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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 to GUIDE-ADVOCATE Letter Box.

PHLESCIMAN'S YEAST for sale at LOVELL'S.

Half price sale of millinery begins today.—A. BROWN & CO.

THE PRICE of the London Times newspaper has gone up to 7 cents.

WELL, we will have to take it back. Hughes would not stay elected President of the U. S.

REV. J. A. SNELL will occupy the Methodist pulpit in Strathroy next Sunday, both morning and evening.

OMITTING advertising because you are busy is like stopping at third base on a home-run drive.

TAYLOR has received the nearest line of Xmas cards and books ever shown.

MORE than half of the states over the border have gone "dry," as well as every province in Canada except Quebec.

MR. JOHN FARRELL will act as auctioneer at the auction sale of 100 Soldiers on the battlefield on November 21st.

AN EXCHANGE says, "With paper prices steadily on the climb, we may yet return to writing on clay or stone tablets."

MAJOR FAIRBANK returned from the front on Monday and a large crowd of Petrolia people extended a welcome to him.

L. H. AYLESWORTH has enlisted in the 10th and the contents of his photograph gallery will be sold by auction on Saturday.

OLD PRICES on Men's Shirts and Drawers, felled at 50 cents a garment and all wool at a dollar.—SWIFTS.

OLD COUNTRY newspapers are carrying advertisements of Oleomargarine at 14c. and 24c a pound, made from choicest nuts and milk.

A SMART young man tried to beat Sarnia merchants out of a winter's supply of clothing last week, but was arrested for his trouble.

If you renew your subscription to the Guide-Advocate this month you save 50 cents. After Dec. 1st the price will positively be \$1.50 a year.

SPECIAL VALUES in aluminum ware just arrived, call and see them.—T. DODDS & SON.

WITH potatoes going up in price a grower who would use one to cork the keystone can would be looked upon as a philanthropist or a fool.

The members of Tecumseh Chapter I. O. D. E. wish to thank the girls who sold tags for the chapter and helped to make tag day such a success.

It is against the law to enclose matches, or other inflammable substances in parcels going to the boys overseas, or in fact anywhere by mail.

THE announcement you have been looking for—BROWN'S half price sale of millinery.

THE minutes of the Watford and Warwick councils and the Board of Education will be found on page two. These items were crowded out of last issue.

FRABODY LODGE, I. O. O. F., meets Monday night at 8 p.m. sharp. As there is special business to be done a full attendance of members is requested.—S.M.C.

SINCE January 1, 255 newspapers and other periodicals published in Germany have gone out of business. The total number discontinued since the war began is 3,000.

OWING to present high prices, incident to the war, the Canadian dollar has depreciated in value to 67 cents. If the war lasts much longer a dollar bill will look like 30 cents.

SMART STYLES in Young Men's Suits and Overcoats ready to wear and made to order.—SWIFTS.

It has been given out by the militia department that funeral expenses to the extent of not more than \$100.00 will be paid, for those who have been killed or died while on active service.

THE motoring season is drawing to a close, and soon owners will see little pleasure in the thing. But the cars have afforded a lot of enjoyment and will give as much more in seasons to come.

A SESSION of the Second Division Court was held in the Oddfellows' Hall on Friday afternoon. Judge Taylor, of Sarnia, presided. Two minor cases comprised the docket and were disposed of within an hour.

LARGE ASSORTMENT of Aluminum ware just opened, watch our south window.—T. DODDS & SON.

THE handsome residence of the late G. H. Wynne was sold by auction by the executors at the Roche House on Saturday afternoon. The purchaser was Mr. W. G. Willoughby of Brooke, and the price paid \$2,800.

Mrs. G. J. PHILLIPS, of Berkley, Cal., has the editor's thanks for Berkley daily papers containing election reports. Berkley is a city that prides itself on its goodness, and boasts that its jail is empty over 300 days a year.

MRS. SNELL delivered two very practical and inspiring missionary addresses last Sunday to the Women's Missionary Societies of the Sylvan Circuit. Her many warm friends were very much pleased to see and hear her again.

SWIFTS for Tailoring—ladies' and gents'—suits and overcoats.

THE Toronto Globe has increased its charge for marriage notices from 50 cents to \$1.00.

REV. P. G. ROBINSON will speak at Oil Springs next Sunday in the interest of Missions.

REV. C. W. BRISTOL, of Appin, will conduct the services in the Methodist Church, on Sunday next at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

THE melancholy days have come and with the prospects of higher prices for everything this winter, they are liable to remain.

TAYLOR'S Throat and Lung Balm is different from ordinary cough syrup. It cures. 25c and 50c.

A NUMBER of factories in Ontario have been compelled to shut down on account of the coal shortage.

MUNICIPAL NOMINATIONS will be held this year on Friday, Dec. 22nd, several days earlier than usual, on account of Christmas Day falling on Monday.

THE Canadian Red Cross Society announces that there is a pressing need for socks, wristlets, etc., for the men at the front, where the weather is already cold. Keep the knitting needles going.

THE Ogilvie Milling Co., announce profits of about 25 per cent. When the causes of the high cost of living are being considered this should not be overlooked. To make that 25 per cent. profit flour goes to \$4.65 per 100 weight by the car.

A COMPLETE range of Turnbull's underwear for women and children.—A. BROWN & CO.

GUY BROS. MINSTRELS paid their annual visit to Watford on Saturday and played to a crowded house in the Armory, under the auspices of the 27th Regt. The entertainment seemed to give satisfaction, especially the band and orchestra. Some of the vaudeville acts were very good.

A TORONTO friend of Mr. P. J. Dodds sent him a novelty last week in the shape of an 18 lb shrapnel shell converted into a table lamp, wired for use. He also has the nose of an exploded German shell sent to him from France by Pte. Frank Verks.

MESSRS. W. H. HARPER and W. H. SHRAPNEL are canvassing the town for the British Red Cross Society and are meeting with fair success. They will visit every home in town and give all an opportunity to do their bit for this most worthy object.

WHEN one gets an exalted opinion of himself there are liable to be breakers ahead. There is much truth in the proverb that "pride goeth before the fall." When sizing yourself up, do so through the eyes of others and not through a magnifying glass.

MEN'S SWEATER COATS at \$1.25, \$1.85, \$2.50 and up to \$2.75, all wool garments—a winner.—SWIFTS.

THE mayor of a tough border town was about to engage a preacher for the new church. "Parson, you are not by any chance a Baptist, are you?" "Why no, not necessarily. Why?" "Well, I was just a-goin' to say we have to haul our water 12 miles."

AN exchange says:—The high cost of living has many phases. One of the most interesting we have met with occurred recently. A friend wife sent to one of our up-to-date butcher shops for 10c worth of round steak. The bill comes in "10c. worth of round steak—13c."

WE would again urge our advertisers and contributors to get in their favors early. Last week through some stuff coming in late we missed part of the eastern mail, and several hundred readers had to wait a day for the paper. Just as easy to write your matter Monday as Wednesday.

DURING the past few weeks many of our subscribers have renewed for 1917 in order to get the old rate, which expires Nov. 30th. On the other hand we have had many assurances that the \$1.50 rate will be paid cheerfully as it is considered justifiable and should have been put in force earlier.

Boy's and youth's Overcoats at old prices.—A. BROWN & CO.

THE Military Convalescent Hospital in London, Ontario, where returned Canadian soldiers are convalescing, has sent out an urgent appeal for canned fruit and jam. The Daughters of the Empire purpose packing a box next week. Will all citizens of the town and vicinity accept this intimation and respond liberally? The fruit is to be left at A. G. Brown's Store.

A MEETING of the Executive Committee of the East Lambton Liberal Association was held at the Roche House on Friday afternoon. It was decided to hold a convention in Watford on Friday Dec. 1st, to select a candidate to contest the riding for the Ontario Legislature. A resolution recommending that counties be given the control of automobile license fees was adopted.

PENMAN'S HOSIERY, best value in Canada—ladies', men's and children's.—SWIFTS.

DR. J. MCGILLICUDDY, V. S., leaves Friday for Boston to accept a lucrative position as Veterinary Inspector for the French government. His duties will be confined to cities in the United States and will require his attention during the winter and probably until the end of the year. His many friends regret his departure and congratulate him on his appointment to such an important position.

SEMI-ANNUAL half-price sale of millinery begins to-day.—A. BROWN & CO.

SIR SAM HUGHES has resigned from the Cabinet at the request of Premier Borden.

TAYLOR has a good assortment of Parisian Ivory and French Ebony toilet pieces at the old prices.

MISS FRANCES NORWORTHY, St. Thomas, will be the soloist at the concert given by the I. O. D. E. on November 21st.

SPECIAL CUT prices on all trimmed hats now on. Clearing sale of all hats at reduced prices.—MISS WILLIAMS' millinery.

THE WOMEN'S INSTITUTE will hold a St. Andrews Parcel Post sale and Pie Social on Thur. Nov. 30. Particulars later.

10 DOZEN, ladies' fleeced shirts and drawers, mostly white, 25c. a garment.—SWIFTS.

A SPECIAL MEETING of Tecumseh Chapter, I. O. D. E. will be held at the home of Mrs. C. Howden on Monday evening next at 7.30.

RUBBERS—best quality, made to fit any shoe. Heavy gum rubbers and sox, overalls at lowest prices for quality—we keep the best.—J. WHITE.

THE Lambton Chapter I. O. D. E. sent 500 surgical pads to the Red Cross headquarters at Hyman Hall, London, on Tuesday.

AMONG the Lambton boys reported wounded this week are Pte. D. Monroe and G. Wheatley of Sarnia and Pte. W. E. Thompson of Petrolia.

THE regular meeting of Lambtons I. O. D. E. will be held at the home of Mrs. P. J. Dodds on Friday afternoon, Nov. 17th, at 3 p.m. A full attendance is requested.

MEN'S SWEATER COAT SPECIALS, \$1.85, \$2.20 and \$2.75. Great value.—SWIFTS.

In the list of casualties in Saturday's papers, Mack Hagle of Watford was reported missing. Up to the time of writing no official word has been received by his mother.

THE coroner's jury in the case of C. Kirchner, the aged Hillsboro farmer, returned a verdict that he came to his death from Paris green poisoning, administered by his own hand.

In 1892—twenty-four years ago—Canada exported \$91 worth of paper. In 1915 the exports amounted to \$15,509,000. The first three months of 1916 we exported \$4,600,000 worth or a million more than the corresponding period of 1915.

Owing to the absence of Rev. Geo. W. Connors from his own pulpits last Sunday, the sermon on the theme "Patience," as announced for that day will be delivered next Sunday. Services are as follows:—Wyoming, 11 a.m., Calgary 3 p.m. and Watford 7 p.m. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

REV. A. J. LOVEDAY pastor of Oil Springs and Brooke-Enniskillen, Baptist Churches exchanged pulpits last Sunday with Rev. Geo. W. Connors, and preached very able and helpful sermons at the several appointments on the Watford—Wyoming field.

A DRESS GOODS BARGAIN—8 pieces, in wanted shades and black and white checks, 25 cents.—SWIFTS.

THE first snow flurry came Tuesday evening and a drop in temperature followed making conditions serious for those who are short of coal. The coal question seems to be serious when six leading coal dealers in Toronto are using half-page ads, asking the public to go easy in the use of the fuel. It is hard work, however, following their advice on a snappy morning like Wednesday last.

A LETTER has been received by Mr. Wm. Lamb from the officer commanding the platoon in which his son, Pte. Thomas Lamb was at the time of his death. It says:—"Thos. Lamb was killed in action while at work with a party at the very important work of putting up barbed wire entanglements in no man's land, less than sixty rods from the enemy's lines. If any man has done his bit out here he has, and died a Canadian hero in every sense of the word."

THE regular meeting of Tecumseh Chapter, I. O. D. E., was held at the home of Mrs. Tye, Mrs. Thompson assisting hostess, on Nov. 7th. Quotations—Hallowe'en. Owing to the extension of business only a short musical program was given. Instrumental duets by Mrs. Connolly and Mrs. Matthews; instrumental by Mrs. Chesham. Next meeting Dec. 5th at Mrs. A. C. Brown's, Mrs. Baird, assisting; quotations—James Whitcombe Riley. Meeting closed by the singing of the National Anthem.

ONLY 18 ladies suits left. All must be sold. 6 at \$7.50, 4 at \$10, 3 at \$12.50, 3 at \$15, 2 at \$18.50. Big saving. Good sizes.—SWIFTS.

FOR the past three years no one question has demanded the attention of the public more than the high cost of living. A number of people have declared that the problem was not properly named but that it should read "The Cost of High Living." At the present time this claim cannot be justified; the cost of everyday household articles is continually soaring. A dollar bill (which should now be addressed as William) has a very small amount of butter, and a quarter's worth of sugar; your money's gone and then some. The unmarket conditions of to-day are vastly different from that of a few years ago. The old way was to put some

money in your pocket, your basket on your arm and hike to market; now-a-days you have to fill your basket with money when you go and bring the goods home in your pocket, at least it seems that way.

CONCERT AND AUCTION SALE

In Aid of Soldiers on the Battlefield

Once more the people of Watford and surrounding country are asked to patronize as liberally as in the past the coming bill of laughter and tears which the Daughters of the Empire are bringing on the 21st of November.

The program par excellence will consist of two parts.

The concert is full of original scenes, songs, drills, etc., followed by a laughter-provoking auction sale. Live stock, hand-painted china, roast chicken, rich India lace, Japanese curios, etc., will be knocked down.

A street parade of flower-decked autos, happy children and gaily dressed live stock will be held at 4.30 the same day if weather permits.

The committee in charge will remember Mark Twain's advice: "Plans like crying babies should be well carried out."

We appeal to all friends for articles for the auction. Live stock or household necessities gladly taken.

Keep the date in your hat—November 21st, in the Lyceum. Admission 20 cents.

Mr. Armstrong's Address

Lambton's M. P. Joseph E. Armstrong, gave a most inspiring address in the Armory on Monday evening for the benefit of the British Red Cross Society. He gave a lucid and concise account of his trip to Great Britain, France and Belgium as a government representative.

In his official capacity he was entertained by the British Ministers and visited many of the principal munition works and other establishments connected with the struggle, also many noted places and hospitals, and told of the enthusiastic manner in which the work is being pushed forward by all in the old land.

On the western front he was in the trenches and witnessed the firing of the big guns and an aerial combat. He witnessed manoeuvres of the navy in the North Sea and told his experience while in a submarine and an aeroplane. The lecture was probably the most interesting one ever given in Watford and was listened to with the closest attention by the large audience present. Reeve Kenward occupied the chair, and a collection amounting to about \$40 was taken up for the British Red Cross. The thanks of the public are certainly due to Mr. Armstrong for an interesting evening.

PERSONAL

Miss Quinn spent the week end in London.

Miss Liddy, Winnipeg, is visiting her relatives in town.

Miss S. C. McKenzie spent the week end visiting friends in London.

P. J. Dodds and S. C. Reyecraft left for the West on Wednesday on a business trip.

Mr. Jos. Fulcher has returned to town and taken up his work in P. Dodd's store.

Miss Grace Auld, City Hospital, Port Huron, Mich., spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Auld.

Mrs. McKenzie and Mrs. Moore, Guelph, are visiting their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. McKenzie, Erie st.

Miss Kathleen Elliot and Miss Annie Auld left Monday for Stratford where they will take a course at the Central Business College.

BROOKE

The Tipperary Red Cross Aid will meet at Mrs. Wallace Watson's on Wednesday Nov. 22nd.

Mrs. B. A. Richardson and Mrs. John Greer are visiting friends in Sarnia and Pt. Edward this week.

Rev. Dr. Knowles, of Petrolia, will conduct missionary services on the Brooke Circuit next Sunday.

Mr. C. Salisbury who has been living near Forest for the past few years has again become a resident of Brooke.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lucas and little daughter Merle, Mrs. Richard Lucas and daughter Pearl and Sadie McEachern motored to Port Huron and spent Sunday there.

6 doz. large size hose, 9, 9 1/2, 10, heavy fleeced, elastic ribbed tops, easily worth 35 cents. While they last 25 cents a pair.—SWIFTS.

MR. JOHN CORISTINE returned from the West last week. Mr. Coristine has made a good many trips there during the past twenty years and witnessed unthought of advancement during recent years.

The regular meeting of the Brooke Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. W. Shugg on Nov. 2. Two excellent papers, "Our Flag and What It Stands For," by Miss M. McGugan and "Women and War," by Mrs. F. King were much appreciated. Then we were favored with an instrumental solo by Mrs. Utter, of Arkona, which was much enjoyed by all. Mrs. P. McGregor sang

a solo in her usual good manner and the National Anthem brought the meeting to a close after which lunch was served by the hostess and her assistant.

England Expects—

The sun is darkened on England's shores, Through England's skies the Zeppelin roars;

The lurid heavens are flaming red— Have you forgotten what Nelson said? Farm and village, and village street Thunder with millions of marching feet,

The hungry cannon must still be fed, Have you forgotten what Nelson said? Canada's blood has dyed the fields; Who can foretell what the harvest yields?

Was it in vain that our heroes bled, Have you forgotten what Nelson said? Comes to you pleading o'er waters green The prayer of your King and your noble Queen;

Yet still you sleep in your easy bed— Have you forgotten what Nelson said? L. C. CONWAY

San Francisco, Oct. 25.

WARWICK.

Rev. C. W. Bristol, of Appin, will preach in the Zion Methodist Church, 2nd line east, on Sunday next at 2.30 p.m.

Mrs. Jas. Sayers, Kingscourt, has several photos and a franc note picked up on the battle-field and forwarded by Chas. Ward.

BLACK SATERN UNDERSKIRTS, canton flannel lined, only one dollar ten, regular price \$1.40.—SWIFTS.

Pte. Thomas Smith, formerly of 6th con., Warwick, who enlisted in Moosejaw, Sask., has been seriously wounded in the lower part of the body.

A very interesting address was delivered by J. E. Armstrong M. P., on his trip overseas, in the Kingscourt school house, under the auspices of the Sewing Club. A collection was taken for the Red Cross which amounted to \$27.00.

CHOP STUFF

Ailsa Craig's tax rate is 36 mills. Some tax.

Petrolia's tax rate is 33 1/2 mills. In the same class with Watford.

Geo. Bickton, a well-known resident of Kerwood, is dead after a short illness.

The Petrolia Khaki Club made \$75 at their dance given to the 149 boys when home last week.

D. C. McDonald, for 15 years postmaster of Wallaceburg, died last Saturday, aged 82 years.

The Port Lambton public school has been closed to prevent the spread of diphtheria in the village.

Geo. Rivers threatens to sue the corporation of Strathroy if his factory is not wired for lighting in ten days.

George D. Wright a well-known citizen near Camlachie died on Thursday, Oct. 26th, in the 62nd year of his age.

George W. Anderson and Miss Martha Rawson, both of Enniskillen Township, were married on Monday, November 6.

The two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Sommeret, of Eberts, was drowned Saturday in a watering tank in the barn yard.

The chestnut crop around Mount Brydges is good this year. Buyers are paying \$6 a bushel to the farmers for them.

John Sinclair has again been appointed collector of taxes at Petrolia. Salary \$150. He has held the post for many years.

When all hydro connections are made Petrolia will be using motor power totaling 200 h. p., while only 93 h. p. was used when the people's power was first turned on last April.

At a meeting of the Lambton Loan and Investment Company John D. Livingstone, of Forest, was appointed on the board of directors, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Thos. Bolton, of Mooretown.

A fine Polled Angus steer at Spurr and Rose's pasture Petrolia, fell into an oil tank one day last week and was rescued with considerable difficulty by several men and numerous ropes, after being well soaked in the oily water and slime at the bottom of the tank. The fluid was fortunately not very deep and the animal was able to keep his nose above the surface till help arrived.

Gordon Graham, of Parkhill, died on Monday from the effects of a shooting accident. Graham and a chum named Hawkey were in the woods looking for squirrels. Hawkey, with a double-barrelled gun, wounded a squirrel. He then hit it with the butt-end of the gun, and Graham at the same time ran to pick it up, when the gun accidentally discharged, shooting him in the stomach. He lived only two hours. He was 18 years of age.

BORN.

In Warwick, on Saturday, Nov. 11th, 1916, to Mr. and Mrs. R. Karr, a son.

In Bosanquet, on Saturday, Oct. 28th, 1916, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clark, nee Pearl Lester, a daughter.

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Half column	35	19	11
One fourth column	18	10	7

Shorter periods 12 cents per running inch.

Advertisers will be allowed a change of matter every two weeks. Weekly changes can be had at a slight extra cost. Copy of change must be in printer's hands by Tuesday afternoon.

LOCAL ADVERTISING:—First insertion per line, 10 cents; subsequent insertions 5 cents each time per line. A rate measure 14 lines to the inch.

BUSINESS CARDS—One inch and under, per year \$5.

AUCTIONEER CARDS—\$5.00 a year.

LOCALS—10c. per line each insertion. Minimum charge 25 cents.

Advertisements without specific directions will be sorted till forbid and charged accordingly.

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NOTE AND COMMENT

Money is pouring into the Federal Finance Department from the corporations of Canada for taxation under the Business War Tax of last session. The first assessment was due November 1st. However, the work has proven so enormous that it will be some time before all the assessments are received. The companies are paying their taxes without grumbling, and with some of the bigger companies the total will run from half to a million dollars. The total receipts will run well up to expectations, probably twelve million dollars.

A pastoral letter, covering a variety of subjects and signed by 108 bishops of the Episcopal church, was read at the final session of the triennial convention at St. Louis, Friday. Excerpts from the letter bearing on the war follows: "Let it sadly be said that in proportion of her swollen wealth America's contribution to the to the innocent sufferers in Europe is the merest pittance. If America comes out of the world disorder richer in purse and poorer in manhood she will bring upon herself the penalty of a debased life or even of losing her very soul."

For several years we did not publish the prize list of the Fall Fair, but this year we published it almost in full. But so long as the practice obtains of entering everything on one membership ticket, some part of the prize list can be of little value as news. It sounds kind of foolish to put in the name of a man who never had a needle in his hand, as the winner of a prize for embroidered underwear, or of another husky male, whose sole knowledge of baking is how to eat the result, as the winner of the prize for the best dozen buns. The secretary can't be expected to know who does these things, unless they are entered correctly, and it is from his books we have to get our information.—Thamesville Herald.

From To-day.—It is this spirit of cheery fatalism, often called optimism which cannot be broken. In our own case the enemy may on occasion break, scatter and cut up our regiments—but no organization or efficiency can prevent the remnant coming up next morning, singing: "Hold your hand out, you naughty boy!" The Hun will realize very soon that it is useless trying to break that sort of thing. Cromwell's men marched to victory singing psalms as if they were popular songs; our men march to victory singing popular songs as if they were psalms. The spirit is the same. It is a spirit that exists deep down in the hearts of our people, and it sings as the morning stars sang together in very joy of being.

SCHOOL TEACHER

Wards Off Nervous Break Down

Alburtis, Pa.—"I am a teacher in the public schools, and I got into a very nervous, run-down condition. I could not sleep and had no appetite. I was tired all the time. My sister asked me to try Vinol. I did so, and within a week my appetite improved and I could sleep all night and now I feel well and strong."

—Rosa M. Keller, Alburtis, Pa.
 We guarantee Vinol, which contains beef and cod liver peptones, iron and manganese peptones, and glycerophosphates for run-down conditions.

Taylor & Son, Druggists, Watford, Ont., also at the best druggists in all Ontario towns.

WATFORD COUNCIL.

Watford Nov 6th, 1916.
 Regular meeting of Council. Present—Reeve, Johnston, Saunders, Doan and Hawn.

Minutes of former meeting read, no objection, Reeve confirmed same.
 Johnston—Saunders, that we appoint E. A. Brown, J. W. McLaren and Thomas Roche a committee on behalf of the Corporation to arrange for the meeting and welcome of returned soldiers from the front.—Carried.

Hawn—Doan, that we appoint Messrs. W. H. Shrapnell and W. H. Harper to canvass the citizens and public for aid of British Red Cross Society.—Carried.
 Johnston—Doan, that we advise Mrs. Chambers that lamps and lights must be kept in order and lighted or contract cancelled.—Carried.

Saunders—Johnston, that all parties owing the corporation are requested to pay into the Treasurer at once.—Carried.
 Finance Committee examined accounts and recommended payment.—

Geo. Chambers Estate, cinders &c	6 00
Trenouth & Co., seal for cemetery	3 10
House of Providence, keep of	
T. Malone	78 00
I. J. Hastings, ac. repairs	2 00
Swift, Sons & Co., repairs flag	1 75
Treas. Bd. Education High School	500 00
Treas. Bd. Education Public School	250 00
W. G. Siddall, M. D., salary M. H. O., and supplies	81 50
W. S. Fuller, selecting Jurors, phone &c.	5 55
J. E. Fowler, lumber for tank	2 40
Harper Bros., repair of chair	75
F. Kenward, selecting jurors	3 00
S. W. Louks, " " "	3 00
Geo. Chambers Estate, light ac.	69 18

Hawn—Saunders, that accounts be passed and Reeve grant his order.—Carried.
 Hawn—Doan, that we adjourn.—Carried.

W. S. FULLER, Clerk.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Watford Board of Education held in the Library Board room on Monday, Nov. 6th, 1916 at 7.30 p. m.

Present J. W. McLaren, chairman; W. L. Miller, Dr. Hicks, Dr. Newell, R. C. McLeay, John White and C. W. Vail.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

The public school principal's report for October was read.

Miller—White and carried, that the report be received and filed.

Hicks—White, and carried, that Walter Scott's acc. of \$2.10, work and furnishings at public school, be paid.

A communication was received from Mr. Steer accompanied by several High School reports with an item suggested for publication.

Miller—White, and carried, that the communications, etc., be received and filed, item referred to passed as requested.

A communication was received from Miss Hume asking an advance in salary.

Hicks—McLeay and carried, that Miss Hume's communication be laid over until next regular meeting.

Miller—Hicks, and carried, that the municipal council be asked to provide \$750.00 for school purposes; \$500.00 High School and \$250.00 public school account, to be in the treasurer's hands by the 30th inst.

Miller—Vail, and carried, that we adjourn.
 D. WATT, Secretary.

WARWICK COUNCIL

The council met on the 6th inst as per adjournment.

Members all present.
 The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

The following accounts were passed:—

Clark Smith, for gravel furnished	11 55
Wm. McLean, " "	10 85
Jas. Cooper, " "	50 00
B. Morningstar, " "	3 68
L. M. Kenzie, " "	50 00
Mrs. Wiley, " "	27 75
Sid Routley, " "	52 50
McC. Chie, " "	34 95
Ino Saunders, " "	81 50
Hy Mansfield, services as weed inspector	4 00
M. Kilmer, " "	3 00
Guide-Advocate, for printing	11 00
cards	1 00
C. A. Jones, for services on Blain Award drain	15 00
N. Herbert, for services on Blain Award drain	2 00
Russell McCormick, killing 2 dogs found worrying sheep	10 00
H. C. Baird & Co., tile for Brodie drain	236 40
C. A. Jones, survey of Clark drain	74 25
D. F. Brodie, assistance of survey on Brodie drain	1 50
Wm. Brandon, " "	4 50
Wm. Kiltner, " "	1 00
R. Brandon, " "	3 25
D. D. Brodie, " "	1 50
" " serving bylaws	2 00
Geo. Prince, work on Clark drain	300 00
Jas. Richardson & Son's, tile for Westgate drain	439 23
Corrugated Pipe Co., two culverts for Westgate drain	10 80
D. D. Brodie, drawing tile for Brodie drain	53 75
Taylor & Sons, for disinfectants	8 50
J. W. McLaren, " "	2 40
Dr. Siddall, services as M. H. Officer	151 00
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Hall—Brodie, that the Court of Revision on the Laddell drain be reopened with Mr. Blain in the chair.—Carried.

Hall—Hobbs, that the assessment of A. Hay on the Laddell local drain be lowered \$5.00 and that the municipality assume the same and that the by-law be read the third time and finally passed and the court of revision be closed.—Carried.

Russell Clark presented a petition for a local drain signed by himself and others.

Brodie—Parker, that we accept the petition of Russell Clark and others, and that the clerk be instructed to examine the same and report.—Carried.

The council then adjourned to meet on Friday the 15th Dec. at 10 o'clock, a. m. for general business.
 N. HERBERT, Clerk.

STYLE TIPS.

One is Rows of Silk Stitching Used as Trimming.

Just one whisper today about the new modes for fall. Paris openings are over, and the autumn styles are pretty well settled—the Paris styles, that is, American women do not always abide by these styles.

They look over the new modes and select those that appeal to them most, discarding others, and presently the selected modes appear with miraculous swiftness in the shops for everybody to buy. But there are two or three salient features in the Paris styles that cannot be disregarded, even thus early, for their repetition by one couturier after another foretells their sure importance as winter style features.

One of these is silk stitching used as a trimming. The Paris frocks and coats are fitted by many seams and darts, all stitched conspicuously in more or less fanciful effect. Pocket flaps, cuffs, revers—they are all garnished with silk stitching, and skirts and tunics have often a score or more of rows of this stitchery, done on the machine in effective chain stitch.

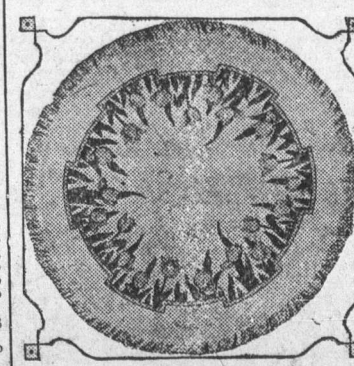
Alpaca is a surprise for the coming season. Both alpaca and mohair are being used by some of the couturiers in tailored frocks for day wear. Some of these models are appealingly chic, as, for instance, a simple frock of black twilled alpaca with a full overskirt pressed into little box plaits and falling almost to the edge of a plain foundation skirt. This frock has a button in back bodice with long, close sleeves and one of the enormous Japanese collars that are to be the rage without doubt. The bodice is loose, flat at back and front and plaited into the waist at the sides. It is attached with a stitched seam to the box plaited overskirt, little tabs in the bodice extending down over the plaits to emphasize the long waisted effect. Under this moyer age bodice is a foundation fitted to the waist line and stiffened to insure trimness, though the outer button in back bodice is loose rather than close fitting.

Silks for formal frocks and evening frocks, of course, and Paris whispers that satins and satin surfaced silks will be most in favor. Of these a new silk called soiree is exquisitely beautiful in its lights and shades of color, a most enchanting silk for evening gowns of distinction. Worth and Jenny have brought out stunning gowns in velvet, the Jenny model a slip over the head affair distinctly novel, with bands of Belgian hare for trimming. Very distinguished is an afternoon gown by Premet made of navy blue charmeuse, with a good deal of black chantilly lace draped airily in the bodice and a big Japanese collar of navy blue mouseline draped around throat and shoulders. The combination of navy satin and black lace is particularly elegant and refined, and this gown of Premet is sure to make a decided hit with women of conservative taste. As brilliant as the Premet gown is, quiet and elegant is a Klein dance frock of gold colored/silk voile and cream lace, with an underslip of flesh pink silk. The skirt is yards and yards wide, and at the back an odd sash forms a pannier bustle and then trails to the floor, the frock itself being short enough to reveal the feet and ankles.

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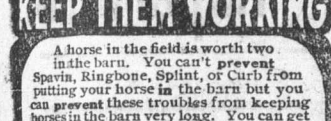
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How the Turks Once Imprisoned a Greek Battleship.

DARING OF A YOUNG OFFICER.

His Pluck and Strategy Resulted in Making the Powerful Enemy Vessel Lie Helpless Within the Landlocked Waters of the Gulf of Arta.

It was during the war between Greece and Turkey in 1897 that the inhabitants of Gala Krini—a large village, since destroyed by the Turks, on the shores of the gulf of Arta—awoke one morning to find that a Hellenic battleship had entered the gulf and cast anchor off the shore. The surprise of the inhabitants of Gala Krini was nothing compared with that of a party of five Turkish officers, who, from the very crest of a hill towering above the village, watched the vessel through their telescopes.

These Turkish officers were on an urgent and important mission—to block out the Hellenic fleet from the gulf of Arta. Behind them, at the bottom of the deep ravine, were a number of heavy guns which had been dragged all the way from Saloniki, a long and difficult task, and with this artillery they had been ordered to fortify the strait.

To reach the strait, however, the Turkish column had to run the gantlet of the battleship's heavy guns, which meant sheer destruction. Somehow or other they must escape the man-of-war or prevent her interference with their work, but to do this seemed impossible.

In the midst of their discussion a young officer who had been listening said he could hold the vessel a prisoner if they would allow him. His plea was won, and hurriedly changing his

clothes for those of a shepherd, he descended in that disguise to Gala Krini. Late that night a number of figures stole through the dark alleys of the village toward the shore. Close to the water's edge was an old boathouse, used as a shed for repairing boats. This the party silently entered and by the flickering light of a taper searched the black interior. At length there was a gentle rattle and from the gloom emerged Hassan, stripped to the waist, dragging a heavy chain. This, with the help of his comrades, he began to pull, and after an hour's laborious work the end of the great chain—once the cable of a Turkish vessel—was reached.

From the beach the chain was loaded on board a large caique, whose sides and floor had been covered with cloth to deaden the sound. This task accomplished, three men got in with Hassan and rowed with muffled oars toward a large rock in the middle of the night. Round this rock the chain was laid and securely fastened. One man having been landed on the crag to keep guard over this end, the boat set out cautiously for the battleship, looming like a phantom in the distance. Not a sound did the men make as link by link the massive chain was paid out over the stern into the still water till they reached the vessel.

There was an excited gleam in Hassan's eyes as, with a sign to his comrades, he gradually lowered himself into the dark water, guiding himself by passing his fingers over the battleship's plates. A slight grating of the chain against the hull was all that his anxious companions in the boat heard, though now and then a reassuring puff was felt on the line that Hassan held, directing them how to pay out the chain. Hours rather than minutes seemed to have gone by ere the young officer came to the surface. So exhausted by his long dive was he that he had to be almost lifted into the boat.

"It is round the propeller," he gasped. "I have fixed it so that nothing can move it. Back you go." Then link by link the tedious work was renewed until the boat returned to its starting point, where the other end of the chain was secured. The

risky task was done, and the Hellenic battleship was securely moored to an immovable rock by a double thickness of cable.

The early rays of dawn revealed a sight which astonished the Greek commander. A whole regiment of Turks were on the march toward the strait of Arta, with train after train of artillery, the last of which disappeared beyond the intervening head before the ship's guns could be brought to bear on them. The commander gave orders for the guns to be run out and decks cleared for action, while the anchor was weighed, his intention being to prevent the Turks from fortifying the strait before they had become too strong. "Full speed ahead!" went the order to the engine room, and, propelled by her mighty screw, the battleship advanced, only to lurch backward as if dragged by some unseen force. Work as the engines would, the vessel seemed to be in an enchanted circle, beyond which it was impossible to go.

It was not until the sun's rays had penetrated the deep blue water alongside that the secret was revealed and the massive chain was discovered passing round the ship's propeller and the adjacent rock.

Before it could be removed, however, the strait had been sufficiently fortified by the Turks and a powerful Greek warship lay a helpless prisoner within the landlocked waters of Arta.

Kindness is a language the dumb can speak and the deaf can hear and understand.—Bovee.

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The Holland Primrose. There is a plant in Holland known as the evening primrose, which grows to a height of five or six feet and bears a profusion of large yellow flowers, so brilliant that they attract immediate attention, even at a great distance, but the chief peculiarity about the plant is, the fact that the flowers, which open just before sunset, burst into bloom so suddenly that they give one the impression of some magical agency. A man who has seen this sudden blooming says it is just as if some one had touched the land with a wand and thus covered it all at once with a golden sheet.

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The Necessity For Greater Economy

If the people as a whole understood clearly why it was necessary to economize, there would be a much greater response to the appeals of the leaders of the nations. The enormous purchases made by the Allies from our manufacturers have entailed the payment of high wages to industrial workers and thus, from the very necessities of the Empire, the latter find themselves possessed of a greater purchasing power than at any previous time. This power can be used either for selfish gratification or for helping to win the war. If the former—the selfish—course is followed it is practically frittering away the resources of the Empire. On the other hand, the thoughtful patriot will save every cent to lend to his country. Those with the habit of spending freely are apt to look with aversion upon those with a disposition to save, but for the time being those who do save are the ones who forge the "silver bullets" that are now more than ever necessary.

NOTE AND COMMENT

The fighting still goes on, so also must the paying go on until the war is ended and the security of the world is assured. Have you done your share of paying for your freedom from Prussianism?

Canada is to go in for the manufacture of aeroplanes. This matter has been considered and a decision has been reached to establish a school and also to have built and equip in Canada a factory which will turn out aeroplanes complete with the motors, which heretofore have not been built in this country.

In England there are now 10,000 war savings associations at work, and thousands of working families are saving who never saved before. The teaching and practice of thrift have become as much a part of national defence as physical training of young men to fit them for military work.

Merchants who are paying 100 to 400 per cent. more for their wrapping paper will be able to sympathize with the newspaper publishers, whose raw material is largely paper. It may be difficult to establish the fact that a combine exists among the paper manufacturers of Canada, but no one seriously doubts it.

London Chronicle: The largest walnut grove in England—at Kempston near Bedford—was formed a century ago entirely for the sake of the timber. The then owner of the farm planted 365 trees for the cynical reason that the wood would always be wanted for gun-stocks. His dismal prophecy has hitherto proved only too terribly true.

In 1908 Lord Fisher wrote in his daughter's birthday book that Germany would be at war with England in 1914, and that Jellicoe would be the Nelson of the fleet. He justified his prophecy at the time by saying that by 1914 the Kiel Canal would be enlarged, the German fleet greatly strengthened and the financial burden in Germany so great that it must mean war or diminished armaments.

German is very unpopular at the British court. Last century it was commonly spoken in the Royal Family, but King Edward did not like it, and now King George has absolutely forbidden it. Indeed, he did so before the war. The Royal children are not at all sorry, for none of them, except Princess Mary, could speak German very fluently. Until the war, however, the Duke of Connaught, the most British of all Queen Victoria's sons, used to speak German in the family circle.

A husband was recently very sad because his wife had gone on a visit which she would not shorten in spite of his appeals to come home. He finally hit upon a plan to induce her to come home. He sent her a copy of each of the local papers with one of the items clipped out, and when she wrote to find out what it was he had clipped from the papers he refused to tell her. The scheme worked admirably. In less than a week she

was home to find out what it was that had been going on that her husband did not want her to know about.

The United States imports half a million tons of rags and waste paper a year, and yet burns and destroys carelessly more than she imports. The people of Canada may well profit by the information. All kinds of rags—white and colored—linen or cotton or woolen—are made into paper. All kinds of paper—soiled, inked or clean—newspapers, magazines, books or wrapping paper—have a ready market. Sir George Foster says: "It is of great importance now that this waste should be stopped, and that the saved material should be used to reproduce fresh supplies. A little attention to the saving of rags and old papers will mean a genuine relief to our paper industries."

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Carnegie Pledges

(From the Ontario Library Review)

When application is made to the Carnegie Corporation for a grant of money for a Library, a Municipal Council is asked to enter into an agreement to expend annually ten per cent. of the amount of the Carnegie gift for Library purposes. This is not an unreasonable request. There are many Library authorities who think twelve and a half should be asked by the Corporation. Our best Libraries expend annually from fifteen to twenty per cent. of the value of their buildings.

The chief difficulty in raising funds to support a good Library is with communities with less than 1,500 inhabitants. No community should make a pledge until all arrangements have been made to ensure the payment. A pledge is a pledge and the honor of a community is always at stake in making one.

It is unwise to depend very much upon the assistance of the Legislative grant, fines, and miscellaneous receipts to make up the amount required.

On the whole the municipalities that have received Carnegie buildings have done wonderfully well, but a few of the smaller places find difficulty in raising the necessary funds for maintenance.

The two most important features of a Public Library are the Librarian and the books, also a good Library Board. When a small Library with a fine building has not adequate funds, the result is usually felt in the book account and in the Librarian's salary, the two most essential features that should never be neglected.

One half mill on the taxable assessment is all the Library is sure of, however a Municipal Council may by a two-thirds vote of all its members, increase the rate to three-fourths of a mill which would aid the Library board very much with the yearly expenses.

At the Methodist Parsonage, Forest, on Wednesday, Nov. 8th, 1916, by the Rev. A. E. Moorhouse, Mr. Caleb Capes, to Mabel, daughter of Mrs. Geo. Milner, of Forest.

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In the Anglican Church, Arkona, on October 25th, by Rev. Ash. Everest, Reginald Baxter to Miss Flora Thorne, both of Warwick.

At the residence of the bride's parents, on Wednesday, Nov. 1, 1916, Miss Hattie Strangway, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Strangway, 10th line east, to Mr. Jos. Hastings, of the 8th line, Enniskillen.

At the Baptist Parsonage, Forest, on Wednesday, Oct. 25th, 1916, by the Rev. H. Elmer Green, Mr. Wm. Ellerker, of Warwick, to Lily May, daughter of Mrs. Thos. Alva Bell, of Bosanquet.

DIED.

In Arkona, on Tuesday, Nov. 7, Carolyn Margaret Riggs, aged 20 years, 4 months and 17 days.

In Enniskillen, on Thursday, Nov. 2nd, 1916, Jessie B. Davidson, wife of Mr. Wm. Brand, formerly of Bosanquet, aged 70 years.

In Arkona, on Sunday, Nov. 5th, 1916, Bessie Jenn, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Brown, aged 25 years.

In Strathroy, on Thursday evening, October 28, 1916, Mrs. Daniel Murphy, aged 78 years.

In Strathroy, on Saturday morning, Oct. 28, 1916, Catherine, beloved wife of W. A. Ogden, in her 66th year.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear husband and father Richard Ansley who departed this life on the 14th of November 1911.

Far and oft our thoughts do wander,
To a grave not far away,
Where we laid our dearest loved one,
Just five years ago to-day.
BY HIS WIFE AND FAMILY.

WANT COLUMN.

STRAYED from lot 14, con. 14, Brooke, on or about Nov. 6th a Hereford heifer. —HEZ. LEITZ.

OFFICE HAND wanted must be quick at figures and making change and write well.—SWIFT'S.

FOR SALE, 100 bushels O. A. C. No. 72 oats for seed. Also 100 shocks of corn.—W. A. BUTLER, R. R. 1, Arkona.

LARGE WHITE PERKIN DUCKS for sale \$1.50 each. A few good Indian Runner Drakes from heavy laying strain \$1.00 each.—E. A. EDWARDS, Route 4, Watford.

A FEW DWELLING HOUSE PROPERTIES and one business property in Watford and some farms in this vicinity for sale. Apply to W. E. FITZGERALD, Barrister, &c., Watford.

CIDER PRESS.—TROTTER BROS., west half lot 16, con. 6, S. E. R. Warwick, will operate their cider press every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoon during the season. s15-m2

WORN OUT HORSES and fallen animals of any kind bought.—LETT BROS., fur ranchers, lot 18, con. 13, Brooke; Rural phone 482L. Watford P. O. Phone messages at our expense.

WANTED—TURKEYS, GEESE and DUCKS, on Tuesday, November 21st.—Bled and clean picked—heads on. We will use you right, as we always tried to do in the past. Come early.—R. E. JOHNSTON.

FOR SALE—10 h. p. gasoline or coal oil engine; 1 turning lathe; 1 portable forge and anvil; 1 combination dimension saw; 1 shaper. All nearly new and in first-class shape. Apply to HARRY WILLIAMSON, Watford. s25-3m

DR. MCGILLICUDDY, V. S., wishes to announce to his numerous patrons that a special engagement will necessitate his absence from Watford for a short period. In returning his best thanks for the generous patronage extended during the past twenty-two years he purposes resuming practice at an early date of which due notice will be given.

WE INVITE YOU

To look over our stock of Shoes and Rubbers—just what you want for fall. Some special bargains yet for quick buyers. Come early and get a bargain.

- Women's Fine Button Shoes . . . \$2 75
- Girls' Fine Button Shoes . . . 2 25
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A large stock of Fancy China, odd pieces, 10c to \$4.00.

Some nice Hanging and Parlor Lamps.

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A Sensible Italian Idea of Peace

Signor Bissolati, the Italian Socialist leader, expressed it very well when he said: "To consent to peace now would be an act of treason on the part of any allied nation. The peace to which the whole world aspires after so many horrors and sacrifices must be real and lasting, not a mere truce. Civilization must safeguard itself against attempts similar to the one against which she is now reacting with all her strength. This means that we must create in Europe such conditions as to render it impossible for Germany to resume her criminal designs."

"I therefore think that any state or states of the entente who would

to-day harbor the thought of peace would be guilty of an act of treason. Rather than accept a peace contaminated by the germ of other wars, it would have been better not to embark on the present war at all.

"The deadly germ of war can be killed only by destroying Austria as a state and depriving Germany of every illusion of predominance. It is necessary to proclaim this fearlessly and openly, as Premier Asquith and Lloyd George did."

The Amherstburg Board of Health has received apparatus from Toronto to make tests of milk being delivered to residents of that town by local dairymen.

James Ralph, farmer of Euphemis, was unfortunate in having his left hand caught in a corn shredder while it was in operation and his hand was torn in shreds.

FAMILY DOCTOR'S GOOD ADVICE

To Go On Taking "Fruit-a-tives" Because They Did Her Good

Rochester, P. Q., Jan. 14th, 1915.
 "I suffered for many years with terrible indigestion and constipation. I had frequent dizzy spells and became greatly run down. A neighbor advised me to try 'Fruit-a-tives'. I did so and to the surprise of my doctor, I began to improve, and he advised me to go on with 'Fruit-a-tives'.
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 50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c.
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Mothers Value This Oil.—Mothers who know how suddenly croup may seize their children and how necessary prompt action is in applying relief, always keep at hand a supply of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, because experience has taught them that there is no better preparation to be had for the treatment of this ailment. And they are wise, for its various uses render it a valuable medicine.

Be Honest With Yourself And Us

Figure out at the cost of flour and see for yourself if you can bake as cheap as we can supply you.
 All we ask is that you figure honestly.
 Bread at 8c for 1 1/2 lbs. is there any other food as cheap?
 Give Ours A Trial
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A DOUBLE ROBBERY

By ELINOR MARSH

Miss Emily Granger, a maiden lady of thirty-eight and nervous, had never been fifty miles from her quiet country home. Then came the announcement that an aunt had died and left her a house and lot in a distant city. There was a mortgage of \$1,000 on it, which Miss Granger desired to pay off. No other way of doing this suggested itself to her than to take currency to the person holding the mortgage and receive in return a release. So she drew the money from her bank and started on her journey.

Now, the problem before her of taking care of herself was quite enough without having to look out for her thousand dollars. She arrived at her destination at 11 o'clock at night and was driven to a hotel. A night clerk received her and told her that the only room he could give her contained two beds, and one of them was already occupied by a lady. Since there was but one other hotel in the place and that was undesirable Miss Granger was obliged to accept a roommate.

Being shown to the room, she noticed that the two beds were at opposite ends of it. On one side was the door, opposite which was a window. The roommate was apparently asleep. Miss Granger disrobed, and taking the money from that part of her clothing in which she had pinned it, she put it under her pillow. Then she went to bed and to sleep.

She was awakened by hearing some one moving in the room and that which resembled a white cloud passing across a dark sky passed without further sound to the door and seemed to go through without opening it. Miss Granger raised herself in bed and kept her eyes fixed on the apparition, repressing a desire to scream until it had disappeared. Then it occurred to her that what she had seen was her roommate. This led her to thrust her hand under her pillow. Her money was gone.

Getting out of bed, she turned on a light. True enough, the woman was gone, and so was her clothing. Near the door a stocking lay on the floor. Miss Granger picked it up. A wad of something in it was evident. Miss Granger, with woman's intuition, thrust in her hand and withdrew a roll of bills.

Miss Granger was counting the roll of bills when she heard persons in the hall. Hastily turning off the light, she jumped into bed. She had scarcely done so when the door was opened, and the night clerk, entering, turned on the light. He was followed by a half dressed woman.

"This lady," said the clerk, "accuses you of having stolen some money belonging to her."
 "That's exactly what the horrid thing did to me!" cried Miss Granger, trembling with excitement.
 The clerk looked puzzled.

"She took it from under my pillow," continued the lady, "and put it in her stocking. Then she tried to steal out of the room without my knowing it. But she dropped the stocking, and I've got my money back."
 "Oh, my goodness gracious!" cried the roommate. "What a story to back up a theft! I heard you moving about the room, and—"

"You didn't hear any such thing," retorted Miss Granger. "I didn't get out of bed till after you had left the room."
 "Maybe you were nervous," said the clerk to the roommates. "The last person to occupy this room complained of mice in the walls."
 "Why don't you make her show what she's got?" replied the roommate to the clerk.

"Did you have money with you?" asked the clerk of Miss Granger, "when you came here?"
 "Yes, a whole lot of it."
 "How much?"
 "A thousand dollars, besides money for expenses."
 "Let me see it."
 Miss Granger produced the roll she had taken from the stocking.
 "What denomination?" asked the clerk before making an examination.
 "Ten \$100 bills and \$30 in smaller bills."
 The clerk opened the roll and found a ten, two fives and six one dollar bills.
 "Oh, heavens!" exclaimed Miss Granger.
 "You contemptible thief!" snarled the roommate triumphantly.
 Miss Granger did not hear. Without remembering that there was a man present and she was in her nightgown, she jumped out of bed and began to pull it about. While she was doing so the clerk took up another roll of bills from under the head of the bed. Opening them, he found that they tallied with Miss Granger's description of her lost funds.

NO ALUM MAGIC READ THE LABEL BAKING POWDER

"What rot," he exclaimed impatiently, "to make all this racket for nothing! I'll know better another time than to put two women in the same room."
 He gave each lady her funds and was about to depart when the roommates refused to pass the rest of the night in the same apartment with Miss Granger, and he was obliged to put her in another chamber. Miss Granger locked herself in, but there was no more sleep for her that night. The next morning she paid off the mortgage and found herself infinitely more contented and happy with a bundle of canceled documents than with good money.

MORE MEN THAN WOMEN HAVE APPENDICITIS

Surgeons state men are slightly more subject to appendicitis than women. Watford people should know that a few doses of simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-i-ka, often relieve or prevent appendicitis. This mixture removes such surprising foul matter that ONE SPOONFUL relieves almost ANY CASE constipation, sour stomach or gas. The INSTANT, easy action of Adler-i-ka is surprising.—Taylor & Son, druggists.

THE GRAND PROMOTOR

By M. QUAD
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Major Crofoot stood looking out of one of his office windows with his hands thrust deep in his pockets and a look of meditation on his face. He was meditating about his landlord. He was now \$70 in arrears for his room and board, and when he came home to dinner he might find his trunk in the hall.

Then, too, here at his office he expected every day to be hounded for office rent long in arrears.
 In the midst of his meditations the major felt a touch on his elbow, and he turned around to behold his landlord with hand outstretched and to hear him say:

"Major Crofoot, your back rent of this office now amounts to \$60. Come down!"
 "Only \$60?" smiled the major after swallowing hard for half a minute. "Why, I thought it was near a hundred! It won't take me over five minutes to fill out a bond in your name. I shall make one for \$500."
 "No bonds—no checks—no promises—the cash in hand!" warned the landlord.

"Have you lost confidence in me?" asked the major, with a worried look on his face.
 "I lost it long ago, sir."
 "I am sorry—very sorry. I was going to fill you out a bond of my Egg Forcing company, and the bonds stand at a premium, and you can take one over to the bank and sell it at par and carry the gold home in your pocket."
 "No bonds," repeated the landlord.

"Well, Mr. Blake, I have just sent a thousand dollar bill over to the bank to get changed. If you will sit down for five minutes the boy will be back."
 Mr. Blake sat down. There were several looks of doubt on his face. After one minute he was uneasy and shuffled his feet. After two minutes he was more uneasy and got up and walked to the door and back. After five minutes he looked out of the window to see if the major's boy was coming on the run with the handful of money.
 Mr. Blake waited for twelve minutes and then rose and said:
 "Major Crofoot, I believe you have lied to me!"

"I am getting uneasy myself," was the reply. "Do you think it possible, Mr. Blake, that the boy cribbed the money and has run away with it?"
 "I think it possible that this office will be vacant within an hour." And Mr. Blake stalked out of the room and downstairs, while the major sat down to his desk and said to himself, with a great sigh of relief:
 "Well, that is off my mind for another three months. Mr. Blake is not the man to climb four flights of stairs for a few dollars back rent."

Forty minutes had passed away and then the landlord, a deputy sheriff and two husky men entered the room, and a legal paper was served on the major, who read it and replied:
 "Gentlemen, have you called to see about investments? I have a large list of them and none that pay less than 5 per cent."
 The landlord and the others paid no attention to this statement, but seized

the furniture and carried it downstairs to the sidewalk. The task was quickly over. There was only the old desk, an old swiveled chair and two common chairs with lame legs. There was also a small coal stove which had been deathly cold nearly all winter. The major was a man who felt that it was cheaper to be frost bitten than to buy a quarter of a ton of coal.

He made no objections to the removal of the furniture, but followed downstairs and calmly took a seat at his desk and began writing out a protest. The landlord and the men went away, but a crowd gathered and there was a block of the sidewalk. Pretty soon a policeman came up and asked:
 "Is this an eviction for nonpayment of rent?"

"It has that appearance," was the reply, "but, it being a warm, balmy day, I shall continue to do business as usual."
 "But you can't," was protested.
 "This crowd has got to be dispersed. If you don't find a room somewhere to move your things into I shall have to call the patrol wagon and have them carried to the station house."
 "I will look for a room, sir," said the major, with proper dignity. "If I find one I shall hope that you will come around soon and let me show you my list of investments. There is some that I sell to policemen only."

The major rose up and walked half a block and then to the shop where his clothes cleaner did business. He went in and told the men how he was fixed. He was a German, and, having heard his story, he said:
 "But you vvas owing me a bill of \$4 and I can't get her."
 "We will call it \$3," said the major, with a liberal smile, "and I will pay you next week."
 "You always say next week when I comes about my bill."
 "But next week I shall probably sell \$10,000 worth of stock."
 "Vhell, maybe you vwill," said the cleaner, after taking two minutes to think it over. "If you vvas in my shop I don't have to climb your stairs and you can't go out by der roof when you expect me to call."

And so Major Crofoot, grand promoter and with millions of money in the bank or elsewhere, moved into the humble shop and amid hanging suits and the smell of benzine is continuing his joyous career.

To Men Who Live Inactive Live.—Exercise in the open air is the best tonic for the stomach and system generally; but there are those who are compelled to follow sedentary occupations and the inactivity tends to restrict the healthy action of the digestive organs and sickness follows. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills regulate the stomach and liver and restore healthy action. It is wise to have a packet of the pills always on hand.

A Proud Moment.
 "The proudest day of her life this is," said the woman who watched the third floor bride go out dressed in her prettiest frock.
 "How do you make that out?" said another woman enviously. "I thought last Thursday was her proudest day. She got married then."
 "Ah, yes, but today she goes calling for the first time and leaves one of her husband's cards with her own. Any married woman who can remember back that far will tell you that the first time she distributed the calling cards of some man who belonged to her was the day she truly felt her importance."—New York Sun.

Precedent.
 "Have you ever had any experience in this business before?"
 "No, sir."
 "Ever thought anything about it?"
 "No, sir."
 "And yet you want me to appoint you general manager of this company. Where did you get the idea?"
 "Well, you know that's the way our government appoints its cabinet officers."

The Lesser Evil.
 Old Grump—Why doesn't Ethel marry that young idiot? I'm getting blamed tired of his coming here so much. His wife—I believe I'd prefer to have him come here. If she marries him he'll stay here.

The Headache Excuse.
 "Does your wife suffer from headaches much?"
 "Only when I want her to do something that she doesn't want to do."

A Cruel Comparison.
 "Why does he say that her face is like one of Browning's poems?"
 "Because it has some hard lines in it."

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WOMAN SUFFERAGE.

Its Was Time Aspect.

London, Eng. The women of England are doing their duty. They are taking care of the wounded, or if they cannot assist in work of that kind they are adding their savings to promote the good work. They are knitting and sewing for the soldiers at the front. The suffragists have given so little trouble to the government that it will undoubtedly soften the hearts of those in Parliament, since the "militants" have turned all their energies to aid the fighting men of England, and so suffrage may soon come after this terrible war is over.

Thousands of women in Canada have overcome their sufferings, and have been cured of woman's ills by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This temperance medicine, though started nearly half a century ago, sells most widely to-day, because it is made without alcohol or narcotics. It can now be had in tablet form as well as liquid, and every woman who suffers from backache, headache, nervousness, should take this "Prescription" of Dr. Pierce. It is prepared from nature's roots and herbs and does not contain a particle of alcohol or any narcotic. It's not a secret prescription for its ingredients are printed on wrapper.

Many a woman is nervous and irritable, feels dragged down and worn out for no reason that she can think of. In ninety-nine per cent. of these cases it is the womanly organism that requires attention; the weak back, dizzy spells and black circles about the eyes, are only symptoms. Go to the source of trouble. When that is corrected the other symptoms disappear.

St. Thomas, Ont.—"I wish to say for the benefit of other women who suffer that I recommend Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription as a great help. I have personally recommended the same to many who in turn have been helped a great deal by its use."—Mrs. F. J. Bowden, 19 Oliver St., St. Thomas, Ont.

WATCH YOUR TIRES.

No Matter How Good They May Be This Caution Is Necessary.
 Many a car is sold on the representation that "the Blankmobile will run from 7,000 to 10,000 miles on a set of tires," and the motorist thus gleams the opinion that his tires need no attention for that length of time.

But no car dealer's statement or the maker's guarantee can influence good or bad luck, and it is largely the work of the latter that places the bit of broken glass, the sharp stone or the protruding nail directly in the path of the unwary tire. Such an obstacle will not necessarily penetrate the tire—the chances are that it will not—but a cut will be formed in the outer layer of rubber or tread, which, like an infected wound, will eventually spread and "infect" the entire surface.

A few moments spent in examining, cleaning and plugging the cut or hole will add thousands of miles to the life of the tire. The inexperienced motorist can form no conception of the readiness with which mud and water can enter the slight opening in the surface of the tire and by gradually working its way "under the skin" will tend to separate the tread from the outer layer of canvas.

In a few hundred or thousand miles this tread will be hanging in flapping shreds, worth no more than so much old rubber, and in order to be reclaimed the tire must be retreaded or used in connection with one of the several detachable treads on the market.—H. W. Slauson, M. E., in Leslie's.

THE DEAD SEA.

Some Interesting Facts About This Curious Body of Water.
 For a number of years many persons have declared the Dead sea, in Palestine, is diminishing, but a recent careful survey by experts has established beyond all doubt that the sea is steadily increasing.

At many points on its southern and eastern borders there are vast forests with large trees becoming submerged. The sea is about forty miles in length and ten miles wide at the broadest portion. Should it continue to enlarge it will take in valuable country, but, so far as known, there is no way to prevent this.

Mediterranean waters are 1,300 feet higher than the Dead sea level, but this is no proof the waters of the Dead sea are drying up.
 A survey of the wonderful region of years ago shows islands that are now gone. It is declared these are covered. There is so much solid matter in the water that it makes about one-fifth, or 20 per cent, of the matter solid. It is so intensely salt and bitter that no creature can live in it.

The bed of the sea is rich with mineral deposits. Salts, copper, lead and zinc and marble are found in vast quantities, and experts are of the opinion there is a great deposit of petroleum beneath the vast body of water.
 A man's body is lighter than the amount of water it displaces, and it is therefore impossible for a person to sink.
 Vegetation is scarce and greatly stunted for miles about the sea.



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Lambton Sugar Beet Growers Organize

A largely attended meeting of the Sugar Beet Growers of Enniskillen, Plympton township, was held in the Agricultural office, Petrolia, on Thursday, November 2nd. Reeve Simpson of Enniskillen township, called the meeting to order and explained why all the sugar beet growers were asked to attend this meeting. "We want our rights, and nothing but our rights," was Reeve Simpson's first assertion. "Sugar Beet growers are not receiving a just return for their labor in comparison to what the manufacturer is receiving for sugar. Beet sugar manufacturers claim that the average per centage of sugar in a ton of beets for the past few years is 15 per cent. Before the war this netted the manufacturer \$13.50, and the grower received \$4.50 per ton. To-day the manufacturer receives \$22.50 for the same product and the grower receives \$5.50 per ton for beets. One receives an increase of \$9.00 per ton while the other only receives an increase of one dollar per ton.

The average crop of beets per acre in Lambton County for the past two years has not been over 8 tons. At present prices the growers do not receive current wages for his labor. The growers are determined not to sign contracts for sugar beets for 1917 unless they receive at least a flat rate of \$7.00 per ton or an understanding to be reached that the price of beets will correspond to the raise and fall in the price of sugar.

Local Beet Growers' Club are being formed at each shipping point in the Counties of Lambton, Kent and Essex. From these Clubs a County, and then a Provincial Sugar Beet Growers' Association is to be formed.

Malt Extract Case Withdrawn

(St. Thomas Times)

The case preferred against E. C. Harvey, druggist, by License Inspector Ross of selling malt extract in violation of the Ontario Temperance Act was disposed of at police court on Tuesday morning. The Crown, with the consent of the magistrate, withdrew the case, and Mr. Harvey, at the suggestion of the Crown, agreed not to place the malt extract on sale until such time as the position of druggists in general with regard to the sale of malt extracts under the act is defined by the Department, the Ontario License Board or the law courts.

Mr. Harvey, through his solicitor, J. B. Davidson, at first signified his desire to fight the case to a finish, as he believed he had done no wrong and had violated no law, and to make a promise as suggested, it was claimed by Mr. Davidson, might be taken as an admission of guilt. When it was made clear that the whole object was to secure a proper interpretation of the new law with respect to malt extract, Mr. Harvey agreed to the Crown's suggestion, and the case was dropped.

No Time For Huckstering

Canada Cannot Ignore the Sacrifices That the Dependents of our Soldiers are Making

"Some women, whose husbands are at the front, have more money than when they are at home."

So say unthinking persons when asked to give, and give liberally, to the Canadian Patriotic Fund.

The answer should come straight and quickly:—"Why shouldn't women who are giving their husbands to the country be as well off, or better off? They are struggling along, probably with large families of children, and anxiety about the fate of their husbands gnawing at their hearts every hour of the day. Any moment may come tidings that the bread-winner is gone forever. Are we to reward these women with the smallest pittance that will keep body and soul together?"

It is, in business affairs, an accepted rule that the more hazardous the work the higher the pay. A few weeks ago the men working on the Quebec Bridge demanded and got a large increase in wages because of the risk involved in placing the centre span in position. The result showed that the risk was a real one. How much more certain are the risks of this great war? Every casualty list carries its burden of sorrow into Canadian homes. And yet we pay these heroes who are fighting and dying for us far less than the great majority of them would be earning it still in civil life.

Are we going to stint the wives, while at the same time we shelter ourselves behind the men whom these wives have sent to the front?

Look at the subject from another point of view. Even if these women do not mourn their husbands dead, how many of them will find the home-returning soldiers are financial liabilities rather than financial assets? Go to Quebec or Halifax when a ship comes in laden with our brave lads, maimed and battered. Look at these pathetic figures, and then picture the work that lies before the mothers and wives who with loving hearts and tireless hands will have to care for these poor fellows till death do them part.

And thus picturing the future, which one of us will say that the women who are facing that future must be dealt with, by prosperous Canada, in the spirit of the huckster in the market-place.

A TALK ON RHEUMATISM

Telling How to Actually Cure This Common and Painful Malady.

This article is for the man or woman who suffers from rheumatism who wants to be cured, not merely relieved—but actually cured. The most the rheumatic sufferer can hope for in rubbing something on the tender, aching joint, is a little relief. No lotion or liniment ever did or can make a cure. The rheumatic poison is rooted in the blood. Therefore rheumatism can only be cured when this poisonous acid is driven out of the blood. Any doctor will tell you this is true. If you want something that will go right to the root of the trouble in the blood take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They make new, rich blood which drives out the poisonous acid and cures rheumatism to stay cured. The truth of these statements has been proved in thousands of cases throughout Canada, and the following cure is a striking instance. Mr. Henry Smith, St. Jerome, Que., says: "For upwards of a year I was a victim of rheumatism in a most painful form. The trouble was located in my legs and for a long time I was so bad that I could not walk. The suffering which I endured can only be imagined by those who have been similarly afflicted. Doctors' treatment did not help me and then I began trying other remedies, but with no better results. Finally I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and although I had begun to lose faith in medicine, I finally decided to give the pills a trial. I am very grateful now that I did so, for after taking eight boxes of the pills the trouble completely disappeared. I was free from pain and could walk as well as ever I did in my life. I have since taken the pills as a precautionary measure, and I cannot speak too highly in their favor."

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—ON—

Saturday, Nov. 25th

The following property, viz:—1 driving mare; 1 open buggy, nearly new; 1 light wagon, nearly new; 1 cutter; 2 sets single harness; 1 breast collar, heavy tugs; Also contents of butcher shop, consisting of 1 Refrigerator 6 x 8 ft., nearly new; 1 counter scales, new; 1 heavy beam scale; 1 paper rack and 10 rolls paper; counter; combination till, new; 8 knives; 2 saws; 2 cleavers; 1 steel; 1 meat-sewing book; 2 meat blocks; 1 sausage grinder; 1 sausage press; 1 book desk; twine and twine holder; 2 doz. hooks; 1 hand bell; 1 meat box; 1 stove and pipes; 1 endless chain and gambles; 50 empty baskets; and other articles too numerous to mention

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