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East Lambton Fall Fair Watford October 3rd and 4th. 1912

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

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

TAILORING at Swift's.
WATFORD H. S. FIELD DAY, Oct. 9th.
Mrs. D. Thom has gone to Edmonton for the winter.

Frank McDonnell returned to Edmonton on Friday.

ORDER your winter apples at CHAMBERS'.

MAN is made of dust and his wife shakes it out of him.

BOWLERS' CONCERT, Friday eve., Oct. 4, Music Hall, 35 cents.

LADIES and gent's rubber coats, \$7.50, \$10.00, \$12.75.—SWIFT'S.

Rev. S. P. Irwin attended the Arch-diocesan Conference this week.

Samuel Cook is home from the west, but will return with Mrs. Cook shortly.

THE local banks will close at two o'clock on Fair Day. All interested please take notice.

BOYS' BLOOMER SUITS, \$5.00 to \$8.50.—SWIFT'S.

G. O. STEVENSON is the contractor for the Taylor House barn, not Spalding, as stated, and he is making a fine job of it.

On another page will be found a communication from the Reeve on the Carnegie Library question. Give it a careful reading.

If you are looking for anything nice in china, call at Dodds. Another shipment direct from the potteries. These goods are very fine and the prices low.

THE new Provincial Board of Health Act provides that hogs kept in town shall be at least 100 feet from any dwelling or public building.

THE DODD & SON'S fair on Wednesday was well attended and the exhibits were numerous. The weather was the finest experienced for any show in the district so far.

SPECIAL RUG SALE in sizes 3x3, 3x3½.—SWIFT'S.

FORTY thousand square feet of new cement walks have been laid down in Watford this summer and nearly four cars of cement were used on the job. Every street in town is now supplied.

MR. JOHN BAMBRIDGE left for Dutton on Monday where he has purchased the jewelry and fancy goods business of Mr. Ross Archer, of that place. John's many friends here are sorry to lose him and wish him success in his undertaking.

GIVE the Bowlers a boost by attending their concert in the Music Hall, Friday eve., Oct. 4th. Fred J. Perrin, refined entertainer, Miss Beatrice Lillie, character costume soloist. Admission 35 cts.

LADIES' COATS of chinchilla, montonack, reversible frize, Lama, Whitney, beavers, tweeds.—SWIFT'S.

THE story of the loss of both legs by a Toronto traveller who took a chance to save a few minutes is the same pitiful story that is being told and retold in the newspapers. Hurry is one of the most expensive of modern luxuries.

WHAT with trying to finance the filling of the coal bin and making the wet salt come through the shaker, the average man has been too busy lately to bother much about the threatened civil war in Ireland or the German invasion scare.

THE regular meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. J. D. Brown next Wednesday, Oct. 9th. Roll call will be answered by a verse on "Thanksgiving." Members please remember the date, also visitors welcome.

A KENMORE HAT, a Hawes hat, a Thoroughbred hat. We can hat you.—SWIFT'S.

THIS is the season when you require new shoes. P. Dodds & Son invite you to inspect their new fall and winter styles and prices before making a purchase.

"Did you ever tell that young man that late hours were bad for one?" asked the father at the breakfast table. "Well, father," said the wise daughter, "late hours may be bad for one, but they're all right for two."

THE Watford High School Athletic Club will hold their annual field day on Wednesday, Oct. 9th in the Driving Park. A good program of sports has been arranged and competitors are expected from Forest and Strathroy. Admission 10c. Everybody invited.

THE Annual Harvest Thanksgiving service will be held in Trinity church on Sunday evening next when the Rev. Horace Snell, B.A., rector of Thornedale, will be the preacher. Special music will be given by the choir. The offering will go towards the mission work of the church. Service will also be held in the morning, when the sermon will be specially for young people. A celebration of the Holy Communion will be held after the morning service.

NEW MOTOR SCARFS, 50c to \$2.50.—SWIFT'S.

DECORATE for the Fair.
Two concerts Fair night.

Is it called hard coal because it is hard to get?

FOURTEEN HUNDRED ENTRIES made up to Wednesday evening.

J. M. Robertson, Toronto, called on old friends here this week.

FAIR DAY PRICES on ordered clothing.—SWIFT'S.

MAKE a point of attending the High School sports Wednesday next.

Mr. Herb Prentis, Sarnia, spent Sunday with his brother, R. E. Prentis.

Mr. C. A. Barnes, London, is back from the west and was in town Saturday.

Miss Annie Tanner left Monday for Toronto to enter the Faculty of Education.

Burton Mitchell left for Toronto on Saturday last to begin a course in medicine at Toronto University.

DON'T get your feet wet. Call at P. Dodds & Son's and get a pair of rubbers. All the stock new, no left-over goods.

GET A HAT Fair Day. We have the stock.—SWIFT'S.

BY-ELECTIONS in East Middlesex and North Waterloo for the Provincial Legislature, will be held on October 28th.

THE latest addition to the Rexall line—Harmony Spearmint Tooth Paste—delightful to use—at McLaren's, the Rexall store.

REV. MR. MUR will preach at both services in the Presbyterian church next Sunday. He is the representative of the Dominion Alliance.

MRS. ROBERT GALBRAITH, Kerwood, died last Saturday after a short illness with pneumonia. She had recently returned from an extended trip to the Old World.

A NOBBY COAT. Ladies, we are showing dozens of new styles.—SWIFT BROS.

THE Alvinston Fair on Wednesday was fairly attended. The weather was ideal and the different classes were well supplied with entries. A most enjoyable day was spent by those who attended.

A BEAUTIFUL damsel named Lizzie. Once made a young fellow grow dizzy. When he told her a kiss.

Would he heavenly bliss.
She answered: "Why don't you get bizzie?"

FRANK A. SMITH demonstrated the art of cooking in paper bags to a number of interested people in T. Dodds & Son's hardware store on Wednesday afternoon. The demonstration will be repeated this (Thursday) afternoon and on Friday at the Fair. See it.

THE editor of the Belleville Ontario met a farmer who complained that there hadn't been enough rain to moisten heavy clay land for plowing. This is the most cheering crop report we have heard yet. If that's the best grouch a farmer can think of all's well.

WORD was received this week of the death of Mrs. Frank Lewis, of Burford, on Thursday last, in her 46th year. Deceased was Miss Nellie Hayhurst before her marriage, and leaves a husband to mourn her loss. The funeral took place at Burford on Saturday.

YOU'LL GET your money's worth and more at the Bowlers' concert in the Music Hall, Friday eve., Oct. 4th. 35 cents.

HARVEST THANKSGIVING SERVICES will be held in the Congregational church on Sunday next, 6th Oct. At 11 a.m., thank offering sermon; at 7 p.m., service of song. Liberal collections are solicited at both diets, as funds are urgently needed. A cordial invitation extended to all.

SCHOOL books of twenty years ago taught us that oatmeal was "a cheap, wholesome, easily procured food." The daily papers state that the price of oatmeal has been raised twenty-five cents a barrel. And just at the season of the year when we are not afraid of hives!

NIGHT was made hideous Wednesday by a gang of young rowdies who were in the mood of liquor and not only disturbed the peace but committed depredations in several places. The noise could be heard blocks away and the toughs should have been made to keep quiet or have been run in. Who is supposed to look after this sort of thing?

MAKE P. Dodds & Son's your headquarters when attending the fair, and at the same time inspect their new stock of boots and shoes.

HAL, B. DONLY, of the Simcoe Reformer, in announcing a new scale of advertising rates, says: "We have no alternative. The cost of everything that enters into the production of a newspaper rises continually. Our income must be increased or our paper retrograde. This latter contingency we hope to avoid, and trust that the very reasonable increases we are asking will meet with the consent of our patrons."

SUNDAY, October 6th, will be recognized throughout Lambton County as a temperance Field Day, when services will be held in about one hundred churches by speakers sent out under the auspices of the Ontario branch of the Dominion Alliance. The field day is a part of the great educational campaign being carried on by this organization, whose ultimate aim is the abolition of the liquor traffic for beverage purposes. The county field day will be followed by a Temperance Convention to be held in the Town Hall, Sarnia, Oct. 7th, to which all friends of the temperance cause are invited.

WE are showing a nice range of ladies' suits, \$10.00 to \$20.00.—SWIFT BROS.

THE Petrolea grist mill will be sold by auction to satisfy a mortgage on October 22nd at the Hotel Iroquois, Petrolea.

THE largest apple that we have seen this year was brought in by William Thompson, lot 18, con. 2, N.E.R., Warwick. It is a King of Tompkins, measures 1½ inches by 1¼, and weighs one and a half pounds. Mr. Thompson says he has a bushel nearly as large. The apple is on the Guide-Advocate counter for inspection.

OCTOBER meeting of the Daughters of the Empire will be held at the home of Mrs. Geo. Baird on Tuesday, Oct. 8th. The members are requested to meet at A. Brown & Co.'s store at 2 p.m., where conveyance will be supplied for the drive. The subject for the meeting is "With Kipling in India." Quotations—Rudyard Kipling.

A WATFORD woman sat up until one o'clock, lately, waiting for her husband to come home. At last weary and worn out from her lonely vigil, she went upstairs to retire, only to find the missing husband there fast asleep. Instead of going downtown he had stolen upstairs and crawled into bed, and it made his wife so mad she wouldn't speak to him for a week.

THERE is no day in this year 1912 more worthy of being fittingly honored than Monday, Oct. 14th, the day following the one hundredth anniversary of the Battle of Queenston Heights and the death of General Brock. The record of that battle may long be Canada's pride and the name of Brock is as inseparably connected with it as is that of Wolfe with the plains of Abraham.

THE fowl supper given by the Methodist church on Thursday evening in connection with their anniversary services, was well patronized. The supper was served in Prentis' old stand and was much enjoyed by all, there being a plentiful supply of fowl and all kinds of attractive edibles, and the crowd was quickly and efficiently served by the ladies of the congregation. Later in the evening a fine program was rendered in the Lyceum by the Forest Male Choir, an amateur organization of considerable merit. The program was a lengthy one and was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. Proceeds nearly \$200.00.

S. STAPLEFORD & SON have just completed their new poultry warehouse, which is one of the most up-to-date in this section. The feeding and plucking arrangements are of the most approved kind. They have secured the services of several poultry experts, who will look after their season's poultry. One of the largest dealers in the West, after looking over some samples and the methods of handling and killing, placed an order for 20,000 chickens alone. Farmers desiring to see the latest methods of killing and dressing poultry, can see a practical demonstration any day or evening, at the above warehouse.

A. F. & A. M. Lodge of Instruction.

The annual School of Instruction for St. Clair District No. 2, A. F. & A. M., will be held in the lodge rooms of Petrolea Lodge No. 194, Masonic Temple, Petrolea, on Wednesday, October 9th, commencing at 2 p.m. D. Brodie, D. D. G. M. of the district, will officiate.

The program of the work will be as follows:

Lodge opens at 2 p.m. and exemplifications of the E. P. degree, by Wor. Bro. Thomas Bicknell and officers of Petrolea Lodge, followed by discussion.

Examination of candidate in exemplification of the F. C. degree, by the W. M. and officers of Leopold Lodge, No. 327, Bridgen.

From labor to refreshments. 7.30 p.m.—Call from refreshments to labor.

Reception of Grand Lodge officers.

Examination of candidate and exemplification of the M. M. degree by the W. M. and officers of Burns Lodge 153, Wyoming.

As there are 22 lodges in this district a large number is expected.

Thom—Corestine.

All Saints Church, Winnipeg, was the scene of a quiet wedding of local interest on Saturday, September 21, when Mr. David C. Thom, of Watford, who for the past three years has made his home in Edmonton, was married to Miss Clara Corestine, also of Watford. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. F. C. Heathcote. Mr. and Mrs. Thom are taking the coast trip, and will make their home in Edmonton upon their return.

Watford Tax Rate.

Tax Collector Cameron started on his rounds on Tuesday. The rate of 26 4/10 mills on the dollar is made up as follows:

County rate, 2 mills.

Village rate 10 5/10 mills.

Special sidewalk debenture rate, 6/10 mills.

Wire Co. debenture rate, 1 1/10 mills.

Public school maintenance rate, 7 2/10 mills.

Public school debenture rate, 15/10 mills.

High school maintenance rate 3 5/10 mills.

THE FAIR.

With fine weather the Watford Fair is bound to be a big success. All other indications point that way and the directors are looking forward to this year being one of the most successful in the history of the Society. The management have been moving along quietly and making every arrangement for a big day, and a large list of entries indicates interest on the part of exhibitors. The grounds have been cleaned up and the track put in good shape for the trials of speed, and liberal prizes are offered. All is ready—nothing lacking but fine weather, and after the lot of catchy weather there has been this fall, all are hoping for fine weather on Friday.

TRIALS OF SPEED.

Open trot—Purse \$150.—1st \$70., 2nd \$45., 3rd \$20., 4th \$15. Mile heats.

2.25 trot or 2.20 pace—Purse \$150.—1st \$70., 2nd \$45., 3rd \$20., 4th \$15. Mile heats.

Green trot—Purse \$50.—1st \$25., 2nd \$15., 3rd \$10. Half-mile heats.

Best 3 in 5. Open to trotters or pacers. 4 to enter. 3 to start. Usual conditions. Send to the Secretary, F. Kenward, for particulars.

SWIFT BROS.' SPECIALS.

Youngest baby on the grounds, a silk bib.

Largest Irish potatoes, half bushel, dollar cap.

BEST LADY DRIVER, a pair of driving gauntlets, value \$2.00.—SWIFT BROS.

Youngest child on ground to say, "My daddy always buys his clothing at Swift's," dollar tam.

For public school scholars, town or country, write "Swift's for good clothing," four times. Neatness and writing to count, 1st prize, dollar gloves, second prize, half dollar tie; Principal W. H. Shrapnell, judge.

CASH SUBSCRIPTIONS.

Roche Bros. \$10.00

F. W. Rogers. 10.00

Jos. A. McManus. 10.00

John Cowan. 5.00

R. J. McCormick, M.P.P. 5.00

W. A. Wykesmith. 5.00

Sterling Bank. 3.00

J. W. McLaren. 3.00

S. Stapleford. 2.00

P. Fuller. 2.00

Trenouth & Co. 2.00

M. A. Aziz. 2.00

S. Mitchell. 2.00

John McCormick. 2.00

C. A. Class. 2.00

F. Kersey. 1.00

Dr. Brandon. 1.00

Dr. Howden. 1.00

Dr. Kelly. 1.00

B. Howell. 1.00

W. Dowling. 1.00

W. D. Cameron. 1.00

T. Harris. 1.00

BORN.

In Warwick, on Friday, Sept. 27th, to Mr. and Mrs. John Muxlow, a son.

In Boscquet, on Sept. 20, to Mr. and Mrs. John Melville, a son.

In Theford, on the 25th Sept., to Rev. James E. and Mrs. Ayre, a daughter.

In Warwick, on Tuesday, Oct. 1st, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hawkins, a daughter.

MARRIED.

In All Saints Church, Winnipeg, on Saturday, Sept. 21st, by Rev. F. C. Heathcote, David Clement Thom, Edmonton, to Miss Clara May Corestine, of Brooklee.

In St. James' Church, South London, on Saturday, Sept. 28th, by the Very Rev. Dean Davis, Miss May G. Hart, daughter of Mrs. James G. Hart, of Byron avenue, London, to Mr. George A. Baird, of Wisbeach.

DIED.

In Strathroy, on Monday, Sept. 123, 1912, Samuel Moore, aged 75 years.

In Caradoc, on Monday, Sept. 23, 1912, John Elworthy, in his 68th year.

In Ailsa Craig, Friday, Sept. 20th, 1912, Harry Hodgins, formerly of West McGillivray.

In Waskada, Man., on Sept. 28th, George Harris, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Ashmore, aged 3 months.

Special to Farmers.

You can save an immense amount of time, worry and money by using The Guide-Advocate columns to buy or sell anything. The Guide-Advocate goes into nearly every home in the surrounding townships and will bring buyer and seller into touch with one another quicker than any other method. No auction sale within fifteen miles of Watford can be properly advertised without the list appearing in The Guide-Advocate. Many people who would never see a bill will read in the paper the list of articles offered, and if only one of them comes to your sale his bidding alone will in nine cases out of ten more than pay the whole cost of advertising. Those who have had successful sales strongly advise publishing the full list of articles.

Mr. John Russel, a resident of the 8th con. of Enniskillen, died at Battleford, Sask., last week. His remains were brought to Petrolea for interment.

CHOP STUFF.

There were 1108 entries at the Forest fair.

The Oddfellows of Harrow will erect a \$7,000 building.

Wm. S. Covert, a resident of Petrolea since 1899, died last week, aged 70 years.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McLachlan, of Glencoe, celebrated their silver wedding last week.

English widows will be assisted to emigrate to Canada by the Salvation Army.

The Annual County Convention of the W.C.T.U. will be held in Petrolea on Oct. 8 and 9.

Claude Neilson, Bosanquet, has bought Geo. Core's farm of 75 acres, near Forest for \$5,000.

Robt. McDonald, Bothwell, was found dead in bed Friday morning. Heart trouble.

W. A. Anderson, formerly science teacher in Forest High School, is now teaching in Essex.

Geo. Edwards, of Lobo, has purchased the Palace Livery in Strathroy from Buttery & Tuckey.

People in the vicinity of Strathroy are complaining of mean thieves and blame mischievous boys for their losses.

Sidney Secord, who was killed at Niagara Falls while working on a lorry of the Hendrie Co., was a grandson of the late Laura Secord.

Chas. Williamson, brother of John Williamson, Ravenswood, died suddenly in Australia where he was following the business of drilling.

Leamington has a Chinese boy attending public school. He is said to be a bright and intelligent lad although he can't speak a word of English.

Rev. Jacob Iler died at his home at Cottam, aged 94 years. He was ordained as a Methodist minister in 1851 when he was 25 years of age. He lived in Essex county practically all his life.

At James McWilliam's sale in Dunwich on Friday his brood mare sold for \$400. Geldings went to \$267; two-year-old colts, \$190, and yearling colts from \$170 to \$180. His cows ran in price from \$42 to \$67; two-year-old steers from \$48 to \$62, heifers as high as \$61, yearling steers from \$40 to \$50.

Rev. Mr. Leckie, Dr. R. Hillier, of Leamington, and other public spirited citizens will again send a request to the Hon. Minister of Militia, for an army at Leamington. Their request will be backed up by the names of nearly 1,000 agriculturalists in South Essex, and should demand some recognition.

Regarding fruit on an overhanging tree, a recent enquiry in a daily paper brings in the following reply:—"Owner of the tree has right to the fruit that hangs over neighbor's property and he may go on that property to pick it up. But the neighbor also may exercise the right to cut off limbs that overhang his property or roots that come into it. But he must demand their removal before doing so. Better agree to share the fruit.

Recently Mr. R. Callinan, Petrolea, purchased from Dr. Kilburn, of Parkhill, the west half of lot 6, con. 12, Enniskillen, together with the oil wells and pumping plant. This property originally belonged to the Callinan estate, and on it is located the "Callinan No. 6," one of the most famous wells in the Canadian oil fields. It was drilled in 1878, and the present owner set it first in motion, and it has continued pumping without interruption for 36 years, and is still one of the best wells in the field. Mr. Callinan now owns the block of 200 acres, covering all that part originally known as the "Devil's Half Acre."

The Late Wm. Dowding.

Another old pioneer of North Middlesex and a citizen well-known and universally esteemed, passed away in Adelaide on Sept. 12th, in the person of William Dowding. Deceased was born in that township seventy-two years ago on the farm where he lived till the time of his death. In his younger days he was considered one of the best men in the neighborhood with the old-fashioned cradle, which, like the other rude pioneer implements, has since given way to modern day labor-saving machinery. He was a strong advocate of temperance and a life-long member of the Methodist Church, taking an particularly active interest in the work of the Sunday-School, of which he was Superintendent for many years. The Strathroy Agricultural Society found in him an able director and one, who was ready and anxious at all times to assist in the promotion of the great basic industry of Canada. He had enjoyed his usual good health until some time in June, when he took ill with anaemia. He leaves behind a sorrowing widow, who will miss him much in her declining years, also three children—J. A. E. of Watford; W. L., at home, and Mrs. John N. Sullivan, of the 2nd line. Six of his old neighbors acted as pallbearers at the funeral—Thomas Petch, Jas. Petch, Wm. Martin, Joseph Brown, Jas. Thomas and Wm. Carrothers. The many beautiful floral tributes, with which the casket was covered, bore silent testimony to the esteem in which he was held and to the exemplary life he lived. The funeral service was conducted at the house by Rev. Mr. Wilson, of Kerwood, and at the grave by the Woodmen, of which deceased was a member.

WOMAN'S MOST SUCCESSFUL MEDICINE

Known All Over The World—Known Only For The Good It Has Done.

We know of no other medicine which has been so successful in relieving the suffering of women, or received so many genuine testimonials, as has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



In nearly every community you will find women who have been restored to health by this famous medicine. Almost every woman you meet knows of the great good it has been doing among suffering women for the past 30 years.
Fox Creek, N. B.—"I have always had pains in the abdomen and a weakness there and often after meals a soreness in my stomach. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done me much good. I am stronger, digestion is better and I can work with ambition. I have encouraged many mothers of families to take it as it is the best remedy in the world. You can publish this in the papers."—Mrs. WILLIAM S. BOURQUE, Fox Creek, N. B.
In the Pinkham Laboratory at Lynn, Mass., are files containing hundreds of thousands of letters from women seeking health, in which many openly state over their own signatures that they have regained their health by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, many of whom state that it has saved them from surgical operations.

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Advertisers—Cards—\$5.00 a year.

Local—10c per line each insertion. Minimum large 25 cents.

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

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HARRIS & CO. PROPRIETORS.
WATFORD, OCTOBER 4, 1912.
NOTE AND COMMENT.

A regular 2 cent a mile passenger rate on the railroads should be asked for and granted. It is not guessing much to say that traffic would soon nearly double if this were done. A railway rate war has shown what might be done if the low rates were permanent. All restrictions as to the limit of the ticket should also be annulled.

In every line of business the demand for labor is insistent. The farmers cannot get the help they need, manufacturers are behind with their orders from the same cause, and construction is being held back because of the inability of contractors to find men. All this spells prosperity, the only fly in the ointment being that the cost of living keeps on soaring at a rate much more rapid than that of the income of the average citizen.

The predictions made by old line insurance companies relative to beneficiary societies and their ultimate increase in rates has come true in numerous cases, and will apply to more with the passing years. Gold dollars cannot be purchased by 10 cent pieces in life insurance or sick benefits any more than the transaction can be put through over the bank counter. Value received is a necessary condition in all permanent business affairs.

"The average working life of a locomotive engineer is only eleven

years and seven days." So says Warren S. Stone, chief of the Brotherhood, and we presume he is speaking from inside knowledge of the case. Evidently the high speed of to-day and the enormous increase in traffic are not favorable to the longevity of the man at the throttle. We have to pay in some way for every extra mile in speed, and the payment is in flesh and blood.

An American, who recently took up his residence here, gives the following reasons why he likes Canada: "I find here a country where the laws are enforced rigidly and quickly without regard to wealth or poverty; where crime is almost unknown, and the punishment of crime swift and sure; where character at least at present writing counts most in public or private life; where the standard of civic and commercial honor is high; where labor troubles are practically unknown; where freedom is real, not imaginary; where the people are the actual rulers, not mere pawns in the hands of political gamblers."

No town, country or community will ever prosper where there is a division or strife of any nature. In helping others you invariably help yourself. "Opposition is the life of trade," and merit wins. No town will prosper and grow where a lack of enterprise and push on the part of its citizens is felt. The true motto of each and every citizen of a town is and should be to assist and help your neighbors encourage business of all kinds—there's no danger in gorging the market in this line—unite in the matter of improvement in making the town attractive and giving it a home-like appearance. When this is done people from a distance will form a good opinion of the place and it will be a good inducement for them to locate with us and become permanent and substantial citizens.

Preparations are being made by the Dominion Government for a redistribution of seats for the Dominion, but it is understood that two more sessions of the house will be held before an election takes place under the new plan. Under the redistribution it is said that Middlesex and Huron will each lose a member, while Lambton, Elgin, Oxford, Kent and Essex will retain their present membership. Some ridings will disappear altogether. According to the last census report Essex county has a population of 67,647, Elgin 44,312, Lambton 51,332, Middlesex 49,765. Middlesex gets a member for every 24,882, Elgin for every 22,156, Lambton for every 25,666, Essex county one for every 33,723.

The suggestion has been made that in Canada it would be well if Parliament would enact a law similar to that existing in the State of Illinois, which makes it an offence punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, for any one to drink intoxicated liquor or to be intoxicated on any passenger train, or in or about any railway station. The act also gives a railway conductor the power to arrest such a person and keep him in custody until he can be handed over to a police officer at the first convenient station. In addition to that, a conductor who refuses or neglects to perform his duty is guilty of an offence, and on complaint of the other passengers can be summoned and fined for neglect of duty. Such a law should be effective in protecting passengers from the very common nuisance of intoxicated travellers.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, ss. Lucas County.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.
(Seal) A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

"Good boarding house, 25 roomers. Always full." Another argument for abolishing the bar.

Apprentice Farmers.

South Australian conditions have been found so satisfactory by recent British immigrants that many of them have nominated friends and relatives for assisted passages. This privilege has been found to operate as an efficient agent in the encouragement of land settlement and in the provision of an environment that creates the home life of the mother country. A despatch to The Christian Science Monitor of Boston, Mass., gives the latest statistics regarding the fruit products of South Australia, "The Garden State of the Commonwealth." The area devoted to apple culture has been steadily increasing and now comprises 23,214 acres. In addition large crops of pears, apricots, cherries, plums, oranges, lemons, peaches and nectarines are raised, besides berries, almonds and olives. The enumeration discloses the kind of climate South Australia possesses.

The latest policy of its government has in contemplation the introduction of British boys for the purpose of training them as farmers. On their arrival the lads will be indentured for three years with selected farmers, under close supervision, and initiated into the various departments of farm work. The state will act as guardians, retaining part of the lads' wages and handing over the amount, with accumulations, on their attaining the age of twenty-one years or earlier at discretion. In this way, it is anticipated, the state wards will at the close of their apprenticeship receive from \$350 to \$500 and be enabled to become share farmers and ultimately land owners.

Measles and the Child.

A medical authority in England has just complained, with much indignation, against the belief entertained by too many mothers, that children must have measles and might as well be subjected to the contagion when young and be done with it.

He denounces this as a pernicious superstition, and one which has done incalculable mischief. He quotes figures for Stepney to show that in twenty-two years measles have caused as many deaths as scarlet fever, diphtheria and typhoid fever combined, although that might be an unusual showing. There are evil consequences left by measles, particularly in the hearing and sight.

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 His swear was only a summer's dream—
 Terrible! Hear his wail!
 He waded out of the creek, by Jig,
 In the hazy sunset glow,
 And he hadn't caught a god darned thing,
 By golly! But she had, though!
 —Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Just a Precaution.
 "Why are you starting out with an umbrella on such a sunshiny day?"
 "I am bound for the art gallery."
 "But you cannot exhibit an umbrella."
 "Of course not. But a notice on the catalogue says that one must leave his cane or umbrella outside before he can enter."—Toronto World.

Kindness.
 "Do you ever go out of your way to do things to make other people happy?"
 "Yes. I crossed the street this morning to avoid meeting a man who owes money to me."—Chicago Record-Herald.

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The Explanation.
 Robert Henri, the artist, said in New York of a bogus "old master":
 "Some of these experts must be very ignorant, judging from the facility with which they are duped. They must be ready to swallow anything. It's like the Velasquez story.
 "An auctioneer, you know, put up the picture, saying:
 "Here we are, ladies and gentlemen—this exquisite Velasquez—"Battle of Waterloo." What am I bid? One million nine hundred thousand?"
 "But," interrupted an expert in a puzzled voice—"but I thought Velasquez died before the battle of Waterloo?"
 "So he did, sir," explained the auctioneer, "so he did, but this, you see, is one of dear old Velly's posthumous works."—New York Tribune.

"Barber's Music."
 Barbers in the old days might well charge heavily, for theirs must have been a nerve racking existence. Zithers were provided instead of newspapers, and customers used to stum on these while waiting for a vacant chair. Dekker, writing early in the seventeenth century, refers to "a barber's cittern for every man to play on." The term "barber's music" was a common one in the days of Pepys, who on June 5, 1660, records, "after supper my lord called for the lieutenant's cittern, and with two candlesticks, with money in them for symbol, we made barber's music, with which my lord was very well pleased."—London Standard.

Curt and Concise.
 A certain surly old Yankee who runs a small summer hotel on the Massachusetts coast once received a rambling letter from a prospective guest, who wrote to engage "two large, sunny rooms overlooking the ocean and connecting with private bath." One may imagine the lady's surprise at getting the following curt reply: "Dear Madam—All rooms face the ocean, and that's your bath."—Lippincott's.

Considerate.
 X (an incorrigible borrower)—Lend me a fiver, old man. Y (weakly lending him £4 10s.)—I'm keeping the other shilling to pay for the postage of the letters which I shall have to write you before I get my money back. X (coolly)—Keep 5 shillings, then. That will give me more time.—London Tit-Bits.

Something to Try.
 Tweed & Chevlot, tailors, wrote to Livingstone Bigfront as follows:
 "We must have something on account by Saturday next. What can we count on?"
 And Mr. Bigfront promptly replied, "Ever try an adding-machine?"

Jarred His Dad.
 Father—No, indeed! My father never heard me tell a lie! Willie—Was grandpa as deaf and grandma?—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Who love too much hate in the like extreme.—Pope.

"TIS WELL TO KNOW A GOOD THING," said Mrs. Surface to Mrs. Knowwell, when they met in the street. "Why, where have you been for a week back?"
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Half-yearly Taxes.

It seems inevitable that taxes, like nearly everything else, should go up, and add to the high cost of living. But there is at least one method by which the Council can ameliorate the burden, and that is by having the taxes paid in two instalments. The semi-yearly collection of taxes is in force in many towns, in Barrie and Collingwood for instance and in cities like Toronto and Bradford. A prominent resident of Collingwood said recently that the change had been a regular Godsend to the workmen of that town. "It means," he said, "that many a man who, after paying taxes early in December, would have little or no money left for his Christmas presents, is now able to make his children happy at that season." In many cases a ratepayer who has, say, \$30 to pay in taxes would find it much easier to pay two instalments of \$15 each. It is not the workmen alone who would welcome the change. Business men like to have large payments broken up. Many people pay as much for light as they do for taxes, but because the payments are made monthly they feel it much less, and do not grumble, though they may be getting very much less value than they do for their taxes. Nor is all the advantage to the ratepayer, as in the spring the town would profit by saving interest on a part of what now has to be borrowed to keep things going till the taxes come in.

The Boy Scout Movement.

During the month of October the Provincial Competitions for swimming and life saving, first aid, shooting and photography will be held by the Scouts throughout the Province of Ontario. Keen interest is being taken in the competitions and any troops who have not entered should do so immediately, as entries positively close the end of September. Full information, and details for shooting competition in the respective districts will be forwarded from the Provincial office on receipt of entries.

Although the Scout Movement is now closing its third year of active work in Canada, there still appears to be a large number of people who do not understand the objects of the Boy Scout Movement. A great many people are still of the opinion that the Scout Movement is an adjunct to the Cadet Movement, but such is not the case. The Cadet Movement is financed by the Militia Department from Ottawa, the Scout Movement is carried on along by gentlemen who believe in the future of the boyhood of this country. On the one hand we have been proclaimed as opposed to militarism and on the other hand we have been proclaimed as opposed to anti-militarism. The Boy Scout Movement does not stand with either party.

The Boy Scouts are not obligated in any way to either party, but their principles do stand for the making of all-round citizens. Citizens who are resourceful, able to find their way if lost in the bush, able to take care of themselves under all conditions in the open air, can trek by the stars at night, can draw a map of topography, are pathfinders, able to shoot and ride. Their preparations in the ranks of the Scouts puts them in such a state of preparedness that in after years if our homes or country was attacked they would be prepared to do their bit as citizens of this old Dominion.

One of the principles of the movement is that a lad should be of service to the other fellow, that is being carried out in a noble manner by the lads throughout our country. The Scout is pledged upon his honor to play the game and play it fair. By this means we believe that the best type of citizen will be raised in the ranks of the boys of the rising generation.

The Movement is rapidly growing and any information will be forwarded to the citizens of towns and cities upon request to the Provincial Secretary, 301 Lumsden Bldg., Toronto.

NAPIER.

Mrs. John and Mrs. Geo. Field, of Strathroy, spent a few days at the home of their brother-in-law, Henry Field.

The Women's Institute held their special meeting and final arrangements were made for their entertainment and social to be held on Monday evening, Oct. 28, for the benefit of the public library organized last year.

The re-opening services of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church were held at 3 and 8 p.m. Rev. Mr. Paterson, St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Sarnia, preached, exchanging with Rev. Mr. Stewart. Monday evening an entertainment, musical and literary, with a social, was given in the town hall.

WARWICK.

Tax Collector Karr is on his rounds. Dunlop's mill, Warwick, will chop every Tuesday and Friday until further notice.

Mrs. Sidney Barnes and children are visiting friends in Bridgeburg and

Buffalo.

Mr. W. H. Stewart, formerly clerk of Warwick, has gone to California for the winter.

Mrs. Davis, Sault Ste. Marie, is visiting her uncles, James and John King and other relatives in this district.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Williamson, Windsor, are visiting at Mr. Robt. McNaughton's, 4th line, and renewing old acquaintances in this district.

The monthly meeting of the Warwick Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. Jas. Thomson, 2nd line, north, on Thursday, October 10th. Subject is "Old-fashioned Quilting and Patching Bees." Roll call will be answered by a salad recipe.

NOTICE—Any person hunting, shooting, tying horses to the roadside fence or trespassing in any way on the East half of lot 15, the S. W. half of the N. W. q., and the N. W. half of the N. W. q. of lot 16, con. 4, N. E. R., Warwick, will be prosecuted by the undersigned—**GEORGE THOMPSON.** s27-3t

Mr. John Peter Miller, formerly of London Road, Sarnia Township, who has been failing in health for some time, passed away on Sept. 16th, very suddenly, of heart failure, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. A. W. Alexander, Victoria, B.C., and was laid to rest on Sept. 18th, at Royal Oak County, B.C. Mr. Miller was born in Warwick Township where he spent the early part of his life and was highly respected by all who knew him. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife and three daughters, Mrs. A. D. Williamson, of Watford; Mrs. Wm. M. Craig, of Sarnia, and Mrs. A. W. Alexander, of Victoria, B.C.

The one and a half story house owned and occupied by James Jones, lot 10, con. 4, S. E. R., was totally consumed by fire, together with a quantity of the contents on Friday morning about 2 o'clock. When the family were aroused, they were slumbers the rear part of the building was in flames, but all got out safely and with the assistance of the neighbors saved some of the furniture. The building and contents were insured in the Waterloo Mutual \$300 on the house and \$100 on the furniture. It is not known how the fire originated as it had made considerable headway before discovered.

Warwick School Taxes.

The public school taxes for the different sections in the township for 1912 are as follows:—

S.S. No.	Amount
1	1 Mill
2	1 5/10 Mills
3	1 3/10 "
4	8/10 "
5	8/10 "
6	1 2/10 "
7	1 2/10 "
8	1 4/10 "
9	10 7/10 "
10	1 2/10 "
11	2 "
12	2 4/10 "
13	7/10 "
14	7/10 "
15	1 2/10 "
16	2 2/10 "
17	1 6/10 "
18	1 6/10 "
19	6/10 "
20	1 4/10 "

BROOKE.

We are pleased to hear that Mrs. W. E. Kearney, who has been seriously ill, is very much improved.

W. B. Annett, of the Navoo Road, has sold two acres of standing timber on e/2 lot 81, con. 9, Brooke, to D. J. McEachern, lumber merchant, of Alvinston. The purchaser will work it into square timber, lumber and wood this winter.

The annual harvest thanksgiving service will be held in St. James' Church, on Sunday next, at 2.30 in the afternoon, the Rev. Horace Snell, B.A., rector of Thorndale, will be the special preacher. The church will be beautifully decorated for the day. The special thank offering will be for the mission work of the church.

The annual harvest thanksgiving services will be held in Christ Church, Sutorville, on Sunday next Oct. 6th. There will be services at 11 o'clock in the morning, and at 7.30 in the evening. The Rev. Horace Snell, B.A., rector of Thorndale, will conduct the morning service and the Rector in the evening. The church as usual will be appropriately decorated and special music will be given by the choir. The thank offering will go towards the mission work of the church. All welcome.

Euphemia Man Killed by Auto Accident.

Inwood, Oct. 2.—Louis Pesha, aged 45, a leading photographer of Marine City, Mich., and a former resident of Euphemia Township, was instantly killed at the family homestead yesterday afternoon, when by mistake he put his foot on the reverse lever of his auto, thinking it was the emergency brake, and the car shot backwards over a steep embankment, and turning over landed wheels upward in the ditch. Mr. Pesha was dead when taken out. His nephew, a young man named McCausland, who was riding with him, went into the creek with the car, but managed to escape practically unharmed. He made desperate efforts to save Mr. Pesha, but the car was too heavy, and he could do nothing. Mr. Pesha when taken out was dead. His skull was terribly fractured.

Mr. Pesha had only arrived a few minutes before the accident, having his wife and 11-year-old daughter. They had intended spending a few days with Mr. Pesha's father, whom they had not seen for some time.

It was decided that no inquest was necessary. The funeral will be held from the old homestead on Thursday.

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LIVERY STOCK FOR SALE—The entire stock of horses, buggies, carriages, harness, robes, etc., of Restorick's old established livery is offered for sale. For particulars apply to **FRED RESTORICK, Watford.** a23-tf

DR. WARNER CORNELL, the well-known eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, of Port Huron, will resume his visits to Watford, and will be at the Roche Hotel on Friday afternoon, Sept. 27th, when he can be consulted on all diseases of those organs. Glasses properly fitted.

In the Surrogate Court in the County of Lambton

IN THE MATTER OF THE GUARDIANSHIP OF CLIFFORD CONN ABBOTT, of the Village of Watford, in the County of Lambton, the infant child of Clifford John Abbott, of Winn, in the State of Michigan, Physician.
Notice is hereby given that after the expiration of twenty days from the first publication of this Notice, application will be made to the Surrogate Court of the County of Lambton for a grant of Letters of Guardianship of the above named infant to Lillie Isabel Caroline Abbott, of the Village of Watford in the County of Lambton, Spinster, the Aunt of the said infant.
COWAN & TOWERS, Sarnia, Ont.,
Solicitors for the applicant.
Dated this 16th day of September, 1912. s29-3t

Baird-Hart.

The marriage took place at St. James' Church, South London, Saturday, of Miss May G. Hart, daughter of Mrs. James G. Hart, of Byron avenue, South London, to Mr. George A. Baird, of Wisbeach. The ceremony was performed by Very Rev. Dean Davis, in the presence of the witnesses only.

SALE REGISTER.

Wednesday, Oct. 9, W. W. Lucas, con. 11, Brooke. See adv.

Thursday, Oct. 10, Timothy Gavigan, con. 2, S.E.R., Warwick. See adv.

Tuesday, Oct. 8, Wm. and Fred Perry, lot 13, con. 14, Brooke. See adv.

Auction sale of valuable farm stock at lot 5, con. 5, S.E.R., on Thursday, Oct. 10th, 1912, at one o'clock. No reserve. Usual terms. Frank Wright, Proprietor, R. Brock, Auctioneer.



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Teach

The Teach Lambton church at 10. the Rev. Mr. conducting the A discussion with the use teachers taking maps in hold pupils and in minds of the drawing of every lesson. The maps should be able to find in the geograp history lesson Miss Hill re with primary many cases te difficulties. I many opportu themselves in first days in sc Talks about he with. The bl ally used. U spelling.

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The evening Opera House, chairman. Mr. McCutel West Lambton, East Lambton, ing for a clo teacher and par in school work the homes. Mr. Peter McN alist, held th audience while Nature. Select numerous writ wonderful thing get the pupils to unfold itself as Arthur. The r that cannot b leads a double l fellow man. N the square.

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Teachers' Association.

The Teachers' Association, of East Lambton, opened in the Methodist church at 10:30 on Thursday, Sept. 26th, the Rev. Mr. Meyer, pastor of the church, conducting the devotional exercises. A discussion took place in connection with the use of maps, a number of the teachers taking part. The usefulness of maps in holding the attention of the pupils and impressing the work on the minds of the pupils was shown. The drawing of a map should be a part of every lesson. A good number of up-to-date maps should be in every school. These should be in constant use, not only in the geography lesson, but also in the history lesson.

Miss Hill read a paper in connection with primary work. Experience in many cases tells us how to overcome the difficulties. Pupils should be given as many opportunities as possible to express themselves in words and actions. The first days in school are very important. Talks about homework should start pupils with. The blackboard should be continually used. Use the blackboard to teach spelling.

The Thursday afternoon session was opened by Rev. Mr. Bingham, pastor of the Baptist church.

R. J. Blake, the president, discussed the ideal teacher. A perfect teacher should possess tact, be a good disciplinarian and love children. A teacher should be attractive in manner, appearance, voice and dress. Teachers should be honest in all their dealings. Good nature and patience are needed every minute in the school room.

The reading problem in the Public School was well handled by Mr. McCutcheon. The child is now being recognized more truly and in a more just manner than ever before. The supreme thing in education is "How well you may be able to train the child." The results to be obtained from a reading lesson are to obtain thought from the lesson and to give it accurate vocal expression. A child should be able to recognize the words before he is allowed to read aloud. Good reading can only come from good understanding and an accurate knowledge of the pronunciation of the words. We should have a definite clear-cut standard in reading.

Miss Matthews and Miss Carr dealt with the use of the history readers. An essay to fix the facts in the minds can be used with good effect. A story given orally and headings placed on the board are successfully used. Questions placed on the board and the answers written both in the books and on the board are helpful. The meanings and pronunciations of the words should be taken before the lesson is read. A summary should be left on the board at the end of each lesson.

The evening meeting was held in the Opera House, Mr. John Fraser acting as chairman.

Mr. McCutcheon, Inspector County of West Lambton, Inspector McDougall, of East Lambton, spoke on Education, asking for a closer co-operation between teacher and parent, and a greater interest in school work to be taken by those in the homes.

Mr. Peter McArthur, the talented journalist, held the close attention of the audience while he spoke about *Near to Nature*. Selections well chosen from his numerous writings were read. What a wonderful thing it would be if we could get the pupils to see the world of nature unfold itself as laid before us by Mr. McArthur. There are many things in nature that cannot be told in words. A farmer leads a double life with nature with his fellow man. Nature forces men to be on the square.

Two choruses by children, under the direction of Mr. McDougall, and solos by Miss Jennings and Mr. McDougall, with Miss McAlpine, as accompanist, helped to make the evening a most enjoyable one.

Rev. Dr. McNair, pastor of the Presbyterian church, opened the meeting on Friday morning.

The report of the Nominating Committee as follows was adopted:

NOMINATION COMMITTEE.

Hon. Pres.—N. McDougall, B.A., Petrolia.

Hon. Vice-Pres.—Wm. Clyde, B.A., Petrolia; Chas. Potter, B.A., Watford.

Hon. Sec.—Miss McDougall, Watford.

Hon. Treas.—Miss McDougall, Watford.

Exec. Com.—W. H. Shrapnell, Watford.

Teachers' Association.

J. J. Matthews, Petrolia; Miss Casselman, Oil Springs; Mr. Carbet.

REVIEW COMMITTEE.

III. Class—Arith.—Miss McPhedran, Copleston.

Geo.—Miss Esther Hume, Watford.

Com.—Miss Laura Richardson, Inwood.

Hist.—Miss Ada McPherson, Arkona.

II. Class—Arith.—Miss Waugh, Watford.

Geo.—Miss McRobie, Petrolia.

Com.—Miss Davis, Florence.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON PHYSICAL TRAINING.

Mr. N. McDougall, Petrolia; Miss Ida McPherson, Arkona; Miss Kelso, Florence; Miss Jennie Ford, Petrolia; Mr. Robt. Henderson, Petrolia; Miss M. Colhoun, Alvinston.

Mr. McDougall, B. A., reported on the work of physical training, explaining the Lord Strathcona Fund. The work of the Review Committee was also touched on by him.

Miss Reid dealt very fully with the books a teacher should read. A list was placed on the board and a full statement of the use of such was read. These books fill one of three purposes, entertainment or general culture or special culture. Many of these books are good not only for the teacher but also for the pupil.

Literature, as useful in the Junior Trade, was next taken by Mr. McCutcheon. Literature makes immortal all that's best and purest of life. It preserves the ideals of the people. The power of being able to read literature admits us into this great field full of thoughts, noble and powerful. Little children enjoy the reading of great works and have the level of their whole moral character lifted. Don't attach a sermon at the end of each literature lesson.

Mr. Henderson and Miss Morris dealt with Mental Arithmetic and Solutions. Catch questions have been replaced by thought questions. Mechanical arithmetic has crept in when pupils look back to see what old question, similar in form, has been done. Mental arithmetic leads pupils to see easy ways of doing arithmetic. Many solutions were shown and the difficulty with each pointed out.

Inspector McDougall read a paper on the training of teachers. The pupil's power of doing in school and in life loses very much from both the untrained and unperceptive trained teacher. Every encouragement should be given those who have taught a number of years to attain a first-class certificate. A break between the two terms of training would benefit the teacher in training and keep the teachers at least two years.

The afternoon meeting was opened with the devotional exercises in charge of Rev. Mr. Hill, pastor of the English church.

Composition was made a very interesting study under the direction of Mr. McCutcheon. To make every child a master of good English is the supreme aim. All the subjects and routine of school life give a chance for the practice of good English. English should occupy the first position in school life. Train the child to narrate in a concise way some of his actual experiences. Teachers' language should be a model in good English. A hearty vote of thanks was tendered the speaker for his able address.

Misses McDonald and McPherson, Mrs. McLean and Mr. Rush explained how they conducted their school gardens. Valuable suggestions on what to grow and how to grow the different vegetables and flowers were given. As these teachers all had good gardens, their advice was practical and interesting.

Inspector McDougall mentioned that a London teacher, Dr. Bryant, and I. A. Reid, Owen Sound, were candidates for the Public School representatives in the Advisory council.

This concluded one of the most profitable and enjoyable meetings of the Association. The attendance at all the meetings was large, notwithstanding the bad roads and the unfavorable morning of the first day.

J. G. Lethbridge, South Ekfrid, picked 27 barrels of apples off two trees.

On Saturday Mrs. Down, of Iona, went out with her husband's dinner to a field where he was finishing up cutting some grain. While holding her six months' old baby up for its father to see, the horses suddenly started and before Mrs. Down could save herself, the keen knives of the mower struck her foot and nearly cut it off.

ARKONA

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. McKay, of London, visited friends in town on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac George, of Capac, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Eastman, are visiting at Mr. N. C. Eastman's.

Mr. C. J. Ready motored to London last week.

Mr. Will Bartlett, of London, spent Sunday with Mr. M. Moore.

Jute sacks for taking apples to the evaporator for sale.—Brown Bros.

Mr. Peter Bearrs, of Birnam, is moving into town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalquist, of Buffalo, are visiting at Mr. Jno. McKenzie's.

Large numbers from the Ark took in the Theford fair on Wednesday.

An apple packing demonstration took place in Mr. Morningstar's orchard on Monday afternoon. It was largely attended and some valuable information was gained.

Mr. James Crone has returned to town after spending a few weeks with friends near Birnam.

Nobby suits for young men.—Brown Bros.

The regular meeting of the Arkona branch of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. T. A. Lampman, Saturday, Oct. 5, at 2.30 p.m. A full attendance is requested. Roll call, Quotations from Longfellow.

Mr. Nelson George has returned from Buffalo.

Mr. Darrel Lett on Monday for Toronto. Miss Lettie Ott is residing in Theford.

Mrs. C. W. Lucas has returned from Wisconsin.

Mrs. Thomas has returned from Chicago.

Dr. and Mrs. Broce are visiting Mrs. Broce's parents, Rev. and Mrs. Fair.

Mr. Manford Schier made a business trip to Norwich.

The "Empress" shoes for ladies have arrived.—Fuller Bros.

The apple business is booming around Arkona.

Mr. and Mrs. Howden, of Wisbeach, visited Dr. and Mrs. Hume on Sunday last.

Mr. C. J. Ready has improved his drug store by painting.

When waiting a new winter coat try Fuller Bros. See "Our Special" in flannellets.—Fuller Bros.

INWOOD.

Mr. Alex. Blakie is visiting friends at Bradshaw.

Frank Elliot, Watford, spent Sunday with friends here.

Miss Irene Littleproud, of St. Thomas, spent Sunday at her home.

Miss Iva Lorrain spent Friday in St. Thomas.

Mr. Lee Aylesworth is confined to the house through illness.

Mrs. (Dr.) McLeon attended the Teachers' Convention in Petrolia last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Littleproud attended a convention in Detroit last week.

The Inwood band furnished the music at the Glencoe fair last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Thomas visited their son, Dr. A. Thomas, at North Branch, Mich., last week.

Mr. Arthur Warren and family have moved into the house lately vacated by Mr. Joe Bishop, Main St.

Miss Gladys Warren is assisting Miss Cleaveland, of Alvinston, in the millinery establishment till after the fair.

Mrs. (Dr.) Singleton and daughter, Marvel, who have been spending the summer with her sisters here, left for her home in Augusta, Mich., where the Doctor has a good practice.

Mrs. Wm. Wade has disposed of all her horse furniture, and leaves this week for her new home at Cargill.

Mrs. Thos. Mathews was called to Richmond last week by the death of her mother.

On Friday as Joseph Tully, an elderly farmer of Euphemia, and his nephew, Thomas Tully, of Detroit, were driving home from Inwood, they met an auto. Seeing that the horse was becoming restless, the auto at once stopped, but the horse became unmanageable and dashed into a telephone pole. Both men were thrown against the pole. Mr. Thomas Tully sustained only a few bruises, but Mr. Joseph Tully was rendered unconscious for half an hour. He is at present under the care of a physician, but it is not anticipated his injuries will be serious.

SCHOOL REPORTS.

Report of S. S. No. 11, Brooke, for the month of September. Pupils who missed one or more examinations are marked *.

Class IV.—Sr.—Alex. Fisher 92, Willie Lett 82, Alex. McGregor 67, Eddie Brown 65, Jr.—Pearl McGregor 67, Lizzie Doan*. Class III.—Prenda Smith 64, Gus Denning*. Class II.—Gladys Clothier 94, Kenneth Clothier*, Mercie Doan*, George Brown*. Pt. II.—Gladys Duffy 55, Bert McGregor*. Sr. I.—Cecil Duffy 95, Dorothy Clothier 51, Jr. I.—Jean Duffy.—SADIE M. LOGAN, Teacher.

Loosemore—Lock.

The marriage took place on Wednesday evening, Sept. 18th, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Crang, 7th con, of Brooke, of Mr. William G. Loosemore and Miss Eva J. Lock, the ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H. McLeod, of Alvinston, in the presence of a number of relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Loosemore will reside in Inwood in the house lately vacated by Mr. Peter Dennis. Their many friends wish them a long and happy married life.

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AUCTION SALE

FARM STOCK.

The undersigned has received instructions from

TIMOTHY GAVIGAN

to offer for sale by Public Auction on the premises,

LOT 17, CON. 2, S. E. R., WARWICK,

Thursday, October 10th, 1912,

the following valuable stock, etc., viz—

1 yearling horse colt, H.D., 1 yearling horse colt, C.P.; 3 cows, supposed in calf; 18 two-year-old steers; 5 yearling steers; 4 yearling heifers, 7 calves, 1 DeLaval cream separator, nearly new, 1 cream can, nearly new; a number of fowl.

Everything without reserve as the proprietor is giving up farming. 5 cows, supposed in calf; 18 two-year-old steers; 5 yearling steers; 4 yearling heifers, 7 calves, 1 DeLaval cream separator, nearly new, 1 cream can, nearly new; a number of fowl.

TERMS OF SALE—\$10.00 and under, cash over that amount 12 months' credit will be given on furnishing approved joint notes, 5 per cent. per annum discount for cash.

A good comfortable dwelling house on John street, Watford, will be offered for sale at same time. If not sold will be rented.

J. F. ELLIOT, Auctioneer.

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V. E. KINCADE, Wisbeach, P. O. Information of this property may be had from R. Brock, Watford, Ont. 04-111

A pleasant social event took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan, McAlpine, south of Iona, on Wednesday of last week when their daughter, Tena M., was united in marriage to Peter A. McPherson, of Dunwich.

Jos. Goodison, of Romney township, who had an arm so badly injured in a pulley of a threshing outfit several days ago that it became necessary to amputate the member, has succumbed to his injuries, blood-poisoning having developed.

FARM FOR SALE

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(Two miles south of Watford, on 6th line)

—ON—

Thursday, October 8th, 1912,

Commencing at one o'clock p.m., the following valuable property, viz—

HORSES:

1 good work mare, in foal to Urban, and foal of 1012 by side; 1 standard-bred driving mare, with colt by side; 1 thoroughbred running mare, in foal, with colt by side; 1 nine-year-old gelding, good worker; 1 two-year-old mare, in foal by Aviator; 1 three-year-old driving mare, well broken to harness; 1 good driving mare; 1 one-year-old gelding, heavy, by Prince Otto.

CATTLE:

8 good milch cows, supposed to be in calf; 6 good calves; 2 choice two-year-old heifers; 7 yearling heifers; 10 choice yearling steers; 1 farrow cow.

SHEEP:

8 choice ewes; 8 lambs.

PIGS:

1 sow and 4 pigs, six weeks old; 1 sow and 9 pigs, five weeks old; 1 sow and 6 pigs, four weeks old; 10 shoats, will weigh 125 lbs.; 2 shoats, will weigh about 140 lbs.; 1 pig, about 150 lbs.; 1 Yorkshire boar, thoroughbred.

*N.B.—All must be sold without reserve.

TERMS—Purchases of \$10 or under, cash; over that amount 5 months' credit will be given on furnishing approved joint notes. A discount at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum will be allowed for cash on purchases entitled to credit.

WM. PERRY, L. L. McTAGGART, Auctioneer, Proprietors.

W. W. LUCAS

FARM STOCK

The undersigned has received instructions from

W. W. LUCAS

to offer for sale by public auction on the premises,

LOT 12, CONCESSION 11, BROOKE,

—ON—

Wednesday, October 9th, 1912,

the following valuable stock, etc., viz—

1 brood mare, 11 years old, supposed in foal; 1 brood mare and colt by Sandycroft Major; 3 cows, 7 years old; 1 general purpose mare, 2 years old; 1 hackney, 4 years old; 6 milking cows, supposed to be in calf; 2 fat cows; 4 fat two-year-old heifers; 1 yearling bull, thoroughbred; 1 thoroughbred bull calf; 2 yearling steers; 2 yearling heifers; 2 well-bred Holstein heifers, supposed to be in calf; 14 calves; 1 brood sow; 3 shoats.

Everything without reserve.

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Calamity Joe

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By CLARISSA MACKIE

Five men on the Flying V ranch watched the approach of the latest addition to the force. He was riding slowly up the trail, his long legs dragging below the stirrups.

"You can sup on trouble now, boys," declared Hen Morgan.

"How's that?" queried his companions curiously.

"This here gent approaching, him who is to be line rider on the Flying V along with the rest of us, is the champion dispenser of bad luck. Wherever he goes he brings calamity with him."

"I've heard about him, then. Ain't his name Joe Bliss?" asked Pete Willis.

"Yes. They call him 'Calamity Joe' because of the sure woe that camps on his trail perpetual," answered Morgan. They sat about the door of the mess house and watched the shuffling forms of horse and rider approach them.

Presently the horse scuffled to a standstill, and Mr. Joe Bliss threw a long leg over the saddle and stepped to the ground.

"Howdy, gents?" he said, looking gloomily down at them.

"Howdy, Joe?" said Morgan sadly. "Let me interjocce my feller sufferers" and he gravely mentioned the names of his companions, who all exchanged nods and muttered "howdy's" with the newcomer.

"What happened over to Flamm's?" asked Morgan as Bliss sat down and rolled a cigarette.

"Measles," replied Bliss stolidly. "I never had 'em in my life, but old Flamm seemed to be afraid I'd catch 'em, so he fired me. I'd only been there a week."

The next morning they rode forth together, Joe Bliss ahead and the five following in a broken line.

"Seems to enjoy his bad reputashun," remarked Morgan to Freeman. "Quite some! I been looking for messe spots all the morning," returned Freeman.

"It won't be measles this time. He changes his calamity every time he changes a job. We'll get something else as sure as eggs is eggs," muttered Morgan.

"If he plants any calamity on this here outfit he'll sure get his," declared Freeman violently, and somehow Joe Bliss heard the words.

"I got ter do something to get rid of that reputation," he admitted to himself and thereupon thought long upon the matter.

And it bore startling results. It took some time to accomplish, but the nature of Calamity Joe's vindication of his ill name will go down in the history of Poorgrass county.

Several weeks passed without anything unfortunate occurring to bear up the evil reputation of the new man. Then one day Joe Bliss received leave of absence and was gone all the morning. At noon as his fellow riders were eating lunch on the fringe of the scattered herd of cattle Joe rode hastily up to Morgan.

"Gents," he said excitedly, "there's some ladies in distress yonder in Salt canyon. Picnic ladies they are, and some yaller minded individual has stamped their horses. What's them delicate females goin' to do?"

"Huh!" ejaculated Morgan. "Where they from?"

"They say they are salesladies from Finklestein's dry goods emporium in Eagle City."

"What they picnicin' so far from home for?" demanded Freeman.

"Skeered—plumb skeered for fear old Finklestein will change his mind and call 'em back on the job. Why, them girls is so upset about how they're going to get back to Eagle City that they can't enjoy their lunch no how," exclaimed Calamity Joe.

"Finklestein's, in Eagle City?" queried Smith suddenly. "Why, that's where I bought this here handkerchief. She was a queen, that girl was!"

"Was she a blond?" asked Jepsen eagerly. "I remember a peach of a blond in Finklestein's, who—"

"Nary blond," was Freeman's emphatic reply. "She was a dark eyed queen! I'll go over, Morgan, and help my lady friend out of trouble."

"Huh! You don't even know her name!" snorted Morgan contemptuously. "I guess I'll move along over there myself. I bought a shirt in Finklestein's last week, and I want to ask the red haired lady I got it from if it's a fast color." His handsome face flushed defiantly.

"I reckon so," said Freeman absently. He was wondering if he could earn enough to support a certain blond beauty to the picnic," said Smith disagreeably. "She's there!" interpolated Joe Bliss hastily. "Mebbe all you gents could ride over to the canyon and rescue them dames. I ain't much on ladies company, and so I'll jest look out for the critters."

The five other men consulted together, and finally all rode off in the direction of Salt canyon. Meantime Joe, the harbinger of calamity, stuck to his job and manfully did the work of six herdsmen that sunny day.

"That combination ought to break up that there evil reputashun I've got," he grinned as he rode back and forth. The five men rode single file through the narrow entrance to Salt canyon, and once within its confines a pleasing sight rewarded their coming.

Around a campfire were seated half a dozen girls. Most of them were pretty, and all were attractive. The queenly brunette and the "pencny" blond and the red haired dame all were there, as well as three others.

All of them sprang up from the picnic feast around which they were gathered and viewed with alarm the approach of the cattlemen.

Morgan was in advance, and, whipping off his hat with a graceful sweep, he addressed the red haired divinity.

"Excuse me, miss, but we are the rescue party," he said pleasantly.

"What you going to rescue?" demanded the red haired one imperiously, while the others drew close together and giggled.

"We was informed that some yallow hearted varmint had stamped your horses," said Morgan calmly.

"Yes," said the imperious one stiffly. "It's all true, but we don't need any rescuing. We're going to get home all right."

"How?"

"Walk," she returned calmly. "Any objection?"

"Yes, ma'am," said Morgan emphatically. "We don't let ladies walk twenty miles when they're out for a holiday time—not in Poorgrass county."

"I'm sure they're very kind, Mabel," spoke up one of the other girls.

"You know, we were saying just before they came that we didn't know how we were going to get home," added the queenly brunette, with a flashing smile at Freeman.

"I suppose it is well meant, and we are obliged," said the spokeswoman suddenly. "Perhaps you gentlemen can tell us how to get our horses back. They belong to Dan Ferry, the liverman at Eagle City."

In response to these amenities on the part of the red haired dame the five rescuers slipped from their horses and awkwardly submitted to Morgan's elaborate ceremony of introduction to six ladies whose names were unknown to any of the cattlemen.

In their guise of members of a rescue party they were invited to partake of the lunch and having done so entered into serious consultation as to the best methods of discovering the miscreant who had run off the horses or stamped them and also the all important question of how Finklestein's salesladies were to be returned to Eagle City that evening.

At last the unfortunate picnicers consented gracefully to submit to the better judgment of the men, and it was agreed that each lady should ride one of the Flying V horses and that its owner should walk beside the horse so as to ride it back when their deed of chivalry should have been accomplished.

Of course all this required much discussion in general and then in particulars, where names were exchanged and there was much merry badinage as past purchases of "gents furnishings" at Finklestein's emporium were recalled.

It was Smith who scouted around and found one of the missing ponies grazing out on the plain. He quickly mounted his own horse and caught the animal, and in this way there was provided a mount for the sixth lady, who was suffering from the toothache and cared little whether she was furnished with an attendant cavalier or not.

It was she who hurried them homeward at sunset, when her companions had decided to ride back to Eagle City in the moonlight.

They formed a procession as they set forth on the twenty mile journey to Eagle City. The toothache lady led the way, and the others straggled after with a man at every horse's bridle. This was, of course, necessary, because never had there been collected together such a number of vicious, ill tempered brutes as the horses that belonged to Messrs. Morgan, Freeman, Smith, Jepsen and Pete Willis, and the fair riders appeared timid.

At dawn the five weary cattlemen rode slowly into the camp. Calamity Joe was on watch and without a word handed cups of hot coffee to his friends.

"You gents are some heroes," he ventured, breaking into their reveries of tender looks exchanged and engagements promised for Wednesday evening to come, for the Flying V men were bachelors all.

"I reckon so," said Freeman absently. He was wondering if he could earn enough to support a certain blond beauty

if in case she would marry him. Morgan suddenly looked up and caught Calamity Joe's attention with a sharp glance.

"Who do you reckon run off them bosses?" he asked.

"I dunno!" declared Joe.

"You was seen doing it and might as well own up," shrewdly said Morgan.

Then Calamity Joe confessed his duplicity. He told how he had waited his opportunity and, hearing about the proposed picnic of Finklestein's clerks, had himself stampeded their horses and thus created a situation whereby his comrades could rescue the fair damsels and at the same time make their acquaintance.

In the guise of a matchmaker Calamity Joe had hoped to hide his unfortunate reputation.

And he did, for ever after they called him "Cupid," and he was obliged to officiate as best man at so many weddings that he almost regretted the step he had taken.

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AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that the list of lands liable for sale as aforesaid is now being published in the Ontario Gazette in the issues thereof bearing date the 12th, 20th and 27th days of July and the 3rd day of August, 1912.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that in default of payment of the taxes in arrears upon the lands specified in said list so published in the Ontario Gazette, before the day fixed for sale of such lands, being the 16th day of October, A. D., 1912, the said lands will be sold for taxes pursuant to the terms of the advertisement in the Ontario Gazette.

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MARKETS

WATFORD.		
GRAIN AND SEEDS—		
Wheat, fall, per bush... \$	85 @	\$ 90
Oats, per bush.....	30	34
Barley, per bush.....	45	50
Peas, per bush.....	75	75
Beans, per bush.....	2 25	2 25
Timothy.....	2 00	3 00
Clover Seed.....	7 00	12 00
Alsike.....	8 00	13 00
PROVISIONS—		
Butter, per pound.....	23	23
Lard.....	15	15
Eggs, per doz.....	10	10
Flour, per cwt.....	2 50	3 25
Bran, per ton.....	23 00	24 00
Shorts, per ton.....	29 00	29 00
MISCELLANEOUS—		
Wood.....	2 25	3 00
Tallow.....	6	6
Wool.....	18	20
Hay, per ton.....	8 00	9 00
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—		
Potatoes, per bag.....	80	80
POULTRY—		
Turkeys, per lb.....	00	00
Chickens, per lb.....	12	15

London.

Wheat.....	\$ 90	\$ 90
Oats, cwt.....	1 15	1 22
Peas.....	1 00	1 10
Barley, cwt.....	1 50	1 50
Butter.....	27	30
Eggs.....	26	30
Pork.....	11 50	11 75

Toronto, Oct. 1.—Practically all kinds of live stock were wanted when the cattle market opened this morning at the Junction and the city cattle markets. Exceptionally large receipts of cattle, especially for heavy steers, had the effect of driving prices much lower, there being a total absence of export demand. Medium-weight butchers' steers were the best sale on the exchange, a few choice ones, weighing about 1,050 pounds, selling for the top price of the day, \$8.55. Butcher buyers took everything and paid for their best purchases from \$6 to \$8.40; medium cattle, \$5.50 to \$6, and common cattle, \$4 to \$5. Feeders and stockers were in demand at unchanged quotations. Cows and bulls were dull. The hog market was 25c lower, at \$8.75, fed and watered. Sheep and lambs were also about 10c off. Receipts at both markets combined were 158 loads, 2,773 cattle, 177 calves, 1,000 hogs and 1,774 sheep and lambs.

To-day's quotations.

Export cattle, choice... \$	6 10 to	\$ 6 25
do, medium.....	6 00 to	6 10
do, bulls.....	5 00 to	5 50
Butcher cattle, choice... \$	6 00 to	6 40
do, medium.....	5 40 to	6 00
do, common.....	4 00 to	5 00
do, cows, choice.....	5 00 to	5 50
do, medium.....	5 00 to	5 50
do, common.....	3 00 to	3 50
do, bulls.....	3 00 to	4 50
Feeding steers.....	5 00 to	5 50
do, bulls.....	3 40 to	3 50
Canners and cutters... \$	2 00 to	3 00
Milkers, choice, each... \$	60 00 to	75 00
do, com. and med..... \$	30 00 to	45 00
Springers.....	40 00 to	60 00
Calves.....	3 50 to	9 00
Lambs.....	6 00 to	6 20
Sheep, ewes, light... \$	4 00 to	4 25
do, heavy.....	3 00 to	3 50
Bucks and culls..... \$	2 50 to	3 50
Hogs, fed and watered... \$	8 75	
do, f. o. b.....	8 35	

East Buffalo, Oct. 1.—Cattle—Receipts, 500 head; slow and steady. Veals—active, \$4 to \$11.75, a few \$12.00. Hogs—Receipts, 400 head; slow and 5c to 10c up; pigs 25c up; heavy, \$8.85 to \$9.00; mixed, \$9 to \$9.10; porkers, \$7.25 to \$9.05; pigs, \$8.10 to \$8.25; roughs, \$7.40 to \$7.60; stags, \$5 to \$7; dairies, \$8.50 to \$9.00; grassers, \$8.75 to \$9.00. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 6,000 head; sheep active and steady, lambs slow and 25c lower; lambs, \$4.50 to \$7.40.

As a result of checking by two Government inspectors, one North Bay hotel has been obliged to contribute another two thousand dollars to the provincial treasury, under the five per cent. clause of the Liquor License Act, and has been told to brush up on mathematics and avoid mistakes of like nature in the future.

COMMUNICATIONS.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for opinions expressed by correspondents.

RE WATFORD PUBLIC LIBRARY.

EDITOR GUIDE-ADVOCATE:—

Last spring I suggested to our Public Library Board the desirability of trying to get a grant from the Carnegie Corporation of New York to enable us to erect a suitable building here for our library and reading room in order to have proper accommodation and to be up-to-date with other towns. On behalf of the Library Board I was asked to do what I could in order to get a grant of \$9,000 for the purpose mentioned. We had failed to get it in the past. At first our request was not entertained but later on I succeeded in getting an agreement from said Carnegie Corporation to give us this amount on condition that we provide a suitable site for the building and maintain a free public library at a cost of not less than \$600 each year.

A good many people do not seem to understand this proposition. Some think that we will have to pay \$800 more than we are paying now. Others imagine we forfeit the government grant. Others have an idea we must pay \$900 over and above the books, magazines and newspapers we buy. Now all of these opinions are wrong. It will not cost our ratepayers for maintenance of our library one cent more in taxes than it does now by taking advantage of the Carnegie offer above referred to. If any person doubts this I am prepared to prove it. We get the same government and municipal grants as before. What we have to pay in rent will go towards buying more books, magazines, &c., than we get now and therefore increased grants from the government will be given. Increased revenue from other sources will also be the outcome and in other ways the expenditure will be easily made up and in fact we will have more than the required amount each year. The statute compels us at present to raise up to the small amount of one half mill on the dollar in taxes for maintenance of our public library and no more will be required and the statute is the same whether we have a Carnegie library or not.

The Board must get other premises and if as good or better at an increased rent, since they have only been paying about one half of what they should in the past, therefore, this is another reason a new building is an absolute necessity. It is cheaper to provide a site when the building and furnishing will cost us nothing than to pay rent. Now, as to the site. We should get a good one even if the price is more than for a poorer one. It is to be a permanent thing here and ought to be a credit to us. We should not be divided north and south ends or east and west sides. Let us all work together for the interest of the whole town. In fact I believe some of our citizens because they cannot get the Library where they want it do not want it at all. Others do not want it because they are not readers themselves. Some other because it will cost a very small amount each year for a few years to pay for a site do not want a library and the amount of extra taxes would be so small it would not be noticed. None of these reasons are worthy of any public-spirited citizen who is anxious for the welfare of our town.

The free library and reading room is just as much of a necessity as our public school to people who cannot afford to buy books, magazines and newspapers that they desire to read or should read. Many a person obtains a great store of knowledge from this source. The poor and middle classes especially have as much right to have a library as they have a public or high school and our students need it too. Just to think of it, \$6,000 agreed to be given us from a corporation in another country, merely by building a suitable library and not have to pay one cent more in taxes than we pay now, as stated, which was only \$184 last year and will be \$185 this year. Let us one and all be broadminded and try and help our town along instead of keeping it back. Good schools and good education raise the standard of any people and a good library and reading room is also a necessity in this direction. It is much better for our young people and others to be reading good books, etc., from a free library and at a free reading room than engaged in some less beneficial and elevating or in other places where the surroundings are not the best. We have an excellent librarian second to none, and our library board, I am pleased to say, is composed of intelligent men and women who are readers and know what is required and are anxious for the welfare of the community at large and only wish to do what is in the best interests of the town and should be encouraged in the good work, therefore do not put any stumbling block in the way.

Yours sincerely, W. E. FITZGERALD.

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Severin Ducharme, defeated liberal candidate against Hon. Dr. Reaume in the last provincial election in North Essex, has been appointed manager of the Belle River branch of the Home Bank.



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WYOMING.

A horse belonging to Harold Anderson got caught in a barbed wire fence on Tuesday while pasturing at Alex. Robinson's, townline, and was so badly injured that it had to be killed. The animal was a valuable one.

Reeve Wilson, of Wyoming, is particularly happy this week over the receipt of a cheque for one hundred dollars which he received on Blue Monday from Ottawa. The cheque is charged to the Fenian Raid account. Mr. Wilson was a member of No. 2 Co., 27th Battalion, stationed at Sarnia, and, although he and the other members of the Co. didn't see any fighting, they had eaten ginger enough to get their dander up and had they been let loose no doubt the state of Michigan would now have been under British rule. Jim doesn't know whether to have the cheque framed or cash it at the bank.

There is considerable sickness in the village at present. A nephew of J. P. Germain is suffering from typhoid fever; Mr. A. J. Sver, the venerable woollen manufacturer is very low; Mrs. Brooks and Mrs. Wheeler are ill. Mr. Syer is one of the oldest residents of Wyoming.

J. D. Drummond, Clerk of McGillivray, was the holder of the lucky ticket, No. 480, which he drew at the Western Fair, giving him a \$200 acetylene light outfit.

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The annual convention of the North Lambton Sabbath School Association will be held as follows—Sarnia Baptist church, Monday, Oct. 14; Bosanquet, Theford Presbyterian church, Tuesday, Oct. 15; Warwick Village Methodist church, Wednesday, Oct. 16; Plympton, Wyoming Methodist and Presbyterian churches, Thursday, Oct. 17.

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