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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

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

THE wool clip is coming in freely. A FEW nifty coats left at SWIFTS.

JUNE—the month of weddings, strawberries, church conventions and political elections.

THE Sacred Concert advertised for Sunday was cancelled on account of the heat on the preceding days.

ALTA is getting to be a big girl now and wishes in future to be addressed by the more dignified name of Alberta.

THE June session of the Lambton county council opened in Sarnia on Monday. Reeve Stapleford is in attendance.

THE new long beads at SWIFTS.

SUMMER SHOES and slippers in great variety at P. DODDS & SON. Call and see our women's white slippers at \$1.00.

THERE will be a meeting of the Rifle Club at the Armory on Friday next at 8 p. m. All members are requested to be present.

W. C. BROWNE & SON have purchased the Alvinston furniture and undertaking business, from the estate of the late D. Genge.

THERE will be morning service and a celebration of the Holy Communion in Trinity church next Sunday. Sermon for children.

OUR wash dress goods will please.—SWIFTS.

THE Ontario Motor League is placing thousands of road signs about Western Ontario for the convenience of touring automobilists.

FOR SALE—Heintzman Co. piano (new). Must be sold at once. No reasonable offer refused.—Mrs. CHAS. CONNOR, R. E. No. 2, Watford.

THE date of the Ontario general election was announced on Friday last. Nominations will be on June 22nd and election on June 29th.

THE Watford Citizen's Band is open for engagements at garden parties, socials, etc. Six-piece orchestra in connection. For terms and dates apply to P. J. Dodds.

OUR waterproof coats keep out the water or no pay.—SWIFTS.

THE 56th annual meeting of the Canadian Press Association will be held at the Royal Muskoka Hotel, Muskoka Lakes, on the 26th and 27th of June.

THE entrance examinations will be held at the appointed centres of the East Lambton inspectorate the third week of June, beginning on Wednesday, 17th.

THE Methodist district conference at Kingston passed a resolution to the effect that no minister of that district would buy magazines that contained advertisements of intoxicating liquors.

EPWORTH League services in the Methodist church on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Leader, Mr. Moody. Topic, "What does God's Fatherhood imply to me, here and now?"

WE have a good stock of rugs, the wanted sizes.—SWIFTS.

DANDELIONS are a nuisance to those who wish to keep tidy lawns. Experiments at the Agricultural College show that the weed may be killed by a spray of a solution of iron sulphate.

THERE is one thing that puzzles the Kincardine Review. It does not see why everybody tries to crowd into the front seats at a concert and the back seats at church.

THE touchiest man we know is the fellow who when assured that the June bug crop would be scarce this year, grumbled because the June bride crop promises to be large.

THE semi-annual meeting of the East Lambton County Orange Lodge will be held in the rooms of L. O. L. 505, Watford, on Wednesday next, June 10th, at 1 o'clock. Full attendance requested.—K. J. Lucas, Co. Master.

REV. A. E. DOAN, B. A., B. D., of Malahide, son of Mr. Frank Doan, Watford, preached an excellent sermon in the Methodist church, here, last Sunday evening. He left Monday for Sarnia to attend the meeting of the stationing committee of the London Conference.

LOCAL Woodmen of the World will attend divine service in Trinity Church next Sunday evening, June 7th. The pastor, Rev. S. P. Irwin, will preach. The Woodmen are requested to meet at their lodge room at 6.30. Visiting brethren invited.

THOSE who are fond of working out puzzles may tackle the following: A certain family in Lincoln consists of one grandfather, two grandmothers, one father-in-law, two mothers-in-law, three mothers, two fathers, two daughters, one son, one son-in-law, two daughters-in-law, one granddaughter, and there are only six persons in the family.

THE Citizen's Band will give the first open air concert of the season on Friday evening of next week when they will appear in their handsome new uniforms. The boys have put in a steady winter's practice and have some excellent new selections. Turn out and hear them. The band and orchestra are open for engagements at socials at a very reasonable price and deserve the patronage of the public.

WATCH for Harper Bros. announcement of cut-rate sale of furniture next week.

MRS. NATHAN THORNER has sold her vacant lot on Rachel street, here, to Stephen Kelly.

SIXTY-FIVE BARS of logs were shipped from the G. T. R. station here, this year since sleighing commenced.

JOHN COWAN, K. C. is spoken of as the opponent of Hon. W. J. Hanna, in the coming contest in West Lambton.

BLACK silk coats at SWIFTS.

A NUMBER of Watford Woodmen went to Arkona Tuesday evening to take part in the unveiling ceremony at the resting place of a deceased member.

THE regular meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. L. Miller, on Wednesday evening June 10th. Visitors welcome.—SAC.

THE application for increase of salary made by the public school teachers has not been complied with by the Board and the amounts will remain the same as last year.

THE notice to close Birnam postoffice on 30th May has been countermanded by the postoffice department. A petition asking for it to be kept open will be considered by the authorities.

EAST LAMBTON Farmers' Institute excursion to O.A.C., Guelph, on Thursday, June 11th. Train leaves Kingscourt 6.37 a.m., fare \$2.80; Watford 6.45, fare \$2.70; Kerwood 6.55, fare \$2.70.

A QUIET wedding was solemnized in the Methodist parsonage on Tuesday, May 26th, when the Rev. H. E. Currie joined together Mr. Abel McDonald and Mrs. Sadie Jones, both of Euphemia.

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HALLIE POTTER, son of Principal Potter, of the W.H.S., on Sept. 1st, 1913, swallowed the pin nearly three inches in length, which caused at the time considerable hemorrhage. In three weeks he awoke at midnight with the pin, minus the head, crosswise in his mouth from which he extracted it with difficulty. Since that time his throat has been in a catarrhal condition—so much so that it was deemed advisable to keep him out of school. On Tuesday afternoon while playing with some of his chums he coughed up the missing head. It will now be quite in order for the Watford medical men, for whose judgment we have great respect, to rise and state, (1) where was the pin during the three weeks and how could it come up the lad's throat point first and not inflict injury, (2) where has the head been during the past nine months. It is needless to state that Hallie is somewhat jubilant and will not be likely to repeat the swallowing stunt.

PERSONAL.

Miss M. Brock, Petrola, spent Wednesday with her aunt, Miss Clara Morgan.

Mrs. James Tyler and son, of Bath, Mich., are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Kelly.

Mrs. J. Sid McLeay and family left for Edmonton, on Tuesday, to join Mr. McLeay, who is located there.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Aylesworth and children, of Inwood, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. H. F. Aylesworth.

L. D. Caldwell, wife and family, St. Thomas, motored through Watford, on Wednesday on their way to Hillsboro.

Messrs. Gerald Taylor, London, and Charley Lamont, Detroit, spent the weekend with their cousin, Stanley Rogers.

Rev. H. E. Currie, Messrs. D. A. Maxwell and B. H. Parker, are in Sarnia this week attending the Methodist conference.

Mrs. Marion Prior and daughter Marian, of Columbus, Ohio, are visiting Mrs. Prior's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Kelly.

Dr. and Mrs. Eccles and niece, Miss Duffy, London, motored here Saturday, and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. W. McLeay.

Miss Clara Tye, nurse in training at the Western Hospital, Toronto, was home this week attending her sister's wedding.

Dr. C. F. Kenward, wife and son, Hobart, Indiana, are spending a few days with the doctors' parents, Col. and Mrs. Kenward.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Fuller, Mrs. Dr. Brown, Mr. Eacrest and Mr. Stanley Williams, motored from Sarnia to Watford this week, the guests of W. S. Fuller.

Mr. G. H. Cowan, K. C. Vancouver, B. C. called on relatives and friends in this vicinity this week. He reports all former Lambton people in that city, doing well.

Mr. C. Potter, Miss H. B. Mitchell and Miss H. E. A. McCaw have been appointed examiners in Math., English and Classics, respectively, at the coming Departmental and University Examinations.

WATFORD PUBLIC SCHOOL

HONOR ROLL FOR MAY.

Fourth Class—Sr.—Theresa Logan, Jean McManus, Bessie Forster, Elleda Moody, Kathleen Elliot, Ada Spackman, Mildred Fortune, Melvin Lucas, Ross Restorick, John Bruce, Bruce Trenouth, Geraldine Elliot, Jr.—Sadie Howden, Florence Cooke, Esther Weight, Margaret Cameron, Roger Thorner, Florence Roberts, La Cook, Marjory Swift, Jack Irwin, Barrie Vail, Carman McCormick, Pearl Caley, George Chambers, Earl Logan.—W. H. SHRAPNELL, Principal.

Third Class—Sr.—Orville Fuller, Wilfred Jamieson, Lillian McKecher, Helen Hamilton, Evelyn Hastings, Alvin Styles, Norman Trenouth, Mammie Moir, Helen Barron, Deloise Dodds, Mary Fowler, Spence Bruce, Harold Roche, Orville McGillicuddy, Clifford Abbott, Jr.—Elsie Browdy, Vernon White, Florence Lambert, Claire Lambert, Ernest Mc-

Kercher, (Elsie Weight, May Higoins) equal, Eulalie Logan, Earl Dobbin, Frank Roberts.—E. HUMB, Teacher.

Second Class—Evelyn Williamson, Romaine Thorne, Beatrice Cooke, Florence Doan, Rebe Bruce, Elgin Kersey, Gertrude Fulcher, Jack Davies, Robert McLeay, Irene Willson, Mervyn Williamson, Frank McGillicuddy, Aileen Winkie, Wesley Shepherd, Stanley Mitchell.—M. WAUGH, Teacher.

Part Second Class—Sr.—Stanley Trenouth, Irene Graham, Family Graham, Dorothy Fowler, Phileas Rapson, (Louise Pentland, Doris McLeay) equal, Keith Spackman, Gwendolyn Cook, Margaret Irwin, Nettie Spalding, Frank McCormick, Sidney Macnally, Jack McGillicuddy, Charlie Barron, Esther McKecher, Willie Spalding, Stanley Bennett, Jr.—Ivy Chapman, Gladys Kersey, Burton Roberts, Keith Dodds, Fred Durstan, Alma Brooks.—L. M. CAMERON, Teacher.

PRIMARY ROOM.

Part II.—Florence Lovell, Donald Vail, Reginald Logan, Stella Cleland, Dorothy McLeay, Verna Coughlin, George Willoughby, Velma Restorick, Elsie Goodman.

Class II.—Beatrice McNally, Donald McKecher, Fred Fuller, Roy Cooke, Daisy Macnally, Jean Rapson, Aileen Spalding, Clare Thorne, Harold Wilson, Geraldine Durstan.

Class III.—Eric Craig, Kenneth Fulcher, George McCormick, Sidney McLeay, Teresa McManus, Frances Lovell, Ella Pearce, Marjory Prentiss, Wilson Howden.

Class IV.—(Lloyd McGillicuddy, Derwood Butler) equal, Beverly Dodds, Alec Rapson, Thelma Spackman, Alfred White, Garnet Jamieson.—M. REID, Teacher.

Halward-Tye

Trinity Church was the scene of a quiet wedding on Tuesday at high noon, when Miss Ethel Maude Tye, third daughter of Mrs. Mary Tye, became the wife of Mr. William John Halward, of London. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. S. P. Irwin, B. A., rector of the church, and the bridal couple were unattended, only immediate relatives witnessing the ceremony. The bride was costumed in a blue serge travelling suit with toque to match. After luncheon at the family residence, Huron St., the bridal couple left on the New York express for Toronto and other eastern points for the honeymoon, followed by the congratulations of many friends. They will be at home in London after June 15th.

BORN.

In Enniskillen, on Wednesday, May 20th, 1914, to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Metcalfe, a daughter.

In Plympton, Monday, May 25th, to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Metcalfe, a daughter.

In Plympton, Thursday, May 21st, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank King, a son.

In Watford, on Friday, May 29th, to Mr. and Mrs. John Hoskin, a son.

MARRIED.

At Trinity Church, Watford, on Tuesday, June 2nd, 1914, by the Rev. S. P. Irwin, Miss Ethel Maude Tye, of Watford, to Mr. William John Halward, of London.

In Hespeler, on Wednesday, May 20, Rev. A. J. Loydell, of Inwood, to Miss Rose Buckner, of Hespeler.

At the home of the bride's father, on Tuesday, May 26th, 1914, by the Rev. Fletcher Sutcliffe, brother of the bride, Mr. George Emerson Patterson, of Plympton, to Evangeline, daughter of Mr. Thos. Sutcliffe, of Forest.

On Tuesday, June 2nd, 1914, in London, Miss W. D. Eckert, to Robinson T. Orr, both of London.

DIED.

In Metcalfe, on Friday, June 22nd, 1914, Charles Brown, aged 79 years, 10 months and 10 days.

Watford Civilian Rifle Association

The end of May being the time allowed for the first series of 40 rounds, to be fired in two classes viz., 'A' and 'B', below is given the best shots in each class. The highest in each class is the winner of the first round for each trophy. The trophies consist of two gold watches which were purchased with money on hand by the old Rifle Club.

Conditions of shoot.—The watches to be held by winners for the succeeding three months. These watches to be fired for every three months, until they have been won three times, not necessarily in succession.

Class 'A'—9 best scores

Martin Wm. Davies.....156
L. H. Cook.....149
J. O. Brush.....146
M. James.....144
D. Roche.....143
A. McKecher.....140
B. Cowan.....139
Jno. Osborne.....134
Basil Saunders.....132

Class 'B'—5 best scores

G. Stephenson.....146
C. Willson.....146
E. Watson.....135
C. Butler.....129
Rev. S. P. Irwin.....128
J. T. Kelly.....120

Tie fired on Monday June 1st, between C. Willson and Geo. Stephenson resulted in a win for Mr. Stephenson by 5 points. Scores: Stephenson 38; C. W. Willson 33.

BASEBALL

The W. H. S. Invincibles have made a good start this season. With Forster in the box and McPheeran at the plate, many stars meet their Waterloo. On the 25th of May they won a double header. The first victim was Glencoe, being beaten in a close game by a score of 10 to 9. The Alvinston H. S. team also met defeat by a score of 19 to 7. Forster pitched the first game and the last five innings of the last game. McPheeran did the rest. Lineup:

WATFORD ALVINSTON
A. McPheeran.....c.....P. Leach
M. Forster.....1st.....J. Lindsay
C. Roche.....2nd.....J. Roche
V. Johnston.....3rd.....P. McDonald
M. Hagle.....4th.....E. Hussey
B. Currie.....5th.....R. Graham
C. Coode.....6th.....E. Kerr
E. Prentiss.....7th.....A. McHachran
W. Bruce.....8th.....S. Graham

In Warwick Village on Tuesday night the Invincibles defeated the Warwick Red Socks 14 to 7. A big crowd of rooters accompanied the visiting team. Happy Newell was driven from the box early in the game and was succeeded by Big Chief Gariside. Being no other pitchers there the Invincibles allowed him to stay there. Lineup:

WATFORD WARWICK
A. McPheeran.....c.....Barnes
M. Forster.....1st.....R. Gariside
C. Roche.....2nd.....G. Newell
V. Johnston.....3rd.....G. Newell
E. Hicks.....4th.....Ross
B. Currie.....5th.....K. Ross
C. Cooke.....6th.....B. Fenner
E. Prentiss.....7th.....L. Cook
W. Bruce.....8th.....W. Smith
B. Mitchell, umpire.

WARWICK.

Miss Eva Smith spent last Tuesday, in London.

Mr. J. F. Smith and son Friend, were in Sarnia this week.

Bethel S. School purpose holding their annual picnic to Hillsboro, June 12th.

The Reeve and Deputy-Reeve are in Sarnia this week attending the county council.

Mrs. Robt. Campbell has returned from Chicago, where she has been visiting for several months.

The Women's Institute will meet in the Foresters' Hall, on Thursday, June 11th, at 2.30 p.m.—SAC.

Miss Mary McGugan, Strathroy, was the guest of her friend Miss S. Grace Luckham, for the week end.

Mrs. Bruce Faulds, 4th line, and little children are having a two weeks visit at the former's old home at Muncey.

The topic at the Epworth League meeting at Zion Church next Sunday evening will be led by Mrs. Wallace Spalding and Mrs. J. F. Parker.

A cheese meeting will be held in the Sixth Line Factory on Friday evening, June 5th, at 8.30 o'clock. All interested are requested to be present.

About two weeks ago Zion Congregational church organized a Ladies Aid with the following officers, president Mrs. W. H. Luckham; Vice Pres., Mrs. C. E. Smith; Secretary Miss Annie Cooper; Treasurer Miss Pearl McCormick. The first meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Luckham, last Wednesday afternoon with a membership of 15.

On Monday morning of this week when Mr. C. E. Smith's hired man was taking a heavy load of milk and cream to the Birnam cheese and butter factory, the team became frightened on reaching the corner near the store, and ran to the factory. The driver was thrown off and the wagon upset by striking a stump. About a ton of milk and cream was split, the cans being very badly damaged and the harness was all broken.

The Victoria Day celebration on the 25th was a great success. There was a big attendance, and the program opened with a procession. Games and races were pulled off, with the following results:—Boys race, 7 to 9.—Geo. Jones, Grant Jones, G. Morningstar. Boys race, 9 to 12.—R. Smith, D. Kimball, Boys race, 12 to 15.—C. Smith, H. Ferguson, F. Moore. Men's race—Sam Maw, R. Ellerker, D. Hill. Girl's race, 7 to 9.—Eva Smith, Grace Thompson, May Morris. Girl's race, 9 to 12.—May Barnes, Greta Smith, Lily Dixon. Young ladies race.—Pearl Wells, Etta Thompson, Nellie Barnes. Hop, step and jump.—R. Ellerker, Stan. Maw, D. Hill. Trotting race.—R. Koss, W. Blain, W. Smith. The ball game between the Warwick and the Plympton Comets was a hard fight, the score being 24 to 16 in favor of the home team.

BROOKE

Service in St. James' Church, Brooke, on Sunday afternoon at 2.30. Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

Edward Lucas has sold his 75 acre farm, being a part of lot 1 the 14th con. of Brooke township, to Jas. Capes.

Miss Hazel Moore, tenth line, Brooke, who has been stenographer for the Laughlin Realty Limited, St. Thomas, has now become manager of the office.

West Brooke Debating Society has decided to hold an ice cream social on Mr. Jas. Coke's lawn on Tuesday evening, June 9th. A good program will be provided.

MRS. MABEN WAS MADE WELL

By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Wants Other Suffering Women To Know It.

Murfreesboro, Tenn. — "I have wanted to write to you for a long time to tell you what your wonderful remedies have done for me. I was a sufferer from female weakness and displacement and I would have such tired, worn out feelings, sick headaches and dizzy spells. Doctors did me no good so I tried the Lydia E. Pinkham Remedies — Vegetable Compound and Sanative Wash. I am now well and strong and can do all my own work. I owe it all to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and want other suffering women to know about it." — Mrs. H. E. MABEN, 211 S. Spring St., Murfreesboro, Tenn.

This famous remedy, the medicinal ingredients of which are derived from native roots and herbs, has for nearly forty years proved to be a most valuable tonic and invigorator of the female organism. Women everywhere bear willing testimony to the wonderful virtue of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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HOME HINTS

See a little of your neighbors and the outside world. A house-bound woman is generally a dull woman and often a cross one.

Baltimore Sun: Although woman is, and admittedly so, a compound of complex perplexity, a paradox, yet she is with all her opposites, vagaries and whimsicalities, in everything that makes for joy and good in the home, and on this mundane sphere, the life-spring of existence.

If all the parents taught their children how to hoe a garden or milk a cow, the high cost of living would come down to earth. It's teaching the boys how to thump the piano, and the girls how to tango and drink pink tea, that will make potatoes ten dollars a barrel faster than anything else. — Lethbridge Herald.

Papers contain very many reports of operations for appendicitis, the ailment seeming to be epidemic. If people would observe the old rules for health — keep the bowels moving

Every Woman

WINDSOR SUPPLY CO. Windsor, Ont.

freely by drinking more water, eating more fruit and less rich cakes and pastry there would be fewer cases for doctors. Try the simple life and out out luxuries and see how it will work out.

Horticulture on the Dominion Experimental Farms

At the Central Experimental Farm and Stations distributed over the Dominion a large amount of investigational work is carried on year after year in the growing of fruits, vegetables and flowers. The purpose of this work is to discover and develop not only improved varieties and strains of these crops but to find out the most successful methods of culture for the different provinces and districts.

The result of last season's work has been brought together in a summary prepared by Mr. W. T. Macoun, Dominion Horticulturist, and the Superintendents of the Branch Farms and Stations and issued in Bulletin No. 77, copies of which are available to all who apply for them to the Publications Branch of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa.

Referring to apples at the Brandon Manitoba Farm the bulletin states that a large number of hybrid trees are doing well. These are stated to be bearing fruit which makes excellent preserves and jelly.

At Lethbridge Alberta culture with and without irrigation was carried on. Sections dealing with ornamental gardening are especially interesting and instructive to those who take pride in the appearance of their home surroundings.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quick medicine. It is prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Woman

Woman, wherever found, is the same kind, civil, obliging, tender, being inclined to be gay and cheerful but timorous and modest.

There is in every woman's heart a spark of heavenly fire which beams and blazes in the hours of adversity, and men can be great when great occasions call. In little duties women fill their sphere, narrow cares that cluster round the hearth.

She is the beautiful mosaic arch in the common home; the every day home where men entertain angels unawares and where she smooths to placid peace the rough and rugged places in the highways of existence. If taken in the abstract, woman is superior to man in this, i.e., that pain and anguish, grief and sorrow, affliction and poverty, are but stepping stones on which she climbs above the narrow sphere which he calls life and "she it is who is last at the cross and earliest at the grave." While her heart is loyal to home, love and duty, her head often gets light as air and by reason of conflicting circumstances she is easily influenced, and led astray.

Fashion, that invidious siren, is one of the chief tempters and but very few women can resist her artless caprices.

It is said that Satan employed Fashion to assist him in the downfall of the human race and perhaps the aphorism is correct for this earthly idol is worshipped in many homes, and if the love of money is the root of all evil, the love of dress is the main trunk of the tree of extravagance which is too often wrecked in the tempest of bankruptcy.

The Age of Cement

The stone age, as our anthropologists speak of it, is the time long ago, when men used nothing but stone and wood in their implements of the hunt and of the household. A great advance in civilization was made when the first man burnt a piece of

iron stone and procured iron. The result was the iron age. It is a common saying that history repeats itself. As man developed from the use of stone to the use of iron in his hunting implements, so man has in more recent times developed from stone to iron in his building material, and this second change has been almost as important as the first. But there are those who object to progress. The stonemasons do not like to be left out of the count. While iron has taken the place of stone as the supporting structure of building, cement, either poured on in blocks, is taking the place of the stone facing with which iron buildings are veneered. The masons of Montreal have protested to the Mayor against any use of cement blocks in any work that is done for the city. King Canute sitting on his chair far out on the beach just above low tide level and forbidding the tide to come in, was no more ridiculous than those who are to-day trying to stop the substitution of cement and concrete blocks in building, for stone blocks. The masons claim that the stone is more lasting than the cement.

Dog Ate Flesh of Master's Dead Body

Horrible Tragedy of Northern Trail Discovered by Partner of Dead Man

News of a grim tragedy of the north country has been reported to the B. C. provincial authorities. It is the lonely death of a prospector and of a horrible sequence.

In April S. W. T. Mazanero, a colored miner who is well known in the north country, arrived in Atlin in an insane condition of mind. He reported that he had, a few days before, found his partner dead on the trail — murdered by Indians. Mazanero had his feet frozen and told several stories of the tragedy. The following day the police found the body of the partner, whose name was J. E. Simon, also a negro. The police, after thoroughly investigating the case, concluded that Simon had died of heart failure. He had been troubled with his heart. On February 7th he had left for his claim on Willow creek, remarking that he hoped he would get over the divide all right, as his heart was bad. Apparently he was stooping down to fix a broken snowshoe when he was overcome. The weather was warm as he put his toque in his pocket.

The horrible part of the tragedy was that his collie dog stayed by the body and had eaten a large part of it when the remains were discovered by the partner, about a month later. The horror of it affected the mind of Mazanero.

The Naval Reserve

Arrangements are progressing regarding the volunteer naval reserve, the formation of which has just been authorized. The force at first will be limited to 1200 men, and instruction will be in seamanship, signalling, gun and rifle drill, wireless telegraphy, electricity, etc. It is expected that the first companies in Eastern Canada will be at Halifax, St. John, Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa and Toronto.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

THE WESTERN FAIR Sept. 11th to 19th

The management of the Western Fair, London, Ontario, are sending out this week thousands of their Prize Lists, Maps, Hangers, etc. Although they were unfortunate in the loss of their offices by fire, other quarters have been promptly secured and the work of preparing for the great Exhibition will be carried on with greater zeal than ever. \$1500.00 in cash has been added to the Prize Lists this year, thus making it very attractive, especially for Live Stock Breeders and Exhibitors. Several new sections have been added especially in the Horse Department which should bring a large exhibit. Prize Lists, Entry Forms and all information regarding the Exhibition will be promptly given on application to the Secretary, A. M. Hunt, London, Ontario.

Origin of Blankets

The cold winter of 1340 gave us the blanket. Its inventor, Thomas Blanket, was a Flemish merchant, settled in Bristol, and fallen from affluence to want. He and his wife suffering from the intense cold by reason of scanty bedding and lack of fuel, he searched for something to put on the bed to increase the warmth, and hit on a piece of rough unfinished cloth that had been thrown to waste. Its success as a warmth-giver suggested the manufacture of special bed covers of the same material, and these articles to which he gave his own name, won him wealth and immortality.

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A Smile or Two Fire at Petrolea

"Pa, did you eat any of the cook's dough?" "Of course not, child. What makes you ask that?" "Because I heard ma say she was going to make you cough it up."

Colored gent (rising from his seat in street car) — "Have my seat, ma'am. Polite lady — Oh, don't let me deprive you."

Colored gent — "No depravity at all, ma'am; no depravity."

Tommy — "I say, mamma, do fairy tales always begin with 'Once upon a time?'"

Mamma — "No, dear, not always; they sometimes begin with 'My love, I have been detained at the office again tonight.'"

Owing to fog, says 'Everybody's,' a steamer stopped in the mouth of a river. An old lady inquired of the captain the cause of the delay.

"Can't see up the river," replied the officer.

"But, captain, I can see the stars overhead," she argued.

"Yes," said the captain, gruffly, "but until the boilers burst we ain't agoin' that way."

A simple-hearted and truly devout country preacher, who had tasted but few drinks in the world, took dinner with a high-toned family, where a glass of milk punch was quietly set down by each plate. In silence and happiness the new Vicar of Wakefield quaffed his goblet, and then added: "Madame, you should daily thank God for such a good cow."

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Men talk during courtship; women after marriage. A successful man may owe it all to his wife's father. Often a girl encourages a young man just to keep in practice. There are as many different ways of being mean as there are people. About the cheapest brand of amusement is watching a pretty woman eating corn off a cob. Every properly constructed mother thinks children were a lot more obedient when she was a girl. It takes a woman with true courage to refrain from wearing a heavy veil if she has a faulty complexion. No doubt life would be one grand, sweet song if we could only endure our own troubles as easily as we can endure the troubles of others. Yesterday is gone, today is yours, tomorrow you may not be here. Get busy! It is so often said that we appreciate most of the things we work the hardest for. The appreciation of their husbands by some wives must be something beautiful to behold — measured by this standard.

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May Crop Report

Ottawa, May 19.—The Census and Statistics Office in a bulletin issued today states that according to returns from its crop correspondents, made on May 6th, about 19 p. c. of the area sown to fall wheat in Ontario has been winter-killed, this percentage representing a reduction of 132,000 acres, i. e. from 684,000 acres, the area sown, to 552,000 acres, the area expected to be harvested.

In Alberta, the other large fall wheat province, fall wheat has been killed to the extent of 15.6 p. c., representing 36,000 acres, which will make the area to be harvested 198,000 acres instead of 229,000 acres, the area sown last fall. At the corresponding date last year the percentages reported of fall wheat killed during the winter of 1912-13 were for Ontario 18 p. c. and for Alberta 43.5 p. c., so that whilst the winter killing of wheat in Ontario is this year slightly more than it was last year, in Alberta it is very considerably less, this favorable result being attributable to the mild winter in the West. The total area estimated to be sown to fall wheat, including besides Ontario and Alberta, 3,000 acres in Manitoba, 78,000 acres in Saskatchewan and 2,700 acres in British Columbia, was 1,006,700, now reduced by winter killing in Ontario and Alberta to 838,700 acres.

The condition of fall wheat on May 6th was in Ontario returned as 81.3 p. c. and in Alberta as 87.3 p. c. of a standard representing the promise of a full crop, the percentages on April 30th, 1913, being 83.4 p. c. in Ontario, and 76 p. c. in Alberta. For all Canada, the condition of fall wheat on May 6th this year was 83 p. c. of the standard, or 103 p. c. of the average condition of the past five years represented by 100. On April 30th, 1913, the corresponding figures of condition of fall wheat for all Canada were 82 p. c. of a standard or 101 p. c. of the average condition of the previous four years. The condition of the fall wheat crop this year is, in fact, superior to that of any year since 1910 when the record was over 89 p. c. of the standard.

Upon the whole, spring seeding was well advanced except in the Maritime provinces, where the spring this year is reported as abnormally late and in Quebec where not more than from 3 to 5 p. c. of spring seeding was reported to have been done by May 6th. In Ontario at this date about 24 p. c. of wheat, 43 p. c. of oats and 41 p. c. of barley had been got in, and 40 p. c. of the total seeding was reported as completed on May 6th as against the same proportion last year on April 30th. In Manitoba 57, in Saskatchewan 79 and in Alberta 88 p. c. of the spring wheat crop was reported as seeded by May 6th, these proportions comparing favorably with the progress reported last year on April 30th. For the five provinces of Quebec, Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta the proportion of seeding reported as effected on May 6th was about 48 p. c. for wheat, 23 p. c. for oats, 16 p. c. for barley and 37 p. c. for all crops.

About 14 p. c. of the area in hay and clover meadows is reported as winter-killed as compared with 22 p. c. last year. The average condition of these crops on May 6th was 86.7 p. c. as compared with 89.6 p. c. last year and 74.6 in 1912.

The condition of the live stock remains generally satisfactory, being reported for all Canada as over 90 p. c. of a standard representing a healthy and thrifty state.

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Great Increase in Farming Area

Ottawa, May 21.—The total land area of the nine provinces of Canada, says the Census and Statistics Monthly, has increased from 976,532,900 acres in 1901 to 1,401,316,413 acres in 1911, the increase being due to the extension of the boundaries of Quebec, Ontario and Manitoba, less a decrease in British Columbia arising chiefly out of the Alaskan boundary award of 1903. The area of farm land occupied has grown from 78,426,586 acres in 1901 to 109,777,085 in 1911, and has changed the proportion of the land occupied from 7.95 to 7.18 per cent. of the total area. It is estimated that within the boundaries of the nine provinces an area of 440,931,000 acres is of value for agriculture. This is only 31 per cent. of the total area, and the estimation takes no account of the forest and swamp lands which may ultimately be tilled, nor of the northern areas which are unexplored and unsurveyed.

One of the commonest complaints of infants is worms, and the most effective application for them is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

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Some Provisions of the Irish Home Rule Bill

The Irish Home Rule bill, which passed the British House of Commons for the third time Monday, and will become law whether the House of Lords assents or not, contains the following provisions:—

A senate of 40 members, a House of Commons of 164 members.

Irish Parliament cannot legislate on peace or war, navy, army or any naval or military force, foreign relations, trade outside Ireland except certain taxation, coinage or legal tender.

It cannot make any law either directly or indirectly to establish or endow any religion or prohibit the free exercise thereof or give a preference privilege or advantage or impose any disability or disadvantage on account of religious belief or religious or ecclesiastical status, or make any religious belief or religious ceremony a condition of the validity of any marriage.

Temporary restrictions are placed on legislation on land purchases, old age pensions, national insurance, labor exchanges, Royal Irish Constabulary, post office and other saving banks and friendly societies.

The executive remains invested in the sovereign or in his representative.

Forty-two members still will be sent from Ireland to the British House of Commons.

The judicial committee of the Privy Council to give the final decision as to the constitutional validity of any act passed by the Irish Parliament.

The Irish exchequer to defray the cost of the Irish administration except for reserved services mentioned above.

The imperial exchequer to pay an annual sum to the Irish exchequer, starting at \$2,500,000 and eventually, after six years, becoming a permanent payment of \$1,000,000 annually.

An Oil of Merit.—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is not a jumble of medicinal substances thrown together and pushed by advertising, but the result of the careful investigation of the curative qualities of certain oils as applied to the human body. It is a rare combination and it won and kept public favor from the first. A trial of it will carry conviction to any who doubt its power to repair and heal.

New Regulations to Protect Live Poultry

As the result of efforts on the part of the Humane Societies of Ontario new regulations for the shipping of live poultry have been adopted by the Express Traffic Association, after conference with the packing houses and approved by the Board of Railway Commissioners. In the future only coops of standard size and construction may be used. The new coops must have sides, ends and tops slatted and tops with slats more than one and half-inch apart; must be protected by wire netting. Coops containing chickens and ducks must not be less than 12 inches nor more than 16 inches in height, while coops for geese or turkeys must not be less than 16 inches nor more than 22 inches in height. The regulations provide also that coops must not exceed 39 inches in width and 48 inches in length.

The Board of Railway Commissioners have approved of the new regulations and after January 1, 1915, shipments of poultry not conforming to these regulations will be refused. Until that time coops will be accepted which do not conform to these measurements, but which have sides, ends and tops slatted.

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Because some part of every dollar I spend at home stays at home and helps work for the welfare of the town and country.
Because the home man I buy from stands back of the goods thus always giving value received.
Because I sell what I produce to my home people, be it labor or goods.
Because the man I buy from pays his share of the town and country taxes.
Because the man I buy from helps the poor and needy, our school, our churches, our lodges and homes.
Many things that you consider hard luck would be good luck to others.
There's never a cloud without a silver lining—but there is not always a cloud with the silver lining.

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Strong vigorous men and women hardly ever catch cold; it's only when the system is run down and vitality low that colds and coughs get a foothold.

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Ontario Agriculture

Points from the report of Hon. J. S. Duff, Ontario Minister of Agriculture, which has just been issued:—
Women's Institutes total over 800, with 25,000 members.
There are now over 200 farmers' clubs in the province.
Horticultural societies now have a total membership of 14,000.
The total attendance at Farmers' and Women's Institutes last year totalled 267,759.
The deposits of farmers in the banks are estimated to total one hundred million dollars.
Attendance at the Ontario Veterinary College this term totalled 375, an increase over last year.
Over 200,000 annual reports of the Department and its various branches were distributed last year.
A new Poultry Building is now under course of construction for the Ontario

Agricultural College.
During 1912 Ontario shipped about 238,000 barrels of apples west, or about 48 per cent. of the total imports.
For the field crop competitions in 1913, 159 societies entered 3,500 competitors with 35,000 acres crops.
Cement tile for drainage is found by the College authorities to be durable where the soils were not acid or alkaline.

A Cure for Fever and Ague.—Disturbance of the stomach and liver always precede attacks of fever and ague, showing derangement of the digestive organs and deterioration in the quality of the blood. In these ailments Farnellee's Vegetable Pills have been found most effective, abating the fever and subduing the ague in a few days. There are many who are subject to these distressing disturbances and to these there is no better preparation procurable as a means of relief.

The man with an unlimited amount of courage is hard to discourage.

ARKONA

Mr. and Mrs. Moore, of Buffalo, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Garnet George.

Mr. B. Dickson, of Toronto, motored to town last week and has been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John Dickson.

We have just received a shipment of ladies' and children's canvas pumps and sandals for the hot weather.—Fuller Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ross, of Port Huron, Mich., are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ross.

Mrs. McKenzie, of Denver, Col., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Neff.

Mr. Nial Thorpe, of Rose City, Mich., is spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. J. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Fraser, of Port Huron, Mich., are spending a few days with Mrs. Fraser's mother, Mrs. G. M. Everest.

We have just received a number of new pieces of flowered crepes and voiles in the latest shades.—Fuller Bros.

The unveiling of the monument erected by the Woodmen of the World in honor of the late Dan Ross on Tuesday evening was well attended.

Miss Irene Downham, of Strathroy, spent Monday with her cousin, Miss Ila Huntley.

The millinery department will be closed for the season after June 20th.—Fuller Bros.

Messrs. T. Langan, Geo. Rivers, A. Johnston and W. Williams attended the Liberal Conservative convention held in Watford, May 29th.

The anniversary services in the Baptist church will be held Sunday, June 7th. Special music is being prepared by the choir and Mrs. A. Brown, of London. Everybody welcome. Rev. Prof. J. L. Gilmore, D.D. of McMaster University, Toronto, will preach morning and evening.

The regular meeting of the W. I. will be held in the basement of the Methodist Church, Saturday, June 6th, at 2.30 p.m. A full attendance is requested.

Surveyors of the hydro-rail between London and Sarnia started work on Monday working westward from London.

During June, July and August the general stores in Arkona will close on Wednesday at 12 o'clock.

Ladies' combination summer suits of underwear.—Brown Bros.

Mrs. Clayton Herrington spent the week end with friends in Sarnia.

Mrs. Will Sitlington is visiting with friends in Sarnia this week.

Try a straw hat for the hot weather. All the newest styles including panamas.—Brown Bros.

WATFORD COUNCIL.

Watford, May 29th, 1914.

Council met as Court of Revision at 11 o'clock, a.m., on the assessment roll for 1914. Members present Stapleford, Brown, McKercher and Doan, all of whom took their oath of office.

McKercher—Doan, that we reduce assessment of C. B. Matthews & Son on mill property \$700.—Carried.

Brown—McKercher, that the assessments of Robert Auld and Fred Matthews be sustained.—Carried.

McKercher—Doan, that we reduce the business assessment of Gordon Hollingsworth \$150.—Carried.

Lowry and Humphries be spelled as requested by appellant on assessment roll.—Carried.

McKercher—Brown, that the names of Robert John Ransley, Alfred Taylor and Joseph Sharp be added on assessment roll as M. F. & T. for properties named by appellant.—Carried.

Brown—McKercher, that name N. C. Sterling be added as part owner of property on John street by appellant be not entertained.—Carried.

McKercher—Doan, that Orvil Doan be added joint with Frank Doan on lot 31 west John Street as M. F. & T. and that name on added list as M. F. be struck off.—Carried.

McKercher—Doan, that Henry McNally be struck off on lot 17, John street and be added as M. F. & T. on pt. lot 19, concession 5, St. Clair street.—Carried.

Brown—McKercher, that Court of Revision be now closed.—Carried.

W. S. FULLER, Clerk.

WARWICK COUNCIL

Warwick, May 25, 1914.

The council met to-day as per adjournment; members all present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

Hobbs—Dann, that we go into a Court of Revision on the assessment roll with the reeve in the chair.—Carried.

Laird—Cline, that the Court of Revision on the assessment roll be adjourned to June 22nd at one o'clock p.m., and that the clerk notify John Brock that his assessment would be raised \$600.00, he to have the right to appeal at the adjourned meeting.—Carried.

The following accounts were passed: Thos. Leach, services on new road, \$ 5.00 Geo. Prince, work on Lester drain, .65 40 Jas. Sayers, cutting weeds in 1913.. 2.00 Thos. Dodds, spikes furnished.... 1.10 Jno. Long, fence around town hall. 8.20

Dann—Cline, that the reeve and commissioner for No. 2 ward be a committee with power to act in connection with the repair of the Higgins local drain on Mr. T. Leach's farm.—Carried.

The council then adjourned to meet on June 22nd at one o'clock.

N. HERBERT, Clerk.

MARKETS

WATFORD

GRAIN AND SEEDS—

Wheat, fall, per bush..	\$ 98 @ \$ 98
Oats, per bush.....	36 36
Barley, per bush.....	45 50
Beans, per bush.....	1 25 2 00
Timothy.....	2 00 3 00
Clover Seed.....	7 00 12 00
Alsike.....	7 00 8 00

PROVISIONS—

Butter, per pound.....	18 18
Lard, ".....	18 18
Eggs, per doz.....	19 19
Pork.....	11 00 11 00
Flour, per cwt.....	2 25 3 00
Wheat, per cwt.....	25 00 30 00
Shots, per ton.....	29 00 29 00

MISCELLANEOUS—

Wood.....	2 25 3 00
Tallow.....	6 6
Hides.....	8 10
Wool.....	16 23
Hay, per ton.....	9 00 10 00

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—

Potatoes, per bag.....	75 90
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POULTRY—

Turkeys, per lb.....	16 18
Chickens, per lb.....	8 10
Fowl.....	8 10
Ducks.....	14 14
Geese.....	10 12

LONDON.

Wheat.....	\$ 1 00 to \$1 05
Oats, cwt.....	1 25 to 1 32
Butter.....	18 to 18
Eggs.....	20 to 21
Pork.....	10 50 to 11 75

TORONTO

Toronto, June 2.—Receipts at the Union stockyards to-day were 54 cars, 630 cattle, 230 calves, 1,551 hogs and 103 sheep and lambs. The market was easier, but with no pronounced change from yesterday's price.

The Live Stock Association have suspended the rule to deduct \$2 for horned cattle, but hope all farmers will learn to dehorn their cattle or the rule will go again into force next January 1.

To-day's quotations:

Butcher cattle, choice.....	8 00 to 8 40
do., medium.....	7 65 to 8 15
do., common.....	7 65 to 8 15
Canners and cutters.....	3 60 to 4 00
do., cows, choice.....	6 75 to 7 25
do., bulls, choice.....	6 50 to 7 50
Milkers, choice, each.....	45 00 to 90 00
Stockers and feeders.....	7 50 to 7 90
do., medium.....	7 50 to 7 95
do., light.....	7 00 to 7 40
Hogs, fed and watered.....	8 10 to 8 10
do., off cars.....	8 35 to 8 35
Hogs, f. o. b.....	7 75 to 7 75
Sheep, ewes, light.....	6 00 to 7 00
do., heavy.....	4 50 to 5 00
do., bucks.....	4 75 to 5 25
Spring lambs, each.....	6 00 to 8 00
Yearling lambs.....	6 50 to 8 25
Calves, veal.....	9 00 to 10 50
do., common.....	6 50 to 7 50

East Buffalo.

East Buffalo, June 2.—Cattle—Receipts 150 head; steady; prices unchanged. Veals—Receipts, 50 head; active and steady; \$5 to \$10.50. Hogs—Receipts 1,000 head; active and 5c to 10c higher; pigs, 25c higher; heavy \$8.40 to \$8.45; mixed, \$8.45 to \$8.50; Yorkers, \$8.25 to \$8.50; pigs, \$8 to \$8.25; roughs, \$7.15 to \$7.25; stags, \$6 to \$6.75; dairies, \$8.25 to \$8.50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 200 head; active and steady; unchanged.

to all. Don't fail to hear Miss Edna M. Cowling, who will speak on "contagious diseases" also "Our Country Assets."

The Kerwood branch of the Woman's Institute donated four handsome rocking chairs to be placed in the sun room in the Strathroy hospital.

H. E. Lambert with the Bank of Toronto at Sarnia, has been promoted to the management of the branch at Kerwood. He commenced his duties here on Monday.

At the clearing auction sale held in Kerwood on Thursday last, S. P. Morgan of this village disposed of all his prop-

erty, except the sawmill and machinery. His fine brick residence was sold to M. C. Morgan for \$3,050; the 50 acre farm on the 4th line, Adelaide, to W. A. Morgan for \$2,810, and the village weigh scales and coal sheds to Geo. Lewis, of Metcalfe, for \$260. The chattels, comprising livery rigs, harness, implements, etc., brought about \$500.

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Assets Nov. 30, 1911.....81,928,960

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Miss Hazel Eastbrook visited friends in London.

A number from Arkona called on Kerwood friends, Sunday.

Miss Ella Waddell entertained a few of her friends recently.

Mr. W. Rogers, Brantford, spent Sunday with his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Woods and family, motored to London, Friday.

Mr. de Gex and family motored to Florence, and spent the day.

Mrs. David Armstrong, of Walkerville, visited Mr. John Armstrong's.

Mrs. W. J. Smith spent a few days with Mrs. S. Longford, London.

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The Street of Tombs
One of Its Mysteries Revealed
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Tom Newell pointed down the dark, tortuous street of the old Chinese city. "That? My dear boy, you don't want to stroll through the Street of Tombs, do you?"

"Why not?" demanded Rex Forbes. "It looks promising as Chinese streets go."

"Promising? Ye gods!" groaned Newell, with disgust.

"Fascinating, then," laughed the other. "Has all the earmarks of oriental mystery; smells to heaven; is filthy, dark; has a name that bespeaks murder lurking around every corner, and all that, you know."

While Newell hesitated Rex laughed again and clapped a hand on his friend's shoulder.

"Not afraid of it, are you?" he asked. "After living in China for five years—"

"I have a decent respect for a few of her unexplained mysteries," finished Newell quickly, "and, believe me, Rex, this is one of them."

"Tell me about it."

"I'll tell you after dinner. Then if you still want to walk through the Street of Tombs I'll swallow my objections and go with you," replied Newell.

"Done," agreed Forbes. And, returning to the city gate, they entered rickshaws that had been waiting there and were soon bowling along the bund toward the modern city of Shanghai.

It was after dinner at the club that Forbes claimed the promised story.

Tom Newell lit a cigar and puffed thoughtfully before he spoke.

"Two years ago I had a friend, Enderby. You may remember that I frequently mentioned his name in my letters to you. He was the agent for a well known American invention, and he was well liked by the American colony here. Only one thing was against him. He was fond of prowling around the native city yonder, and you know that it is not considered good form here in the model settlement."

"What happened?" asked Forbes curiously.

"Nobody knows—at least none of his friends in Shanghai nor anywhere else. One day he asked me to go into the old city with him to see some porcelain in a dim shop that looked like a thieves' den, and I discovered that they were all dummy counterfeits. I broke the news to Enderby, and he laughed and said, 'Better luck next time.'

"On our way back to the city gate—the very gate through which we emerged today, Rex—Enderby paused on that corner of the Street of Tombs and asked me to wait for him, as he had a little errand to do down there. I asked him if he knew how the street had gained its name—that it was said that hundreds of men had entered it never to emerge at the other end or to return. They vanished completely, and because of their vanishing and the mystery surrounding their disappearance the street was known as the

Street of Tombs, for it must contain many unknown, never to be discovered graves."

Newell lit a fresh cigar, and his eyes stared thoughtfully at the glowing end.

Rex Forbes waited impatiently; then he spoke.

"Well, are you going to tell me that Enderby was murdered?"

"I can't tell you that, for I do not know. I do know that from the instant he vanished around the first turn in the Street of Tombs he dropped out of my life. I never saw him again." Tom Newell's voice was a little unsteady.

"And you could find no trace of him?"

"Not a trace. Four private detectives were sent into the old city—"

"And what happened?" interrupted the impatient Forbes.

"They never came back, either," ended Newell.

There fell a long silence between the two men. Newell, an old resident of Shanghai, was thinking of the loss of his friend Enderby. Rex Forbes, fresh from the United States, was eagerly hoping for an opportunity to clear up this mystery of the Street of Tombs.

"Still want to stroll through the Street of Tombs?" he asked. And he was not surprised at the answer he received.

"Yes," said Forbes doggedly. "I'm going into the Street of Tombs, and I'm going to uncover the mystery of the disappearance of Enderby."

"Very well," agreed Newell. "I am afraid if you are successful you will discover it is a case of sordid murder for Enderby's money and jewelry."

"I'll take a chance on that," retorted the other quickly. "And you—will you come too?"

"Yes," said Newell without hesitation. "You've inspired me with a desire to pierce the mystery of that dark street. We will go together, Rex, but first we will visit a certain armorer out on the Nanking road."

"An automatic revolver would be a handy companion," suggested Forbes.

"I'll lend you one of mine," said Newell. Then, rising and tossing aside his cigar, he added: "We better be off to bed early, for we will have a busy day tomorrow, and it may end in a long rest for both of us. You understand that, Rex?"

"I know it," nodded Forbes grimly. "But I'm thinking of that poor fellow Enderby, and I'll risk it."

The two Americans had chosen broad daylight and plenty of sunshine for their entry into the Street of Tombs. The end of the street where it debouched upon a wider thoroughfare was a place of busy little shops, but after they had made the first turn in its tortuous windings the street bore a strangely deserted appearance.

Colored signs fluttered above their heads, above the signs were closely shuttered balconies, and still farther up, above the fantastic roof lines, was a sliver of blue sky.

Tom Newell kept his eyes to the right and Rex Forbes watched out on the left hand side of the narrow street as they went slowly along.

Suddenly Forbes stopped before a shop window.

"Jove, Tom, what do you think of that?" he muttered excitedly.

Newell passed beside him and stared at the enormous polished globe of pure rock crystal that revolved dizzily on an ebony pedestal.

Already Rex Forbes had been caught by the deadly fascination of that whirling ball. He was hypnotized into rigidity as he stood there.

Fortunately for both of them, Tom Newell was possessed of extraordinary will power, and as soon as he realized what was happening there before his eyes he removed his gaze from the ball, and as he did so there seemed to be revealed to him in one enlightening flash the mystery of the Street of Tombs.

Unwary foreigners, attracted by the wonderful sight of the large rock crystal ball, had gazed upon it to become hypnotized and thus rendered themselves easy victims to robbery and murder. The slimy creeks that bounded the walls of the old city and the rushing river into which they flowed would hide the evidences of crime.

Suddenly a whisper floated down to them from the closed balcony above.

"Beware, Newell! Beat it! Beat it, man!" And with the warning words there sounded a cry as if the speaker had been attacked; then shutters broke open, the frail balcony tottered under the weight of a man's heavy body, the carved railing snapped and precipitated into Newell's outstretched arms.

Tom Newell was a giant in stature and strength. One glance in the man's face convinced him that it was the missing Enderby, his once ruddy face ravaged by pain and privation. Then he held Enderby close to his breast, and, dragging at Forbes' hand, he cried fiercely:

"Come, Rex, come! Come with me for your life! The Street of Tombs

is opening her arms to you!"

Forbes, partly roused from his apathy, ran on obediently, and after he felt the fresh air in his face he recovered some of his wits. Many doorways behind them belched forth wild eyed natives, who followed them as far as they dared, for the Street of Tombs bears an evil reputation in its own city and has no wish to air its secrets.

A few scattering shots followed them, but their chain armor was proof against bullets, and soon they came out into the broad street, where a great crowd silently watched them, as if they were witnessing a resurrection from the dead.

Said a peddler of sweetmeats to his neighbor:

"Behold, they entered the Street of Tombs and came forth alive. They bear charmed lives, these foreign devils."

"Some of them do," said his neighbor dryly, for he knew that the Street of Tombs rarely gave up its victims.

When they reached the model settlement with the wounded Enderby, Newell and Forbes listened to a strange story—how Enderby, attracted by the revolving crystal, became hypnotized and was easily captured and set to work in an evil smelling underground room with countless other slaves like himself. It was an opium den, and in connection with it was a silk weaving factory, and it was here that Enderby had labored, trying in vain to escape from his slavery. In time he had proved so faithful that he had been entrusted in the stock room above the shop over the crystal ball, and it was from this vantage point that he had whispered a warning to Newell. Almost instantly he had been stabbed from behind by some secret spy, but he had retained strength to fall crashing through the window to the ground.

One day when he had been nursed back to health and was bidding farewell to his rescuers Enderby turned suddenly grave.

"Keep away from the Street of Tombs," he warned them.

"But," protested Forbes, "we have discovered the mystery, and there is no danger now."

Enderby laughed ruefully.

"My dear boy, the crystal ball is an innocent diversion compared with the real horrors of the trap in the Street of Tombs! Believe me, that is the least harmful of its mysteries."

And they understood that Enderby knew much more than he had told them—more perhaps than he dared to tell, for their safety and his own.

Dad's Dope

International greetings: London to Washington. "Anything stirring in Mexico?" Washington to London. "What's new in Hester?"

Vienna women have petitioned parliament for protection against male flirts. In regard to the coquettes of the other sex the mere men will continue to suffer in silence.

A doubtful Thomas of the Royal Geographical Society insinuates if the colonel has discovered a new river it must run up hill. A little stunt like that would not feaze the chief of the Bull Moose.

Now that oil has been discovered in Alberta you are liable to hear of some "Coal Oil Johnny" chartering a special train for New York and spending his money in a way that will make "Death Valley Scotty" look like a piker.

A woman who died in Ohio the other day confessed to having started the Chicago fire in 1871. This is taking a mean advantage of Mrs. Riley's cow which had long been credited with kicking over the lantern that set fire to the house that burnt the town that Field and Leiter built.

It is proposed to prohibit the Canadian Indians from leaving their reserves to engage in public exhibitions of their war and sun dances. Since the introduction of that tango, maxixe, grizzly bear and other modern dances, the salutary exercises of the natives seem tame and listless.

The underwear manufacturers held a convention in Philadelphia this week. This is an industry that gets closer to the people than any that we know of.

Huerta's delegates to the peace conference are said to be interested in the Mexican oil business. They ought to have the material to throw on the troubled waters.

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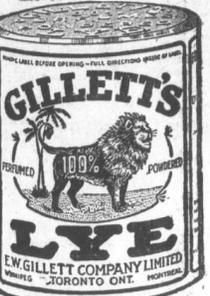
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"And then you'd feel strange here alone! And wouldn't know just where to sit; For that chair isn't strong on its legs and we never use it a bit. We keep it to match with the sofa, but Jack said it would be just like you To flop yourself right down upon it, and knock out the very last screw."

"'Spouse you try? I won't tell. You're afraid! Oh! you're afraid they would think it was mean! Well, then, there's the album—that's pretty, if your fingers are clean— My sister says sometimes I dab it; but she only says that when she's cross; There's her picture. You know it? It's like her; but she ain't as good-looking, of course!"

"That is me. It's the best of 'em all. Now, tell me, you'd never have thought That once I was as little as that? It's the only one that could be bought— For that was the message to pa from the photograph man where I sat— That he wouldn't print off any more till he first got his money for that."

"What! Maybe you're tired of waiting. Why, often she's longer than this. There's all her back hair to do up and all her front hair to frizz. But it's nice to be sitting here talking like grown people, just you and me. Do you think you'll be coming here often? Oh, do! But don't come like Tom Lee."

"Tom Lee? Her last beau. Why, my goodness! He used to be here day and night, Till the folks thought he'd soon be her husband; and Jack says that gave him a fright. You won't run away, then, as he did! for you're not a rich man, they say; Pa says you're as poor as a church mouse. Now, are you? And how poor are they?"

"Ain't you glad that you met me? Well I am; for I know your hair isn't red; But what there is left of it's mousy, and not what that naughty Jack said. But there! I must go! Sister's coming. But I wish I could wait, just to see If she ran up to you and kissed you in the way she used to kiss Lee."

—Bret Harte.

Her Eyes Upon Him.

A well-known writer was present recently at a dress rehearsal of a comedy played by amateurs. The rehearsal went well, but the hero, B., seemed rather hard and cold. The novelist sat in a box next to a charming woman of middle age. She said at the end of the third act, "It goes beautifully, doesn't it?"

"Beautifully," said the gentleman. "But B. doesn't make love to that pretty girl in as ardent a manner as I could wish. His lovenaking, in fact, strikes me as tame and spiritless."

The woman frowned. "He won't put any more spirit in it while I've got my eye on him, let me tell you," she said. "I'm Mrs. B."

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Certificate of Enrolment of Pure Bred Stallion.

The Stallion Enrolment Board of Ontario certifies that the name, description, and pedigree of the Standard Bred Stallion ALTA ELECTRITE, registered in the Canadian Standard Bred Stud book as No. 893, owned by McGillicuddy & Roche, of Watford, and foaled in 1902, has been enrolled in accordance with Chapter 67 of the Statutes of Ontario, 2 Geo. V.

The above named stallion was, under said Act, inspected by the officers of the Board on the 6th day of March, 1914, and found to be free from the malformations and diseases named in the regulations under said Act.

This certificate shall be renewed on or before the 31st day of December, 1914, and within 30 days after a change of ownership of the said Stallion a new certificate must be obtained.

PETER WHITE, R. W. WADE, Chairman, Secretary.

Dated at Toronto, Ont., this 24th day of March, 1914.

MCGILLICUDDY & ROCHE, WATFORD -- ONTARIO

Persistency in Advertising

One stroke of a bell in a thick fog does not give any lasting impression of its location, but when followed by repeated strokes at regular intervals the densest fog or the darkest night can not long conceal its whereabouts. Likewise a single insertion of an advertisement—as compared with regular and systematic advertising—is in effect not unlike a sound which, heard but faintly once, is lost in space and soon forgotten.

SUMMER SKIN TROUBLES

Sunburn, blistering, and irritation are the commonest form of summer skin troubles, and Zam-Buk ends these very quickly. It works in two ways. As soon as applied, its antiseptic powers get to work and kill all the poison in a wound, a sting or a sore. This generally ends the smarting and the pain. Then Zam-Buk begins the healing process, and fresh healthy tissue is built up. For sore, blistered feet, sore hands, heat rashes, baby's heat spots, sore places due to perspiration, etc., you can't equal Zam-Buk. It also cures cuts, ulcers, abscesses, piles, and all inflamed and diseased conditions of skin and subjacent tissue. Druggists and stores everywhere sell Zam-Buk, 50c a box. Use Zam-Buk Soap also, 25c per tablet. All stores, or Zam-Buk Co., Toronto.

Some men make fun of the man who tries his hand at gardening, assuring him that his cucumbers will cost him 25 cents apiece and everything else in proportion; that it is cheaper to buy vegetables in the market and flowers at the stores. In some cases this might be true but even then there is profit in gardening. It is a worthy achievement to convert barren infertility into rich productiveness. The labor of the doing will take the place of a gymnasium or daily trips to the golf links and it is within the reach of those who can afford neither of these luxuries.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

How the moving-picture show business is increasing is revealed in the figures of American exports. In March the export of films amounted to 23,000,000 lineal feet, as against 3,000,000 in March of last year. At the same rate of increase for the year the total will be 195,000,000 lineal feet, or enough to encircle the globe and reach to the North and South Poles.

INSPECTED AND APPROVED

GUELPH PERFORMER

NO. 89.

Sweepstakes and Gold Medal Hackney Stallion and 3 of his get at Toronto, 1915. Will stand for mares during the season of 1914 as follows: health and weather permitting.

MONDAY—Joe Stonehouse for noon, thence to Sharkey's Hotel, Petrolia, for night.

TUESDAY—James Hastings for noon, thence to Central Hotel from 3 to 5, thence to his own stable for night.

WEDNESDAY—Geo. H. Godd's, Uttoxeter, for noon, then to John Rawlings, Forest, for night.

THURSDAY—D. F. McIntyre's for noon, thence to Fred Jenatton, Theford, for night.

FRIDAY—John Sercombe's for noon, thence to D. A. Ross, St. Asiders, for night.

SATURDAY—Roche's Hotel, for noon, thence to Thos. Sisson's from 5 to 7, thence to his own stable until Monday morning.

Description and Pedigree.

Guelph Performer No. 89, foaled May, 1899, bred by D. L. O. Sorby, Guelph, is a beautiful black, off hind fetlock white, stands 16 hands, high, is sound, has a pleasant and kind disposition, combined with the ambition of a cavalry horse, strong muscles and with high action, which is so much sought after at the present time.

Guelph Performer, (89), sired by Square Shot (imp.), [23] (3294); gr-sire, Great Shot 2nd 1492; g-gr-sire, Great Shot 3rd; g-g-gr-sire, Great Gun 35; g-g-g-gr-sire, Great Gun 33; g-g-g-g-gr-sire, Great Performer 55; g-g-g-g-g-gr-sire, Prickwillow 67; g-g-g-g-g-g-gr-sire, Norfolk Phenomenon 52; g-g-g-g-g-g-g-gr-sire, Norfolk 47; g-g-g-g-g-g-g-g-gr-sire, Fireway 208.

Guelph Performer's dam, Miss Baker (imp.), [16] (4371) by Ruby 154; 2nd dam, Betsy Baker 144, by Norfolk Jack 516; 3rd dam, a mare by Prickwillow 67; 4th dam, a mare by Shales 84.

Guelph Performer when shown, won 1st at Toronto, 1st at London, 1st at Ottawa, 1912, for stallion 4 years old and upwards sweepstakes, stallion and 3 of his gets, any age; sweepstakes; sweepstakes and gold medals at Toronto 1913, for himself and 4 of his gets, string of five, also 1st at Ottawa, 1913.

Guelph Performer's dam, Miss Baker, [16] (4371) won in 1898 1st Toronto, high stepper; 1899, 1st at Toronto, high stepper; 1st at Toronto Hackney mare or gelding any age; in harness silver medal, mare any age; 1st Sherbrooke for single carriage horse; H.C. New York 1895, 1st Toronto Hackney mare or gelding in harness; silver medal Hackney mare any age; 1894, 1st Toronto as high stepper; 1st at Toronto as brood mare and diploma; 1899, 1st at Toronto as brood mare and diploma; 1899, 1st at Ottawa as brood mare sweepstakes and gold medal.

Enrolment No. 1153—inspected and approved—Ontario Stallion Enrolment Board Certificate of Enrolment of Pure Bred Stallion. The Stallion Enrolment Board of Ontario certifies that the name, description and pedigree of the Hackney stallion, Guelph Performer, registered in the Can. Hackney Stud Book as number 89, owned by D. A. Graham, of Wainstead, and foaled in 1899, has been enrolled in accordance with chap. 67 of the Statutes of Ontario, 2 Geo. V. The above named stallion was, under said Act, inspected by the officers of the board on the 10th day of April, 1913, and found to be free from the malformations and diseases named in the regulation under said Act. Peter White, Chairman, R. W. Wade, Secretary. Dated at Toronto, Ont., the 10th day of April, 1914.

TERMS—To insure a mare in foal \$12.00, payable February 1st, 1915, by cash or note, insured mares not returned regularly to the horse will be charged with the insurance whether in foal or not. Parties disposing of insured mares before foaling time will be held liable whether in foal or not. All accidents to mares at owner's risk. Care taken to avoid accidents. Any person interested in breeding cavalry, hack, horse and fire department horses, or fancy drivers and carriage horses, should see this horse before breeding.

HENRY CAVANAUGH, Manager.

D. A. GRAHAM, Proprietor, WANSTEAD.

Hog Cholera Has Broken Out in Kent County

Chatham, May 28.—Hog cholera has broken out in the township of Chatham. A few days ago, Dr. Clapp, of Dresden, was driving past the farm of J. W. Barker, when he noticed the hogs coughing in the field. He immediately recognized the symptom and notified Dr. Rowe, the district government inspector.

Dr. Rowe visited the farm, with the result that Mr. Barker's whole herd, 49 in number, were slaughtered.

It means a great loss to Mr. Barker, as he is reimbursed for only one third of their value.

The disease was evidently noticed just in time, as there have been no further developments, and the authorities believe that the disease is stamped out.

Some of the best things our most successful men have picked up had been previously passed over by those who are cursing their luck.

Every man has a secret hope that he will be found out doing a good deed which he is trying to keep quiet.

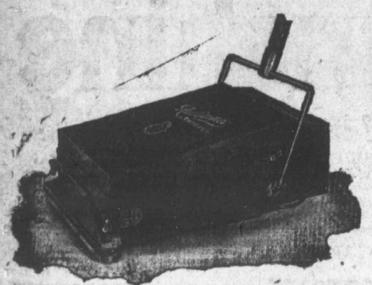
A girl loses half the pleasure of married life when she has to keep her engagement to herself.

An aerial cableway 75 miles long, the greatest in the world, will be built in northern India to provide transportation for a region where the soil conditions make a railroad impracticable.

Corns are cured by the pressure of tight boots, but no one need be troubled with them long when so simple a remedy as Holloway's Corn Cure is available.

A. BROWN & CO.

The Original Domestic Vacuum Cleaner \$7.95



This is the original Vacuum Cleaner and the most efficient model on the market...

Subscribe Now For Woman's Magazine

This is the most popular fashion magazine published to-day, regular price \$1.00 per year...

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YOU NEED Good glasses if you need any. Every eye which needs the help of glasses...

CARL CLASS JEWELER ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES

Watford Property For Sale Handsome brick house on Huron St.

Tenders For Drawing Gravel TENDERS FOR DRAWING CEMENT

HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSION TO THE TEMISKAMING & NORTHERN ONTARIO RAILWAY

Good Going June 10th Tickets at specially reduced rates

Dr. George Pope, retired physician, of Bothwell, fell from a ladder while putting screens on the windows of his house...

An American journal says: "One trouble with the country is that so many of our bright young men are more interested in the price of gasoline, than in that of seed corn."

you the magazine for one year (12 copies), one copy of the "New Ideas in Fashions" worth 15c, and one New Idea Pattern worth 10c, all for 35c.

IN THE MEN'S STORE

Popular Panamas, cool and comfortable, outing or sailor shapes. Our direct importing of these hats accounts for the splendid values offered, \$3.75 to \$10.00.

Our range of plain and chip straws will please you.

Puggaree Hat Bands, the popular novelty of the season, comes in all shades and combinations suitable for and easy to attach to either straw or felt hats, at 50c.

Lounge Collars, the popular summer collar, all sizes and shapes, the celebrated Cluett-Peabody make, 2 for 25c.

Arrow Linen Collars, the new summer shapes, 2 for 25c.

Men's Khaki Outing Pants, made with cuffs, belt straps and five pockets, at \$1.25.

Regal Summer Shirts in white or fancy, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50.

Regal Silk Shirts \$3.00 to \$5.00.

GREATEST DISASTER IN CANADA'S HISTORY

OCEAN LINER EMPRESS OF IRELAND RAMMED BY COLLIER IN DENSE FOG

Was Struck Amidship and Sank in Fourteen Minutes

No Time to Launch Boats or Get Passengers on Deck

Quebec, May 29.—Out from this port yesterday afternoon with all the stately pride of a great ocean liner went the Empress of Ireland of the Canadian Pacific service, bound for Liverpool. She carried almost fourteen hundred persons...

THE DEADLY FOG

The circumstances of this greatest disaster in Canada's maritime annals were dramatic in the extreme. As the Empress steamed down the river the fog thickened and after she took the bend aboard at Rimouski, Captain Kendall, whose first voyage in command it was, decided that the better course would be to lie to till morning. The activity following the sinking about her began, being at an end, the passengers and the bulk of the crew were in their berths.

Of the Canadian Salvation Army band that went on board to the sound of "God Be With You Till We Meet Again," as sung by their comrades on the dock at Quebec—a band of 39—only nine remain to tell the unhappy story. There were many tragic events and all can hardly be recorded. Few of the passengers can yet realize what they went through. Only in the weeks to come will they realize something of the awfulness of the tragic affair, which eclipses the Titanic disaster, in that the passengers this time had not even half an hour to make their escape.

Quebec, June 2.—The final complete official figures furnished by the C. P. R. Steamship Company late to-night of the Empress of Ireland disaster show a total of 482 saved, making 1,024 lost, as the total number on board was 1,476 passengers and crew.

OVERWORK AND WORRY

A Fruitful Source of Broken Down Constitutions

A little worry does a great deal of harm. Overwork and worry gives rise to headaches, nervousness, sleeplessness, weak back, lack of interest in your work, indigestion and sometimes a complete breakdown of the nervous system...

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

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

WHEAT 95c. EGGS 18c; butter 18c. MIFTY waiting shirts—SWIFTS'. NEXT MONDAY is nomination day. What is all this mystery about?

CHILLY WEATHER the first week for the middle of June.

W. MARWICK has commenced brick work of S. Mitchell's new home.

SEND in the names of your visitors, or let us know when away.

"THE OF MY HEART" in the on Tuesday night. Read the ad. \$5 money in it for someone.

THOSE who went on the excursion Thursday report a very successful and pleasant day.

SEND your clothing for 10c. SWIFTS' Tailoring Dept.

DURING 1912 Ontario shipped 238,000 barrels of apples west, 48 per cent of the total imports.

NEXT Sabbath evening will closing service of the Watford church.

THE MCKENZIE CO., of Kel C., advertises newly-made map direct from the farmers in the Watford, Ont., at \$2.25 per gal.

DR. A. F. BROWN, Osteopath at Queen's Hotel, Stratford days from 12.30 p. m. to 6.30 p. m. by appointment.

JAMES ALDERSON (Dunelm) soloist, First Methodist Church, visiting Watford giving lessons. Residence, 321 Queen St. London.

CHILDREN'S white and gins, cheaper than you can mail SWIFTS'.

MISS WILLIAMS has now on sale of the balance of her suit, which is being disposed of at a low price. Now is the time to get it.

On June 6th, Chas. S. Wynne, son of J. B. Wynne, obtained as Doctor from Toronto University of Medicine, and is chief surgeon at the New General I.

"SHE might have been a but she bought a hammock" is the bachelor club will now be holding a call on the give abolish hammocks as dangerous.

The redistribution bill towns of Zone and Camd County to the electoral districts of Lambton. These towns towns of Dresden, Thamesville well.

WE are selling the best ever ada for a Dollar.—SWIFTS'.

MR. RICHARD KIRBY, of P. returning officer for East Lambton general election, will hold a public nomination meet held in the Lyceum, Watford June 22nd from noon till 10.

The marriage took place Tuesday, of Miss Lottie daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Watford, to Mr. Edward O. the main road, Warwick. It was performed by the Rev. of Preston, brother of the Rev. of Forest.

A LEARNED PROFESSOR that it costs \$4,000 to bring age of eighteen years. Son cost more than that have no dividends; while others who much less, have been worth over that value to the world.

Anyone who sees the m the country this season natural pessimism cured. All wonderfully well, and as danger of frost now, it is believe that the agriculture year 1914 will be greater than.

THE newest in corsets at THE Rev. Armin A. Holt converted Jew, son of a church, on July 2nd and 3rd. The subject on Thursday 4 "From the Synagogue to the P on Friday evening "The P Light of the Lord's Sun collection.

THE Band gave an ex of music on Friday evening much appreciated by those although few thought it their approval in any boys a little applause once A clap of hands does not exertion and it shows to that you appreciate their.

THE LAMBTON COUNTY LEAGUE has been organized county will be played on green on the second Tuesday month, July 14th. Eve county will send three ri for the prizes and it is over one hundred bowler matches.

ONE-piece gingham at SWIFTS'.

Pennant Sale

Regular 50c Pennants at 29c or 4 for \$1.00.

The assortment is made up of pennants for Watford, Canada, Varsity, McGill, Ashburg, Alberta, and several other towns and colleges, also Oddfellow and Masonic.

HAMMOCK AND VERANDA CUSHIONS

Front and back complete, all ready for the filling. In Indian heads, Cowboy and Dutch designs. Regular \$1.00 value for 65c.

WALL HANGERS

Similar to the above with assorted mottoes and hand painted scenes—25c. each.

Come in and Look Them Over

J. W. McLAREN

DRUGGIST STATIONER. Issuer of Marriage Licenses

The Rexall Store