in emergencies.  
Brushes and combs are best washed in strong ammonia water. For the bristles, it should be cold.  
To clean ribbon, sponge with alcohol and rub over the spot with clean white soap, holding the ribbon straight.  
To remove grease from woollen materials, rub in powdered French chalk. After some hours shake it rub.

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**BROOKE**

Mr. Arthur Swan is all smiles this week.  
Mr. Sam Johnston is on the sick list at present.  
Mr. Roy Brander has the contract for the new mail route between Sutorville and Bridgen.  
Leonard McLure and George May have started housekeeping at the former's residence, lot 4, con. 15.  
Mr. R. Hewett and family, of Mosa, have taken up their residence on their new farm, lot 8, con. 11.  
Mr. Wm. W. Taylor has commenced work on the foundation of his house. R. Lucas will do the cement work.  
The congregation of St. James' Church, Brooke, will hold a lawn social on Friday evening, June 13th, at the home of Mr. R. J. Lucas, 12th sideroad. Particulars later.  
The ditching machine, belonging to the Woolman Construction Co., of Sandusky, Mich., is doing excellent work on the Watson drain, having now almost reached six sideroad.

The price received by Mr. Ern Cowan for his team was a good many dollars more than the amount stated last week. Our informant willfully or ignorantly mistated the case. News is always welcome, but facts are wanted, not fiction.

The planting of corn and sugar beets is again in full swing. The sugar beet industry seems to be taking a high stand among the farmers of Brooke, and it is believed that more acres will be given to the production of this crop in 1913, than in any previous year.

Michael Kennedy, a prominent lumber dealer of Forest, and a former resident of Brooke, died at his home in Forest on Wednesday last. The funeral was held on Saturday at the Catholic Church, Rev. Father Le Belle officiating. After high mass the cortege left for Alvinston where the body was laid to rest in the family plot. The pall-bearers were John O'Donnell and John C. O'Donnell. John and James Leonard, S. Farrell and M. Garrett, of the C. M. B. A., of which deceased was a member. Mr. Kennedy was married in 1895 to Miss Catherine Orange, daughter of Edward Orange, of Inwood. She and five children survive, namely: Rita, Irene, Kathleen, Edward and Jean. Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy have resided in Forest twelve years.

**General News Items**

Edmonton, May 19.—Figures of the civic census begun on May 1 give this city a population of 67,243, as against 53,611 last year.

Brantford, May 18.—Fire believed to have been of incendiary origin, destroyed the big barn and other buildings at the Bow Park farm early this morning, causing a loss of \$50,000. Besides the building 27 horses, a number of swine, 200 tons of hay and several thousand dollars' worth of implements were lost.

Panama, May 18.—The waters of the Pacific Ocean were to-day let into the Panama Canal. A giant blast, composed of 32,750 pounds of dynamite, was shot, demolishing the dike to the south of Miraflores locks and allowing the water to flow into an extensive section in which excavations have practically been completed. The blast was successful in every way, and the vibration was felt in Panama City as though there had been a slight earthquake.

Wiarion, May 19.—A sad death occurred on the Lion's Head stage, near Wiarion, on Saturday morning. Mrs. W. G. Campbell, Adamsville, took passage at that place for Wiarion and had a baby of three months old, which cried very hard for a part of the journey. It became quieter, however, and the passengers never dreamt that there was anything wrong. Mrs. Campbell upon taking a look at the baby, exclaimed: "My goodness, baby is dead." The stage driver alighted, took the baby in his arms and carried it to a house. A doctor was summoned and pronounced that the baby had died from heart failure.

Ottawa, May 19.—Under the provisions of the Parcels Post Act moved in the House by Hon. Mr. Pelletier no parcel to be carried by post shall weigh over 11 pounds and shall not be greater in size than 72 inches in length and girth combined.

The parcels to be carried shall include all kinds of products, farm or factory, and the postage must be prepaid. The postal rates shall be determined later by the postmaster-general.

In regard to officials the act says: "Under the authority of the governor-in-council two officers may be appointed as inspectors and supervisors of the parcel post system at a salary of \$1,800 on appointment with an annual increase of one hundred dollars up to a maximum of \$3,500.

The town of Meaford has an overdraft of \$12,000 and it is proposed to pay half of this during the current year, in which event the tax rate will be 50 mills on the dollar, and will place Meaford in the enviable position of being the highest taxed municipality in Ontario.

Kingston, May 19.—Picking a pimple on her lip with a needle caused the death in the general hospital to-day of Mrs. Acton, wife of Frank Acton. Doctors attending her say that it was the worst case of blood poisoning they ever had attended to. Mrs. Acton was 30 years of age.

**The New Provincial Treasurer**

The Hon. Isaac Benson Lucas, Minister without portfolio in the Whitney Cabinet since June, 1909, and who has been doing the work of Provincial Treas-

"Father grows younger every day." And his new photograph hits him to a "T".

The old portrait taken twenty years ago, made him look so serious and old-fashioned—not a bit like he really is.

We wouldn't part with it of course. But isn't it splendid to have a picture of him as we know him—just as he looks to-day.

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**ROUTE FOR 1913.**

Monday and Tuesday—Roche House, Watford.

Wednesday noon—John McIntosh, Adelaide. Night—Reub. Upton's, London Road, Adelaide.

Thursday noon—James McIntosh, London Road, thence to his own stable, Watford, till the following Monday.

TERMS—To insure \$13.00; two foals \$25.00; Standing colt \$15, payable Feb. 1st, 1914. Usual conditions.

**Hartman & McManus,**

Proprietors, Watford.  
may 30th

urer since the death of the Hon. A. J. Matheson, was sworn into that office at Toronto on Tuesday of last week. The consequent bye-election will be held June 9th, the nomination being fixed for June 2nd. Mr. Lucas, who was born in 1867, is a lawyer. He has represented Centre Grey since the general election of 1898, and for some time past has been chairman of the Private Bills Committee of the Legislature.

**WANT COLUMN.**

Five lines and under 25 cents. Over five lines five cents per line.

FOR SALE—50 or 60 acres of hay. Apply to Mrs. ADAM BAIRD, 2nd line north.

EGGS for sale at 50c. for 13. Barred Plymouth Rocks and Buff Leghorns.—J. A. ZAVITZ, 10th con., Brooke.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—A cottage, centrally located, which has been completely renovated. House wired for electric lights. Apply to Mrs. G. CHAMBERS.

THE boy who got a wrong straw hat by mistake in Kersey's barber shop, Saturday, can have his own by calling at the barber shop and returning the one he now has.

SEED potatoes, and nine different varieties of seed corn, guaranteed to grow, shipped in from Essex, on the cob, 70 lbs. to bushel.—RICH. INCH, Kerwood. 9-3

SEVERAL dwelling house properties in Watford for sale and one to rent. A farm in Warwick Township for sale. Apply to W. E. FITZGERALD, Barrister, etc., Watford.

FOR SALE—International fifteen horse power gasoline engine, in first-class condition. Can be seen running. Want to replace it with a twenty horse power. Price \$500.00. Apply to TRENTON & Co. 18-4f

NEW BATH ROOM.—P. Kersey has fitted up a comfortable bath room in connection with his barber shop. Hot or cold bath can be had at any hour with every convenience and all requisites. Price 25 cents. Parisian Laundry in connection. m9-3t

**BORN.**

In Brooke, on Monday, May 27th, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Swan, a son.

In Brooke, on Monday, 5th inst, to Mr. and Mrs. John Orange, a son.

In Brooke, on Sunday, May 11th, to Mr. and Mrs. Angus McLachlan, a son.

**MARRIED.**

In Adelaide Tn, on Tuesday, May 6th, Rev. H. R. Diehl officiating, Miss Olive Trout Buntick, of Adelaide, to Mr. Thomas William Tose, of Whitby, England.

**DIED.**

In Plympton, on Tuesday, May 13th, 1913, Mrs. Shadrach Randall, in her 81st year.

In Metcalfe, Saturday, May 17th, Sylvester Moore, aged 83 years.

In Metcalfe, on Friday, May 9, 1913, Anne, relict of the late Samuel Mann, in her 72nd year.

In Watford, on Wednesday, May 21st, 1913, Rebecca Liddy, beloved wife of David M. Ross, in her 76th year.

**GREAT CLEARANCE OF LADIES' SUITS AND COATS**

READ THIS LIST CAREFULLY. NOTE SIZE AND PRICE

One only Suit Navy Coating, Serge, size 38, satin lining, velvet collar—a ladies' garment. Price \$24.00, Clearing at \$19.75.  
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One only Suit of Green Venetian Cloth. Size 36. Price \$12.50, Clearing at \$9.75.  
Two only Light Grey and Fawn Basket Weave. Sizes 34 and 36. Price \$17.50, Clearing at \$14.00.  
One only Light Grey Fine Twill Coating, chalk line stripe, velvet collar, newest crystal buttons, Kelly green satin lining. Size 34. Price \$24.00, Clearing at \$19.25.  
One, each, Bronze, Green, Serge and Tan Tweed, new buttons. Size 36. Price \$17.00, Clearing at \$13.00.  
Three Black Suits in Coating Serge. Sizes 34, 36 and 38. Price \$20.00, Clearing at \$15.50.  
One only Grey Suit, blue box cloth trim. Size 36. Price \$21.50, Clearing at \$15.75.  
One only Grey Fancy Tweed, a Driving Suit. Size 36. Price \$20.00, Clearing at \$15.50.  
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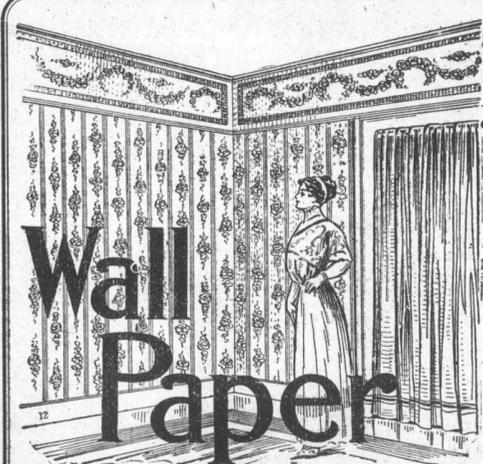
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**ARKONA**

The cement blocks are a basement under the Met Miss Mildred Bates, of Toronto, is renewing act and around the Ark.

Mrs. McKellar and family are visiting at Mr. Geo. M. Mrs. John Holmes a Vancouver, B.C., are round acquaintances in and around

Mr. Wm. Mutrie, of made a business trip to Tuesday.

Men's combination ball wear for the hot weather—On account of the 24th of on Saturday, Arkona merril observe Saturday as th Monday following will Stores closed that day.

Mrs. Clarence Wilson, spent a few days last v parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tho Mr. Chas. Sankey, who attack of blood poisoning arm, is rapidly improving.

Mr. Macklin, who winter with his sister, Mr. simons, has returned to Sat Lawn mowers, screen do dows.—Brown Bros.

Miss E. M. Irwin begs that the balance of sum will be cleared out at gr prices.

Decoration Day for the tery will be held on Thurs May 29th. Anyone havin friends buried there cor to come and bring plant their graves.

Miss Alta Rook is spendi this week with friends in L Mr. Huffman, of Aylm his son, Dr. J. L. Huffman

Mr. Joseph Knapp, of has been supplying as cler store returned home on Mo The Dedication Service Baptist Church will be held

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Mr. Porter, of Embro, in position in Mr. C. J. Ready The stores of Arkona w Wednesdays afternoons duri and August.

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Miss Alice Keene, who ha

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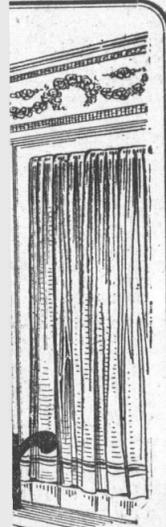
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**ARKONA**  
The cement blocks are being made for  
a basement under the Methodist Church.  
Miss Mildred Bates, of Grace Hospital,  
Toronto, is renewing acquaintances in  
and around the Ark.

Mrs. McKellar and family, of Forest,  
are visiting at Mr. Geo. M. Everest's.  
Mrs. John Holmes and family, of  
Vancouver, B.C., are renewing old ac-  
quaintances in and around the Ark.

Mr. Wm. Mutrie, of Grand Valley,  
made a business trip to the Ark last  
Tuesday.  
Men's combination balbriggan under-  
wear for the hot weather.—Brown Bros.  
On account of the 24th of May falling  
on Saturday, Arkona merchants will not  
observe Saturday as the holiday but  
Monday following will be celebrated.  
Stores closed that day.

Mrs. Clarence Wilson, of Glenworth,  
spent a few days last week with her  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Nelson.

Mr. Chas. Sankey, who have a severe  
attack of blood poisoning in his right  
arm, is rapidly improving.

Mr. Macklin, who has spent the  
winter with his sister, Mrs. Robt. Fitz-  
simons, has returned to Sarnia.

Lawn mowers, screen doors, and win-  
dows.—Brown Bros.

Miss E. M. Irwin begs to announce  
that the balance of summer millinery  
will be cleared out at greatly reduced  
prices.

Decorations for the Arkona cere-  
mony will be held on Thursday afternoon  
May 29th. Anyone having relatives or  
friends buried there are cordially invited  
to come and bring plants to decorate  
their graves.

Miss Alta Rook is spending a few days  
this week with friends in London.

Mr. Huffman, of Aylmer, is visiting  
his son, Dr. J. L. Huffman.

Mr. Joseph Knapp, of London, who  
has been supplying as clerk in the drug  
store returned home on Monday.

The Dedication Services of the new  
Baptist Church will be held June 1st.

Miss Reta Fair, who has been spending  
a few days in Watford, returned home  
Monday.

Mr. Porter, of Embro, has secured a  
position in Mr. C. J. Ready's drug store.

The stores of Arkona will be closed  
Wednesday afternoons during June, July  
and August.

Mr. Liddle, of Aylmer, called on Ar-  
kona friends on Friday.

Fuller Bros. wish to announce the mil-  
linery department closed for the season  
after June 14th.

Miss Alice Keene, who has been spend-  
ing here,

expect.

The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers  
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Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville,  
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**MARKETS**  
**WATFORD**

**GRAIN AND SEEDS—**  
Wheat, fall, per bush... \$ 85 @ \$ 90  
Oats, per bush..... 30 30  
Barley, per bush..... 45 50  
Peas, per bush..... 75 75  
Beans, per bush..... 1 25 2 00  
Timothy..... 2 00 3 00  
Clover Seed..... 7 00 12 00  
Alsike..... 8 00 13 00

**PROVISIONS—**  
Butter, per pound..... 22 22  
Lard, "..... 18 18  
Eggs, per doz..... 18 18  
Pork..... 13 00 13 00  
Flour, per cwt..... 2 25 3 00  
Bran, per ton..... 18 00 20 00  
Shorts, per ton..... 25 00 25 00

**MISCELLANEOUS—**  
Wood..... 2 25 3 00  
Tallow..... 6 6  
Hides..... 8 10  
Wool..... 18 20  
Hay, per ton..... 9 00 10 00

**VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—**  
Potatoes, per bag..... 1 15 1 15

**POULTRY—**  
Turkeys, per lb..... 17 20  
Chickens, per lb..... 8 14  
Fowl..... 6 9  
Ducks..... 12 14  
Geese..... 10 12

**London.**

Wheat..... \$ 95 to \$ 95  
Oats, cwt..... 1 10 to 1 13  
Peas..... 1 00 to 1 10  
Barley, cwt..... 1 05 to 1 10  
Butter..... 24 to 26  
Eggs..... 19 to 20  
Pork..... 13 00 to 13 00

**Toronto, May 20.**—With a heavy run  
of cattle offering at the opening of to-  
day's market dealers were looking for a  
slight recession in prices. Receipts were  
207 cars, with 4000 cattle, 321 calves,  
483 hogs and 560 sheep and lambs. The  
demand, however, especially for choice,  
light and mediumweights proved active,  
and prices were maintained at about last  
Tuesday's level. The fact that the heavier  
cattle were not in such keen demand had  
a steadying effect on the market in the  
early hours.

Calves were steady. Stockers and  
feeders steady.

Hogs were firm at \$9.40 to \$9.50, f.o.b.  
To-day's quotations.

Export cattle, choice... \$ 6 75 to \$ 7 15  
Butcher cattle, choice... 6 60 to 7 00  
do., medium..... 6 00 to 6 25  
do., common..... 5 25 to 5 60  
do., cows, choice..... 5 25 to 5 50  
do., good cows..... 4 75 to 5 00  
do., medium..... 4 50 to 4 75  
do., common..... 3 50 to 4 25  
do., bulls, choice..... 5 25 to 6 00  
do., good bulls..... 4 00 to 4 25  
do., roughs..... 3 00 to 3 50  
do., feeders, 950 lbs. 5 00 to 6 00  
Stockers, choice..... 5 00 to 5 75  
do., medium..... 3 00 to 3 50  
do., light..... 2 75 to 3 00  
Canners and cutters... 2 50 to 3 50  
Milkers, choice, each... 50 00 to 75 00  
do., com. and med... 35 00 to 45 00  
Springers..... 40 00 to 65 00  
Lambs..... 8 50 to 9 00  
Sheep, ewes, light..... 5 00 to 7 25  
do., heavy..... 5 00 to 6 00  
Bucks and culs..... 4 50 to 5 00  
Hogs, fed and watered... 9 75 to 9 85  
do., f. o. b..... 9 40 to 9 50  
do., off cars..... 10 10

**East Buffalo.**  
East Buffalo, May 20.—Cattle—Re-  
ceipts, 200 head; steady. Veals—Re-  
ceipts 2,500; active and steady; \$6.00  
to \$10.00. Hogs—Receipts 1,300; active  
20c to 25c up. Heavy, mixed yorkers  
and pigs, \$9.10 to \$9.15; roughs, \$7.75  
to \$8.00; stags, \$6.50 to \$7.25; dairies,  
\$9.00 to \$9.15. Sheep and lambs—Re-  
ceipts 600 head; steady and unchanged.

**Great Britain.**  
Liverpool, May 19.—John Rogers &  
Co. cable that there is no change to re-  
port in the Birkenhead market to-day,  
and Saturday's quotations remain unal-  
tered at 15c to 16c per pound for Irish  
steers.

Alice Elizabeth Gough, beloved wife of  
G. D. Kellestine, died at her home in  
Caradoc on Wednesday evening, May 7,  
after an illness of ten days. Mrs. Kellestine  
was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo.  
Gough, of Alvinston, and was born in  
Caradoc Township.

**WATFORD COUNCIL.**

Watford, May 19th, 1913.  
Special meeting of Council at call of  
Reeve. All the members present.  
Dr. R. G. C. Kelly, Medical Officer of  
Health, presented his report in respect  
to the main drain in the north part of the  
village, which he claims is in want of im-  
mediate attention from sanitary point of  
view.  
McKercher—Doan, that Mr. Fowler  
and the Reeve be a committee to have  
drain emptying into S. Saunderson's lots  
cleaned out as soon as possible, and in  
the meantime notify all parties to stop  
putting soap suds or filthy water or filth  
of any kind into the drain and that coun-  
cil confer with our solicitor in respect to  
putting in a sewer to replace the open  
drain.—Carried.  
Hawn—Stapleford, that council con-  
firm contract made by Mr. Fowler for two  
cement fire water tanks to be 10 feet by  
10 feet and 10 feet deep with six inch  
walls in proportion of six to one to H. Wil-  
liamson, for two hundred and ten dol-  
lars.—Carried.  
Doan—McKercher, that we adjourn.—  
Carried.  
W. S. FULLER, Clerk.

**A Musical Treat**

There is a great musical treat in store  
for the concert-going people of Watford.  
On Wednesday evening, June 11th, the  
talented and world-famed Gwent Male  
Chorus will give a concert in the Lyceum.  
The program that will be presented  
comprises an array of standard and  
classical music and popular melodies  
such as is seldom heard outside large  
cities.

Among the choruses and part songs  
will be "The Soldier's Chorus" (from  
Faust); "Men of Harlech"; "The  
Destruction of Gaza"; "The Martyrs of  
the Arena"; "On the Banks of Allan  
Water"; "Sleep, Gentle Lady," and the  
Welsh Airs "Dafydd-y-Carig-Wen,"  
"Ar Hyd-y-nos" and "Cadair-Idris."  
The solos are all of a high order and  
include "Asleep in the Deep," "O,  
That Summer Smiled for Aye," "Nir-  
vanah" "Like Stars Above" "An  
Emblem" and "The Drum Major."  
Other numbers on this excellent pro-  
gram are the trio "A Little Farm Well  
Filled," and the duet "Flow Gentle  
Deva." This concert is an attraction  
that it would not be wise to miss.

**Daily Rural Mail Routes**

Reference to our advertising columns  
will show that the Postmaster General  
is calling for tenders on proposed four  
year contracts for daily mails over the  
following routes:—  
From Watford west along 4th line to  
townline Plympton and Warwick, thence  
north to 2nd line, east to 15th sideroad,  
south to 4th line.  
From Watford northeast.  
From Watford to Wisbeach.  
From Watford to Warwick.

**BASEBALL**

Warwick vs. Watford

In a seven innings game of ball at the  
Driving Park on Tuesday evening the  
Warwick team went down to defeat be-  
fore the fast Watford nine by a score of  
21-4. The game was a fair exhibition of  
ball, despite the one-sided score. Fea-  
tures of the game were Waddell's long  
drive for three cushions and Leigh's  
running catch.

WARWICK	ABHR	WATFORD	ABHR
V. Barnes	4 0 0	Lucas	5 1 1
Cowley	4 0 0	Waddell	5 5 2
Brush	4 1 1	Branson	5 2 2
Smith	2 0 1	McDonald	3 4 2 4
Clarewell	3 2 0	Rogers	5 4 3
C. Newell	3 1 0	Leigh	5 2 2
McCausland	3 1 1	Currie	5 1 1
Stuart	1 1 1	Roche	4 3 3
C. Barnes	3 1 1	Forster	5 3 3
Warwick	0 0 0 1 3 0—4		
Watford	7 3 0 3 3 1 4—21		
Umpire—F. Lovell.			

**Watford Women's Institute**

The regular meeting of the Watford  
Women's Institute was held at the home  
of Mrs. Tanner, on Wednesday evening,  
May 14th, the president presiding.  
Meeting opened by singing the "Maple  
Leaf Forever." After the usual business  
the program was as follows:—Instru-  
mentals were played on the piano by  
Miss Wordsworth and Valore Dodds, and  
were very much enjoyed; Miss Smith,  
teacher in the Watford High School, gave  
a reading which was very humorous and  
pleasing to all; Mrs. P. Kingston gave a  
paper on "What dishes to prepare when  
appetites need coaxing." It was a good  
paper. Mrs. Dr. Kelly gave two pleasing  
solos which were appreciated very much.  
The officers for the ensuing year are:  
Hon.-Pres.—Mrs. Humphries.  
President—Mrs. P. Dodds.  
1st Vice-Pres.—Mrs. W. C. Browne.  
2nd Vice-Pres.—Mrs. H. Cook.  
Sec.-Treas.—Mrs. J. D. Brown.  
District Director—Mrs. Humphries.  
Auditors—Mrs. J. McKercher, Mrs. C.  
Wilson.  
Program Committee—Miss M. Waugh,  
Mrs. T. Dodds, Mrs. Kennel, Mrs. J.  
Mitchell.  
Meeting closed by singing God Save  
the King.—Sec.

**KERWOOD.**

We have another auto owner added to  
our list in the person of Mr. Richard  
Waltham who purchased a new five  
passenger Ford last week.  
Mr. Cowan, of Calgary, purchased an  
extra good heavy horse in this vicinity  
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**Lambton Beekeepers**

At a meeting held in Forest on Tues-  
day of last week, the Lambton County  
Beekeepers' Association was organized  
with the following officers and directors:  
Pres.—Stanley Rumpfard, Theford.  
Vice-Pres.—R. C. Fretz, Forest.  
Directors—W. J. Wight, Widder; I.  
Langstroff, Arkona; Thos. Jones, Forest.  
E. Mott, Oil City, and C. Boyd, Petrolea.  
In the evening a public meeting was  
held in the town hall with Mr. Jones in  
the chair. M. Pettit, of the O. A. C.,  
Guelph, gave an instructive and interest-  
ing lecture on "Bee Culture," which was  
very much appreciated by the audience.  
The new organization will, no doubt, be  
the means of greatly promoting this im-  
portant and profitable industry through-  
out the country.

**Auto Accident in Bosanquet**

Theford, May 16.—C. Templeman, of  
Theford, had his shoulder blade broken  
and sustained a very severe shaking up,  
and Miss Croft had her leg badly crushed  
Wednesday evening, when an auto,  
which was being broken in for Eric  
Coultes, Templeman's employer, sudden-  
ly shot into the ditch and partially over-

turned.  
Those in the car were Templeman, who  
was driving, Misses Croft and Lockrey,  
and little Gladys Jennings. The accident  
occurred on the 6th junction of Bosan-  
quet. Templeman is getting along  
nicely.

Death came suddenly and unexpected-  
ly to Sylvester Stuart, lot 11, Con. 4, Til-  
bury North, on May 3rd. The deceased  
had worked in the field during the fore-  
noon and intended to return to work in  
the afternoon, in fact Mrs. Stewart and  
his aged father believed he had gone to  
the field until John Stewart came to the  
house asking for him. After a search  
his body was found in one of the out-  
buildings cold in death.

The Forest hotels having closed their  
doors to the public, a number of the  
business men and others have been  
actively engaged in providing for the  
accommodation of commercial travellers  
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### Perpetual Youth

A Case in Which It Would Not Work Well

By F. A. MITCHEL

"I see by the newspapers," said Reinhard, "that these institute fellows who have been substituting knee joints in the legs of human beings and otherwise repairing the human body claim that they are on the way to cut out substances which lead to decay or bring on old age and when they succeed we shall always be able to remain young."

"H'm!" grunted Von Buest contemptuously.

"You seem to doubt the possibility of such a result?"

"Doubt it? It has been done long ago."

"Been done long ago! What do you mean, professor?"

Professor Von Buest took his pipe out of his mouth—he was always smoking—and, looking the other in the eye, said:

"Reinhard, the conceit of this age is intolerable. Most of our discoveries are accidental, though I will admit that nowadays our scientists are drawing out nature's secrets by scientific experiment. Why shouldn't what has been accidentally discovered today have been accidentally discovered before?"

"Because such discoveries electrify the world, and we all know of them."

"Some of them do now that knowledge is so widely diffused. But you who are German know that there still remain in the fatherland those who investigate for the love of science and, despising the world, do not always give out their discoveries, and when they do it is because they will benefit mankind."

"What do you mean by saying that the elixir of life has been discovered?"

"I did not say that. Listen to me and I will impart a secret. Pasteur did not begin our present methods of microbe investigation. Jenner began it a century ago. Why should the idea lay dormant from the time of Jenner's suggestion till Pasteur took it up and developed it? It did not lie dormant."

"Because such discoveries electrify the world, and we all know of them."

"It is needless to tell you how I became a scientist. You know all about it. I was born a scientist. When I was a little boy I was wondering what held the clouds in position, why objects were reflected in soap bubbles, how animals walked. When I was six years old I killed my pet, kitten to see its works, which I supposed to be similar to those of a clock. This may seem shocking to you, but it was the beginning of investigations which led me to prolong life."

"At eighteen I left the university. I had found the professors a stupid lot, handing down what they considered knowledge from one generation to another. Some of it was knowledge, but the most of it was error. The first president of this republic, Washington, was killed by just such men, who, following an ancient theory of letting blood in case of fever, bled the Father of His Country to death. I came into my estate soon after leaving the university, a landed property in Pomerania on the Baltic sea. There, rid of the false knowledge that flooded the world, I established my laboratory."

"I followed up the killing of my kitten by an onslaught upon such inferior animals as would give me the secrets of nature. I worked twenty years, at the end of which time I discovered an antitoxin for the decay that accompanies age."

"Why, professor?" interrupted Reinhard. "You are seventy and you look seventy. If you discovered this antitoxin, why did you not arrest the effects of age in yourself?"

"Not so fast, my friend. At the time I made the discovery I was forty years old. I could not bring back my youth, and the beginning of disease is the time to arrest it. There is another reason. I did not hunt for my antitoxin because I wished to live forever, since I knew this would bring me intolerable misery. I experimented to satisfy my thirst for knowledge. And now I can explain to you why the world never got my secret. I did not wish to cause my fellow men to suffer. At my present age I have lived too long. Had I the physical strength of youth the mental enfeeblement of age would be with me. And what would this enfeeblement be in another seventy or twice seventy years?"

"In the lonely region in which I lived I had one congenial friend—Welsbard. His tastes were not my tastes or I should have hated him. In his world I

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found something different, something to freshen me. To him alone I confided my secret. I had cause to regret my confidence. He had a daughter fifteen years old, a lovely, beautiful girl. 'Could you keep her as she is today,' he said to me, 'the rest of my life would be supremely happy.'

"I sighed, for I knew that a desire to preserve his daughter's youth would master him and he would pursue me till I consented to give her perpetual youth. I paid no attention to this first broad hint, but it came again and again and finally took the form of a definite request."

"For a year I resisted, assuring Welsbard that if I consented the day would come when his daughter, Wilhelmine, would long for age, if not for death. Her associates would grow old while she would remain young. She would have experience which is incompatible with youth. She would belong neither to her own generation nor the one next below her. Having no proper position, being identified with no particular age, she would be a worse enemy to herself than the microbe that produces the decay of old age. All in vain. The opportunity to preserve his daughter's youth and beauty was too tempting for him. He gave me no peace till I consented."

"When I began to give Wilhelmine the antitoxin she was sixteen years old. Hers was my first case and my only one in practicing upon a human being after having satisfied myself of the efficacy of my remedy, and naturally my efforts were not at once successful. I did not completely arrest Wilhelmine's natural decay till she was midway between seventeen and eighteen."

Von Buest paused and resumed his pipe.

"Well, professor," said Reinhard impatiently, "go on."

"In what way? In the case of Wilhelmine Welsbard there are many obstacles. What would you prefer to know about her?"

Reinhard thought a few minutes, then asked his friend to tell him if the girl gained or lost by remaining young and why.

"What you ask to know," replied the professor, "has in itself many branches. I will confine myself to one—Wilhelmine's relations to her husband. She married Max Menzel. She was then twenty, he thirty. He grew old; his wife remained young. Her father one day came to me with a cloud upon his brow and told me that his son-in-law, who was getting gray and otherwise showing signs of age, was making his wife miserable by his jealous behavior. She was still young and beautiful and attracted younger men than himself."

"From time to time Welsbard came to me to tell me that matters between his son-in-law and daughter were going from bad to worse. At last he confessed that he regretted having urged me to give the latter perpetual youth."

"I have given her perpetual youth,"

I replied, "only so long as it may be desired." "His face lighted with pleasure. 'Can you re-establish the ordinary process of growing old?' he asked."

"There is nothing to re-establish. Let your daughter stop taking the antitoxin and the natural decay will be resumed."

"I did not see Welsbard for a week, at the end of which time he looked more lugubrious than ever. I asked him what troubled him. He told me that he had proposed to his daughter to cease taking my antitoxin and she had flatly refused. Welsbard had very unwisely told his son-in-law that his wife could resume the process of following him to old age if she chose, and he had urged her to do so. She was obstinate, and a quarrel had ensued between the two that bid fair to wreck their happiness forever—that is, all that was left of it."

"And here, my friend, comes an instance of the unity of nature. A unity young and beautiful, and every year the girl between them grew wider. After awhile it became a case of December and May. The older Frau Menzel grew in years the more pleased she was with the attention of young men. They, while pleased with her beauty, found in her an experience which did not accord with their own experience. This led to a continued disappointment in her that soured her disposition. The couple's bickerings were on Welsbard, who reproached himself for being the cause of their troubles."

"And yet there was one thing that would have undone, partly at least, all the mischief. All that was needed was for Wilhelmine to stop taking the antitoxin."

"That could scarcely be expected," remarked Reinhard. "How did the matter end?"

"When Frau Menzel was fifty years old—she reached that age a year ago—she was a very singular compound, having a youthful body and an old mind. One evening, having forced her husband, who was now sixty, to take her to a ball, she insisted on dancing the turkey trot, which was just appearing in fashionable society. When the pair reached home there was a violent quarrel, the result of which was never known, but the couple were never seen out together again. Soon after this the husband died, and the wife discovered that the antitoxin ceased to affect her. Her youth and beauty suddenly collapsed. In a night she had grown old and ugly."

"What was the matter with the antitoxin?" asked Reinhard.

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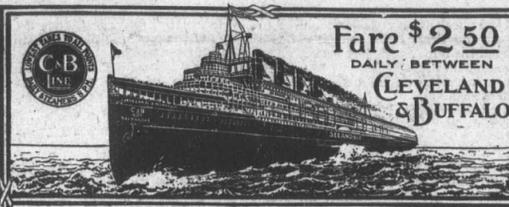
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Most of Europe's Crowned Women Could Earn a Livelihood.

If a queen lost her job could she earn a living? If her castles and wealth vanished with her title could she work like you or I?

Would she be cleverer than our Canadian daughters of riches, who rarely know how to mend a tear, to wash a dish, and who, by no chance, could cook a meal?

It has long been a matter of common remark that among the royalty of talents—a talents which would bring them in good, hard coin if they wished to turn them to that end. The kings and queens are no longer mere names and puppets. They are unwilling to sit quietly by while others manufacture interests and pleasures for them. They want to be masters of some one trade, some one talent, themselves.

How often we hear of a Canadian girl, whose every wish has been law, to whom no luxury has been denied, who must go out and earn a living when her father's wealth has been wiped out! And how seldom can she do it!

But if Queen Elizabeth of Belgium was dethroned to-morrow and left absolutely penniless she would have a profession at which she could easily support herself and her children. The first thing she would do would be to go to a hospital in Belgium and become a staff physician, or, if that place were not open to her, take a position as a nurse until she could afford to open an office as a physician.

For she has had a thorough medical training, and only a few years before her marriage to King Albert she took her degree as doctor of medicine at the University of Leipzig. She is the daughter of Duke Charles Theodore of Bavaria, a renowned oculist, and before her marriage assisted him in his work and had active practice and nursing in a hospital at Kreuth.

She still continues her interest in the Albert-Elizabeth dispensary, where she conducts classes for the young nurses and illustrates her talk by practical application of bandages. Many a charitable patient has come from this hospital happy in the acquaintance of the queen and proudly displaying a bandaged arm with the gratified words:

"Her majesty herself dressed my arm. No wonder it is healing so quickly."

She is chief physician to her husband and her children, and King Albert wrote at one time to his sister:

"It is of no use pretending to have a headache to escape from some stupid function, for Elise always doctors me up and sends me along."

Medicine is not her only interest, however. She is an enthusiastic motorist and knows every trick of driving, as well as of repairing. On the last visit of the king and queen to France they were driving unattended through the country near Tours, when one of the tires burst. The king frankly admitted that he knew nothing about repairing it, but Queen Elizabeth tucked up her lace skirt and went to work with a will. The result was that they were only an hour late to their engagement, and the queen had added another to the list of her achievements.

She is an eager student of literature and has published books and essays on a variety of subjects—mainly scientific.

The Prim Dutch Girl.  
The etiquette of Holland is exceedingly strict in all classes. The young girl is most carefully chaperoned, and she never goes anywhere, even to church, unless accompanied by her parents, some male relative or other equally trusted attendant. At a dance the parents sit round the walls sipping their coffee or wine, and the young men must make the best of their chances in the opportunities afforded by the dance, for when it pleases the guardians to depart there

### A MESSAGE TO WOMEN

Who are "Just Ready to Drop."

When you are "just ready to drop," when you feel so weak that you can hardly drag yourself about—and because you have not slept well, you get up as tired-out next morning as when you went to bed, then you need help right away.

Miss Lea Dumas writes from Malone, N. Y., saying: "I was in a badly run-down condition for several weeks, but two bottles of Vinol put me on my feet again and made me strong and well. Vinol has done me more good than all the other medicine I ever took."

If the careworn, haggard men and women, the pale, sickly children and feeble old folks around here would follow Miss Dumas' example, they, too, would soon be able to say that Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron remedy, had built them up and made them strong.

It is a wonderfully strengthening and invigorating body-builder, and we sell it under an ironclad guarantee of satisfaction. You get your money back if Vinol does not help you.

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### Microbes in Your Scalp

Authorities say that a microbe causes baldness. If you are losing hair try our remedy at our risk.

Professor Unna, of Germany, and Dr. Sabouraud, the great French Dermatologist, claim that a microbe causes baldness, and their theory has been verified by eminent scientists. This microbe destroys the hair follicles, in time causing the scalp pores to close and the scalp to become shiny. Then, it is believed nothing will revive the growth. If treated before this occurs, baldness may be overcome.

We know of nothing that has given such universal satisfaction in treating the scalp and hair as Rexall "93" Hair Tonic. It has been designed after long study to overcome the cause of falling hair as discovered by Prof. Unna, Dr. Sabouraud and other scalp and hair specialists, and we believe it will do more than anything else can to remove dandruff and stop falling hair; and if any human agency can promote a new growth of hair it will do that, too.

We want you to make us prove it. We will pay for a month's treatment of Rexall "93" Hair Tonic used during a trial, if you will use it according to directions, and are not thoroughly satisfied. When we will do this, you surely should not hesitate to at least try it. Start the treatment today. Your mere request will get your money back if you want it. Two sizes, 50c and \$1.00.

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is no help for it, the girls must go too. An unmarried girl always takes the right arm of her escort, while the matron takes the left, perhaps because it is nearer the heart.

### No Smuggling!

Diligence in the pursuit of duty is commendable even in a customs officer, but it would seem that even the logical Gallic mind might have found a reason to suspend the rules in the following circumstances:

An English steamer was wrecked on the French coast, and the survivors were coming ashore, some in tow of powerful swimmers, others clinging to planks and barrels. Those nearest land were at last heartened by the sight of an approaching small boat.

As it bore down on the head swimmers a figure in uniform rose in the bow.

"Have you anything to declare?" demanded a stern voice.

### Remarkable Bible Verses.

The eighth verse of the third chapter of Zechariah contains every letter, including the finals, of the Hebrew language, while one will find in the twenty-first verse of the seventh chapter of Ezra every letter of the English alphabet except j. The verse reads as follows: "And I, even I, Artaxerxes the king, do make a decree to all the treasurers which are beyond the river, that whatsoever Ezra the priest, the scribe of the law of the God of heaven, shall require of you, it be done speedily."

### The Real Need.

"This article telling 'how to trim a hat for the price of the frame' is all well enough," remarked Mrs. Smallmeans. "But what I would really like to know is 'how to trim a husband for the price of a hat'."

### The Crucial Point.

Weeks—I understand your baby has been very sick. Is the worst over?  
Weeks—I'm afraid not. His health is all right now, but my wife hasn't yet settled on his name.

### The Enemy Within the Gates.

Nearly every European capital has seen the enemy within its gates during the last 610 years. Berlin was penetrated by the Austrians in 1757 and the Russians in 1760 and was occupied by the French in 1808 and 1849. Vienna was occupied by the French in 1805 and 1809, and Moscow in 1812, Lisbon in 1807 and Madrid in 1808. Paris was entered by the allies in 1814 and 1815 and by the Germans in 1871. Copenhagen was bombarded by the British in 1807. Athens was occupied by the Turks in 1826. Belgrade was captured by the Servians from the Turks in 1807, Sofia was taken by the Russians in 1829 and 1878, while Bukharest was occupied by the Russians in 1828 and 1853 and by the Austrians in 1854.

### Oh, Splash!

"My sister writes from abroad that her husband fell four stories out of a hotel window."  
"Mercy! You take it very calmly."  
"Oh, he wasn't hurt! You see, it was in Venice, and he could swim."—Boston Transcript.

### Defending Him.

Agnes—And did he say I looked intellectual?  
Gladys—Oh, no, indeed! I assure you he said nothing disparaging.—Life.

The noontide sun is dark and music discord when the heart is low.—Young.

### "Comin' Through the Rye."

(Kentville, N.S., Chronicle.)

Probably very few persons understand the expression "Comin' Through the Rye." There is in Scotland a small stream called the Rye. The girls formed it going to church, school and to market, and as the water was a foot or two deep they had to hold their skirts up. The boys would meet them in mid-stream and kiss them without any difficulty, as the girls couldn't drop their skirts to make any resistance. That's what the poet meant when he wrote "Comin' Through the Rye," but most people think he meant a field of rye.

## Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

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### TIME TABLE.

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GOING WEST  
Accommodation, 27 . . . . . 8 44 a.m.  
Accommodation, 29 . . . . . 2 45 a.m.  
Chicago Express, 5 . . . . . 9 27 p.m.

GOING EAST  
Ontario Limited, 46 . . . . . 7 46 a.m.  
Accommodation, 28 . . . . . 12 03 p.m.  
New York Express, 2 . . . . . 3 00 p.m.  
Accommodation, 30 . . . . . 5 16 p.m.

C. VAIL, Agent Watford

### STAGE LINES.

WATFORD AND WARWICK STAGE LEAVES Watford Village every morning except Sunday, reaching Watford at 11.30 a.m., Returning leaves Watford at 3.45 p.m. Passengers and freight conveyed on reasonable terms.—G. BARNES, Prop.

WATFORD AND ARKONA STAGE LEAVES Watford at 7.45 a.m., Wisbeach at 8.45 a.m., Returning leaves Watford at 3.45 p.m. Passengers and freight conveyed on reasonable terms.—WILLIAM EVANS Prop.

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Weekly London Free Press . . . . .	1 85
Weekly London Advertiser . . . . .	1 65
Weekly Globe . . . . .	1 85
Northern Messenger . . . . .	1 40
Weekly Montreal Witness . . . . .	1 85
Hamilton Spectator . . . . .	1 85
Weekly Farmer's Advocate . . . . .	2 35
Daily News . . . . .	2 50
Daily Star . . . . .	2 50
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A HAT FOR EVERY FACE  
Youths' and Boys' Felt and Straw Hats—Opened this week—in Natty Styles. Felts at 50c. to \$1.25. Straws, 25c. to \$2.00.

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The "Corker," as its name implies, is an Extra Good Garment for the money—Well Made Fine Balbriggan—at 25c per Garment.  
Men's Extra Fine Balbriggan—Made From Pure Egyptian Yarn—in Long or Short Sleeves—50c per garment.

Men's B. V. D. Underwear—Good Quality Linen—Combination or Separate Garments, in long or short sleeves, and knee or full length drawers—Combinations, 75c to \$1.00 per suit; Single Garments at 50c.

Natur Wool Underwear, in summer weight, at 50c., 75c. and \$1.00 per garment.

Boys' Balbriggan Underwear, in long or short sleeves, at 25c per garment.

Wash Goods For Warm Weather Wear

Radium Foulards—The most popular goods for summer wear—looks like but wears better than silk. Comes in spot, stripe and fancy patterns in all the new shades, also in bordered effects, at 25c per yard.

Plain Volles—A light weight sheer goods—Comes in all the wanted shades, at 25c per yard.

Bedford Pique—A most serviceable fabric and the one you have been reading so much about in the fashion journals—Comes in tans, linen, white, blue, black and cadet, at 18c per yard.

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We have never shown such an assortment of popular white wash goods.

- Vestings at 15c, 20c and 25c
- Bedford Cords at 18c and 25c.
- Shau Su Repp at 20c.
- Piques at 15c, 20c, 25c and 35c.
- Shamrock Poplins at 20c and 25c.

Irish Linen Pongee—An ideal fabric for ladies' and children's wear, comes in linen, blue, pink and tans, 25c per yard.

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OVERALLS FREE

We are Sole Agents for Walker's Overalls, made in Walkerville, Ont. We guarantee 10 cents for every Button that comes off, and 25 cents for every rip, and for every six pockets cut from worn garments we will give you one pair of Overalls or Smock Free. Get the habit of saving your pockets.

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183 BRANCHES IN CANADA.  
General Banking Business transacted. SAVINGS DEPARTMENT at all Branches. Deposits of \$1.00 and upwards received and interest allowed at best current rates.  
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Warm Weather is Coming  
Richmond Refrigerators \$9.00, \$12.00, \$16.00  
New Perfection Oil Stoves \$8.00 to \$15.50  
Ice Cream Freezers . . . \$2.25 to \$3.50  
Screen Doors (any size) . . . \$1.00 to \$1.75  
Screen Windows . . . 15c. to 35c.  
Lawn Mowers . . . \$3.75 to \$6.00  
This is the Famous Brookville Mower and will please you, as it cuts evenly and runs easily.  
The N. B. Howden Est.

FARMER CUTS HIS THROAT

John R. Smith, Prosperous Plympton Farmer, Ends His Life With Razor

John R. Smith, a prosperous Plympton farmer, was found dead Sunday evening in the woods in the rear of his farm, two miles from Wyoming. His throat had been cut and a razor was lying near the body.

Mr. Smith was in his 61st year and lived on the town line east, his farm being lot 19, con. 1. He was seen on Sunday morning going to the woods, as was his custom, accompanied by his dog. His wife became uneasy when he did not return for dinner or tea, and reported to a neighbor, Mr. George Hartley, who discovered the body. The deed had evidently been committed in the forenoon.

Dr. W. Reid, coroner, drove out to the scene, with Mr. McKay, undertaker, but decided that an inquest was unnecessary.

One cause of the tragedy is supposed to have been worry over the sale of his farm. Mr. Smith recently sold the farm to Wilson, of the sixth line, but after completing the transaction he repented and paid the purchaser a considerable sum to call off the deal. He evidently again changed his mind, and last week made inquiries about Mr. Wilson at the bank here to ascertain if he had purchased another farm yet.

When the deal was called off he agreed to give his son Charles the farm if he would remain at home instead of going to the West. The late Mr. Smith is survived by his wife and adult family, and three brothers William, George, and Phineas, all residents of this locality. His widow is a sister of Mr. John Forbes, London Road. The family is in comfortable circumstances, and no adequate cause can be assigned for the act unless Mr. Smith's mind had become unbalanced from brooding over his business transactions. The funeral was held on Wednesday afternoon from the family residence to Wyoming cemetery.

ROSY CHEEKS STRONG NERVES

Should be the Birthright of Every Woman and Growing Girl

Many women and growing girls who should have bright eyes, rosy cheeks, strong nerves and elastic step, and a good appetite, are seen to decline in health. Their spirits grow sluggish, the cheeks become pale, temper fitful, and the nerves over-sensitive. They may have inherited a tendency to ill health, or they may have over-worked, over-studied or worried until the strength of the body was not equal to the demands made upon it.

To guard against a complete breakdown in health the blood must be kept pure and rich. No other medicine can do this so well as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, for they act both on the blood and nerves, restore the appetite and keep every organ toned up. All women cannot rest whenever they should, but this strengthening medicine is within every woman's reach, and will keep them in the enjoyment of good health. And it is especially important that in every stage of woman's life the blood supply be kept pure and rich. The value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is well illustrated by the case of Mrs. David Chambers, Bensford, Ont., who says: "Some years ago I suffered greatly from impoverished blood. I was very pale and thin and had no strength. I took a lot of doctor's medicine without getting any benefit, and at last decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which I heard highly recommended. It was not long before I began to feel better, and after taking the Pills for perhaps a couple of months my health was fully restored, and although some years have passed I have continued strong and healthy, and I think I owe it entirely to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

"Sometime later my daughter, then about twelve years of age, had been working very hard at school and her health gave way. She was weak and listless and her hands and feet were badly swollen and we feared dropsy was setting in. However, we started to give her Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and she was soon quite well again. I think I owe it entirely to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to any suffering as we did, knowing the benefit our family received from them."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all medicine dealers or will be sent by mail, post paid, at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 by writing The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Mrs. R. G. Taylor, of Strathroy, is using the Curling Kink Co. there for \$500 damages for the piling up of snow and ice on her property during the winter and disturbing noise made late at night.

Methodist District Meeting

The annual district meeting of Strathroy District will be held in the Methodist Church, Petrolia, on Thursday and Friday, the 22nd and 23rd inst. This district includes the Methodist circuits and stations from Mount Brydges to Edy's Mills and from Arkona to Alvinston. These will be about thirty laymen and ministers in attendance. A public meeting will be held in the church at night, at which several speakers will give addresses on timely topics.

The work of the various sessions will consist of the reception and tabulation of the statistics of the year's work, for the annual conference, which convenes in London the first week in June, the examination of probationers for the ministry, and other matters pertaining to the interests of the church.

Rev. W. H. Graham, B. A., of Strathroy, chairman of the district, will preside. Rev. C. F. Logan, M. A., is financial secretary.

School Inspection in Country

R. T. Abraham, of Chatham, has been appointed field agent to visit rural schools in Middlesex, Essex, Kent, Elgin, Lambton, Norfolk, Haldimand, Welland, Lincoln, Wentworth, Brant, Oxford, Waterloo, Perth, Huron and Bruce. Field agents are a new departure, and while their first duty is to visit and inspect and report upon the schools, undertaking to give systematic instruction in agriculture, and thus qualify for special grants, they are free to give their services as far as possible whenever and in whatever way the improvement of county schools or of county school studies need them.

Must Advertise Before Marriage

The new marriage act of last session which requires non-residents of a municipality, county, or district, to give three weeks' notice of an intended marriage came into force on the 15th inst. The act makes it necessary for non-residents desiring to secure a marriage license to advertise their intention in local newspapers once a week for three weeks, and to present affidavits and copies of the notices to the issues of licenses. Exception to this will only be made under special circumstances and upon direct appeal to the Registrar-General. This legislation, while aimed at secret marriages generally, is especially directed at the "Gretna Green" at Windsor, where the marrying of young people from across the line has become quite a profitable business. In addition to the advertisement clauses, the act contains sections making clergymen and others qualified to perform marriage, subject to a heavy penalty for marrying persons they know to be under the influence of liquor, or mentally deficient.

COURT OF REVISION

THE COURT OF REVISION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WARWICK will be held in the Town Hall, Warwick Village —ON— MONDAY, JUNE 9th, 1913 AT TEN O'CLOCK A. M., to hear and decide any complaints against the assessment of the Township of Warwick. N. HERBERT, Clerk. Warwick, May 23rd 1913. A Mitchell woman has been placed on the Indian list.

MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 27th June, 1913, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails on a proposed Contract for four years six times per week over RURAL MAIL ROUTE FROM WATFORD (WARWICK WAY), LAMBTON E. R., ONT., from the Postmaster General's Pleasure. Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Watford, Warwick, and at the Office of the Post Office Inspector at London. G. C. ANDERSON, Superintendent. Post Office Department, Mail Service Branch, Ottawa, May 15th, 1913. m23-31

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Fall Fair Dates

The Western District Fair Association have fixed the following dates for the fairs of that circuit: Strathroy . . . . . Sept. 15-17 Petrolia . . . . . Sept. 18-20 Forest . . . . . Sept. 24-25 Parkhill . . . . . Sept. 25-27 Wyoming . . . . . Sept. 26-27 Brighton . . . . . Sept. 30 Alvinston . . . . . Oct. 2-3 WATFORD . . . . . OCT. 7-8 Alvinston will observe Monday as Victoria Day.

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LOCAL HAPPEN

THE GUIDE-ADVOCATE welcomes items of interest for this Column. Call Phone 11, send by mail item in GUIDE-ADVOCATE LETTER.

LIVE GOSH brought \$9.40 the GINGHAM tub dresses 98c.-KEEP in mind the Gwent June 11th.

REGULAR meeting of C Monday night. THERE'S a fortune in it person who finds a remedy here.

JUDGMENT in the Fitzgford case is now expected to be June 6th.

WATFORD Court of Revival (Friday) at 10 o'clock, in Chamber.

WORK on the Carnegie delayed for a few days wait iron columns.

LADIES' coats at wholesale are overstocked.—SWIFTS'. NINE tailors are needed to make there are lots of chaps who are good with one.

BESIDES the usual shipper W. W. Edwards shipped a car to Toronto this week.

JUDGING from the school children's names nowadays their mothers were novel readers.

THE Canadian mint has started, coined almost nine millions in silver and gold. They kept it all in Ottawa.

THIRTY-SEVEN fox companies sent a capital of two and a half million dollars, were incorporated last session of the Prince Edward Legislature. Beats real estate.

OUR worsted suitings made \$8.50 to \$27.50, have no equals Tailoring.

THE members of the Order of Watford with delegations of Lodges will gather next Sunday in the Congregational church worship. Rev. R. Stevenson will a special sermon.

THE infant child of Rev. D. rector of Forest, died on Sunday from scarlet fever after hours illness. He was seized with convulsions which resulted in a fatal look place Sunday afternoon.

THE law says that auto driver light the lamps at sunset. License number must be secured back of the car and project back and must be kept very close owner of the car is liable to a fine.

SMART new tweeds for your suit.—SWIFTS' Tailoring Dept. A SMALL quantity of carbonated paste, mullage and ink, went mouldy. An ounce of gallon of whitewash will kill and dairies from disagreeable off-taint milk and meat keep such pains.

A NEW JERSEY woman saw the soul of a man leave his body as he expired. As she issued out of his mouth we are the good woman mistook a dig gas from the stomach for the spark.

THE Provincial Government's opposition to the proposed of the Public Library Act were that they have decided to change in the act at present in the Minister of Education have tied Secretaries of Library Board.

THE following is a new project the Ontario Telephone Act: It may approve of regulations of company for the purpose of preventing interference with inter-conversations or messages over any telephone system, and a who does so is liable to a fine of \$100.

New dress goods, new Bulgars new dress trimmings, new SWIFTS'.

MONDAY, Tuesday and Wednesday 7th, 8th and 9th, has announced by the Canadian Forestry Convention as the date of the Dominion Convention. The co which will be held in Winnipeg fair promise of being one of successful gatherings ever held West.

THE members of the County will be given a pleasant outing June session by Mr. H. Saunders Northern Hotel. They will leave at 7 a. m. on steamer Waukena troit, luncheon being served on They will be shown about the dinner will be served at the Hotel, leaving about 7.30 on a via Rapid Railway for Port Huron.

THE new paper money to be the United States treasury 5 inches long by 2 1/2 inches wide, 1 1/4 inches by 3 inches as present the backs there will not be the dollar mark of any figure of a no lettering except "U.S.A." central figure. There is no hand and in the expense of clear why the money will display, it will the paper money of other nations.

ANOTHER lot of 8 1/2 cent ginghams.—SWIFTS'.

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