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Sunday School and Bible Classes
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REV. C. L. POOLE, B. D., Pastor

Union Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.
10 a. m. Sunday School and Bible classes.

The Y. P. S. meets on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Prayer Service on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

VOTERS' LIST, 1922

MUNICIPALITY OF THE
Village of Waterdown

Notice is hereby given that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in Sec. 9 of the Ontario Voters' List Act, the copies required by said section to be transmitted or delivered of the list made pursuant to said Act of all persons appearing by the last revised Assessment roll of the said municipality, to be entitled to vote in the said municipality at elections for members of the Legislative Assembly and at Municipal Elections; and that the said list was first posted up at my office at Waterdown, on the 9th day of August, 1922, and remains there for inspection.

And I hereby call upon all voters to take immediate proceedings to have any errors or omissions corrected according to law.

J. C. MEDLAR,
Clerk of Said Municipality.

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A small house or 4 unfurnished rooms.
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CARD OF THANKS

Mr. W. Hamilton and son Cecil wish to thank all who kindly lent assistance at the fire on Wednesday, August 16th.

A Concession to Home Investors

In offering to renew the five and a-half per cent. Canadian Government bonds maturing December 1st at the same rate of interest as is carried by the maturing bonds, and allowing a bonus of one month's interest, the Minister of Finance is making a material concession to the Canadian investor, as the rate is higher than was paid on the recent Canadian loan in New York. The high class of the security, which is the very best that can be offered in Canada, and the liberal rate of interest should lead to large investment in these Dominion bonds. Attention is directed to the official advertisement giving details.

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Middle School Examination Results

According to the new regulations in force candidates receive credit in any subject upon which they obtain 50% or more. The figure following each name is the number of subjects the candidate has been successful in and received credit for on certificates issued to them by the Department of Education.

R. Allen	11
C. Attridge	10
M. Buzza	11
M. Feilde	4
R. Flatt	6
M. Harbottle	4
M. Langton	9
L. Leake	4
I. Raspberry	2
L. Richards	8
H. Slater	6
F. Smith	4
R. Spence	11
A. Thompson	3

Locals

Miss Gertrude Allen and Russell are visiting relatives in Midland.

Miss St. George of Toronto is the guest of Mrs. A. E. Alton this week.

Miss Leath Griffin of Buffalo is visiting her brother, O. B. Griffin, and family this week.

Rev. C. L. and Mrs. Poole were home over Sunday, leaving Monday for a trip down the St. Lawrence to Montreal.

The Rev. Dean Owen, Rector of Christ Church Cathedral, Hamilton, will take the Harvest Thanksgiving service at Grace Church the second Sunday in September at 3 p. m.

The new bridges into Hamilton were officially opened Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock by Hon. F. C. Biggs. After the opening the party adjourned to Wabasso Park where they were entertained at luncheon by the Hamilton City Council. A from here attended the ceremony.

Millgrove

Miss Eileen Pepper spent Sunday in Hamilton.

Miss Jessie Menard of Guelph spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Robert Flatt.

Dr. and Mrs. Sanderson of Scotland, Ont. attended the Garden Party here last week.

Mr. Geo. Rymal of Michigan was a visitor in this neighborhood last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryon Cummins of Buffalo are renewing old acquaintances in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Houson of Copetown visited in the village last week.

Mr. Tuttle and Mr. John Young and their wives, of Buffalo, are visiting at the home of Mr. Geo. Lysle.

Mr. J. Drummond, Mr. Cummins and Mr. Humphreys, and wives, spent Sunday last in Oakville.

Mr. and Mrs. James Binkley of Dundas Road spent Sunday last in the village.

Mrs. Robt. Allison of Hamilton is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. Flatt.

Carlisle

At noon last Sunday a strong whirlwind centered in Mr. A. E. Blagden's field of bunched peas and took loads of them hundreds of feet into the air. Some of the peas came down a load in a place while some bunches even sailed through mid air and landed on an adjoining farm two fields away. The whirlwind lasted 5 or 6 minutes and formed an amazing scene for the scores of people who were just coming out of church.

On Thursday afternoon last Master Billie Green gave a party to 25 of his little chums. The afternoon was spent in games which the children greatly enjoyed, after which a dainty luncheon was served in the prettily decorated dining room.

The Sunday morning service in the Methodist church was taken by Mr. Albert Ginerich, one of our young men who has been studying at Belleville College for a medical missionary. The church was filled showing the community's appreciation of his acceptance of so noble a vocation. Mr. Ginerich gives promise of a bright future.

On Monday evening last the Rev. Mr. Storey, a returned missionary gave a lecture on the Living Conditions of the people of South America illustrated by lantern slides. Mr. Storey's lecture was very instructive and much appreciated.

Last Saturday the Maple Leafs in a keenly contested league game of baseball succeeded in defeating the Flamboro Centre Bushwhackers by a score of 9 to 8. The Lynden baseball team took stage fright and failed to put in their appearance to play the L. O. L's. We hope they will recover.

Miss Muriel Bennett entertained about twenty of her little friends on Friday. The afternoon was spent on swings and in playing games. A dainty luncheon was served, after which the friends returned home having spent an enjoyable afternoon together.

The services Sunday afternoon in the Methodist church were held under the auspices of the Women's Missionary Society. Mrs. J. S. Kerr the President, presiding. Mrs. Dale and Mrs. Peacock of Milton gave interesting addresses on the wonderful work of the society.

Memorial services will be held in the Methodist church Sunday afternoon, August 27, at 3 o'clock. Addresses will be given by Capt. Riddiford of Brant House, and Rev. W. L. Atkinson of Strabane. There will be special music by the Maple Leaf Quartette of Galt and the Wheeler Orchestra of Milton.

Greenville

Miss Ruby McGregor of Hamilton visited friends here on Sunday.

Mr. Nelson Surerus and Miss Alice Surerus of Detroit are spending this week with their cousins here.

Miss Voltz of Buffalo was here on Sunday to attend the re-opening services of Christ Church.

Mr. Clancy Betzner expects to leave Friday on a motor trip to Muskoka.

THE WATERDOWN REVIEW

Issued Every Thursday morning from the office, Dundas Street, Waterdown

G. H. GREENE
Editor and Publisher
Member C. W. N. A.

Claremont Summers

BY
Mrs. Emerson Marcy
Kilbride, Ontario

(Continued from last week)

"If you fall in love with a man with money, why, you just can't help it. Now my young—Oh my, I nearly told you, forgetting you were a perfect stranger," and Velma Richmond blushed nicely. "Well, if you can keep a secret, why, I will tell you."

"I can keep a secret, Miss Richmond."

"Claremont Summers is his name." Gladys just then remembered leaving her handkerchief in another part of the room. The light had suddenly gone out of Gladys Markland's life.

"Well, Miss Richmond, I must congratulate you on your good fortune in getting so fine a gentleman."

Velma thought to herself, "I guess the arrow struck alright. She don't seem so easy minded as she did when I first came in the room. I noticed a tear just now, which she can hardly suppress."

"Well, really, Mrs. Markland, I must be going. I have certainly had an enjoyable afternoon with you and your daughter. Goodbye Miss and Mrs. Markland."

While Miss Richmond was in the room Mrs. Markland had received a letter with a foreign stamp on it.

"I don't owe any bills," she thought to herself, and put the letter away not opened and forgot all about it.

Gladys was reflecting on the news she had received from Velma. "On Friday he was to come to see me, Now I won't receive another person's finance."

Tea over, Mrs. Markland helped to clear away the dishes, and was thus engaged when she heard someone coming up the walk and ring the door bell at the front vigorously. Mrs. Markland opened the door and stood Mr. Summers' servant, Sambo.

"Could I bring in young Mr. Summers? He has been hurt, fell from his horse."

"Yes, you may bring in your master."

Gladys had, by that time heard what was going on, and hurried away to get the spare bed ready.

Strange men carried Claremont Summers into the Markland cottage. Behind walked a doctor who had been hastily summoned. "Brain fever, must not be moved," were the doctor's words. "He has been badly hurt, fell from a horse I suppose."

"Yes, doctor," and Sambo was all a shake. "I saw him fall, doctor."

"I will take care of him, doctor, no nurse is needed."

"Very well then."

Gladys waited on her patient just as though he did not belong to another.

Mrs. Summers came in a closed carriage to take her son home. Mr. Summers, Sr. was away on business for a few days. But the doctor had ordered otherwise, so poor Mrs. Summers had to go home without him.

On the next day the patient seemed about the same. Gladys could stand and watch him for he was not conscious.

(To be Continued)

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- (a) Five year bonds, dated 1st November, 1922, to mature 1st November, 1927.
- (b) Ten year bonds, dated 1st November, 1922, to mature 1st November, 1932.

While the maturing bonds will carry interest to 1st December, 1922, the new bonds will commence to earn interest from 1st November, 1922, GIVING A BONUS OF A FULL MONTH'S INTEREST TO THOSE AVAILING THEMSELVES OF THE CONVERSION PRIVILEGE.

This offer is made to holders of the maturing bonds and is not open to other investors. The bonds to be issued under this proposal will be substantially of the same character as those which are maturing, except that the exemption from taxation does not apply to the new issue.

Dated at Ottawa, 8th August, 1922.

Holders of the maturing bonds who wish to avail themselves of this conversion privilege should take their bonds AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE, BUT NOT LATER THAN SEPTEMBER 30th, to a Branch of any Chartered Bank in Canada and receive in exchange an official receipt for the bonds surrendered, containing an undertaking to deliver the corresponding bonds of the new issue.

Holders of maturing fully registered bonds, interest payable by cheque from Ottawa, will receive their December 1 interest cheque as usual. Holders of coupon bonds will detach and retain the last unmatured coupon before surrendering the bond itself for conversion purposes.

The surrendered bonds will be forwarded by banks to the Minister of Finance at Ottawa, where they will be exchanged for bonds of the new issue, in fully registered, or coupon registered or coupon bearer form carrying interest payable 1st May and 1st November of each year of the duration of the loan, the first interest payment accruing and payable 1st May, 1923. Bonds of the new issue will be sent to the banks for delivery immediately after the receipt of the surrendered bonds.

The bonds of the maturing issue which are not converted under this proposal will be paid off in cash on the 1st December, 1922.

W. S. FIELDING,
Minister of Finance.

GETTING RID OF WEEDS

Co-operative Methods Have Been Tested for Ten Years.

More Farmers Should Get Into the Game—How to Control Perennial Sow Thistle and Twitch Grass—Other Weed Destruction Methods Given Next Week.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

During the past ten years (1911-1921) the Ontario Agricultural and Experimental Union has conducted co-operative experiments in weed eradication. Over ninety farmers have carried out successful experiments. The weeds experimented with were:—Perennial Sow Thistle, Twitch Grass, Bladder Campion or Cow Bell, Wild Mustard, Ox-eye Daisy, Field Bindweed, Wild Oats and Chess. Those who took part in these experiments profited by the experience. In nearly every instance they cleaned the field experimented with, and demonstrated to their own satisfaction the effectiveness of the method tried, and at the same time their results furnished practical information to others.

Experiments For the Current Year.

1. The use of rape in the destruction of Perennial Sow Thistle.
2. A system of intensive cropping and cultivation for the eradication of Perennial Sow Thistle.
3. The use of rape in the destruction of Twitch Grass.
4. A method of cultivation for the destruction of Twitch Grass.
5. A method of cultivation for the eradication of Bladder Campion or Cow Bell.
6. Spraying with iron sulphate to destroy mustard in cereal crops.
7. A method of cultivation for the destruction of Ox-eye Daisy.
8. A method of cultivation and cropping for the suppression of Field Bindweed or Wild Morning Glory (requires two years to complete).
9. A method of cultivation and cropping for the eradication of Wild Oats (requires two years to complete).
10. A method of cultivation for the destruction of Chess.

All who have any of the above weeds on their farms are invited to co-operate in this work. Information regarding the carrying out of these experiments may be secured by writing to Prof. J. E. Howitt, Director, Co-operative Experiments in Weed Eradication, Botanical Department, O. A. C., Guelph.

The results of the ten years' experiments would warrant the recommendation of the following method for the eradication of Twitch Grass and the Perennial Sow Thistle. How to prevent Mustard from seeding in cereal crops, and how to eradicate Bladder Campion or Cow Bell, will be dealt with next week.

The Rape Method for the Control of Perennial Sow Thistle and Twitch Grass.

Cultivate the field until about the middle of June, running over it frequently with the cultivator so as to keep the tops down and thus weaken the "roots." A cultivator with broad points should be used, which will cut off the Sow Thistle or Twitch Grass below the surface of the ground and not break up the root stocks too much. About the middle of June apply manure at the rate of about twenty tons per acre (twelve good loads). Cultivate the manure in thoroughly and with a double mould board plough slightly ridge up the land, making the ridges about twenty-six inches apart. On the ridges sow pasture rape (Dwarf Essex variety) at the rate of about one and a half pounds per acre. It is important that the right amount of rape be sown, for if too little is sown the stand will not be thick enough to smother the weeds and if, on the other hand, too much is sown the rape plants will be too crowded and not grow vigorously enough to keep ahead of the Twitch Grass or Sow Thistle. Sow the rape when the land is sufficiently moist to secure quick germination of the seed. If the rape is slow in starting the Twitch Grass or Sow Thistle may get a start in the rows and thus necessitate hand cultivation. Cultivate the rape every week or ten days until it occupies all the ground and makes further cultivation impossible. If, when the rape is cut or pastured any of the weeds remain the field should be ridged up last thing in the fall and put in with another hoed crop the following year. This has not been found necessary when a good stand of rape has been secured.

In our co-operative weed experiments it has been found that rape is a much more satisfactory crop to use in the eradication of Twitch Grass than buckwheat and that rape gives much better results in the eradication of Twitch Grass and Perennial Sow Thistle when sown in drills and cultivated than it does when sown broadcast.—J. E. Howitt, O. A. College, Guelph.

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Giant trees towering hundreds of feet above the densest undergrowth outside the tropics, pretty bungalows nestling amid roses, are conjured up at mention of Vancouver Island, Canada's western outpost which, in conjunction with Northern British Columbia, talks of setting up as a separate province. Vancouver Island has often been compared to England, with which it has much in common, yet from which it differs so utterly. Whereas open and densely populated England and Wales have an area of 58,324 square miles, Vancouver Island, 280 miles long and from 40 to 80 miles wide, sparsely settled, backboneed with mountains and covered with dense forests, is only 15,937 square miles in extent.

Both countries have very moist climates, and English trees, shrubs and flowers, unknown in Ontario, flourish exceedingly on the B.C. coast. English ivy, brought out from the Old Land, clings to the sides of houses and spreads its dark green mass over walls. English roses riot as they do in Devon. The yellow flowers of the gorse will be blooming there now just as you would see them in the Kentish country. It would make a Toronto gardener sick with envy to see with what marvellous speed English box or privet turns into a hedge in the genial soil and air of Vancouver Island. Holly bushes with red berries stand in the gardens. And the grass is always green, never withering as here.

In addition to the above and other imported flora, lower British Columbia has a wealth of her own ivys and bushes whose evergreen leaves and ferns help to make a veritable jungle of her forests. Many Old Country folk, too, are settled there. Moreover, the damp atmosphere makes for a tranquillity of disposition reminiscent of England and unlike the keyed-up nervousness of Ontario and other inland provinces. But there the resemblance stops. The winters in lower British Columbia are wetter than in England, and the summers much warmer. The soft air of the Pacific Ocean lacks the snap of the Atlantic breezes off the English coast. In fact the warm Japanese current gives the shores of Canada it laves a real touch of the tropics.

The luxuriance of the vegetation is the first thing to impress new arrivals. It is officially claimed that the climate of the B. C. coast will produce as much timber in 60 years as the rest of Canada in a century, for trees grow all winter out there. No forests in the world have a heavier stand of timber than those on Vancouver Island. Of British Columbia's estimated total stand of 366 billion feet of board measure and pulpwood, it is estimated that 200 billion feet is situated along the coast, and half of this—100 billion feet—on Vancouver Island. The writer, who knows the island well also the lower mainland, once saw a single log at Vancouver from which they would cut 16,800 feet of good merchantable lumber. Douglas firs 200 feet high are common enough, and 50,000 feet board measure per acre is not regarded as phenomenal in those forests, compared to those trees our second growth Ontario pine looks like matchwood.

Coal mining and fishing are, in addition to lumbering, Vancouver Island's main industries. Soft coal of excellent steam quality has long been mined, and a large quantity of it goes to the Pacific coast states. Of fish, salmon are, of course, very plentiful, also halibut—large shipments of which have long been actually shipped to Boston—herring, cod, etc. Toronto capitalists are interested in several big whaling stations on the coasts of Vancouver Island. About fifteen years ago the C.P.R. bought out the Dunsuir railway interests, and has since extended the original lines to various parts of the island. Agriculture flourishes moderately on Vancouver Island, but not quite as well as might be imagined. Soil is very rich in the low-lying parts, but the expense of clearing timber is excessive. On the higher land, where smaller timber is encountered, the soil is apt to be light and sandy. And for all the wet winter, the summers can be very dry on occasion.

The Truth, and Nothing But—

The court bristled. Those who read much about police courts will understand what that term means. All the best courts bristle, and so this one bristled.

The court bristled. The lawyer, a smart and sharp young man, helped along the bris.

His client, a woman, did not look so young as she used to be, although she was relinquishing her youth protestingly.

"What is your age, madam?" asked the lawyer.

"Forty-six," she returned in clear, distinct tones.

"Gentlemen," remarked the lawyer, turning to the members of the jury, "please take note of that answer, and because of it I will ask you to believe everything that my client has to say."

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Our Groceries are always of the best grade possible to procure, and always at prices as low as the lowest.

Try our white wine and blended cider vinegars.

Heintz's Golden Amber Sugar Vinegar, by the gallon. The finest vinegar made.

This Store Closes Every Wednesday
Afternoon at 1 o'clock