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"Squibographs"

A Philadelphia paper intimates that if monkeys had votes Mr. Bryan would favor evolution.

Drugstore bandits can draw money from the cash register without the aid of mustard plasters.

None of the athletes at the Olympic games equalled the recent high jump record of the wheat market.

Cabinet changes are becoming a habit in Europe. After a brief tenure of office another Greek cabinet has fallen.

Bacon and hockages may soon be in the de luxe class. It is predicted that the price of pork will follow the flight of wheat.

Bank bandits are increasing their sphere of activity. Moscow and Cuba were given their first demonstration of aggressive finance last week.

The Brazilian Government is said to regard the insurrection in that country as a tempest in a coffee pot, with the probability that it will go up the spout.

A California city has added two professional baseball catchers to its police force. They are experts at nabbing men caught stealing and can hit hard in a pinch.

The man who owns a comfortable and well-equipped summer cottage within easy driving distance of town is surprised to learn how popular he is among a wide and thirsty lot of friends.

Having in mind the freak forms observed at bathing beaches, President Ebert of Germany was quite justified in prosecuting the artist who took a snapshot of him in his bathing suit.

Parties to divorce cases in Canadian courts have been charged with many offenses, but never with "excessive piety", which is regarded as cause for dissolving the marriage tie in Moscow.

Queen Marie of Roumania has just completed a novel, a thrilling mountain love story. The atmosphere of Roumania is charged with thrills providing ample material for tales of romance and tragedy.

Asked to name the ten best books for a honeymoon trip, a New York paper suggested: Cheque book, pocketbook, route book, hotel red book, book of cigarette papers and five books of stamps for postcards.

A wedding in high life took place in California Saturday when the ceremony was performed in an airplane. Instead of the Wedding March the pilot might have whistled "Wait Till the Clouds Roll By."

Predicts Serious Losses From Ontario Barn Fires

Present Catchy Weather Will Induce Farmers to Hasten Mowing, and Spontaneous Combustion Follows in Many Cases, Says Fire Marshal Heaton—Advises Curing in Cocks.

"Barn fire losses in Ontario during 1923 amounted to over two and a half million dollars. Present indications point to as bad a record this year, but I am satisfied that this heavy bill could be cut in two if all farmers were induced to cure their hay properly in cocks."

This is the timely warning sounded by Ontario Fire Marshal E. P. Heaton, at the beginning of the haying season in the greater part of the Province. There are many people who still scoff at spontaneous combustion, but Mr. Heaton has gathered statistics which must convince the most skeptical.

"Last year," he said, "we had our first clear case of spontaneous combustion in a barn on June 20, and between that time and July 20 there were 41 'mysterious' fires reported involving a loss of \$125,000. Investigations showed quite clearly that the fires were due to spontaneous combustion in the hay mows. This year up to the present time not a single case of spontaneous combustion has been reported."

The reason for this condition is very simple. The lack of losses to date is simply due to the lateness of the season. There has been little hay stored away yet, whereas the bulk of the crop was in the barn by the middle of June in 1923.

There has been some improvement noted in curing, according to Mr. Heaton, particularly in the alfalfa growing sections of Halton, but no general betterment is reported by his observers, who have covered 31 counties and travelled 2,000 miles through the Province in the last few months. The present catchy weather and the scarcity and high price of help will induce many farmers to make haste in haying again this year and Mr. Heaton predicts heavy losses from spontaneous combustion, particularly in those districts in Eastern Ontario where alfalfa is a comparatively new crop. "Teddors and hay loaders will be used to get the crop under cover in 24 hours," stated the Fire Marshal, "and it is certain that heavy losses will follow."

Spontaneous combustion, explained Mr. Heaton, is simply due to improperly cured hay heating up in the mow. Sometimes cured fodder in the barn is revived by snow blowing in upon it, or water coming through a leaky roof or tank. It is important that the hay is properly cured in the field, and carefully protected.

Mr. Heaton strongly advises the old way of curing, especially for our heavy clovers and alfalfa. "Put it up in cocks, and leave it for at least ten days," he says. "If possible use cheap covers for the cocks. This takes time and labor, I know, and sometimes the weather is not favorable, but is it not preferable to lose a load or two through weathering than to risk the whole crop, and barn as well?"

The heating does not usually occur before ten days after the green hay is put in the barn, and the proper point for combustion may not be reached for 40 to 60 days. This explains why the spontaneous combustion losses are as heavy during July, August and September in normal years as they are in all the rest of the months put together.

For those farmers who will not believe in spontaneous combustion, and insist on rushing the hay into the barn a few hours after cutting, Mr. Heaton urges thorough spreading of the various loads through the mow and the sprinkling of seven or eight quarts of salt over each load.

Green hay in the barn undoubtedly attracts lightning, claims Mr. Heaton, the vapor from the hay, like that from an ice house, making the building more susceptible to attack.

The observers of the Fire Marshal's office who have been travelling through the Province estimate that the total Ontario crop will run about a ton and a half per acre.

Here and There

Glass tubes filled with water are used as incubators for trout eggs at the Ontario Government Hatcheries.

Designed to prevent mildew, a Californian has invented a device which sprays wet or dry sulphur over grape vines.

More than 36 tons of food are required daily to feed hogs on a California ranch and it is distributed by means of an electric railway using side dump cars.

The light producing apparatus of the glow worm and firefly is said to be the most efficient in the world. The glow worm light is eighty times more efficient than a tungsten lamp.

Construction of a million and a half dollar factory building has commenced in Cornwall, Ont., which, when completed, will give employment to 500 hands. Artificial silk will be manufactured from pulpwood.

Crossing from Cherbourg to Quebec in 5 days 19 hours, the Canadian Pacific S.S. Empress of France created a new record for the trans-Atlantic voyage. Her average speed on the record run was 20.155 knots.

Montreal officers of the Dominion Express Company state that the strawberry shipments this year have been much heavier than heretofore. The Ontario crop ripened quickly, but was easily disposed of.

Alberta Government wolf-hunters will this season again penetrate the barren land and wage war on the timber-wolves which prey on the caribou herds. Last season the hunters killed off several hundred of the predatory beasts in the country north-east of Great Slave Lake.

Beginning in the Autumn, German express trains will be equipped with combination radio and wireless telephones, enabling the sending of wireless messages, telephoning and the giving of radio concerts while the train is travelling at a high rate of speed.

A world's record for his senior two-year old Holstein Friesian Heifer, Williamsburg Pontiac, is claimed by Dr. M. W. Locke, Williamsburg, Ont., as a result of a 30 day test showing production of 2,788.5 pounds of milk and 113.92 lbs. butter fat, equivalent to 148.8 lbs. of butter.

The official Railway Guide, in commenting on the Air service which connects with the Canadian Pacific Railway at Angliers says: "so far as we are aware this is the first instance on this continent where interchange of passenger traffic between railways and airplanes has been established."

In his address to the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, at Wembley, July 17th, E. W. Beatty, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway stated that the amounts spent on colonization by the Canadian Pacific Railway and the Canadian Government from the year 1881 totalled respectively \$67,000,000 and \$85,000,000.

During the last four years the Canadian Pacific Railway has handled some 85,000 west-bound harvesters. Last year this company inaugurated the lunch-counter car, which afforded facilities hitherto unknown, and, although perhaps not as a direct result of this innovation, over 26,000 men travelled in special trains over Canadian Pacific lines.

The unveiling of a monument to Tom Wilson, earliest guide in the Canadian Rockies featured the first day's meeting of the two hundred and six members of the Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies at Yoho Camp. Mr. Wilson, who was present at the ceremony and, now sixty-five years of age, resides at Enderby, B.C., discovered Lake Louise and the Yoho in 1882.

A. D. MacTier, vice-president of the Canadian Pacific eastern lines, who awarded to the McAdam team the First Aid Challenge Cup, which they won in competition with teams from North Bay, Toronto, Windsor Station and Angus, stated that since the Canadian Pacific Council of the St. John Ambulance Association was inaugurated in 1909, over twenty thousand employees of the Company have received instruction in First Aid. The last annual report of the St. John Ambulance Association referred to the Canadian Pacific as the "premier railway centre."

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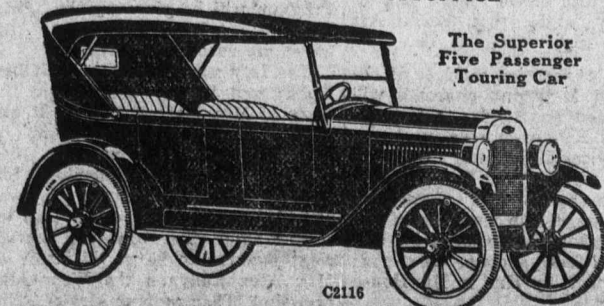
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THIS WEEK'S PAID UP MEMBERS

Watford Old Boys and Girls Who Have Paid Their \$1.00 Membership to the Old Home Week Fund.

- Adams, Thos., Watford.
- Bryce, Mrs. J. W., Watford.
- Beatty, John W., Watford.
- Bryce, Mr. Alex, Biggar, Sask.
- Bryce, Mrs. Alex, Biggar, Sask.
- Bears, Mrs. Watford.
- Baker, Mrs. J., Watford.
- Birchard, Freeman, Watford.
- Birchard, Mrs. F., Watford.
- Chapman, Miss Pearl, Detroit.
- Clark, Richard, Watford.
- Corry, D. J. S., Livermore, Pa.
- Clutterbruck, Dr., Toronto.
- Clutterbruck, Mrs. (Dr) Toronto.
- Crestine, Mrs. Lauce, Satorville.
- Corry, Frank M., Lebanon, Mo.
- Cook, Mrs. Clarence, Toronto.
- Chalmers, H. Alberta, Toronto.
- Coughlin, John, Watford.
- Callahan, T. G., Watford.
- Dodds, Thos., San Francisco.
- Dodds, Geo. & family, Toronto.
- Dodds, Mrs. P. J., Watford.
- Delmage, Mrs. D., Watford.
- Dowler, Elbert H., Detroit.
- Durston, Harry, Watford.
- Durston, Mrs. Harry, Watford.
- Fortune, Mrs. Ida, Argo, Sask.
- Fortune, T. M., Argo, Sask.
- Fair, Neil, Watford.
- Guerns, R. J., Sarnia.
- Hollingsworth, Wm., Watford.
- Hastings, I. J., Watford.
- Hastings, Mrs. I. J., Watford.
- Hayward, Ed., Watford.
- Harvey, E. C., St. Thomas.
- Hosford, Rev. J. H., Watford.
- Hair, Jas., Watford.
- Humphries, H., Watford.
- Jamieson, Wilfrid, Watford.
- Johnston, Mrs. Jas., Ingersoll.
- Jones, Miss Geraldine, Watford.
- Knight, H., Grosse Isle, Mich.
- Knight, Mrs. H., Grosse Isle, Mich.
- Kelly, R. J., Sarnia.
- Kelly, John T., Watford.
- Kennedy, Sandy, Watford.
- Lambert, Clare, Watford.
- Leigh, C. C., Port Huron.
- Leigh, Mrs. C. C., Port Huron.
- Langan, Mrs. Edythe, Toronto.
- Livingstone, C. F., Pt. Dalhousie.
- Lucas, Mrs. R. J., Watford.
- Lamb D., Murrayville, B.C.
- Lawrence, Mrs. Wm., Watford.
- Luckham, F. R., Watford.
- Luckham, Mrs. F. R., Watford.
- Mains, Jas., Watford.
- Morningstar, Mrs. Ray, Watford.
- Moffatt, Elmer, Watford.
- Moffatt, Frank, Watford.
- Moffatt, Hiram, Watford.
- Morris, Fred, Bracebridge.
- Morris, Mrs. Fred, Bracebridge.
- Mitchell Mrs. Angus, Watford.
- McMacken, Edythe, Sarnia.
- McCordic, Serene Cowan, Edson Alta.
- McDonald, Margaret, Denner, Col.
- McGillicuddy, Mrs. J., Forest.
- McConkey, R. J., Toronto.
- McConkey, Mrs. R. J., Toronto.
- McConkey, Miss Lula, Toronto.
- McLellan, W. H., Detroit.
- McKercher, Miss Jean, Watford.
- McKercher, Esther, Watford.
- McKercher, Ernest, Watford.
- McLaren, Ross, Regina.
- McLeay, Wm., Watford.
- McLeay, Miss Ella, Watford.
- McKenzie, Wm., Watford.
- McWatters, Tom, Sarnia.
- McWatters, Mrs. T., Sarnia.
- McKercher, Mrs. A., Watford.
- McKercher, Mr. John, Watford.
- McKercher, Mrs. John, Watford.
- McIvor, Miss J., Watford.
- Newell, Dr. Jas., Watford.
- Newell, Arthur, Watford.
- Newell, Mrs. Arthur, Watford.
- Park, Mrs. Bennie, Clawson, Mich.
- Palmer, Ida A., Sarnia.
- Prentiss, Edgar, Toronto.
- Prentiss, Herb, Toronto.
- Prentiss, Mrs. Herb, Toronto.
- Quinlan, Father, Strathroy.
- Routley, Sid., Watford.
- Reid, Miss Effie, Watford.
- Rogers, Eunice J., Chicago.
- Rogers, Mrs. M. J., Toronto.
- Styles, Mr. Wm., Watford.
- Spackman, J. J., Stratford.
- Spaulding, A. G., Watford.
- Stumph, Mr., Watford.
- Sawers, Rev. E. H., Watford.
- Sawers, Mrs. E. H., Watford.
- Shearing, Mildred, Tisonbury.
- Stephenson, George, Watford.
- Shaw, J. W., Clawson, Mich.
- Saunders, Alex, Sarnia.
- Saunders, Clare B., Sarnia.
- Saunders, Myrtle G., Sarnia.
- Saunders, Leta E., Sarnia.
- Thompson, Manfred, Watford.
- Urie, Dr. N., Watford.

Wynne, Mrs. C.S., Toronto.
 Wynne, Dr. C.S., Toronto.
 Williamson, Mrs. Rich., Watford.
 Williams, H. F., Vancouver.
 Wise, Geo., Sarnia.
 Wise, Mrs. George, Sarnia.
 Wilkins, Mrs. G. E., Sarnia.
 Woods, Mrs. Thos., Watford.
 Williamson, Isaac, Watford.
 Willoughby, Mrs. Wes., Watford.
 Wilkins, Mrs. G. E., Sarnia.

"WE'RE COMING HOME!"

Look for me.—E. Saunders, Toronto.

Enclosed please find cheque for \$2.00 from Mrs. Wynne and myself. Wishing you every success.—C. S. Wynne, Toronto.

Many thanks for invitation, those words "Come on Home" mean so much to those of us who love our old home town as I do. Sorry I am so late in sending my membership.—Mrs. Jas. Johnston, Ingersoll.

Enclosed please find one dollar as membership fee for "Watford Old Home Week"—H. Alberta Chalmers, Toronto.

You may count on my son and I to be there on the Old Home Week.—Mrs. Alex Robertson, Deckerville, Mich.

Thanks for the invitation to attend Old Home Week. Right now I expect that my sister, Mrs. S. R. Dubois of Vassar, my son and "yours truly" of Saginaw will "be there" when the roll is called.—Margaret J. Fraser Orme, Saginaw.

I am looking forward to meeting some of the "Watford Boys" so enclose one dollar for membership. My home is in Lebanon, Mo., my wife and son and daughter left Lebanon July 14th, expect to be at Watford before we return home. We are here visiting the Corry family at Salsburg.—Frank M. Corry.

Dear Sir:—While we cannot be with you personally during Old Boys week in our home town, our hearts will both be right there with you all. Wishing you a joyous as well as successful week. Enclosed please find \$2.00 for T.M. and myself. Respectfully yours.—Mrs. Ida Fortune and T. M., Argo, Sask.

Enclosed please find membership fee in Old Boys' Reunion for my sister, Mrs. J. Baker, and self. Would love to be with you for the big event but it is a mighty stiff grade crossing the Rockies and you are liable to be conscripted for harvest duty on reaching the prairies. Climbing mountains, stooking sheaves and work are three things I would rather do anything else but. I feel sure the old town will do itself proud and the Reunion prove a humdinger. With best wishes for success. One of the Old, Old Boys.—"Dad" Williams, Vancouver, B.C.

Enclosed find P.O. order for membership fee and if nothing prevents I will be present at your reunion in the old home town. Wishing for the best of weather as that would be all that would hinder the success of any gathering of Watfordites.—R. J. Kelly 354 Davis st., Sarnia.

Find enclosed \$2.00 for myself and Mrs. Wise. We will surely be there unless the walking is overcrowded. Kindly read the balance of this sheet as filled with good wishes for the success of the Old Home Week.—George Wise, 115 Margaret street, Sarnia.

Enclosed find \$1.00 for membership fee to the Old Boys' Reunion. I'll be there.—J. J. Spackman, 113 William st., Stratford.

Sure sorry cannot be home for reunion, and visit again the scenes of '98. Sometimes meet an old familiar face. Charlie Peasley lives beside me here and we used to have Lorne Williams with us. Have fond memories of the days when, Potter, Rice, Williams and Miss M. Reid composed the High School staff. Well remember "Stub" Taylor, "Darky" Roche and "Jig" Tye as well as a host of others that it does me good to just think of. Very best wishes for success of the re-union and God bless the spirit that prompts it. Yours for old times.—John A. King, Medicine Hat, Alta.

We wrote you some time ago and had the letter returned uncalled for. We are too old now to take that trip. It is a long time since we left Watford. I left in May 1871. We sent our dollar for membership and it went to the Dead Letter Office and it was sent back to us, so here it is again.—David Lamb, Murrayville, B.C.

Will be glad to be with all the dear old friends once more and to have a warm hand shake. Hope Tom Roche will save a room for us all.—Mary E. Roach, Detroit.

Enclosed is \$1.00 for membership in "Old Home Week Reunion." I am expecting to go up to Watford at that time and it is a long time since I left the 2nd line south and I hope to meet some of my old schoolmates at that time. D. J. S. Corry, Livermore, Pa.

Dear Watford, I thank you for your invitation to be with you for the Old Boys and Girls Reunion in August. It would give me exceeding joy to be there and I shall do so if at all possible. However at present, am not at all certain of being able to make it. Wishing you every success on your days of jollification. I remain always Serene Cowan Mc Cordic, Edson Alberta.

Enclosed please find money order for \$2.00 in payment for membership tickets for Mrs. Henry Knight and myself. Will be with you for the Home Coming.—Henry Knight, Grosse Isle, Mich.

Thanks very much for your kind invitation for "Old Home Week." In reply enclose herewith money order for \$2.00. We are all planning on spending a few days with you in August.—Geo. Dodds & Family, Toronto Ont.

Please find enclosed \$1.00 for membership for the Old Boys. I will try and be there. J. W. Shaw, Clawson, Mich.

Enclosed find \$1.00 for membership fee for Watford Old Boys.—Mrs. Bennie Paak, Clawson, Mich.

I thank you sincerely for your invitation to your entertainment. I certainly would enjoy treating myself to such a happy renewing of acquaintances, and meeting old friends. But I regret to say I cannot see my way clear to go. I wish you and your committee all success and all the Old Boys and Girls a whale of a time. Please say hello to W. G. Willoughby, George Shirley and any old friends. John Shirley, Prince Rupert, B. C.

Success to dear old Watford and the "Old Home Week." May there be many to come back and may they all be there. Enclosed please find \$1.00.—E. C. Harvey, St. Thomas, Ont.

Enclosed find my membership fee for \$1.00. Every week I receive the Guide-Advocate, it makes me more anxious. So if nothing turns up to prevent me, will be there. Wishing you every success in your undertaking.—Thos. Dodds, San Francisco, Cal.

Enclosed find three dollars covering membership fees for Mrs. H. S. Prentiss, Mr. H. S. Prentiss and E. D. Prentiss. We join in wishing you every success and many thanks for the program.—E. Prentiss, Toronto.

Enclosed find sum of \$1 being fee subscribed for Reunion. R. J. Guerns Sarnia, Ont.

I am sorry other engagements will prevent my visit to Watford during Old Home Week. I enclose my little contribution for the good cause.—Elbert Dowler, Detroit, Mich.

Yes we are coming home to meet the old boys and girls in Aug. Please find \$2.00 for membership for Mrs. Morris and myself. Thanks for the invitation. Fred Morris, Bracebridge, Ont.

As an old Watford boy I hope to be there for the old home week even though I have received no invitation. Am enclosing five dollars one as membership fee, and four to go towards the new cemetery gates. C. F. Livingstone, Port Dalhousie.

Watford Old Home Week August 17, 18, 19 20

Fiftieth Anniversary of Incorporation to be Fittingly Commemorated by Joyous Home Coming of Old Boys and Girls.

"FUN FOR ALL; ALL FOR FUN"

\$5,000 Being Expended to Provide an Abundance of Amusement and Entertainment for the Thousands of Visitors

"Old Home Week in Watford on Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, August 17, 18, 19, and 20, will be red letter days in East Lambton, when hundreds of former residents, not only of Watford but surrounding district, will return to their former homes to live over again the bygone days, visit their old schoolmates and friends of former years, and at the same time assist the present citizens of Watford to appropriately commemorate the Fiftieth Anniversary of the town's incorporation.

Over \$5,000 is being expended by the committee in an endeavor to stage a reunion that will provide amusement and entertainment for every visitor's taste. There will be no cessation of merry-making; although the program announces events only from morning until midnight, 24 hour service for all fun-making will be maintained throughout the week.

Everyone will note the admission prices with agreeable surprise, the reason for the low prices being to encourage daily visits, rather than one day. Therefore children under 12, each day, 15 cts. Adults, afternoon or evening, 35 cts, with the exception of Wednesday afternoon when adult admission will be 50 cts, which includes the horse races for a purse of \$1,000.

See large posters and programs for complete information. Citizens of Watford extend a cordial invitation to citizens of neighboring towns and countryside to join with them in this joyous occasion. Come yourself; bring your friends. No high prices; good parking spaces; adequate meal facilities, etc., will also tend to make Old Home Week a most enjoyable remembrance.

FALL FAIR DATES

Toronto	Aug. 23 to Sept. 6
London	Sept. 6 to 13
Strathroy	Sept. 15-17
WATFORD	Sept. 18-19
Petrolia	Sept. 22-23
Wilkesport	Sept. 23
Sarnia	Sept. 24-26
Brigden	Sept. 29-30
Forest	Sept. 30 Oct. 1
Theford	Oct. 2-3
Wyoming	Oct. 2-3
Florence	Oct. 2-3



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FOR SALE—Tractor—International 10-20, in fine shape, \$150.—R. Morningstar.

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100 acres good clay loam being west half lot 20, con 1, Warwick, four miles north of Watford on the Sarnia Gravel, 1 1/2 miles from school and church. Two story brick house, hard and soft water inside, furnace. Barn 34x54 with 14 ft lean to on brick foundation, cement floors throughout; implement barn, log stable and garage. Rock well. One acre of fruit trees, rest, except 15 acres of crop, seeded down. All wire fences. For further particulars apply to Bert Cundick, R.R. No. 7, Oxford St. West, London, Ont. a1-3t

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SUPPLEMENTARY VOTERS' LIST, 1924

Municipality of the Village of Watford, in the County of Lambton.

Notice is hereby given that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in Section 9 of the "Voters' List Act, 1914," the copies required by said sections to be transmitted or delivered of the lists made pursuant to said Act of all persons appearing by the last revised Assessment Roll of the Municipality to be entitled to vote in the Municipality at elections for members of the Legislative Assembly only, and the said list was first posted up in my office on the 26th day of July, 1924, and remains there for inspection.

Electors are called upon to examine the said list and if any omissions or errors are found therein to take immediate proceedings to have the said errors corrected according to law.

W. S. Fuller, Clerk of Watford Dated this 26th day of July, 1924.

BROOKE COUNCIL

Inwood, Aug. 2, 1924.

Council met pursuant to adjournment. Members all present. Minutes of former meeting read and on motion of Loosemore—Wallis were adopted.

Communication received from Ivey, Elliott & Gillanders, Solicitors, notifying Council that Clifford Gordon met with an accident on the road leading into the Village of Alvinston, at a spot just west of the bridge across the Sydenham River, occasioned by a deep hole in the roadway.

Loosemore—Wallis that no action be taken, as this is not a Township road, and Clerk notify Solicitors to that effect.—Carried.

Report of Geo. A. McCubbin, O. L. S., read on the proposed repairs to 12-13 Con. road drain and construction of the McLean tile drain.

Johnston—Loosemore that reports be adopted and by-law be prepared authorizing work and loan.—Carried. By-law authorizing repairs to the 12-13 concession road drain, and to borrow on the credit of the municipality the funds necessary for the work, submitted and read.

Wallis—Johnston that by-law be provisionally adopted. Printed in pamphlet form, with a copy served on each party assessed, with a Court of Revision on same be held in Code's Hall, Alvinston, on Saturday, Sept. 6th, 1924, to open at 2 o'clock, p. m. H. Holbrook to be commissioner and to serve by-laws.—Carried.

By-law authorizing construction to the McLean tile drain on S 1/2 lots 19 and 20, con. 7, and to borrow on the credit of the Municipality the funds necessary for the work, submitted and read.

Loosemore—Holbrook that by-laws be provisionally adopted. Printed in pamphlet form with copy served on each party assessed, with a Court of Revision on same be held in Code's Hall, Alvinston, on Saturday, Sept. 6th, 1924, to open at 3 o'clock, p. m. Jas. E. Wallis to be commissioner and to serve by-laws.—Carried. Mr. Donald McKinley asked for the usual grant to the Brooke and Alvinston Agricultural Society.—No action.

Mr. J. P. McVicar, commissioner in charge of the construction of cement sidewalk on the south side Moore St., Inwood, reported the work completed at a cost of \$556.00.

Johnston—Holbrook that the report be accepted and by-law be prepared authorizing the issue and sale of debentures to return to Township the amount advanced to pay the work.—Carried.

By-law submitted and read to authorize the levy of the several rates required for county, good roads, school and Township purposes.

Johnston—Holbrook that by-law for levying annual rates be filled in as follows:—County rate 3, 9-10 mills on the dollar; County Roads 4 mills. To meet payment of \$600 to each School Section, 4, 4-10 mills; 5-10 mill for steel bridge debenture and 5 mills for all township purposes; a total of 17, 8-10 mills.

That amount asked for by Trustees of School Sections be levied on the respective sections less the \$600 to each.

To meet the sum of \$350 the amount asked for by Trustees of Police, Village of Inwood, for street lighting, a rate of 6, 1-10 mills on the dollar be levied on all rateable property of the village and that by-law be read a third time and finally passed.—Carried.

The following General funds orders were issued in payment of accounts and on motion of Wallis—Loosemore were passed.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Includes Ben Williamson, graveling \$64.00; Jas. D. Wilson ditto 14.00; C. E. Sisson ditto 38.00; L. McLean ditto 192.00; Clarence J. Dolbear ditto 38.00; John Greer ditto 62.00; Dan McGugan ditto 30.00; Russell Powell ditto 33.00; P. A. McDiarmid, disinfectant supplies 15.46; Tedford & Co., case for books 4.00; Archie McVicar, graveling 26.00; Alfred Clark ditto 66.00; John Brown ditto 45.00; Fred Braithwaite ditto 54.00; Wm. Neal gravel on roads 22.57; D. Gentlemen graveling 84.00; Omar Zavitz gravel on roads 217.65; Fred McManus ditto 10.80; Andrew J. Moffatt graveling 47.00; Reg. Thorne ditto 44.00; John McLachlan ditto 84.00; Chas. Maddock, graveling 12.00; Alvinston Free Press, printing Part 8, Voters' Lists 35.00; Dan McKinlay, graveling 78.00; Ben Cathoun, graveling 58.00.

OUR FORTIETH ANNIVERSARY THIS MONTH IS OUR BUSINESS BIRTHDAY Forty Years of Successful Merchandising We are completing this week some alterations so that our Birthday Party will be held in pleasant surroundings. New Fall Lines will be taken into Stock this month. Surprising Values await you. ANNIVERSARY VALUES—40 MEN'S SUITS ANNIVERSARY VALUES—40 BOYS' SUITS A splendid section of our Clothing Cabinets given over to Anniversary values. \$16.40 to \$24.40 \$6.40 to \$10.40 BUSINESS BIRTHDAY VOILES A pile of Dress Voiles all one price per yard 40c BUSINESS BIRTHDAY BROADCLOTH Smart cloths for tailored blouses and skirts, plain and striped. \$1.25 BUSINESS BIRTHDAY TOWELLING Have you a place for a good kitchen towelling, at 6 yards for \$1.00 CROMPTON CORSETS 40 Years Young This Month HOLEPROOF HOSIERY SWIFT, SONS & CO.

Brooke Mun. Tel. Sys. adv. 1750.00 Jas. D. Wilson, levying earth 3.50 H. Holbrook, for gravel and drawing gravel and cement bridge Rd 10, sr 3-4 123.88 R. B. Warner, cartage disinfectants 75 Victor Beikx, con. 12-13 sr dr 643.00 Geo. Chambers Est., cement for bridge rd 10, sr 3-4 211.25 Walter Swan, labor on bridge rd 10, sr 3-4 218.00 John Clark, dragging 5.00 Harry Watson, graveling 52.00 Stanley McLachlan, 6-7 sr dr 22.00 Wm. Neil, con. 6-7 sr drain 28.00 Luke Walker, con. Weidman drain 100.00 H. Johnston, access bridge Weidman drain 120.00 Johnston—Wallis, that council do now adjourn to meet in Alvinston on Saturday, the 6th day of Sept., 1924.—Carried.

W. J. Weed, Clerk The Weatherman Today cool breezes blow off Huron Which make existence more alluring Enjoy the coolness while it lasts Another warm wave's coming fast. The heat wave of the past few days was shattered Wednesday night when another heavy electrical storm swept over this district, and a heavy rain chased the humidity from the air, and the mercury slumped delightfully to a point where the fat man smiled and the ice in the refrigerator took on a new lease of life. The storm was due to the persistent efforts of the low pressure area to remain in this district, the higher area pressing against it finally forcing its way through after the heavy artillery attack. Today Lambtonites revel in an air cooled by the waters of the great lakes, and rich in ozone and as peppy as a 70 year old bridegroom. But the coolness won't last long. Chasing down the lakes today is another trough of low pressure and before the end of the week comes, there is likely to be more unsettled weather, more humidity and perspiration and more dipping in the cooling waters of the lakes than usual. August is the last month of summer and August is due to supply some of the heat lacking in the previous summer months. If the old theory that the swamps being full is an indication of an early winter then we may expect the freezing blasts far in advance of the usual time, this year. In the west there is nothing unusual in the way of heat. In fact the highest temperatures these days are in Ontario and Quebec and down in the Maritimes. But today is a glorious day. Tomorrow it will be appreciably warmer, with old man humidity making a reappearance. Railwaymen regard the C. N. E. as the greatest creator of traffic in North America.

HOT WEATHER SPECIALS We are Offering Special Prices on WINDOW SCREENS SCREEN WIRE SCREEN DOORS ELECTRIC STOVES ELECTRIC FANS OIL STOVES We have a Full Line of CHINAMEL and LOWE BROS. PAINT and VARNISHES at RIGHT PRICES. Do your painting before the OLD HOME WEEK SPECIAL PRICE ON WALL PAPER Until August 16th. We can save you money. Watford's P. DODDS & SON Watford's Busy Store

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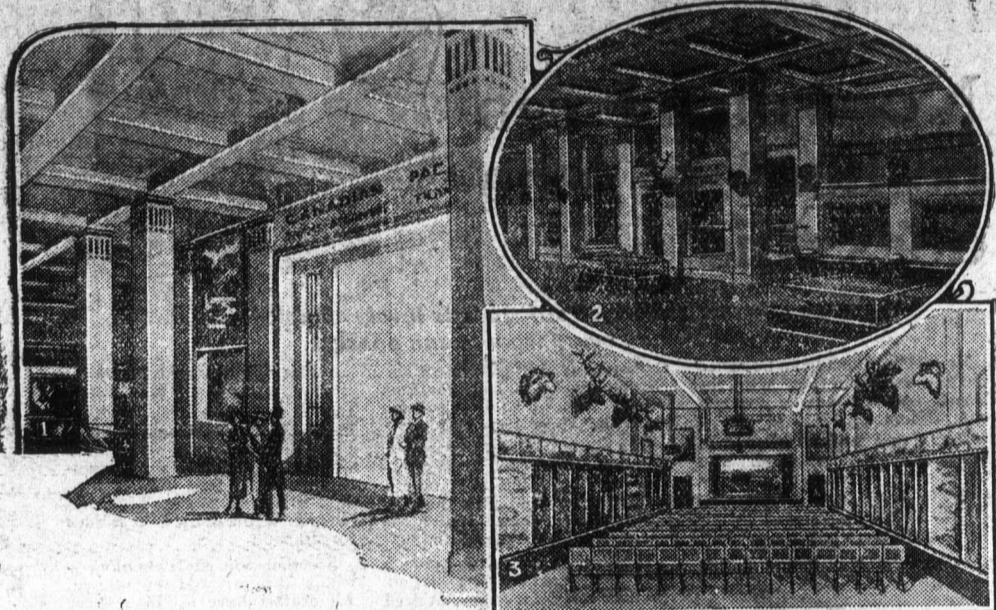
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"OLD HOME WEEK" August 17, 18, 19, 20 COME ON HOME!

First Posting of Watford Voters' List Voters' List, 1924, Municipality of the Village of Watford, County of Lambton. Notice is hereby given that I have complied with section 10 of the "Voters' List Act" and that I have posted up in my office in Watford, on the 26th day of July, 1924, the list of all persons entitled to vote at the said municipality for members of parliament, and at Municipal Elections and that such list remains there for inspection. And I hereby call upon all voters to take immediate proceedings to have any errors or omissions corrected according to law. Dated July 26th, 1924. W. S. FULLER, Clerk, Village of Watford.

Agents Wanted The careful attention to our customers' orders and the splendid stock supplied for years past warrants us in having a representative or two in this county. Liberal Commissions. Free Outfit. Write at once for Exclusive Territory. THOS. W. BOWMAN & SON COMPANY RIDGEVILLE, ONT. STAR NURSERIES. d-3oct Early Fall Hats now showing in the Millinery Dept.—A. Brown & Co.

A Great Railway Exhibit at London's Great Empire Show



(1) The entry to the imposing building of the Canadian Pacific Railway at the Empire Exhibition is imposing. (2) The Exhibition Hall is filled with displays of Canadian products and scenic glories. (3) A complete theatre hall, also part of the Company's exhibit.

Canada's exhibit at the British Empire Exhibition, which opens at Wembley next month, will be one of the most interesting and attractive features of the whole. No phase of Canadian life or activities has been overlooked and every resource of the country will be displayed to good advantage. The Canadian Pacific Pavilion, which has been designed to harmonize with the Government building, directly faces the main bridge leading into this portion of the grounds and at once catches the eye of all visitors. This pavilion is a massive building, approached by a broad flight of steps flanked on either side by bronze models of buffalo and moose. A strong color scheme will be strikingly emphasized at night by a Neon lighting effect similar to that at the Coliseum in London, wonderfully penetrating and effective under all atmospheric conditions, and another attractive feature of the exterior will be the encircling series of illuminating panels in relief depicting the manifold activities of the Canadian Pacific. Equally alluring will be the decorations and exhibits in the interior of the pavilion. The floor space on the ground floor comprises 7,700 square feet. Along the main floor there runs a 400-foot frieze illustrating the Canadian Pacific route from the United Kingdom to Japan. In this diorama there will be moving models of Canadian Pacific liners crossing the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans, mechanically driven and electrically illuminated, and the train journey across the Dominion will be depicted by two Trans-Canada trains, each consisting of locomotive and eight coaches. These also will be electrically illuminated and mechanically driven, with head and rear lights, etc., and the realistic effect will be supplemented by an illuminated signal system, automatic gates, and all the other appurtenances of a com-

plete railway track. In an adjoining section of the interior exhibits there will be shown six mechanically and electrically illuminated vitascope models of Liverpool, Quebec, the prairie region, Banff Springs Hotel in the Canadian Rockies, Vancouver and Yokohama.

A fruit orchard scene in British Columbia and a scene depicting Japan and Japanese life are next presented for the entertainment and edification of the visitors. The model of Japan gives a general view of the country around Fuji Yama, with the world-famed mount itself rising high in the heavens. There will also be models of Japanese houses, bridges, streets and other typical sights of the Flowery Kingdom.

Prospective settlers in the Dominion will be attracted by the model of a 160-acre irrigation farm in the west, with all the buildings and equipment, running water and moving train running across the holding. The adventure-lover will be charmed by the spacious scene depicting the big game life of Canada. Grizzly bears, black bears, wolves, muskox and other representative specimens of the denizens of the wilds will confront the spectators in defiant attitude. All over the building, too, the heads of big game will snarl or grin, according to the respective temperaments of their erstwhile owners.

The lecture hall, which will accommodate 200 people, is very artistically arranged and decorated. Numerous cases, containing grain, fish, birds, maple sugar and honey exhibits will be on view. There will be a continuous cinema performance in this hall between the hours of one and five-thirty, and between seven and ten, with a lecturer in attendance to explain and entertain.

Mounted Mountaineers Pow-Wow at Yoho



Above, Starting on the first Annual Ride. Below, Chief Walking-in-the-road picks out a few odd peaks for a fair Trail Rider.

Early last July a small party of riders was encamped on the plateau which lies between Tumbling Creek Glacier and the gap in the Vermilion Range of the Canadian Rockies known as the Wolverine Pass. The day was warm and conducive to sleep, and, because on this account one of the party dozed and dreamed and later caused the other members of the party to enthuse over his dream, there gathered in the Yoho Valley of British Columbia a week since, two hundred and six prominent Canadians, Americans and Europeans, calling themselves Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies. Each had qualified for membership in the Order by riding at one time or another not less than fifty miles through the Rockies on horseback.

This unique gathering, recording as it did the first attempt to form an association of mounted mountain climbers was characterized by Dr. Charles W. Walcott, head of the Smithsonian Institute of Washington and honorary president of the Trail Riders, as a step which will prove one of the greatest international attractions. The attendance at the First Annual Ride of the Trail Riders exceeded by far the most sanguine hopes of the organizers, but fortunately, Yoho Camp, that beautiful village of chalets a mile above the sea, had been reinforced with twenty Indian teepees and a huge Sun Dance Lodge which had been erected as camp headquarters by Stony Indians under the supervision of Chief Walking-in-the-road.

Only one trail rider left this camp with what could be termed a legitimate grouse. This was Dr. Walcott who believes that bears stole the side of mutton which was hanging at the back of his chalet when he last saw it.

Riding was, of course, the order of the day, and many of the riders, enchanted by the scenery, fell far behind the main group and lingered on the heights till night fall. In the evenings the mountain enthusiasts gathered in the Sun Dance Lodge to talk over the day or to sing and dance and otherwise amuse themselves. After the white-mans pow-wow on the second night a real Indian pow-wow was danced by Chief Walking-in-the-road and Chief Buffalo-child Long Lance, to the accompaniment of Indian singing and the beating of tom-toms by a group of Stony braves.

Altogether the first annual pow-wow of the Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies was a huge success, and the organizers believe that henceforth the Canadian Rockies will receive the recognition and appreciation which is their due.

An Oil Without Alcohol.—Some alcohol as a prominent ingredient. A judicious mingling of six essential oils compose Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, and there is no alcohol in it, so that its effects are lasting.

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PROGRAMME

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WATFORD OLD HOME WEEK

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Sunday, Monday Tuesday, Wednesday
AUGUST 17th 18th, 19th, 20th, 1924

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To where the old home stands;
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Its humble cot will shelter me
From every care and pain,
And life be sweet, as sweet can be,
When I am there again.

BRING THIS PROGRAM WITH YOU

SUNDAY, AUGUST 17th-

- 11.00 a.m.—Church Services in all churches by Old Pastors.
- 2.00 p.m.—Memorial Parade to Cemetery. Decoration of Graves by various Lodges and organizations: including Masonic, Orange and Oddfellow Lodges. Petrolia Band in attendance.
- 7.00 p.m.—Church Services in all churches by Old Pastors.
- 8.30 p.m.—Community Service at Park. Address by Canon Roger S. W. Howard, of St. Martin's Church, Montreal. Sacred Band Concert.

MONDAY, AUGUST 18th-

- 10.00 a.m.—Registration of Guests at the Armory.
- 1.30 p.m.—Parade to Park, Calithumpians, Decorated Cars and Floats. Forest Excelsior Band, Munro Pipe Band.
- 2.00 p.m.—Formal Opening Address by Reeve W. G. Connolly, Burt W. Fansher, M.P., Leslie W. Oke, M.L.A., J. E. Armstrong, ex-M.P., W. R. Dawson, and John Farrell. Reply from Visiting Old Boys.
- 2.30 p.m.—Grandstand Performance: Kelly's Klown Komediants; Fred Morrison, Comedian; Singing Jazz Orchestra; James E. Hardy, High Wire Artist, the only living "Hero of Niagara Falls." Palmer's Midway—Ferris Wheel, Carry-Us-All, Sideshows, Glass Blowers, Trained Animals, Booths, Etc.
- 4.00 p.m.—Baseball: Sarnia vs. Lucan, two Western Ontario League Teams.
- 7.30 p.m.—Monster Parade to Park. Munro Pipe Band and Forest Excelsior Band.
- 8.00 p.m.—Grandstand Performance: The same High Class Vaudeville Artists will appear twice daily during the entire Old Home Week. Drill by the St. Simon of Cyrene Preceptory, Sarnia. Grand Fireworks Display under the supervision of the T. W. Hand Co., of Hamilton; Palmer's United Attractions.
- 10.30 p.m.—Community Dancing in the Armory; Singing Jazz Orchestra, of Toronto.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 19th-

- 10.00 a.m.—Baseball, Old Boys vs. Home Boys.
- 1.30 p.m.—Parade to Park: Bands, Clowns, Calithumpians, Floats, Decorated Cars, Etc. Calithumpian Prizes \$10.00, \$5.00, \$3.00. Decorated Cars and Floats, Prizes \$10.00, \$5.00, \$3.00.
- 2.00 p.m.—Grandstand Performance: Drill by Port Huron Commandery, Knight Templars, under the command of Capt. Gen. Carrigan.
- 4.00 p.m.—Baseball, Port Huron Colored Giants vs. Mullers Ltd.
- 7.30 p.m.—Parade to Park.
- 8.00 p.m.—Grandstand Program, Fireworks Display.
- 10.30 p.m.—Community Dance in Armory.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 20th-

- 10.00 a.m.—Sports for Children on Federal Square.
- 1.30 p.m.—Parade to Park. Petrolia Band and Munro Band.
- 2.00 p.m.—Trials of Speed, \$1000 Purses. Classes: 1—2.15 Class, Trot or Pace, Mile Heats, Best Three in Five, Purse \$350.00. 2—2.17 Trot; Mile Heats, Best Three in Five, Purse \$325. 3—2.25 Class, Trot or Pace, Mile Heats, Best Three in Five, Purse \$325.00. Grandstand Performance.
- 7.30 p.m.—Parade to Park.
- 8.00 p.m.—Grandstand Performance.
- 10.30 p.m.—Community Dance in Armory.

The entire Company of High Class Vaudeville Artists listed in the Program for Monday afternoon will appear twice daily (2.30 and 8 p.m.) with an entire change of program for each performance.

**Guard Baby's Health
In The Summer**

The summer months are the most dangerous to children. The complaints of that season, which are cholera infantum, colic diarrhoea and dysentery, come on so quickly that often a little one is beyond aid before mother realizes he is ill. The mother must be on her guard to prevent these troubles, or if they do come on suddenly to banish them. No other medicine is of such aid to mothers during hot weather as is Baby's Own Tablets. They regulate the stomach and bowels and are absolutely safe. Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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KERWOOD

Friday evening August 8th. The big event of the season. To be held on the church grounds. A special treat under the auspices of the K. M. C.

The W. M. S. of the Methodist church have been invited by Mrs. Athelred Edgar to meet at her home on Thursday afternoon August 14th. An interesting program will be given. All the members are cordially invited.

Mr. Ben Richardson Sr. is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Geo. Freer.

Miss Mattie Dowling is visiting in Port Huron.

Mr. C. Murby spent the week end at his home.

Master Fred Woods is a patient in Strathroy Hospital where he underwent an operation for tonsils and adenoids.

Miss Evelyn Eastbrooke of Watford spent a pleasant week with her cousin, Miss Florence Watson.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist church met in the church basement with over twenty members present. Two quilts were quilted and a good deal of other sewing done. Tea was served by the members in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brunt, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Leacock and son George and Carlyle Thompson spent Sunday in London.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Spearman of Sarnia spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Freer.

Miss Gladys Johnson entertained her Sunday school class on Saturday afternoon of last week. A delightful time was reported by all.

The many friends of Miss Thelma Brunt will be pleased to know that she is progressing favorably after her recent operation at Victoria Hospital, London.

Miss Meryl Freer has returned after spending a delightful week with her friend, Miss A. Rhodes, of Point Edward.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sutherland of Caradoc spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Athelred Edgar.

Mr. Morley Newton is visiting his mother, Mrs. S. Newton.

Miss M. Barnes of Toronto is the guest of Mrs. Ray Pollock.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Watson and family, spent the week end at Ilderton.

Misses Eva and Iva Bainard of St. Thomas are visiting Miss Gladys Johnson.

Miss Amy Campbell of London is holidaying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Athelred Edgar.

Rev. Kerr of Lambeth will occupy the Methodist pulpit again next Sunday. He will take Temperance as his subject.



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ALVINSTON

Mr. and Mrs. John Leitch and children of Columbus are spending the holidays at the home of the former's father, Mr. H. L. Leitch Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. LeRoy and children and Mrs. Jessie Martyn and daughter Ella, and Stuart Angle, returned home after a motor trip through Hamilton, Niagara Falls and Toronto.

Mrs. Sydney Richardson and son Tom, spent a few days last week at the home of Mrs. S. J. Pavey.

Miss Violet McNally of Detroit spent the weekend at her home here.

Misses Mena Moffatt and Lois Wall of Detroit are spending their vacation at the former's home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Temple and daughter of Allan, Sask., are visiting at the former's home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley McCarter, Mrs. S. J. Pavey and daughter Mary, and Charles McCarter attended the Thamesville Old Boys Reunion on Wednesday.

Mrs. M. Dudley of London is visiting relatives in town.

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INWOOD

The Women's Institute met Tuesday in the Sunday School room where they listened to two very interesting and instructive papers, "Laws relating to women and children" by Mrs. R. J. Richardson and "Life of Laura Secord" by Mrs. H. Johnston.

Miss Marvel Bishop entertained about forty of the younger set Friday evening in honour of her cousins, Miss M. Singleton of St. Clair and the Misses Blanche and Thelma Warren of London. There was dancing on the porch, which was gaily lighted by Chinese lanterns.

The W. M. S. meets Thursday p. m.

Mr. Moran of Toronto is visiting Mr. Jas. Rutherford.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. Jas. Morcom had his barn burned during the storm Tuesday morning.

Mrs. V. Case and baby are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Lehrbass.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McNally, and Mr. and Mrs. R. Gardiner attended the reception of Mrs. McNally's niece in Sarnia Thursday night.

Mrs. John Loosemore has accepted the position as organist in the Anglican church.

The Presbyterian church and Sunday school are taking holidays for the coming two Sundays.

Mrs. Jas. McNally is visiting her brother, Mr. Blain in Sarnia.

Mr. Montieith, moderator, preached on Sunday and declared the Presbyterian pulpit vacant.

Miss Janet Lowrie of Detroit is visiting her mother.

Mr. Lewis Lehrbass and family of Alvinston, Mr. and Mrs. Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. J. Crang spent Sunday with Mrs. D. Lehrbass.

Mr. and Mrs. A. McLachlan visited Mr. John McCallum, Alvinston, on Sunday.

Mrs. Courtright and daughter left Saturday for a trip up the lakes.

Mr. Geo Liddon is spending a few days with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Brown and Pearl, Mr. and Mrs. W. Tait, attended the reunion of the Bennet family at Port Huron on Sunday.

Mr. Jas. Smith, M. C. R. agent spent Sunday at Rodney.

Mrs. Singleton and daughter spent the week end at Mrs. J. Bishop's.

Jimmy Neil had the misfortune to break his arm on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Atkin are visiting in the vicinity.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Orange, July 30th, a son.

Wednesday the Sarnia girls defeated our girls 12-8.

On Friday the Inwood baseball team defeated Alvinston 6-1.

Mr. Levi Smith of London spent Sunday at Mr. R. Smith's.

Mrs. Wm. Chapman has returned from a two weeks visit to her daughter in Sarnia.

Mr. and Mrs. Schott of London, visited Mrs. Wm. Chapman Sunday.

Mrs. Geo Doan is visiting her mother at Deckerville, N. S.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Graham of Sarnia, Mr. and Mrs. McDonald of Lanark, spent Sunday at Mr. Wm. Graham's.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Holmes of London and the Misses Jean and Pauline Hauck of London, visited Mrs. Wm. Graham Tuesday.

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NAPIER

Owing to the rainy weather on Thursday everyone was disappointed in taking the trip to Bright's Grove as was planned by the congregation of St. Andrews church. They intend choosing another day however, in the near future.

Several from here attended the shower for Mr. and Mrs. McCallum, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex McLean 9th line. A pleasant social evening was spent and a dainty lunch was served.

Miss Katherine Murphy and Miss Evelyn Field Strathroy spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. Basil Smith.

WANSTEAD

Mr. B. A. Ramsay, London, spent the weekend at his home here.

Mrs. Charles Windsor and children of Marysville, Mich., is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Butler.

A meeting of the Wanstead Farmers' Club was held Thursday evening last, and arrangements made for holding the annual field day on Labor Day, Sept. 1st., on the athletic grounds on the Thos. Simpson farm. Remember the date.

Mrs. Ernest and daughters Rhea and Barbara, London, spent over Sunday with Mrs. Elma Ramsay.

The Wanstead Farmers' Co-Operative Co. shipped two cars of stock to Toronto on Saturday.

ARKONA

Miss Louise Moore has returned from Toronto, where she has been spending the past six weeks as nurse companion to Mrs. D. McDonald, formerly Miss Flossie Dickson of Arkona.

Mrs. J. R. McKewen of Monroe Sidling, Ont., visited her aunt, Mrs. Robt. Riggs last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Porter and son Donald of Toronto are visiting Mrs. Porter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rook.

Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt motored to Stratford on Sunday to attend the Old Boys' Reunion in that city.

New line of ladies' neckwear—Fuller Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. Burnham, with Mrs. Burnham's sister, Mrs. Sisson, are spending this week at Ipperwash Beach.

Rev. Ball and wife of Lambeth are renewing old friendships this week.

Mr. Ball, a former pastor, preached in the Methodist church last Sunday and will preach again next Sunday morning and evening.

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Lambton Co. Fall Wheat Field Competition

W. J. W. Lennox, District Seed Inspector of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, judged the Fall Wheat Field Competition of the Lambton Corn Growers Association. The Lambton Loan and Investment trophy valued at \$40 is offered in annual competition for the best field of fall wheat grown in the County. The Corn Growers' Association offers additional cash prizes to the first six winners in this competition.

The final awarding of the trophy is not decided until the Annual Corn, Grain and Seed Show. Each competitor must exhibit one bushel of the threshed wheat from the field entered in the competition. The final award will be based on 100% on the field and 50% on the sample of threshed wheat exhibited.

The winning in the fields is as follows—

Name	Address	Township	Variety	Score
1st—D. G. Maddock,	Alvinston	Brooke	O.A.C. No.104	93%
2nd—J. A. French,	Theford	Bosanquet	O.A.C. No.104	92%
3rd—S. G. Richardson,	Camlachie	Sarnia	O.A.C. No.104	91%
4th—Nelson Powell,	Inwood	Euphemia	O.A.C. No.104	88%
5th—Alf. Hillier,	Camlachie	Sarnia	O.A.C. No.104	86 1/2%
6th—W. J. French,	Theford	Bosanquet	O.A.C. No.104	85 1/2%
7th—James Abra,	Corrunna	Moore	Red Windsor	85
8th—A. Capes,	Bickford	Sombra	O.A.C. No.104	82 1/2%
9th—James Walden,	Theford	Bosanquet	O.A.C. No.104	82
10th—Tom Anderson,	Wyoming	Enniskillen	O.A.C. No.104	80
11th—Orlan Walden,	Theford	Bosanquet	O.A.C. No.104	78 1/2%
12th—John Wilson,	Sarnia	Sarnia Dawson's Golden Chaff		73
13th—Claude Weed,	Alvinston	Brooke		63 1/2%
14th—Irvine Wood,	Crpton	Dawn	Red Niger	63

PLYMPTON

Mr. and Mrs. D. K. MacDougall are spending a few days with friends in Sarnia.

Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Forbes, of Toronto, spent the week end with relatives on the London Road.

Miss Beatrice Ford, Toronto, spent Civic Holiday at the home of Mr. Jno. Forbes.

Mr. Frank Wheeler, Pontiac, spent the week end with friends on the London Road.

Miss Margaret MacDougall, Toronto, is home for her vacation.

A number of the young people of the London Road enjoyed the picnic held at Hillsboro on Friday evening.

Mr. Keary McCormick visited in Detroit over the week end.

Miss Shirley Symington, Camlachie, spent a few days with her friend, Miss Catherine MacDougall.

Mr. A. A. Dewar, Ottawa, with his wife and two daughters, motored to Sarnia recently and called on friends on the London Road.

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COMMUNICATIONS

Watford, Ont. Aug. 2nd, 1924
The Editor of the Watford Guide-Advocate.

On June 30th at the regular meeting of our Watford Board of Education as you will have noticed by the last minutes, it was decided that we would not have a fifth teacher on our High School staff for the next school year, the motion having been made to advertise for a fifth teacher, which was lost.

This decision was arrived at, after the Board had read over letters from Secretaries of other High School Boards and Boards of Education employing four and five teachers and after having read a letter from F. W. Merchant, Acting Deputy Minister of Education, who was one time Principal of London Collegiate Institute and afterwards also a Principal of a Normal School. Mr. Marchant's letter and the other letters referred to, Mr. Watt says were taken away by some person and therefore I had to get a copy of Mr. Merchant's letter from the Department of Education. The following is a copy of Mr. Merchant's letter:

Toronto, June 20th, 1924

I am directed by the Minister of Education to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of recent date regarding the staff of the Watford High School and in reply to state that, in view of the conditions he will be satisfied with a staff of four teachers, if the total enrolment does not exceed 120 pupils.

It would appear advisable to appoint at present only four teachers. Then, if it is found at the re-opening of the High School that the enrolment exceeds 120, the advice of the High School Inspector concerned should be obtained as to a fifth teacher.

I have the honor to be, Your obedient servant, (Sgd.) F. W. Merchant, Acting Deputy Minister of Education.

W. E. Fitzgerald, Esq., Chairman, High School Board, Watford, Ontario.

At a special meeting of our Board of Education held on July 21st, some members of the Board wanted to reconsider the matter to still have a fifth teacher, notwithstanding it was decided not to have one before and at last there was a motion passed that the Secretary of our Board should write to Mr. Levan, High School Inspector, to see what he had to say about it, he having inspected our High School and knew the circumstances. He wrote a letter and the matter came up at our regular meeting of our Board of Education and notwithstanding Mr. Levan's letter and the letters that were received from other High Schools and Collegiate Institutes that had four and five teachers, showing that they had more attendance per teacher than we had, a motion was made that we advertise for a fifth teacher for our High School. A copy of Mr. Levan's letter is as follows:

Toronto, July 25th, 1924
Mr. D. Watt, Secretary, High School Board, Watford, Ont.

Your letter addressed to the Deputy Minister of Education several weeks ago was referred to me for a recommendation and the letter you received in reply from Dr. Merchant embodied my views on your situation in Watford.

The question hinges, I may say, on the attendance you are likely to have next September. My recommendation (contained in Dr. Merchant's letter to you) was based on the assumption that the attendance in September was likely to be the same as when I visited the school, viz, 121 pupils. While this number is slightly over the ratio of 30 to 1, prescribed in the Regulations, it is so slightly in excess that the Inspector would not make it a reason for demanding a fifth teacher. It would involve, I know, some inconvenience, more particularly that of seating the Upper School in the Science laboratory and requiring them to go to the room vacated when another class needed to use the laboratory. This is an inconvenience, undoubtedly, but I do not deem it so great an inconvenience as the breaking up of the school into two parts almost 1/4 of a mile apart and the payment of \$1400 or \$1500 additional in salary. This opinion, I say, was based on the assumption that the attendance would not increase. If the attendance should increase, I recommended that the Inspector should be consulted.

I think the whole matter turns on the attendance you expect in September next. If there is a reasonable certainty that the attendance will increase to say 135, you will undoubtedly have to provide a fifth teacher.

Your Board is better acquainted than I am with the prospects for the coming year. It is easier to get a good teacher now than it will be in September. If a fifth teacher is required in September and is not on hand, there will necessarily be an unsatisfactory organization and a consequence slowing up of the work of the school for three or four weeks.

My conclusion is that if there is a reasonable certainty of there being an attendance of 135 pupils in September, you would be acting in the best interests of the School in engaging a fifth teacher now. If the attendance is not likely to be more than 120, you can manage, though with some inconvenience, I admit, with a staff of four teachers.

Yours truly, (Sgd.) I. M. Levan.

I consider that the ratepayers and citizens of Watford should know the facts of this matter. I voted against having a fifth teacher and stated that if it was necessary to have a fifth teacher then we could advertise for one, when we found there was a necessity for doing so and after the School opened in September.

At the regular meeting of our Board in May, our High School Principal, stated that we had then 112 on the roll and 104 of an average attendance. This fact was also before our Board and it may not be possible that we will have sufficient in September when we open to have a fifth teacher. Mr. Levan says, 135. If we do, it is time enough then to advertise for a fifth teacher, instead of causing our ratepayers more taxes to pay and they are too high now, higher than any place I know of in Western Ontario, and it is a detriment to our Town the high taxes we are paying and it is time to try and economize wherever we can.

I also brought up at our Board meetings the question of having only four teachers instead of five in our Public School, but no action was taken in this respect, notwithstanding there is not a School in Western Ontario that has the same number of teachers for the same number of pupils that we have. We can quite easily get along with four teachers and here we would save more money that we would not have to raise in taxes. It certainly is time that we begin to economize in matters that effect the taxes of the Town. I know, the fact is, that many people are hesitating coming to reside in Watford because of the high taxes and if we wish the Town to prosper and go ahead, we must not have our taxes go any higher, but lower. I trust this will explain why I have taken the stand I have on the Board of Education, in trying to get the taxes down.

Yours sincerely, W. E. Fitzgerald.



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