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The Thaw trial has been postponed to January. January appears to be the proper month for thaws.

Since the slump in the poultry market the rich red glow of the Christmas gob-bler's comb looks cheap. +++

After a short interview with Mr. Burns, of Canada, Gunner Moir came to the conclusion that he was only an ordinary revolver.

President Roosevelt has got his knife out for the paper trust. His enemies claim that it is only a paper knife and carries no weight.

If Mr. Pritchett, of London, election fame, ever loses his job he should have no difficulty securing a position as switchman on any of the leading railway lines, + + +

> Talk about your Limericks There is one request I ask
> Lipton's tea
> Is no good to me
> Unless it had a mask.

+++ The Ontario bar has over twelve hundred rules, but the rule that predominates over all others is simply have your money on your paddles when you give your porder.

Santa Claus is a merry old soul

Full of fun and frolic But when you settle your Xmas. bills
It is enough to give you the colic.

If Tommy Burns had lost his battle for the heavy weight championship of the world in old London the American pa-pers would have referred to him as a defeated Canuck. Having won he is now Mr. Burns of Detroit.

Their's not to make reply Their's but to teach or die Somebody has certainly bluudered,

We must get our pay
And not less than four hundred.

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It has been demonstrated that a telephonic message can be transmitted through the chest fully as well as by the auricular process. At that there will be a number of old subscribers who will persist in talking through their hats.

+ + + The restrained enthusiasm with which the great Yankee nation observed their Thanksgiving is another tribute to their self denial. Following the precedent set by the banks, gobblers refused to be con-sumed without receiving sixty days

It was the night before Christmas And St. Nicholas in glee Remarked to a neighbor 'Have something on me." The invitation was accepted,

# LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

BUTTER is up a cent. SEE Taylor's 5c. calendars.

The very next day

St. Nick was broke.

WATCHES from \$1 to \$50 at Dowding's XMAS, fur setts, very special, -SWIFT

THERE are a few cases of mumps in

WEDDING rings, marriage licenses, the place Class the Jeweler.

A MEETING of the Hockey Club is called for Monday evening in the club room. New Haviland china in sets and odd eces just arrived at Howden's. Drop in

QUEEN ALEXANDRA was 63 years old Saturday and doesn't care who know

WE never had a better assortment of bibles, hymn books and prayer books. Bibles 25 cts, to \$7.00.—McLaren's.

JOHN MORGAN of Kerwood, is spending the winter with his son, Dr. L. E. Morgan, at Baton Rouge, La. SPECIAL bargains in ladies' tweed coats

regular \$9.00 for \$6.50.—SWIFT'S.

THE members of the Watford lacrosse

team had a group photo taken by Adams the other day.

TAYLOR'S store will be open every evening from now till Christmas.

WESTERN Ontario hotelmen met in Hamilton on Thursday and advanced the

EVERYTHING you desire in the way of incy goods. Special lines for the ays.—Downing.

THE Rev. Canon Downie, B. D., of Port Stanley, will preach in Trinity Church Sunday evening.

XMAS fur setts, muff and stole or scarf

or throw .- Swift's.

ALL interested in curling are requested to meet in the Fire Hall this Thursday evening Dec. 5th at 8 p. m.

Wm, Stephenson, of Forest, is pretty handy with the axe. In two hours he plit two cords of hard maple.

GET your wife one of those china dinner sets at Howden's only \$15.00. Any porcelain set in the store for \$10.00.

The poor man has the satisfaction of

knowing that it's easier to push a wheel-barrow up hill than an automobile.

MUNICIPAL nominations will be held this year, on Monday, December 30th, with elections on the 6th of January. XMAS. coats, mens' fur lined beaver shell rat linings, Persian lamb collar, best value in Canada \$60.00.—SWIFT BROS.

SPECIAL reduction on all trimmed hats to clear at Miss Minielly's. Come and get first bargain, also new Xmas. goods. REMEMBER! All presentation goods sold will be engraved free of charge if desired,—CARL A. CLASS, Jeweler.

CALENDARS for 1908 are already making their appearance, both the kind you have to buy and those which are given away for advertising purposes.

ALL kinds of Christmas groceries at J. Mathew's. Stock strictly fresh, and the best in the market.

Miss Nancy McNeil, Strathroy's oldest resident, died last week aged 96 years. Deceased was born in Kilmartin, Scot-land, in 1811. WE insist on all outstanding accounts we misse on an outstanding being paid at once as it takes money to pay for goods. Please act accordingly.—GOODHAND & MILLER.

MAKE it a point to do your Christmas shopping early this year. You can do it just as well and you will have a much better assortment to choose from.

SPECIAL bargains in ladies tweed coats fine warm garments \$4.95 and \$6.90. Regular \$7.50 and \$10.00.—SWIFT BROS. NEARLY \$300 has been collected in fines under the Liquor License Act and Local Option Act, in the district of East

Lambton during the past six months. Cur glass and silverware make a handsome Christmas present. Elegant designs at Dowding's.

His Worship Mayor Smith, of Regina, celebrated his 56th birthday on Monday. Mayor Smith's many old friends in Watford wish him many returns of the day. MENS' overcoats, ready made, a special

at \$7.50.—SWIFT BROS. IF you are the party who borrowed our pipe wrenches kindly return them at once.

—The N. B. HOWDEN EST.

WE are instructed to say that the item in our last issue re a boy throwing a stick at a young lady was incorrect. The missile was thrown by a lad from the

north end of the burg. XMAS cards, local view calendars, booklets, Xmas. post cards, post card albums and burnt leather souvenirs.—Mc-

LAREN'S. READERS of the London Weekly Free

Press will kindly take notice that our clubbing rate for that paper has been raised to 85 cents, owing to the increase made by the publishers. ORDER a Grand Duke for Christmas,

make your wife pay for it .- SWIFT BROS. SERVICES as usual in the Methodist Church next Sabbath. The pastor will preach. Special sermon to young people in the evening, subject "Enthusiasm the Dynamic of Life." All welcome.

NEWEST perfumes at Taylor's

THE local evaporator closed for the season this week. During the season 22,000 bushels of apples were evaporated and \$2,525 paid out in wages. Manager Eccles expects to return to his home in Bellville this week.

P. Dopps & Son have received a large shipment of fine shoes and slippers suitable for Xmas wear.

A HOUSE on Front St. occupied by Henry Scott and owned by W, E. Kear-ney, of Brooke, was burned down early on Thursday morning. The fire was caused by a defective stove pipe. Mr. Scott lost nearly all his effects. THE Grand Trunk Railway Co. has

placed orders with various firms in Can-ada and the United States for a total of one hundred locomotives, to be delivered in nine months. The total cost will be a million and a half of dollars.

Dowding's for Christmas goods.

THE Toronto World says with great force that the banks should give and take. In reply to which it may be stat-ed that from time immemorial they have been in the habit of giving at six per cent. and up, and taking at three.

THE Firth Operetta Co. were billed to show at the Victoria Opera House, trolea, on Saturday night last, but w the time came to roll up the curtain there were only a dozen or so in the house, and the manager of the company refused to

let his players perform. A SPECIAL bargain in men's ready made suits \$7.50, easily worth \$10.00.— SWIFT BROS.

Business men or others requiring office stationery of any kind will find a com-plete stock of note heads, envelopes, bill heads, statements, circulars, etc., at this office. Satisfactory work and reasonable

On account of taking an interest in the recently organized Watford Wire Works, Mr. Angus Mitchell, who has carried on a general blacksmithing and carriage business in Watford for the past forty years, is offering his shop and outfit for sale or to rent.

When selecting your Christmas goods do not fail to drop into Dowding's. He is showing an exceptionally fine stock of holiday bargains, something to please

THE December regular meeting of the Watford Chosen Friends will be held in the usual place on Wednesday evening next, Dec. 11th. Election of officers and other important business. Every mem-ber is kindly requested to attend. Vis-

MRS. NORMAN KIMBALL, of Forest, and one of its most highly respected citizens, was taken ill on Thursday last with a bad cold which developed into pneumonia, and she died Tuesday night. The funeral will take place Thursday at 2 o'clock.

XMAS. ordered clothing, fancy vests \$3.50 to \$5.00. Special suits \$15.00 to \$22.00, Grand Duke overcoats \$18.00 to \$22.00.—SWIFT BROS.

MR. FRANK SMITH is playing at the Temple Theatre, Detroit, this week one of the largest vaudeville houses in the city taking part in Laskey's Military Octette, Frank is an old Watford boy and a son of Mr. Charles Smith, of Sarnia. Many of his Wattord friends will be glad to learn of his success in music.

FRANK LAWRENCE who was arrested by Chief Wilson, of Strathroy, last week and committed for trial by Squire Noble, appeared before Judge Macbeth at Londod Tuesday morning and pleaded guilty to the charge of having stolen 44 in money and a bottle of whiskey. He was reman-ded a week for sentence,

Just a moment! It is time to secure your Christmas present. Do not buy in the jewelry or silverware line until you have inspected our stock.—CARL, A. CLASS, Jeweler,

PATSY—Begorra Oi couldn't pay me \$3 foine and Oi had to go to jail for six days. Mike—An' how much did yez spend to get drunk? Patsy—Oh, 'bout three dollers. Mike—Three dollars? Yez fool, it yez had not spent yer three dollars for drink yez'd had yer three dollars to pay yez foine wid.—Harper's Weekly.

WINTER is here, but P. Dodds & Son is ready for it with one of the finest assortments of rubbers, sox and overshoes they have yet bought. Prices right.

On account of the Provincial Winter On account of the Provincial Winter Fair the Grand Trunk Railway system will issue round-trip tickets at single first-class fare from all stations west of Kingston to Guelph, Ont. Good going Dec. 7 to Dec. 13. Valid for return until Monday, Dec. 16, 1907. Full information may be obtained from any Grand Trunk Ticket Agent Ticket Agent.

WE want our money and want it bad heavy bills to pay, come in at once and settle up.—SWIFT BROS.

A YOUNG constable arrived in a certain A YOUNG constable arrived in a certain borough in Scotland and in the course of duty found it essential to apprehend a very old offender. Arrived at the police station he ushered him into the cells with the comment, "Mind the step," "Gae awa', man," said the prisoner, with contempt. "I ken the step afore ye was

REV. HILTON PEDLEY, B. A., for 18 years a missionary in Japan, now at home on a year's furlough and assisting in the Congregational hurch Forwar ment will preach in the Congregational Church, Watford, on Sunday next. Mr. Pedley is one of the ablest ministers in the Congregational body and an eloquent and instructive speaker.

New Christmas stock of cutlery, skates, silverware, etc., just arrived at Howden's Look at our goods before you buy.

RIGHT WOR. BRO. A. THOMAN, of Arkona, D. D. G. M., St. Clair District, paid an official visit to Havelock Lodge No. 238 A. F. & A. M., Watford, on Tuesday evening. The work of the second degree was exemplified. At the close oysters were served followed by a short program of toasts and songs, There was a good attendance and a pleasant evening enjoyed.

ing enjoyed. ORDER you fruits, peels, confectionery, etc., for the holidays at J. Mathews. Everything required for Christmas.

THE Registrar-General of Ontario has issued formal nolice that no pastor or minister shall take part in any funeral service without first having received the registration certificate. The public are requested to take notice and in future not requested to take notice and in titule not to ask any pastor to conduct such a ser-vice without first presenting him with the necessary registration form, duly signed by the proper authorities.

DIRECT from Belfast, Xmas. handker-chiefs cheaper than any house in Western Ontario.—SWIFT BROS. Dolls and toys for little folks at

Dowding's. THE Francis' Firth Operetta Co. played a two night's engagement in the Music Hall on Thursday and Friday evenings of last week under the auspices of the local fire brigade. "Dolya The Tea Girl" was received by Thursday weekings and "The fire brigade. "Dolya The Tea Girl" was presented on Thursday evening, and "The Beggar Student" on Friday evening. There was a large audience the first even-ing, and a fair crowd on Friday evening. The Co. contains some very fair musical talent and furnished a pleasing hour's entertainment. The firemen netted about twenty dollars as their share of the

XMAS. Irish limen towels, the pure linen kind, fancy patterns.—SWIFT BROS.

A NEWSPAPER has 5,000 readers for 1,000 subscribers. A merchant who puts out 1,000 handbills gets possibly 300 to 400 people to read them—that is, if the boy who is trusted to distribute them does not chuck them under the sidewalk. The handbills cost as much as a quarter-

men and boys read the advertisements. Result: The merchant who uses the newspaper has 3,500 more readers to each 1,000 of the paper's readers. There is no estimating as to the amount of business that advertising does bring to a merchant but each dollar invested in advertising brings to the investor somewhere from \$20 to \$100 worth of business.—Albion (Mich.) Evening Recorder.

### FIRE BRIGADE OFFICERS.

The annual meeting of the Watford Fire Brigade was held in the Fire Hall on Tuesday evening. The following officers were elected:
Chief—Col. Kenward.
Ass't Chief—Fred Restorick.
Captain—E. A. Brown.
1st Lieut.—Carl Class.
2nd Lieut.—J. Saunders.
Treasurer—P. J. Dodds.
1st Branchman—J. Hamilton.
2nd Branchman—J. Hamilton.
Caretaker—W. Scott.
Foreman Hose—W. Scott.
Ass't Foreman—J. Bryson,
Auditors—D. Hamilton, D. Alexander.
Suction Hosemen—J, Shaw, J. S. Willisms, J. Bryson and D. Alexander.
Flagmen—Dr. McGillicuddy, D. G.

#### McLAREN'S HOLIDAY GOUDS DISPLAY.

men-Dr. McGillicuddy, D. G.

On Wednesday evening, Dec. 11th, from 7 to 10 p.m., we purpose having our annual display of Christmas Giving Gitts, and we extend to all a cordial invitation

to be present.

This year we believe we have better goods, better prices and a greater variety to choose from than ever before. We would like your opinion.

While our display is not until Dec. 17th, you are at liberty to look through our stock anytime now, but on this evening we make a little special effort towards a display and we would be pleased. wards a display and we would be pleased to have you with us. No goods are sold on this evening, you just look. Wednes-day evening, Dec. 11th, 7 to 10 p. m.

# PERSONAL.

Rev. M. Kelly was in Montreal on bus-

Miss Florence Lovell is visiting friends Mrs. (Dr.) Auld is visiting her brother, Wichman, Forest.

Archie McIntyre, of the Watford Milling Co., was in Brandon last week. F. J. Jones, late with T. F. Robinson,

has taken a situation as salesman with ed by acclamation. Swift Bros Misses Lily and Lottie Maxwell, St. Marys, were visitors at Mrs. Thom's Wednesday.

Mr. Ira Clarke has returned to Seattle, Wash., after a two months' visit with relatives here.

Mrs. A. G. Shay, Buffalo, N. visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Nash.

Principal Shrapnell was successful in winning the third prize in the Lipton Limerick contest, amounting to \$25 in XMurray M. Mitchell has been engaged

to teach in Union S. S. No. 2, 6th line, for 1988, and J. Bambridge has secured the Kingscourt school. Mrs. D. H. McMurphy and her broth-

er, Geo. W. Malton, spent Tuesday with the former's daughter, Miss Blanche Mc-Murphy, who is attending High School

W. H. Rogers, Mrs. I. P. Taylor and Mrs. E. Lamont attended the funeral of the widow of the late Jacob Rogers, of Wyoming, who died in London on Mon-

## ADELAIDE'S OLDEST RESIDENT Said to Have Been 110.

Strathroy, Dec. 4.-Mrs. Mary Featherstone, the oldest resident in Adelaide Township, who lived ten miles north of here, died to-day. Although her age was not definitely known, old settlers living around there claim she was an old woman when they were boys, and estimate her age at about 110 years She was born in Ireland and emigrated

to Canada when a child.

Miss Nancy McNeill, who died last week at 97 years old, when visiting Mrs. Featherstone, remarhed: "She must be a very old woman, because she is as old as my mother."

Mrs. Featherstone was a strictly tem-

perate woman, but an inveterate smoker. She leaves a large grown up family. Her husband has been dead many years.

The funeral takes place from the res-dence of her son, Robert Featherstone, on Saturday morning for St. Patrick's Church, Adelaide Village. Rev. Father Ouinlin will conduct services

Death of Israel Moulton.

Israel Moulton, a former resident of Plympton township, and a pioneer of Lambton country, died at the home of his son, Robert Moulton, Sarnia, last Saturday, after but a week's illness from paralysis of the bowels. Deceased was in his 72nd year. He was born in Warwick township, where his early days were spent. Later he moved to Oil Springs, residing there for about 19 years, then column advertisement in the home paper.

All the women and girls and half the moved to Plympton, where he lived for July 29th, 30th and 31st.

many years on the 6th line. After the death of his wife, seven years ago, he lived for a time with his daughter, Mrs. Lancaster, who then was living in Camlachie, and for the last four years his home has been with his son in Sarnia. He is survived by four daughters and four sons, viz., Mrs. C. McArthur, of Adelaide; Mrs. C. Lancaster, of Forest; Mrs. Carroll, of Sarnia; Mrs. Fred Trusler, of Detroit; William Henry, of Pigeon River; Alexander, of Wiarton; Fred and Robert, of Sarnia. Three other children, George, Elizabeth and Mary, all died some years ago.

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Funeral services were held at his lateresidence in Sarnia on Monday and that evening the remains were brought to Forest to Mrs. Lancaster's home, where a short service was conducted Tuesday afternoon by Rev. A. L. Beverley, and the remains were then conveyed to Bethel cemetery, the family burying ground, for interment. Service was also held in Bethel church. Mr. Beverley officiating. The bearers were old neighbors of deceas-The bearers were old neighbors of decea The bearers were old neighbors of qeceased, viz., Robert Bailey, Wm. Lester and John Karr, of Warwick; Wm. Streets, of Forest, formerly of Warwick; D. Kempand J. Garrett, of Forest, formerly of

### BROOKE.

G. M. Willoughby, student at Toronto University, was home for a few days last

Patrons of the Watford Union Cheese factory will find their October and No-vember cheques at the Merchant's Bank,

Mr. Hugh McConnell, formerly of Sutorville, has removed from Orange Ridge, Man., to Birnie P. O. The first snow fell in that section on Nov. 28th, and winter has set in.

The Rev. Canon Downie, B. D., of Port Stanley, will preach in St. James' Church on Sunday morning at 10.30 it being the 3rd anniversary of the opening of the new church. The slips for the payment of October and November milk for the Walnut fac-

tory have been left at the Merchant's Bank, Watford. Patrons can call there and get their money. NOTICE—The tax collector for Brooke will be at Sutorville on Thursday Dec, 12th, Roche House, Watford, Saturday Dec 14th, Inwood, Thursday Dec. 19th. Please bring your tax notices with you.

There is little talk about municipal natters so far. We understand that all the members of the present council will be candidates for re-election, and, as there is no particular issue before the ratepayers it is possible that they may be return-

# WARWICK.

Miss Elfa Anderson is visiting friends

Mrs. Chas. Rowe, Forest, visited friends

Japan will preach in Zion Cong'l Church,

Sunday Dec, 8th, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Luckham and little daughter, Amy, visited friends in Glencoe and Alvinston last week. Misses Mattie McLeav and Maud Cam-

eron, Watford, spent a few days last week with their friends Misses May and Meryl Luckham, Maple Leaf Cottage.

The annual Christmas S. S. entertainment will be held in the McIntosh school, London road, on the evening of Monday, Dec. 23rd, A good program will be provided.

The annual Sunday school entertainent and Christmas tree of Grace Church, 4th line, will be given on Thursday, Dec. 19th, in the school house commencing at 8 o'clock, when the delightful Christmas entertainment, "Alice in Wonderland," illustrated with lime light views will be given. Don't fail to be present if you wish to enjoy a good Christmas entertain-

# KERWOOD.

Grenville L. Morgan left on Saturday for Salt Lake City, Utah, and Carson, Nevada, with a carload of his pure bred Cotswolds. On his return he will visit Chevenne and Denver and will attend the National Fat Stock show at Chicago.

# NAPIER.

Divine service will be held in St. Mary's Divine service will be held in St. Mary's English Church Napier, on Sunday morning next at 11 o'clock. The Right Reverened D. Williams, D. D., Lord Bishop of Huron, will hold Confirmation and preach in St. Mary's Church on Monday December 9th at 2.15 p. m.

G. T. R. Operators Want the In-

The Grand Trunk Railway telegraphers

Whooping Cough, Croup, Bronchitis Cough, Grip, Asthma, Diphtheria

Cresolene is a boon to Asthmatics Does it not seem more effective to breathe in remedy to cure disease of the breathing organ than to take the remedy into this stomach? It cures because the air rendered strongly antiseptic is carried over the diseased surface witevery breath, giving prolonged and constant treatment. It is invaluable to mothers with small.

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WATFORD, DEC. 6, 1907.

Will Grain Be Cheaper.

It begins to look as if the prices for feed stuffs in Ontario are coming down to a basis that doesn't mean prohibition to the ordinary farmer. With the possibility of securing this feed wheat, at Ontario mills, there is the question of American corn, that is coming in freely, and the declining prices in barley and oats.

Added to this there must be reckoned the fact that thousands of cattle have been sold by the farmers to go to the western ranches and to the Middle States. A large run of hogs has gone off to the market in only fair conno care was taken to ensure the disturbs him is a call three times off of over one-third the usual supply of hogs for the spring markets, and the failure to keep breeding stock will no doubt as largely discount the sum-mer marketings. Old horses have been got rid of in many places. All these facts demonstrate the economy in feed that has been made in view of

high prices. A lowering of the price of barley will have a tendency to send some of this grain to the feed lots also. This, with the increased supply of available grains and the decreased supply of stock on the farms, ought to figure out.

The farmers are thinking out profa ble fee ling rations as never before.

# Quiets the Cough

This is one reason why Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is so valuable in .consumption. It stops the wear and tear of useless coughing. But it does more -it controls the inflammation, quiets the fever, soothes, heals. Ask your doctor about this.

The best kind of a testimonial—"Sold for over sixty years."

e by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Ma SARSAPARILLA. ers fills.

They are beginning to realize that a poor animal is a bad investment at only price. If the present situation in the feeding world produces the desired execution of the present is the present of the pre result of emphasizing the superiority of keeping high grade animals and pure bred sires, it will have well ser-ved its purpose. Meanwhile another lesson that has to be learned over and over again, is for the farmer to sell his commodities when they are fashionable. Those who hold on for higher prices will also exist, but when grain or any produce gets at a reasonable figure, it is wise to cash in.—World.

Increased Cost of Living.

There is not a housewife in town who will not at the present time state that the cost of living in this town has increased during the last 12 months. Why? If the comparison were to be made between the fall of 1907 and that of 1906 the fact of an increase would rapidly be apparent. The contrast of prices of the staples of modern life in those two years shows at a glance that there has been a substantial advance. Or the other hand a table of retail prices compiled from the lists of reputable firms does not reveal that any general increase has taken place in 1907 as compared with 1906, except in regard to butter, cheese and also eggs, particularly the latter. In so far as the majority of meats are concerned, the retail figures are identical. True, milk has advanced in price, yet perhaps it is in respect to butter, cheese and eggs, that the greatest grumblings—if the word may be used-are heard.

THE CHARM OF BEAUTY.

Nothing of More Value to Women.

The glory and satisfaction of beautiful womanhood can be known only to those possessing the unlimited advantages of

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No weak women can be happy or enjoy
half the pleasures of life. Pallid cheeks,
sunken eyes, exhausted nerves, all tell of

What the weak women needs is Ferrozone; it renews, restores and vitalizes instantly—it's a "woman's remedy"—that's why.

Ferrozone makes women strong, plump and healthful because it contains lots of nutriment, the kind that forms muscle,

sinew, bone and nerve,
Vitalizing blood courses through the body
making delightful color, happy spirits, true
womanly strength.
To look well, to feel well, to enjoy the
unlimited advantages of robust, bounding health use Ferrozone; sold by all
dealers in 50c boxes, and refuse a substitute,

Not a Picnic.

A certain class of newspaper men assert that the farmer is the most independent man on earth, and he has nothing to do but to enjoy life. That dition, while few pigs are being held when the winter comes and the bliz-for spring feeding. The crop of zard's on the wing he roasts his feet young pigs has been lessened in many in the oven and reads the local newsways. In many parts of the country papers and the only thing that safety of the fitters. It seems to be day to a banquet of mince pie and within the mark to estimate a falling other luxuries. It is a mistake. The industrious tarmer begins work before the sun thinks of getting up. With his soul shrouded in gloom he proceeds to build a fire with a sledge hammer. He then takes a lantern and shovels his way to the barn and feeds the hogs. It is then time to feed the newly-arrived calf which seems to delight in butting a pail of milk over the tiller of soil until he only needs to pass for a package of eleomargarine. He crawls through a barb wire fence and digs the hay out of the snow, feeds the cows, cleans the stable, gathers up the frozen chicks, chases a stray hog worth twenty-five cents for four miles and does not catch it, freezes his fingers, gets kicked by a one-eyed mule, and when the gloam ing comes and quietness broods over all the earth he has a single half hour to meditate and wonders how he wil pay his taxes.

New System of Roadmaking in Kent.

Quite an interesting innovation in roadmaking has been introduced in the
County of Kent, where a new road engine, to which is attached five cars, has
been put to work on the improvements
which are being made on the county
road. The cars are supposed to carry
five wagon loads each, the entire outfit
therefore hauling the same load as twenty-five wagons. This road train will
make two trips a day which will keep the
three crushers busy to provide the necessary loads. The cars are so constructed
that by the use of a crank an aperature
is opened in the bottom to allow the emptving of the cars in a manner which will
distribute the material evenly on the
roadbed.

A man will travel with the outhit to at-

A man will travel with the outht to at A man will travel with the outfit to attend to the distribution. The wheels of the wagon are 14 inches in width, and are so arranged that they are not in line and will serve to further harden the road by rolling it on their trips. The outfit was purchased from the J. I. Case Company. Formerly a large number of teams were used and men were engaged to stread the material. By the new process



Beaver Flour is the best for Pastry\_just as it is best for Bread.

# **Beaver Flour**

is both a "Spring Wheat" and a "Winter Wheat" Flour. It is a blend of Manitoba Spring Wheat in Ontario Fall Wheat just the exact proportions of each to make the whitest, most nutritious Bread—and the lightest, most inviting, most tooth-some Cake, Pies and Pastry. Economical, to say the least.

AT YOUR GROCER'S Dealers, write for prices on all kinds of Feeds, Coarse Grains and Cereals. T. H. Taylor Co., Limited, Chatham, Ont.

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the health, and

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body to combat

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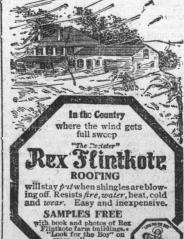
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A PLUCKED CRANE.

A Port Huron Man Loses \$10,000 Worth of Plumage

Port Huron, Nor. 22.-Van E. Crane,

aged defendant in the breach of promise suit instituted by Miss Sarah M. Barnes, was surprised when a jury in Judge Tappan's court this morning returned a verdict of \$10,000 in favor of the plaintiff.

The amount originally asked for by Miss

Not until the jury had been excused did Crane regain his composure and then he began to vent his spleen in language that

was not altogether suitable to a court

the amount, Miss Barnes replied :

every penny of the c the jury had given her.

that yet

Asked what she was going to do with

Miss Barnes admitted that she did not

La Grippe Coming Again.

Truancy Act No Use.

Toronto, Nov. 26.-Asked as to In-

spector Fotheringham's statement that the present Ontario truancy act is a

laughing stock in the rural schools."

Seath, superintendent of education,

"The act is inoperative and not worth

a row of pins. It will be amended, the change to be brought about being like-ly to form one of the bills scon to be

She is White as a Ghost.

Is it a matter of pride to be pale as a

Homestead Entries

brought up.

oups with very little trouble.

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beef extracts.

The Official Premium List for the Ontario Provincial Winter Fair to be held at Guelph in December, contains a splendid offering of prizes for the various departments embraced by this rapidly growing institution. The developement of this Fair has not been a one-sided one but has taken place along all lines which conduce to promote the general Agricultural industry of the Province. Of all the various departments perhaps none had a more humble bements perhaps none had a more humble be-ginning than did the Seed Department yet no department has made more rapid growth in the degree of intelligent interest taken in the cause which it champions. This speaks well for the far-sightedness of the Live Stock Men of the Province who are quite cognizant of the fact that while the Live cognizant of the fact that while the Lives Stock industry of the country is relatively the most important yet the success of this industry really depends no no un ability to successfully grow suitable and adequate grain and fodder crops.

The losses that arise from sowing mixed and inferior strains and the danger from sowing weed seeds are coming to be recognized more and more seed version and as a

sowing weed seeds are coming to be recognized more and more each year and as a result the Seed Department at the above Fair as an institution designed to assist malleviating the prevailing difficulties has an important place to fill. This Department contains two general divisions. One division provides accommodation for exhibits of ordinary tarm seed which has not received any particular attention apart from what any up-to date, intelligent grower what any up-to date, intelligent grower would aim to give. The other division provides for the exhibition of "Specially Selected Seed" which has been grown and selected according to the regulations of the Canadian Seed Growers' Association. This latter exhibition is designed chiefly to give publicity to the work which the various growers are doing by way of applying ap-proved methods of seed growing. The proved methods of seed-growing. The prizes in this division are given by tho Association, while those for the first division are provided out of the general funds at the disposal of the Fair Board. This year a number of special prizes each valued at about \$100.00 are offered.

MORE THAN HALF PASSED.

Results of Examinations for Teachers Certificates and Matriculation.

The following report has been issued by the Minister of Education:
There were 4,358 camdidates for teachers' certificates, of whom 2,312 passed.
336 passed as result of teachers' report.
Of the 3,110 candidates for junior teachers' certificates 1,518 passed or 49 per cent.;
341 of these would have failed but for Latin 1,780 took Latin and 1,365 passed in it.

Barnes was \$15,000.

When the jury returned to the court room, after deliberating a little over an hour, Crane was stunned at the verdict. Of the candidates for district teachers' certificates 52 per cent. passed; for junior teachers' 49 per cent.; for senior teachers, part 1, 61 per cent.; for senior teachers, part 2, 74 per cent. Six out of the seven in commercial and three out of four in art

The total number of appeals was 306, and

"Well, really, I had not thought of that yet. I hardly know what I will do, but my isn't that great. Ten thousand of these 76 were allowed.

For honor matriculation, in whole or in part, there were 138 candidates who were not candidates for teachers' certi-

ficates expect so big a verdict, but added that she has suffered as a result of the aged For junior matriculation in whole or in part, the candidates numbered 2,959; 399 made full matriculation standing; 1,207 man's refusal to marry her was worth every penny of the compensation that made what they tried for, partial matricu-lation; 1,353 failed in what they tried for. Of 39 appeals 11 were sustained some only

# Great Danger in Headaches

It's often dangerous to consider headache a trifling ailment. If the head aches the stomach is out of order and some serious disease may be impending. To tone up the stomach, to give it healthy action, up the stomach, to give it healthy action, nothing in modern medicines is so successful as Dr. Hamilton's Pills. The concentrated vegetable extracts in Dr. Hamilton's Pills have a quieting healthful effect on the stomach and remove all disorders. Your headache will be cured and they won't return, if you use Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Sold everywhere. For Bronchitis, Grippe and winter ills Catarrhozone is best. Sold by all dealers 25c and \$1.00.

# A New Invasion.

The statement made by prisoners in the police cells at London that Canada is to be icvaded by an army of unemployed from the United States is proven true by conditions on this frontier at the present time. The invasion is in full course now. The discharge from employment of thousands of men by the railways and steel and ironmen by the railways and steel and iron-working concerns of the eastern States has flooded the country with men seeking for work. Throughout the States tales of Canada's presperity and the building of the National Transcontinental Railway, and other great works of development are cur-rent, and the men out of work flook across "Perhaps the proper procedure would be to have one man for each township in order to have the truancy act en-National Transcontinental Kailway, and other great works of development are current, and the men out of work flock across the border to seek it in Canada. Many come from Ohio and Pennsylvania, but others are from Buffalo and the cities of western New York. At Buffalo the steel plents have reduced the number of their employees and the discharged men have Is it a matter of pride to be pale as a lily,—certainly not. What every woman wants is strength, color, vigor, Buoyancy and health are the right of every woman, and these she\_need not lack if she only uses Ferrozone. It gives appetite, creates strength, enriches blood, gives vigor to the nerves, color to the cheeks and brightness to the eyes. Ferrozone is at once convertible into health, and strength. There is power in Ferrozone,—try it, and know what you have missed, 50c. at all dealers, remployees and the discharged men have formed the army moving into Canada. The dismissal of several hundred men by the shutting down of the shipbuilding plant at Bridgeburg has also had an effect on the labor market along the frontier.

Holloway's Corn Cure is a specific for the removal of corns and warts. We have never heard of its failing to remove even the worst kind.

Mrs. Holmes, probably the oldest woman in the County of Huron, as well as the longest continuous resident of the county, died at her home, Holmesville, four miles west of Clinton, on Saturday, in her 102nd year. The lateMrs. Holmes was the widow of the late John Holmes, who represented the Huron district in parliament in 1857, having defeated the Otttawa, Nov. 26.—There was a big decrease in the number of homestead entries made in September, 1907, compared with September, 1906. Of 200 or a total of 611 made in September, 1907, by persons coming trom the United States, there were 174 from North Dakota, 176 from Minnesota, 20 from Kansas, 22 parliament in 185 Hon. M. Cayley. ent in 1857, having defeated the

ITCH. Mange, Prairie Scratches, Barber's Itch and every form of contagious Itch on human or animals cured in thirty minutes by Wolford's Sanitary Lotion, It never fails.

# Backache, "The Blues"

Both Symptoms of Organic Derangement in Women -Thousands of Sufferers Find Relief.



How often do we hear women say: "It seems as though my back would break," or "Don't speak to me, I am all out of sorts?" These significant remarks prove that the system requires attention.

Backache and "the blues" are direct symptoms of an inward trouble which will sooner or later declare itself. It may be caused by diseased kidneys or some derangement of the organs. Nature requires assistance and at once, and Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound instantly asserts its curative powers in the compound that the same and the compound instantly asserts its curative powers in the compound instantly asserts its curative powers in the compound in the compound instantly asserts its curative powers in the compound instantly asserts its curative powers in the compound in the compound instantly asserts its curative powers in the compound was very nervous and then and severe pains all through my body, and was very nervous and then and severe pains all through my Backache and "the blues" are direct symptoms of an inward trouble which will sooner or later declare itself. It may be caused by diseased kidneys or some derangement of the organs. Nature requires assistance and at once, and Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound instantly asserts its curative powers in all those peculiar ailments of women. It has been the standby of intelligent American women for twenty years and the ablest judges agree that it is the most universally successful remedy for woman's ills known to medicine.

Read the convincing testimonials of gestion and nervous prostration, or are beset with such symptoms as dizziness, faintness, lassitude, excitability, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, "all-gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues and hopelessness, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once romoves such troubles.

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Mrs. Anna R. MacNames of compound

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widespread and unqualified endorsement. Refuse to buy any substitute. FREE ADVICE TO WOMEN Remember, every woman is cordially invited to write to Mrs. Pinkham if there is anything about her symptoms she does not understand. Mrs. Pinkham is the daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham, her assistant before her decease

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bearing-down feeling, inflammation of the female organs, backache, bloating (or flatulence), general debility, indi-

gestion and nervous prostration, or are

and for twenty-five years since her advice-has been freely and cheerfully given to-every ailing woman who asks for it. Her advice and medicine have restored Dear Mrs. Pinkham;—

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ventilated. The air in the oven is constantly being renewed with fresh air drawn through three vents between oven and fire-pot

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fumes carried out through another set of vents in back end of oven, as shown by illustration. Pandora

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Insure the Weather.

EV LULLE VIL

Toronto, Nov. 23.—There are three in surance companies in Ontario which insure against bad weather, according to the annual report of the provincial inspector of insurance, just published. The aggregate income of these three companies for the year, however, only amounted to \$9,160.17, of which \$1,628.15

were paid out in losses.

There are 69 strictly mutual fire insurance companies doing business in the Province. Their total assets amount to \$6,546,964.45, and their liabilities \$15,-884.74.

James Leader, an old resident of Petrolea, died last week He is survived by one daughter

Two Grand Champions Are Captured by Exhibitors from Western Ontario.

Chicago, Dec. 3.—Canadian exhibitors at the stock show made a fine showing in the sheep department. They won the grand championship.

Senator Drummond, Beaconsfield, Que.,

was awarded the blue ribbon in the class

was awarded the blue ribbon in the class for Southwold wethers and champion ribbon for Grand champion wether
John Campbell, Woodbridge, Ont., champion Shropshire wether and champion grade wether.

J. T. Gibson, Denfield, Ont., champion pure-bred Lincoln wether.

J. H. Herrick Hägeten, Out., champion

J. H. Patrick, Ilderton, Ont., champion long wool grade wether.

In the cattle classes, James Leask, In the cattle classes, James Lease, Greenbank, Ont., was awarded the rib-bon for the champion grade Shorthorn calf and for grand champion steer over all breeds. Mr. Leask was also awarded the first special prize for three steers.

#### Work on Scheme of Government Phones.

Regina, Sask., Dec. 2,—The creating of the Department of Telephones as a section of the department presided over by the Commissioner of Railways for Saskatchewan is a practical step towards the institution of the Provincial system of Government telephones, decided on by

of Government telephones, decided on by
the Government as a result of the enquiry made during the last few months by
the telephone expert, Francis Dagger.

It is expected that the actual construction work will commence in the
spring, should the Legislature approve of
the Government scheme. The Government's intention is to build a system of
trunk lines through all the more settled
portions of the Province.

S. P. Porter, recently Chief Home-

S. P. Porter, recently Chief Home-stead Inspector in this district, has been appointed Deputy Commissioner of Rail-ways. It is understood that in addition to telephones, the Government will in-itiate an aggressive transportation cam-

Railways were not Worried by Storm.

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 3.—Two thousand car men of the C.P.R. arbitrated their differences yesterday under the Lemieux Act.

Mayor Ashdown announces that the trouble between the city and the street railway ouer the work at Pinnawa Channell has been settled.

Civic nominations here will be made

There was a heavy snowstorm here yesterday, but railway traffic was kept moving without difficulty, showing the steam railways to be in much better condition than in former years.

The coroner is holding an inquest to discover how Mrs. J. Bahfield's infant child was smothered.

The new fire fighting service has been installed, and it is capable of thirty-six thousand gallons per minute.

# Drowned in a Weil.

Shelburne, Ont., Dec. 3.-W. J. Ferguson, a prominent farmer, who lived about two miles from here, was accidentally drowned this morning in a well.

Just how the accident occurred is a mystery, as no one saw it. A neighbor called to see Mr. Ferguson, but his wife could not find him. In searching around it was noticed that the well was uncovered, and on examination the body was found in about fourteen feet of water.

# The Fall Report on Farms of Ontario.

The Ontario Agricultural Department has issued the fall report. Fall wheat is a little below 1906, but up to the average. Spring wheat is an average. Barley was plump in grain, and better in strand than that of any other cereal. The oat area has increased, but the yield is 25,000,000 under that of 1006. This year's has been the smallest yield since 1886, excepting

that of 1901.

Little rye is now raised, but both the yield and quality have been good. This year's crop of peas has been the best in years, with an almost complete absence of the weevil. The acreage of new fall wheat will be increased in the Lake Erie

wheat will be increased in the 1ake Erie and Georgian Bay counties.

The potato crop has been good. Potatoes are smaller than usual, owing to the drought, but comparatively free from

rot.

Fruit trees are in good condition, except where attacked by the San Jose scale oyster shell bark louse, tent caterpillar, and other insects. The apple yield has been below the average, but large shipments have been made. The size is rather small.

Live stock will be thin for wintering, owing to poor pasture, but remarkably free from disease. Horses are in good form, but are selling at reduced prices. Owing to the high cost of hay, grain, and mill feeds, farmers are not fattening the

mill feeds, tarmers are not fattening the usual number of cattle and hogs.

Failing pastures caused a decrease in the milk flow, but increased prices for dairy products have balanced matters. Butter prices have been from 3 to 7 cents higher than last year's. Eggs have paid the farmer better than fowl for the table.

# Christmas Gifts.

Here's a list of suggestions for Christ-

mas gitts:
Pottery.
Books.
Chafing-dishes.
Tea baskets.
Belts and buckles.
Ougint investry Any old thing

#### CHOP STUFF.

Brigden wants a skating rink. Clothes line lifters have been operating

n Alvinston. Thomas Trotter, an old resident of Florence, is dead.

Smallpox cases are reported at God-erich and Stratford. John Beaton has been appointed postster at Osborne.

The receipts of the Forest H. S. concert amounted to \$110.

The Alvinston Literary Club has re-organized for the season. Reeve Donnelly will be a candidate for re-election in Alvinston for 1908.

Bear meat regaled the palates of Petrolea epicures last week, Petrolea firemen will hold their annual

ball on New Years' Eve. It is proposed to light up Brigden with an acetylene gas plant. Brigden hunters secured five deer in the Parry Sound district.

The Ailsa Craig Minstrels will put on a show in that town Dec. 10th, The machinery of the Sutherland-Innes mill has been shipped from Forest to

The Strathroy band now numbers over 20 pieces. E. Kerton, late of Watford, plays Eb bass.

Roller skating is quite a craze in Pt. Huron and the local rink is largely pat-The well known stallion Monbars is

coming back to the Strathroy district, a syndicate having purchased the great sire from S. P. Thompson, of Woodstock. The new London city directory places the population at 55,000, or 9,000 more than the assessment department figures. London has 49 churches, 26 hotels, 33 clubs and 120 lodges and benefit socie-

John Miles, one of the oldest residents of Forest vicinity, died Tuesday morning after a lingering illness, lasting several months. The funeral took place on Thursday, the 28th, to Beechwood Ceme-

The effort to organize a brass band at Petrolea has been successful. Already twenty-three instruments are included in the organization. Bandmaster Corrison, of Sarnia, is the instructor for the new organization.

Patrick Murphy's fish house at Point Edward was burned about one o'clack Sunday morning. The premises and contents are a total loss. Mr. Murphy's loss will be about \$1,500, with only a small insurance.

Wallaceburg merchants and business men have unanimously pledged them-selves to refuse to purchase tickets, or any coupons or anything of the like nature from any person or persons so-liciting the same. The annual St. Andrew's supper at

The annual St. Andrew's supper at Petrolea has a provincial reputation and the 1907 event was fully up to the standard. The oratory was high glass, the menu unexceptional, and the hospitality of the members unbounded.

The Hagerty creek drainage dispute between the village of Newbury and the township of Mosa was held before 'J. B. Rankin, referee, at Glencoe, on Tuesday, and an arrangement was affected which was satisfactory to both parties, The drainage work will go on, but in a modified form. It will start further west than was originally intended, and consequently a smaller and less expensive drain will y a smaller and less expensive drain will

# BORN.

In Plympton, on Sunday, Nov. 24th, 1907, to Mr. and Mrs. McDougall, London Road, a son In Kingscourt, on Nov. 30th, 1907, the wife of John Gill, of a daughter, still born.

At Regina, Sask., on Friday, Nov. 15th, 1907, by Rev. A. Henry, Miss Sara J. McLachlan, of Kil-martin, Ont., to William Walker, of Hanley, Sask. At Wisbeach, on Dec. 4th, 1907, by the Rev. Mr. Lindsay, Donald McLeay io Helen Jane Watson,

# DIED.

In Petrolea, on Sunday, Nov. 22nd, Mary Stansfield, relict of the late wm. Dibb in her 82cd year. In Sarnia, on Saturday, Nov 23rd, 1907, Mr. Israel Moulton, formerly of Plympton, aged 71 years and ...months.

and ... months.

In Wyoming on Monday, Nov. 18th, 1997, Mr. Paul Pretty, aged 42 years.

In Bosanquet on Tuesday, Nov. 26th, 1907, Mr. John Miles, aged 65 years, I month and 28 days.

In Petrolea. on Wednesday, Nov. 26th, 1907, Mrs. Thos. Waldick, aged 57 years.

In Emiskillen on Trieday, Nov. 12th, 1907, Mr. Andrew McWilliams, aged 86 years.

In Emiskillen on Tuesday, Nov. 19th, 1907, Mr. Almon H. Sprague, aged 86 years.

In Emiskillen on the 14th inst., Ida Ella May, beloved daughter of Alice and William Stinson, aged 3 months and 25 days.

In Bosanguet. on Monday, Nov. 25th, 1907, Mrs. Wm

ageu o months and 20 days.

10 Bosanquet, on Monday, Nov. 25th, 1907, Mrs. Wm
Stubbs, sr, aged about 76 years.

In Thedford, on Friday, Nov. 22nd, 1997. Lousia
youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Braidon.

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1 Caradoc, on Friday. November 29th 1907, Ora Lillian, daughter of Mrs. Jane Colins, aged 18 years and 3 months.

McKeaife, on Sunday morning, Dec. 1st, 1907, William, Duncau, son or George and Annie Norris, in his 20th year.

Norris, iu his 20th year.
In Strathrov, on Friday, Nov. 29th, 1907, Nancy McNei, aged 96 years.

At Komoon, on Monday, Dec. 2nd, 1907, John Sinclair, blacksnith, aged 54 years.

At Windsor, Dec. 3rd, 1907, Mr. Salem Smith.

# Farmers' Resolution.

Milestone, Sask. Dec. 3.—An enthuiastic meeting of the foremost farmers of the surrounding country was held. Expert Dillinger of the Dominion Government Railway Commission heard all complaints. This resolution was adopted:

"That the grain Act be suspended, and that four out of every twenty cars be given to the elevators regardless of the car order book.

"That in the opinion of this meeting the demurrage should be increased to \$3 for the first 72 hours, and \$10 per day for every additional day held."

Orvilie Saunders 123, Violas PicNaught ton 1094. Class Pt. I. Sr.—Maggie Chambers 1856, Clare Manders 1392, Roger Millar 881, Willie Kerr 416. Jr. Class Pt. I.—Gladys Manders 1770, Myrtle Harrower 1165, Pearl Cayley 907, Mary Kerr 814, Gordon Bryce 221.—Eva M. CRUMMER, Teacher.

The first step has been taken towards the establishing of a Carnegie library at Petrolea, and application forms and conditions have been applied for to Mr. Carnegie. An effort will be made to have the library completed before the Old Boys' Reunion next summer,

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A BARGAIN-Two sets of single harness robes, etc. Must be sold. Call at Taylor House.

PARTIES indebted to Dr. Kelly are requested to settle by cash or note before Christmas. Please do not neglect his matter.

TAKE NOTICE—We are now ready to do all kinds of custom sawing. Highest cash price for all kinds of timber.—S. SAUNDERS & SON.

HAVING given up my blacksmithing business it is necessary that all accounts due me be paid without further notice. Please give this your attention if interested.—A. MITCHELL. LAST CALL FOR POULTRY .- Dec, 10th,

12th, 17th, 19th. Positively no more taken after those dates. Call at office for prices. Wanted six hundred pigeons by Dec. 12th. Price 20cts. per pair.-S. STAPLEFORD.

MISS NESBITT has a choice line of selections in artistic art work for the holidays, also many pretty little water color paintings, the prices marked down for the holiday trade. I would be pleased to have you call and see them at my studio, Main St., over Fitzgerald's law office.

PARTIES desiring to sell farm or village property should place the same in the hands of W. E. Fitzgerald, barrister, etc., Watford, who now represents The West ern Real Estate Exchange, Limited. A great number of farms and considerable town property on hand for sale. Call and get a hargain.

ARE you a good guesser? E. A. Dowding is giving a handsome gold filled watch, 25 year guaranteed case, Elgin movement, to the person guessing the nearest to the number of beans contained. window. One guess given with every 50c purchase. Jar to be opened 3 p. m. Dec. ofth.

DOWDING the jeweler, stationery and fancy goods man, is giving a calendar for 1908. Only those who call and leave their name between 15th of November and 15th of December will receive one as he has only a limited number. They are reproductions of famous painters in 2 subjects and fit to hang in any parlor. "The Receding Tide" is painted by George Howell Clay, and "After Sun Set," by Neil Mitchell. Call and leave your name and get one. and get one.

# SCHOOL REPORTS.

Honor roll for November, S. S. No. Honor roll for November, S. S. No. 1
Metcalfe, Form IV—E. Ferguson, J.
Dymond, W. Brigham. Form III—H.
Eastabrook, E. de Gex, F. de Gex, G.
Ferguson, K. Foster, C. Freer. Form II
L. Eastabrook, J. Campbell, A. Watson.
Pt. II—R. Freer, G. Foster. Pt. I—A.
Dymond, M. Freer. Class A.—G. Johnston. Class B.—G. Ferguson. M. E.
MACKENZIE, Teacher.

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Report of S. S. No. 6, Warwick, for the month of November: Class IV.—
Lotte Kadey 580, Mabelle Manders 500.
Class III.—Sussell Duncan 780. Jr.
Class III.—Walter Duncan 781, Bert Saunders 770, Russell Harrower 655.
Cecil McNaughton 620, Lizzie Kerr 395.
Class II.—Alma Morris 1189, Clifford Kadey 829, Class Pt. II.—Herman McNaughton 1669, Rhea McNaughton 1660, Orville Saunders 1291, Viola McNaughton 1094. Class Pt. I.—Herman McNaughton 1094. Class Pt. I. Sr.—Maggie Chambers 1856, Clare Manders 1392, Roger Millar 881, Willie Kerr 416. Jr.
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M. CRUMMER, Teacher.

### Presentation Goods.

The approach of the holiday season suggests the selection of suitable and substantial G(FTS, something that will be useful as well as appropriate. Nothing fills the bill like a piece of

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# FINE FURNITURE.

# UNDERTAKING.

# FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

All members of the East Lambton Farmers' Institute for the present year should have the following reports viz.;—Ontario Agricultural College report. Experimental Union report. Eastern and Western Dairymen's As-

Live Stock Association. Farmers' Institute Pt. I.

Bulletin No. 161 on sheep industry.

Members not receiving above should drop a card to Geo. A. Putnam, Superintendant of Farmers' Institutes, Toronto, and those missing will be forwarded.

Members are also given free admission to Winter Fair held at Graph Dec. out to to Winter Fair held at Guelph Dec. 9th to 13th but must present member's ticket at the gate.

W. J. MACALPINE, Sec'y. East Lambton Farmers' Institute.





CARL A. CLASS,

JEWELER, Issuer of Marriage Licerses WATFORD.

# INWOOD.

Mr. John Farrell, of Forest, was in town on Thursday. Messrs. Courtright and Shipley had a very successful sheep sale last Tuesday.

Large quantities of fowl have been brought into town during the past week. Thursday, Dec. 5th, will be the last day W. R. Dawson will take live poultry for this season.

Mr. R. B. Warner has been compelled to run the excelsior mill night and day to fill orders.

Tickets for the poultry show can be purchased at the office of W. R. Dawson. Price \$1.00 each and purchaser is entitled to two entries free,

A large silver water pitcher has been donated to the Lambton County Poultry Association as a special prize for the best fowl birds in the show, cock, hen, cock-rel and pullet to be competed for at the winter show to be held here on January 29th, 30th and 31st, 1908. This pitcher is now on exhibition at W. R. Dawson's store. If y

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d6.4t Birnam P. O., Ont.

# TEACHER WANTED

FOR School Section No. 10, Warwick. Duties to commence with the new year. Applications, stating salary, will be acceived to the 13th day of December 1907.

warwick, Nov. 26th, 1907. Wisbeach.

# TENDERS FOR DRAIN

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to Monday, Dec. 16th, 1907, for the Higgins Drain in the Township of Warwick. Plans, specifications and profiles can be seen at the Guide-Advocate office.

ROBT. AULD,
Warwick P. O.
E. A. EDWARDS,
Kerwood P. O.

### Village Property For Sale.

THE andersigned offers for sale her frame house on Ontario St., Watford. The premises are in good condition and contain ten recens, bathroom, etc., plenty of hard and soft water, good stable. This is a very desirable property and will be sold at a reasonable figure. For further particulars apply to W. S. FULLER,

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# ARKONA

Kant Krack rubbers at J. Geo. Brown's. Mr. W. H. Jackson is visiting friends

iting frlends in town.

See our 36 in heavy weight flannelette 12½c yd. at J. Geo. Brown's.

Juo. Dowding is learning the barbering business with L. Evans.

Mr. Thomas Pressey shipped over 1,000 turkeys on Saturday. Wm. Bell, sr., spent a few days last week in London on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Bearss, Detroit, cal-led on Arkona friends last week. Mrs. (Dr.) Harper, of Cadillac, Mich. called on Arkona friends Saturday.

Mr. Ed. Russell, of York State, is visiting his tather, who is very ill at present. Miss Lou Moore has returned home after spending a month in Avoca, Mich. The Misses Waterman spent Sunday witn their sister, Mrs. Williamson, Wat-

100 doz. Swiss embroidery hats for Christmas trade at J. Geo. Brown's.

Mrs. Isles, who has been visiting at Mr. B. Parker's, has returned to her home in

Miss Willoughby, of Watford, is visit-ing her brother, Mr. Wesley Willoughby,

Mr. T. W. Showler is spending a few weeks with his granddaughter, Mrs. Connor, Pt. Huron. Mrs. Cornell and niece, Miss Mary

Murphy, of Memphis, Mich., spent last week visiting their uncle, Mr. C. Cliff. St. Stephen's Anglican Church Arkona will D. V. be opened on Dec. 15th. The Consecration service will be at 10.30 a. m. Confirmation service at 3 p. m. and an evening service at 7 p. m. His Lordship Confirmation service at 3 p. m. and an evening service at 7 p. m. His Lordship the Bishop of Huron will preach at all three services. The organist and choir of Christ Church Forest will furnish special

nusic. All are welcome. We have special prices to offer on ladies' fur coats. Have a chat with our fur man to see what he has to offer at J. Geo. Brown's.

HONOR ROLL FOR ARKONA PUBLIC SCHOOL. Class V-M. Fuiler 81, I. Dickison

Class V—M. Fuiler 81, I. Dickison 75, L. George 72, G. Langan 69. Class IV—L. Oakes 78, E. Copeland 61, N. Johnston 42, A. Stephenson 35, Lucy Mitchell 74, G. Brown 70, L. Morningstar 69, M. Donaldson 69, V. Detwiler 68, O. Oakes 58, D. Dickison 58, B. Knisley 57, G. Crawford 54, E. Parker 54, V. Huntley 47, M. Lucas 39, C. Johnson 33, R. Eastman 30, H. Dunham 29.—B. PARKER, Teacher.

60.—V. GAMMON, Teacher.

Primary Department Part II—Florence Willoughby 95, George Fuller 94, Clifford White 90, Reta Smith 87, Frank Carson 86, Alice Teeple 84, Eddie Cooper 84, Blyth Rutter 82, Florence Smith 81, Gerald Smith 79, Katie Harris 77, Lewis Gilbert 74, Charlie Smith 74, Bruce Brander 70, Norville Knisley 69, Leila Gott 63. Part I—Lloyd Richter 100, Orval Huntley 98, Lonnie Jackson 94, Averil Baldwin 93, Ivan Mitchell 89, Winnie Smith 86, Frank Parker 85, Olive Evans 79, Bradford Smith 72, Marguerite Stephenson 68, Melvin Taylor 64, Beatrice Oakes 55, Fred Dowding 54. 64, Beatrice Oakes 55, Fred Dowding 54.
—ELLA DOUPE, Teacher.

#### ARKONA'S POWER PLANT IN OPERATION.

The enterprising people of the little town of Arkona did not wait for the ad-vent of Niagara power, but availed them-selves of the natural advantages within easy reach, and as the result of their efforts electric energy was given a suc-cessful test on Saturday last. The pow-er is obtained from Rock Glen, about a mile and a half to the north.

A large cement dam was built across the Sauble river, and the tremendous pressure caused by concentrating the outflow through a narrow sluice to the turbine wheels furnishes the power which is transmitted by wire to the town.

The credit for conceiving and successfully covering out this enterprise is large.

fully carrying out this enterprise is largely due to Mr. T. W. Mitchell and Fuller Bros., who had the courage of their convictions, financed the undertaking and

supervised its construction.

Electric lights have already been installed in many of the business places, and the street lights will shortly be placed in position. placed in position.

It is expected that the flouring mill will be run by the power in a few

nd the saving in tuel alone means not a little. Arkona is to be congratulated on having a plant that is surpassed by few in the country, one that means much for the future prosperity of the place.

# WATORD PUBLIC SCHOOL.

HONOR ROLL FOR NOVEMBER. Fourth Class Sentors—William Lloyd, Freddie Haskett, Edna Seaman, Gladys Craig, Florence Johnston, George Res-torick, Mabel Williamson, Gordon Mains. Juniors—Nora Weight, Ross Annett, Reta Logan, Willie Aylesworth, Bessie Weight, Jean McKercher, Fred McManus, Ken-neth Sedwick, Elsie Anderson, Frank Elliott, Alma Buchner, Mattie Bryson, Florence O'Neil.—W. H. SHRAPNELL,

Third Class Seniors-Meryol Logan, In Newark, Ohio.

We are pleased to see Mr. Baines able to get around again.

Miss Aggie Irwin spent the past week visiting her mother.

Mr. A. Wehring spent Sunday with friends in Thedford.

Mr. B. Morningstar, of Detroit, is vis-

Mazie McManus, Margaret Muxworthy. L. RICHARDSON, Teacher.

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Second Class—John Lamb, Leo Sedwick, Ross Luckham, Gladys Lamb, Mary Stanger, Pearl Roberts, Burton Cook, Neil O'Neil, Nelvin McCormick, Edgar Prentis, Sammie Dodds, Orland Brooks, Michael O'Meara. Juniors—Franklin Smith, Jean Cameron, Stella Williamson, Eva Thorner, Etta Fuller, Henry Rivers, Clarence Cook, Bessie McNee, Austin Potter, Clare Roche, Melville Buchner, Eston Fowler.—M. HARROWER, Teacher.

Pt. II Seniors-Victor Annett, Lily Pt. II Seniors—Victor Annett, Lily Kelly, Geraldine Elliot, Richie Gibson, (Kathleen Elliot, Cecil Atchison) equal, Lefa Smith, Valore Dodds, Earl Morgan, Celestine McManus, Johnnie Bruce, Newell Hastings, Juniors—Teresa Logan, Mildred Fortune, Lena Nelson, Arthur Lever, Ross Restorick, Carmel McCormick.—M. REID, Teacher.

PRIMARY ROOM. Class I—Ethel Sharp, (Florence Roberts, Margaret Seaman,) equal, Roger Thorner, Alfred Croucher, Evelyn Dodds, Willie Restorick, Earl Fuller. Class II—Merle Smith, Jean McManus, Margaret Cameron, Orville Restorick, Erle Schleman, Leile Backer, Manie Moir Cartie Cameron, Orville Restorick, Erle Schlemmer, Leila Parker, Mamie Moir, Gertie Gibson, Ila Cook. Class III—Cyril Daws, Clifford Abbott, Spence Bruce, Deilose Dodds, Wilfrid Jamieson, Norman Thorner, Kenneth Scott, Alvin Styles. Class IV—Ernest Daws, Jack Lloyd, Florence Cook, Florence Kelly, Nervin Williamson, Geraldine Jamieson.—H. M. STAPLETON, Teacher.

#### HIGH SCHOOL BOARD.

Regular meeting of the High School Board held Nov. 29th, 1907. Members present, the Chairman, Dr. Newell, T. B. Taylor, S. P. Irwin, J. Mckercher and T.

Minutes of previous meetings read and

approved.

Taylor—Wynne, that the following accounts be passed:—Mail and Empire, \$1.17; Globe, \$1.17; Telephone to Lucan and Forest, 85c.—Carried.

Communications read from Miss B. Mitchell and Miss L. McLeod asking for increase of seleries.

increase of salaries. McKercher-Irwin, that as Miss B. Mitchell has completed her first year, as per agreement, that her salary be increased to \$550.00 from Jan. 1st, 1908; and that on the completion of Miss McLeod's year that her request will be favorably considered.—Carried.

Communication read from W. F. Fitz-

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gerald in regard to school fees paid by Victor Brown.

Cook—Taylor, that communication of W. E. Fitzgerald be received and filed.—
Carried

Goodhand-Irwin, that the Supply Committee procure wire mats for school -Carried. Irwin-McKercher, that the Chairman

Irwin—McKercher, that the Charles, Dr. Newell and A. Cook visit Sarnia Collegiate in regard to equipment and that a special meeting of Board be called by the Charrman to consider the matter after their return.—Carried.

W. McLeav, Sec'y.

market to below the \$4 mark has produced a corresponding uneasiness in Canada. But the return to the \$4.35 in that market

was more reassuring.
"The market in the old country and on
the continent is also demoralized."
said the representative of the Wm. Davies Co., "and we do not know what to pre-pare for here. We are, therefore, just sitting on the situation until some per-

manency to the market appears."

It is to be lamented that so many nice It is to be lamented that so many nice young heiters and young sows are being marketed by the farmers. It seems almost cruelty to send these to the shambles. The farmers will have to repurchase their breeding stock next year, and it seems poor policy to hurry them off in the present scare.

That feed will be much cheaper in the spring seems to be current opinion, and the farmers who have to purchase feed

spring seems to be current opinion, and the farmers who have to purchase feed would likely do well to delay such until absolutely necessary to do so. At any rate there is no need-for a departure from a business that has paid the farmers so well in the past, and gives promise of doing as well in the future. We are a hog-raising people, and second thoughts are wise. thoughts are wise.

# SUTORVILLE

Quite a flurry of snow this week. Mr. John Henry Lucas, who has been laid up for the past few months we are sorry to say is not improving.

Miss Jennie Campbell, who has been attending Alma College in St. Thomas has returned to her home in Forest.
Mr. Charles Parker has returned from the West and states that it isn't such a

bad place after all.

Quite a large number from here attended the Confirmation service at St. James' on Friday last.

Rev. Canon Downie, Port Stanley, will preach in Christ Church, Sutorville, on Sunday next, Dec. 8th.

# Municipal Dates.

The month of December is a very busy one in municipal and school matters. Following are dates of interest:—
9th—Model school examinations begin,
10th—last day for public school trustees

to fix places for nomination.

13th—Model schools close.

14th—last day for payment of taxes in
municipalities which have passed by laws

tor the purpose.

16th—Municipal Councils all meet.

20th—Rural school trustees selected.

30th—Municipal nomination.

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TOOK A DOSE OF STRYCHNINE Pt. Huron Young Woman Quarrelled With Her Mother in-Law.

Port Huron, Mich., Noy. 24.—"What are you mad about, Will?"
"Why, nothing, Alice."

"Oh, yes you are

Ending this little conversation by swallowing strychnine, Mrs. William Forster, aged 22 years, succeeded in her attempt at suicide at her home on Oak

reet, this afternoon.

Her young husband said that he had just come from his mother's home, where he went to get some milk for the baby. He said that his wife had quarrelled with his mother and the result was that it caused much hard teeling.

"It would be better, Alice, if you would remain away from my mother's," said Forster upon his return home.

"Is that so?" she replied, then re-paired to her bedroom. She poured the strychnine into a tumbler of water and he asked her what she did.

"Oh, nothing at all," she replied and then swallowed the deadly poison. Coroner Schwikert was called and de-

cided an inquest unnecessary.

Forster is an engineer on the Grand
Trunk railroad and is left with a 3 months old baby to care for.

## To Stop a Crying Baby.

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# Too many Lawyers at Present

A prominent local lawyer yesterday stated that the profession of law was a very poor one for a young man to embark id at present. "There are sixty lawyers id at present. "There are sixty lawyers in this city at the present time," said he, "and there is not work for half that number. Most of them, however, have A MAGIC PILL - Dyspepsia is a foe with side lines, such as real estate and insurance and in some manner or another all appear to be able to eke out some sort of an existence.

an existence."

Years ago it was almost every young man's sole ambition to either become a lawyer or a doctor. Times have changed, and the lawyer of to-day finds that his chief occupation is the conveyancing of land or other titles.

Go up to the local division courts almost any day that court is held and one

almost any day that court is held and one will see a half dozen lawyers who form-erly would not bother themselves with petty cases looking for a chance to pick up a five or a ten spot, in a suit which, perhaps, would not involve more than wehty-five dollars.—Advertiser.

# Have You Warts?

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REVISION OF TEXT BOOKS. It is Being Urged by the Advisory

Council of Education.

The Advisory Council of Education is urging upon the department the necessity of the revision of the whole of the text

book system, apart from the readers, on the revision of which the Council has been en-gaged for some time, in use in the public and high schools of the Province. The subcommittees who have had the matter unde committees who have had the matter under consideration have presented reports to the Minister of Education, in which they express themselves as being greatly dissatisfied with the existing condition of affairs. Not only do they complain that in the matter of the text books in use in the high schools that is considerable overlapping, but in respect to text books relating to such but in respect to text books relating to suc important subject as history and geography, and which are in use in the public schools of the Province, they complain of inaccura-

#### Champagne From Apple Cores.

The United States Cousul at Collingwood, in a report to his Government, says that a Rochester firm has established plants at Collingwood and Creemore in which inferior apples have been evaporated for the Northwest market. But this Rochester firm has gone further that this. Following the example set in Chicago packing houses, where the squeal is the only part of the hog not turned to profit able account, the peelings and cores from this inferior fruit are dried and shipped

to France for the purpose of forming the raw material for champague. This Collingwood case is not, if current reports are true, the only one in which the son in the form of finished product might be excused for failure to recognize its own father in the raw material. Thousands of bushels of turnips have this year been shipped from Ontario to Chi-cago, where it is said at least a part of the shipments, when mixed with timothy seed and properly flavored, become a very fine line of raspberry jam. In these days of substitution and ad-

ulteration, the old proverb that one half the world does not know how the other half lives might well be changed to read

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The Ontario Government has under consideration a comprehensive scheme for the general abolition of the fee system, particularly in relation to local semi-judicial offices.

judicial offices.

Hon. Mr. Whitney, the Prime Minister, is out of the city, but a member of the Ministry told The News that, in view of the consideration and investigation which must necessarily precede any legislative action, it was doubtful if any programme would be sufficiently matured to present to the Legislature at its coming session. It is not improbable, however, that indications of the Government's plans may be submitted. be submitted. The object in view is understood to be

the payment to all such officials as sheriffs, registrars and county crown attorneys of straight salaries, instead of the existing practice of authorizing them to collect fees. It is believed that the change will do away with many abuses, be equitable and just to the officials, and in many ways be of benefit to the municipalities. It is recognized that the remuneration would have to be determined to a large extent upon local conditions, average amount of work the officer is called upon to perform. The adoption of an equitable scale of salaries would be one entailing a close examin-ation of many individual cases in which

exceptional circumstances exist.

Some action may also be taken in relation to substituting the fees allotted to county magistrates and justices of the peace by a direct stipend. Another mat-ter which may have consideration is the advisability of prohibiting county crown attornays from engaging in private prac-

#### Addresses on Agricultural Subjects At Winter Pair, Gueiph.

number of important subjects have been decided upon for discussion at the coming Winter Fair to be held at Guelph. continue through until Friday morning, Dec. 13th.

The necessity of good roads throughout the province is receiving considerable attention at the present time, and a session is being devoted to this subject at which, as well as Mr. A. F. Campbell, Good Roads Commissioner for Ontario, being present, Mr. D. Ward King, of Missourl, who is a good roads expert and enthusiast and the originator of the Split Log Drag, will be present to discuss this matter. This is a subject in which every person will be sufficiently interest-ed to procure all available information as

to how the roads may be improved.

Special attention is being given to addresses on the "Economical Feeding of Different Classes of Live Stock." Under the conditions prevailing at the present time, a discussion on this subject will prove very helpful to all feeders of live

prove very helpful to all feeders of live stock.

Cne of the most interesting addresses or demonstrations, will be given on the Friday morn g, consisting of a practical demonstration of breaking or training a horse, by Mr. D. Ward King. As well as being of practical yalue to persons having horses to train, this demonstration will be of interest to everyone, and persons going to Guelph should remain over until Friday morning to see Mr. King and his plan of handling an un-broken horse. Two sessions will also be devoted to questions in connection with the horse industry, following the report of the special investigation into the horse industry of Ontario by the Ontario Department of Agriculture. ment of Agriculture.

A single fare passenger rate has been arranged over all lines running to Guelph from December 7th to 13th inclusive, good to return up to December 16th.

# Dramage Decision.

Ekfrid vs. Grand Trunk Railway,—
The railway commissioners' engineer has reported and the commission decide to allow the McGugan drain to be constructed along the railway company's right of way, as desired by the Township sf Ekfrid, but the commissioners require it to be kept sufficiently near the fence to allow the widening of the embankment for a double track, 28 foot beam (space between top of embankment and the top of the ditch.)

This is the first decision which has been announced by the Railway Commissioners, with regard to their recent sittings in Chatham,—Planet.

### LOCAL OR OTHERWISE.

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VOTING upon local option bylaws will take place the first Monday of the new year in 100 municipalities. This is the same number that voted last year and is more than was expected would be in line for this year's vote. The vote in Met-calfe township at the time the referen-dum was taken stood 221 for 27 against.

Even the doctors are complaining of the quiet season. Whether owing to the invigorating weather or the fear of scarcity of money to pay the doctors' bills the people are not needing their services of extent. "This is the quietest month in my profession in thirty-five years," said an old practioner the other day.

WORD has been received that the Rev. T. B. Regmald Westgate, C. C. M. S., missionary in German East Africa, arrived safely in England with his wife and family on Oct. 12th. After spending a few weeks in England and Ireland. Mr. Westgate will come on to Canada, expecting to spend Christmas at his old home near Watford. He has been in mission work for over him years. mission work for over nine years.

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A BEE was held at the Congregational A BEE was neld at the Congregational church the other day when about twenty of the men of the congregation from town and vicinity assembled and repaired the sheds, floor in church basement, and around the parsonage.

A little Swedish girl with the typical name of Stella Traub, who is making the long journey from Stockbolm, Sweden, to Leduo, Alberta, arrived in Sarnia the other day on the Grand Trunk. She other day on the Grand Trunk. She will visit her brother for a week before going to her father in the far western town. The little girl is nine years of age, a bright child with fair hair, blue eyes, and rosy cheeks, and during her long trip has been fully able to look after herself. The means adopted to send the child safely through have been used before and cousists of sewing a cloth strip to the child's sleeve, marked with the name and destination.

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#### Forty Thousand Children Contributed Their Mites.

Montreal, Nov. 28.—In connection with the fund opened to commemorate the deed of Miss Sarah Maxwell, teacher of the Hochelaga Protestant School, who lost her life in a heroic endeavor to save the children under her care when fire broke out there on February the 26th last, some forty thousand school children have sent in about \$4,200. With additional contributions by sympathizers, a wing, to be known as the Sarah Maxwell Memorial, will be added to the Children's Hospital. Montreal, Nov. 28.-In connection with Hospital.

# The Oldest Teachers

The oldest teacher in Elgin County is C. T. Burdick, of Aylmer, who announces that he will retire from active work at the close of the year after thirty-six years of active work in the most of active work. the close of the year after thirty-six years of active work in the public schools. His mantle will fall on Mr. John C. Mc-Lennan, the esteemed teacher of Watson's Corners, who has been active in the profession for twenty-eight years, twenty-five of which have been in his present school. This is a record that is probably unprecedented in the Province, and one that speaks well for Mr. McLennan's abilities as a successful teacher.

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A prominent physician, famous for his success in the treatment of kid-ney and bladder troubles, stated that to the following prescription is due a great deal of his success:

One ounce fluid extract dands One ounce compound salatone;

Four ounces compound syrup sarsaparilla. Mix and take a teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime, drinking plenty of water.

This mixture will, he says, positively cure any diseases arising from weak, clogged or inactive kidneys, and will assist these organs to cleanse the blood of the poisonous waste matter and acids, which if allowed to remain, cause lumbago, lame back, rheumatism and sciatica, and at the same time will restore the kidneys to healthy normal action. The ingredients, which are purely vegetable and entirely harmless, can be procured from any good druggist and mixed at home at very little cost. This advice will undoubtedly be This mixture will, he says, posi-

This advice will undoubtedly be much appreciated by many readers. 

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NORTH END.

#### The Price of Milk.

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The following article, which is taken from the Wyoming Enterprise, applies with equal force to other places, and will be read with interest by a large number who have come to the conclusion that the boosting of prices has been carried too far:

Our milkman has raised the price of milk from 5x to 6c per quart. We protest against this action not because we are unwilling to pay the just and honest price of a commodity, but because of the injustice of the raise in the price. At any time milk is a dear commodity at 5c per quart. It pays the farmer better to sell milk at 5c per quart than it would pay him to sell the butter made from the same quantity of milk at 40 cents a pound. A cow that will produce one pound of butter per day is considered a paying animal. To do this she will produce four gallons of milk or sixteen quarts. duce four gallons of milk or sixteen quarts. Sixteen quarts of milk at 50 per quart is worth Suc. Allowing the milk man one half of this for the loss of buttermilk and for the wear and tear of rigs in delivery, (which is allowing him a large dividend for those things) our concention is still correct that he is better paid at 50 per quart fo milk than other farmers are at the highest prices ever paid in Ontario for butter. A close estimate of the question would probably show that the milkman gets for his milk the equivalent of 50c per pound for

It is true that in the cities the price of milk has gone up, but it must be remembered that there the milk has to be brought in by express from ten to fifty miles and after by express from ten to fifty miles and after that it is put through the sterilizing process which involves an annual outlay of tens of thousands of dollars. The cases are not at all parallel. Six cents a quart for milk in Wyoming is an extortionate price, and is only the result of having no competition. If a few of the farmers in the surrounding country who have cows for the winter will but their milk into one can and bring it put their milk into one can and bring it into the village they will have no difficulty into the village they will have no difficulty in getting patronage and pledges for a year, and at 5c per quart they will make as good as forty to fifty cents per pound for butter. Here is a proposition for farmers worth their careful consideration, as we know of other villages not any larger than Wyoming where two milkmen have made a good thing out of the business and both sold at the per quart and even gave twenty are 50 per quart and even gave twenty one quarts for a dollar when paid in advance. A Citizen of Wyomiug.

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by local applications. as they cannot reach the diseased portions of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is eaused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachion Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling cannot an unperfect hearing and when it is count or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever inine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

of the mucous surfaces.

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# Cheap Turkey for Christmas.

Everybody who cares to can enjoy turkey for Christmas dinner. In the first place the tarmers do not want to keep anything this winter that will eat feed, and in the second place, there is a surplus of the big fowl in the country. As a consequence turkeys are much lower now than they were last year at this time. Saturday the market was flooded with turkeys of all kinds and sizes, and the farmers were very anxious to dispose of them. Or course, they may become a trifle scarcer along about the may become a trifle scarcer along about the holiday time, but this is doubtful.

Last year there were many people who could afford this incious dish, but this time it will be different. Saturday the price of a fine turkey was from 12 to 13 cents a pound. Last year at this time they were selling at an advance of two cents a pound over that price, which is about the same as

Everthing in the poultry line is cheaper this year, but eggs continue brisk at good

The continued fine weather has much to do with the surplus of turkeys, for as long as the weather is good the farmers will not bother to pull roots, but will continue to

bring in their produce. The poorer classes are not bothering much as to the reason. The result is what they are looking at aud they are thankful that prices are down.

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April—Daisy; innocence, patience, peace. May—Hawthorn; hope, happy domestic

June-Honeysuckle; fidelity, love, de otion.

July-Water lily; purity of heart, faith.
August-Poppy; consolation.

September-Morning glory; affection,

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love, December-Holly; domestia happiness,

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## BY-LAW NO. 13, 1907, OF TOWNSHIP OF WARWICK.

A By-law to provide for drainage work in the Township of Warwick, in the County of Lambton, and for borrowing on the credit of the municipality the sum of or Lamosov, amunicipality the sum or \$252,30 for completing the same. Provisionally adopted the 11th day of Nov.

Whereas Thomas Brush, a party to be benefited by the drainage work has peti-tioned the Council of the said Township of Warwick, to have the Six Side Road Drain

Warwick, to have the Six Side Road Drain extended to a proper outlet.

And whereas thereupon the said Council has procured an examination (under Section 76 of the Municipal Drainage Act,) to be made by C. A. Jones, being a person competent for such purpose, of the said area proposed to be drained and the means suggested for the drainage thereof and of other lands and roads liable to assessment under the Municipal Drainage Act, and have also lands and roads liable to assessment under the Municipal Drainage Act, and has also procured plans, specifications and estimates of the drainage work to be made by the said C. A. Jones, and an assessment to be made by him of the lands and roads to be benefited by such drainage work, and of lands and roads liable for contribution thereto, stating as nearly as he can the pro-portion of henefit outlet liability and

thereto, stating as nearly as he can the proportion of benefit, outlet liability, and injuring liability which in his opinion will be derived or incurred in consequence of such drainage work by every road and lot or portion of lot, the said assessment so made being the assessment hereinafter by this bylaw enacted to be assessed and levied upon the roads and lots or parts of lots hereinafter in that behalf specially set forth and described, and the report of the said C. A. Jones in respect thereof and of the said drainage work being as follows:

Petrolea, Sept 48h, 1907.
To the Municipal Council, Township of Werwick.
GENTLEMEN:—In accordance with instructions received from your Honorable Redy I have made a survey for the extension of the 6.7 sideroad grain, con. 1, S.E.R., of your Township, to a more efficient outlet.

The average depth across lot? will be about 2 to and along the Blind Line about 2 to 8 in. I have predared a plan and profile of the work, specification, estimate of cost and schedule of as sessment, all of which therewith submit.

ESTIMATE OF COST. Excavating st 68 to 68, 80 rods at 90c per rod . \$72 00 st 88 to 103\frac{1}{2} 62 rods at \$1.15 \qquad 71 30 st 103\frac{1}{2} to 112, 34 rods at \$1.5 \qquad 51 00 st 103\frac{1}{2} to 12, 34 rods at \$1.5 \qquad 51 00 st 103\frac{1}{2} to 12, 34 rods at \$1.5 \qquad 51 00 st 103\frac{1}{2} to 12, 34 rods at \$1.5 \qquad 51 00 st 103\frac{1}{2} to 103\fr township Clerk's fees. egistering same. 10 00 letting and inspecting work. 8 00 Survey, plans, estimates, etc. 18:00 Assistance on survey 4 00 Total estimates.

Total estimated cost of work...... \$232 30 | to run.

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S.E.R.

LONDON, ON". SDHEDULE OF ASSESSMENT Lot or part acres Value Outlet Total of Lot. Benefit liability

4 6½
5 w½
5 5 w½
6 6 w½
6 6 ½
7 8 w¼ 18.16.R. 4 c/2 100

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Total ass'mt lands and roads \$252.30

SPECIFICATION OF WORK.

The drain is to be due to the depths and dimensions shown and figured on the accompanying profile with sides stoped 1 horizontal to 1 vertical and with the bottom an even grade between stations.

Should any error appear in the figured depth at any stake, the grade is nevertheless to be made to conform with that shown on the profile.

Where the course of the drain is a straight line the centre line is to be 6 ft. from the line of the stakes and on the numbered side thereof and where the course is a curve, as from st. 83½ tr 89, and from 92 to 95, it is to be made a gradual and even curve the full length of said curve and all turns are also to be made a gradual curve.

All trees or stumps are to be grubbed out of the course of the drain and all logs and brush are to be removed for a wisth of 1 rod on each side of the bank.

From st. 68 to 69, the earth is to be cast and

From st. 68 to 69, the earth is to be cast and spread on the centre of the road.

From st. 69 to 103+40, the earth is to be cast about equally on each side and 3 ft. clear of the edge.

From st 103+40 to 111%, the earth is all to be cas to the south side of the drain, 3 it. clear of the edge. From st. 1111/4 to 112, the earth is to be cast about equally on each side and 3 for clear of the edge. All the work to be done to the entire satisfaction the commissioner in charge of the work,

I have the honor to remain,

ceived from your Honorable Scdy I have made a survey for the extension of the 6.7 sideroad are incomediated. The present termination of work on this drain is on the wij lot 7, con. 1, 8, E, R., of your Township, to a more efficient outlet.

The present termination of work on this drain is on the wij lot 7, con. 1, 8, E, R., about 24, 136 east of the 6.7 sideroad and I am now proposing to extend it across lot 7, crossing the Bind Line, batween cons. 1 and 2, 16 rods west of the line between lots 7 and 8, then continuing easterly along the drainage of the area described is desirable, the drainage of the area described is desirable, and the drainage of the area described is desirable, and the drainage of the area described is desirable. Therefore the said Municinal Council of the said contention of 10, con. 2, 8, E, R., all as shown more particularly by red line on the accompanyin y lan of the locality.

I am starting the upper end of the proposed work at st. 68 on the former survey of Sept., 1904, as the lower portion of the previous work has filled up considerably owing to the rapid fall in the drain above. This st. 38 is about 5½ rods above the point where the drain leaves the sideroad and enters lot 7, and I have made the numbers on the stakes of this work continuous from those on the former work. 8, 88 is where it crosses the line between the E and W halves of lot 7, st. 103, 2-5 is where it crosses the Bind Line, and st, 112 is at the outlet into the drain abover ferred to.

The bottom width of the drain will be 3 ft. and the side slopes 1 horizontal to 1 vertical.

The average depth across lot 7 will be about 24 ft. 8 is about the Bind Line, and any the Billed Line about 24 ft. 8 is

and. For paying the sum of \$115 00 the amount charged against the said lands and roads for benefit, and the 1um of \$127.50 the amount charged against the said lands and roads for other lands the said ands and roads for outer lands the said ands and roads for outer lands the said ands and roads belonging to or controlled by the Municipality, and for covering interest thereon for two years at the rate of 4 per centum per annum, the following total special rates over and above all other rates shall be assessed, levied and collected (in the same manner and at the same time as other taxes are levied and collected) upon and from the undermentioned lots and parts of lots, and roads and the amount of the said special rates and interest again t cach lot or part of lot respectively shall be (divided into 2 equal parts, and one such part shall be) assessed, levied and collected as aforesaid, in each vear, for 2 years after the final passing of this bylaw, during which the said debentures have to run.

Lot or part of Lot Owner Acres For Outlet in't for 2 yrs Total Yearly Benefit Liability at 4 per cent. cost payment 4, w½, Albert Archer 4e½, Thomas Hawkins 5 w½, Chas. Hawkins 5 w½ e½, N. Herbert 5 e‡, M. E. Barrett 3 98 8 22 14 31 23 100 100 53 35 50 30 06 08 36 78 1 13 1 13 9 28 6 10 5 e<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>. M E. Barrett 50 6 w<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, Geo. Fenner 10.0 6 e<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>. S. J. Harper 100 7 s w <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>. do 50 4, e<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>. Chas. Hawkins 100 5, w<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>. Wilbur McRorie 100 6, w<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>. N. Herbert 100 6, e<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>. N. Herbert 100 6, e<sup>1</sup>/<sub>3</sub>. Chas. Stewart 100 7, w<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>. John Wilkinson 100 38 00 7, e<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>. Thos. Brush 100 38 00 8, w<sup>1</sup>/<sub>3</sub>. Wm. McRorie 100 6 00 n w parts of 7, S. P. Gavigan 88 33 00 8 75 6 36 1 33 1 25 6 00 13 00 18 75 18 75 10 00 6 36 13 78 19 88 19 88 50 88 46 64 1 98 6 36 34 98 3 18 17 49

Total amount lands and roads ..... \$252 30

4th. For paying the sum of \$9.80 the amount assessed against the said roads of the Municipality and for covering interest thereon for 2 years at the rate of 4 per centum per annum, a special rate or the dollar, sufficient to produce the required yearly amount therefor shall over and above all other rates be levied and collected, (in the same manner and at the same time as other taxes are levied and colleted) upon and from the whole, rateable property in the said Township of Warwick, in each year for two years, after the final passing of this bylaw, during which the said debentures have to run.

I, Nathaniel Herbert. Clerk of the Township ot Warwick, in the County of Lambton, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of a By-law provisionally adopted by the Council of the said Township of Warwick on the 11th day of Nov., 1907, and a Court of Revision will be held on the same at one o'clock p.m., on Monday, the 16th day of December, in the Town Hall, Warwick Village.

vears, after the final passing of this bylaw, during which the said debentures have to run.

5th. This bylaw shall be published once in every week week for four consecutive weeks in the Guide Advocate newspaper, published in the Village of Watford, and shall come into force upon and after the final passing thereof and may be cited as the Six Side Road Drain Outlet By aw.

—Reeve

And take notice that anyone intending to apply to have the said By-law or any part thereof quashed must not later than ten days after the final passing thereof serve notice in writing upon the Reeve and the Clerk of the Municipality of his intention to make application for that purpose to the High Court at Toronto during the six weeks next ensuing the final passing of the By-law.

NATHANIEL HEBBERT Clerk

#### Sixty-Nine Years Young

A wonderful veteran is Edward Payton Weston, who has just finished his walk from Portland, Me., to Chicago. At 69 years of age he has broken the world's pedestrian record, which he established 40 years ago. His promenade of 1,230 miles began on Oct. 29, and has been accomplished in 26 regular days, for he never walks on Sunday. Weston is a rebuke to a spindle-shanked generation of city dwellers, addicted to the street car habit. They might inquire with profit why this man is capable of greater feats of endurance at 69 than at 29. Six of his rules for physical fitness are: Eat prunes every day; take a cold water sponge every morning; take a salt water bath once a week; walk to and from work; don't smoke a giggraftes; don't keep late cigarettes; don't keep late hours. His prescription as to prunes will give some comfort to those who live in boarding-houses. All his rules are simple, and may be easily carried out. Walking in the fresh air is the best form of exercise, but there is too much truth in Emerson's saying The modern man has built himself. a carriage, but has lost the use of his legs." Weston, 69 years young puts to shame a multitude of men onethird his age, and carries hope to others who may be depressed by the chloroform theory. The care of the body is a sacred duty, for it is the instrument by which the soul must do its work .- Advertiser.

# Ontario's Fruit Was Badly Packed.

London, Nov. 28.—British Columbia captured the gold medal at the Royal Horticultural Society's Show, which opened to-day. Nova Scotia got a silver gilt knightian, and the Ontario Govern-ment a silver knightian. The officials in the agent-general's office for Nova Scotia were very much disappointed at failing to get the gold medal.

The Ontario exhibit arrived only to-

day, in very bad condition. The fruit was badly packed and much bruised, and in the opinion of many, Outario should not have exhibited fruit in such condition.

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The Grand Trunk has just ordered a hundred locomotives to cost \$1,500,000.
Strathroy claims the youngest bandsman in Canada, Oliver Statham, a tenyear-old operator on the alto horn.

The following marriage license has been issued in Port Huron: George J. Webb, aged 25, of Port Huron, and Charlotte Cleland, aged 21, of Petrolea,

# WATFORD MARKET

1	GRAIN AND SEEDS-								
	Wheat, fall, per bush	\$0	90	@	\$0	90			
	Oats, per bush					45			
	Barley, per bush					60			
86	Peas, per bush		80		814.9	80			
	Beans, per bush					00			
	Timothy				2	00			
	Clover Seed					00			
22	Alsike	. 8	50		10	00			
	PROVISIONS-								
	Butter, per pound		24			24			
100	Lard, "		11			15			
	Lard, " Egge, per doz		25			25			
	Pork	6	50		7	00			
	Flour, per cwt	1	75		2	00			
1	VEGETABLES AND FRUIT-								
	Potatoes, per bag	78				90			
133	Dried Apples, per lb	- (	5			6			
	MISCELLANEOUS-								
	Wood 5	5 00	)		2	25			
	Tallow	(				61			
	Hides	*				5			
	Wool	2				25			
	Hay, per ton 1	4 0	0		15	00			
	POULTRY-				1				
п	Turkeys, per lb		)			10			
	Chickens, per lb		3			7			
d	Ducks, per lb		7			8			
t-	Geese, per lb		7			8			
h-	LONDON MARKETS.								
	Wheat	20	90	to	20	90			
	Oats	U	50	to	0	59			
7.	Peas								
	Barley				o				

 Barley
 0 40 to 0 46

 Rye
 0 54 to 0 55

 Butter
 0 25 to 0 27

TORONTO.

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Toronto, Dec. 3.—At the City cattle market the run of stock today was 82 cars, with 1,486 head of cattle, 1,478 sheep, 400 hogs and 100 calves.

While prices were not any higher, trade was fairly active today at the City cattle market. There were a considerable number of buyers in the market from cutside and there was a good market for the light stuff offering. Some of this was bought for immediate butcher purposes and some of it

The demand for export cattle was not

would require to be kept over for a while for feeding up. There is also some inquiry for good stockers for the country, and any thing in this line went off at fair prices. For choice butcher cattle there was the us-

The demand for export cattle was not very active, as space is very limited, The reported wreck of the steamer Mount Temple off the Nova Scotia coset did not improve the situation, as some of the shippers were looking for the arrival of the vessel to give them space.

The very sharp declines in the hog market in the past two weeks has resulted in a decided check to the supplies of hogs in the market. There were only 100 hogs delivered today and while the market is still weak the Harris buyers decided not to change last week's quotations at \$5 for the best.

Sheep are a little easier and lambs steady. Calves are steady.

Milch cows in good demand.

Export—Market easier at \$4.25 to \$4.75.

Butcher—Market steady for choice butcher cattle at \$4.25 to \$4.50 for very choice; medium butcher steady at \$3.50 to \$4.75.

common and mixed butcher at \$2 to \$2.50; canners, 75c to \$1.50

canners, 755 to \$1.50
Good butcher cows, \$3 to \$3 50.
Sheep and lambs—Market steady.
Lambs are quoted at \$4 to \$5.25 per cwt.;

Lambs are quoted at \$4 to \$5.29 per owt.; export ewes, \$3.75 to \$4. Light stockers—Market steady at \$2.50 to \$2.75; choice, \$3.25 to \$3.50; good stockers wanted.

Heavy feeders—Demand for distillery feeders not so active, several buyers being already filled up; bulls, \$2 to \$2.50; steers 1,000 to 1.100 pounds, at \$3.20 to \$3.40.

Hogs—Market weak at \$5 for the best.

Hoga-Market wear at 40 lot et	16 F	POBU.	193
Quotations to-day were ;-			
Butcher's picked 4 50	to	4	
do., medium 4 00	to	4 5	
do., bulls 3 50	to	3	75
do., lfght 3 00	to	3 4	50
do., cows 3 25	to	3	50
Butchers, picked 4 25	to	4	75
do., cows, choice 3 50	to	3	75
do., good 3 75	to	4 5	25
do., meeium 2 00	to	2	50
do , bulls 2 00	to	2	50
Stockers, choice 3 25	to	3	10
do., bulls 2 00	to	2 5	25
do., common, mixed 2 00	to	2	25
do., bulls 1 50	to	2 (	00
Feeders heavy 3 13	to	3	40
do., bulls 2 13	to	2	40
Short-keep 4 00	to	4	25
Milch cows, choice40 00	to	65	00
do common	to	25	00
Sheep, export ewes 3 75	to	4	00
do., bucks 3 50	to	4	00
do., culls 2 50	to	3	25
Hogs, selects 4 75	to	5	00
Thin hogs 4 00	to	4	50
Calves 6 00	to	7	
EAST BUFFALO.	110		10.4
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East Buffalo, Dec. 3.—Cattle—	ree	ceipt	18,

East Buffalo, Dec. 3.—Cattle—Receipts, 15 head; steady; prices unchanged. Veals—Receipts, 150 head; active and 25c lower; \$5.00 to \$9.35. Hogs—Receipts, 4,300 head; active and 5c to 10c higher; heavy, mixed, yorkers and pigs, \$5.45 to \$5.59; roughs, \$4.75 to \$5.00; stags, \$3.50 to \$4.00; dairies, \$5.45 to \$5.50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 8,000 head; slow; sheep steady; lambs 10c lower; lambs, \$5.00 to \$6.50.

BRITISH CATTLE MARKETS.

London, Dec, 2.—American cattle, 6½d; Canadians 6d.

Canadians 6d.

Liverpool, Dec. 2.—Canadians, 5½d to 5½d; ranchers, 4½d to 5½d.

Liverpool, Dec. 2.—John Rogers & Co.,

Liverpool, cable:—States steers, 11½c; to

12½c; Canadians, 10c to 11½c; ranchers,

9½c to 10½c; native cows, 9½c to 10c; bulls

9c. Trade fair,

BROOKE COUNCIL.

Council met pursuant to adjournment.

Members all present.
Minutes of previous meeting read, and on
motion of Mr. Spearman, seconded by Mr.
Kelly, the minutes were approved. Communications and accounts received since last meeting, read, and attended

Spearman-Munroe, that Council open as Spearman—munroe, that Council open as a Court of Revision on the assessment on bylaw for the construction of the "9th Concession Drain Brooke and Enniskillen", the Reeve in the chair.—Carried.

Declarations taken before Clerk. 34

appeals.

Edward Totten said, will get no benefit from drain, water will not run north from my lot.

Isaac Totten said, drain can be no benefit

nor an outlet for my land, he also stated Wm. Douglas opposed drain for same Alex. McClung said, I am assessed too high, no water can run off my lot to drain,

plenty of outlet now.

D. A. McIntyre said, our lands drain into 6 and 9 sideroad drains, only drain about 5 acres into 8 9 con. road drain. The pro-

posed new drain cannot benefit more than 5 Arch. Leitch said, assessment too high, we will have to repair Black Creek Outlet

anyway.

Alfred Gilroy said, drain no benefit nor outlet, 9 and 12 sideroad drains carry all our water.

James Gilroy said, drain is neither benefit

nor outlet for me.

Dougald McIntyre said, we are too high assessed according to others.

Wm. Johnston said, drain not worth one cent to me, if any good would willingly pay

cent to me, if any good would willingly pay for it.

Charles Johnstor said, drain not necessary it will not save us from having to clean out No. 1 and 8-9 con. drain and Black Creek Outlet, clay should be thrown to south side. Lots 12 and 13 con. 10 should have been assessed for this drain.

D. A. McGugan said, should not be assessed for this drain, paying now for two other cutlets.

John Kincaid said, I am paying for two outlets, need no more.

Edgar Peaslee said, drain no benefit nor outlet, my land tiled to blind line to run water to Bourne drain.

John McDerment said, need no more space in 8th con. drain, assessment an imposure.

space in our call the posure.

Mr. McKellar said, drain no use to us, land all drains into 8 9 con. road drain.

Mr. Benstead said, Mrs. Zavitz desires me to say that she has plenty outlet without proposed drain, also that lots 12 and 13

Sitter 28, N. Roche 25, L. Kattey 11, A. Lambert 7.

Rumor says that the Dominion Government will soon establish a fish hatchery at Point Edward

con. 10 should have been assessed.

James Deans opposed drain,
C. and A. Wilks said, drain no

C. and A. Wilks said, drain no benefit, charged too much for outlet.

John Brown said, assessed too high, lots in Enniskillen shouldbe assessed aswell as ours, John Douglas said, think E should not be assessed at all. F. Loosemore said, drain no benefit and assessed too high. Arthur Warren said, assessed too high and drain no benefit. David Lloyd said too high assessed drain no benefit. Edward O'ange said, drain will not benefit my land any. A. R. Shields said, assessed too high, no benefit and I bave all the outlet I need.

Bourne—Kelly, that Court of Revision on

let I need.

Bourne—Kelly, that Court of Revision on this drain be adjourned till 4 o'clock p. m. on Monday the 16th day of December 1907 in Code's Hall in the Village of Alvinston,—Carried.

Letter read received from Messrs. Pardee, Burnham & Gurd, Solicitors, Sarnia, on behalf to Mr. Alex. Mills, claiming damages to the amount of \$175.00 caused by overflow of water on land from 6-7 sideroad-draip.

drain.

Darvill—Kelly, that this claim be referred to our Solicitor for advice.—Carried.

Munroe—Bourne, that the adjourned Court of Revision on the 13th con. outletdrain be reopened, the Reeve in the chair.

—Carried.

Letter read signed by residents of Foreign.

Carried.

Letter read signed by residents of Enniskillen, through whose lands the proposed outlet runs, protesting against its construction, in view of the liklihood of damages to their lands and crops, by the increased volume of water.

Darvill—Monroe, that the whole of the assessment on the lots in the 11th concession, and one-third of the assessment on lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13 in the 12th concession be struck of, and the total of the assessments thus struck of, added to the amount payable by the Township; that the engineer's assessment with these changes and alterations, made, adopted, and Courtellored.—Carried.

and alterations, made, adopted, and Coutclosed.—Carned.

Spearman—Bourne, that the Reeve and
Clerk be authorized to sign the petition tobe presented to the Government, by theTownship of Enniskillen asking for a grant
in aid of the Brooke, Enniskillen and Dawn
Township drain Brooke to the shore it to

in aid of the Brooke, Enniskillen and Dawn Townline drain. Brooke to share in the grant in preportion to the amount already paid to it.—Carried.

Bylaw introduced and read appointing the municipal nominations to be held incCode's Hall, in the Village of Alvinaton, between the hours of one and two o'clock in the afternoon of Monday, 30th December, 1907, and appointing the following parties as Deputy-Returning Officers, viz:—Alexander Dean, John McAlpine, Williams Wade, W. G. Willoughby, William Weed, John McLean, John Shirley and Robert-Carroll.

Spearman—Monroe, that by law be read a third time and passed.—Carried.

Spearman—Kelly, that Council do now adjourn to meet in the Village of Alvinston, on Monday, the 16th day of December 1907—Carried ston, on Monday, who ber, 1907.—Carried.
W. G. WILLOUGHBY, Clerk.

# WATFORD COUNCIL.

Regular meeting of council held Dec. 2nd. Present: Parker, Brown, Alexan-der, Johnston and Fuller.

der, johnston and Fuller.

Brown—Alexander, that minutes asread be adopt.d.—Carried.

Brown—Alexander, that we pay the
amount due the House of Refuge, Sarnia,
for keep of Mrs. Hicks for 1906 \$19.61, for
1907 \$19.06, and Alex. J. Kelly one-half
burial exspenses \$6.50, being all Watford's
share.—Carried.

share.—Carried.

Johnston—Brown, that we refund Arthur Cook one dollar, one-half of tax for dog that died.—Carried.

The finance committee examined the following accounts and recommend pay-

ment of same :

be passed and reeve grant his order for same -- Carried

Fuller—Brown, that we adjourn until Monday, 16th inst., at 8 p.m.—Carried. W. S. Fuller, Clerk.

# HIGH SCHOOL EXAMS.

Chemistry, Form IV .- B. Mitchell 82.

Chemistry, Form IV.—B. Mitchell 82, V. Bambridge 78.
Trigonometry.—I Hone 93, C. O'Meara 93, A. Wynne 72, H. Rogers 70, B. Hutton 67, H. Lawrence 66.
Arithmetic, Form I.—L. Blain 100, L. Lucas 100, P. Sullivan 93, B. Marwick 93, M. McGugan 92, H. Taylor 90, W. Anderson 90, A. Barnes 89, J. S. Luckham 89, A. Lucas 88, V. Brison 88, H. Woods 86, F. Leggate 85, E. Gibson 84, E. Sherk 83, H. Eastman 82, M. Brigham 81, K. Humphries 78 F. Thompson 77, O. Stuart 76, E. Bryce 75, C. Parson 74, C. Sisson 74, W. Hobbs 69, D. Dodds 69, G. Pearce 68, W. Wordsworth 68, J. McCormick 67, K. McDougall 66, G. Walker 65, A. McDonald 64, J. Brigham 63, I. Crawford 58, W. Parson 57, S. McManus 57, C. Annett 57, L. Johnston 57, V. Swift 57, M. Lamb 53, C. Potter 50, M. E. Lucas 50, M. Dunlop 47, D. Wells 46, A. Beven 46, A. Smith 45, V. Auld 45, M. Lucas 24, F. Kerr, 41, R. McCabe 41, J. Bryce 39, W. Williamson 36, N. Harper 29, E. O. Sitter 28, N. Roche 25, L. Kadey 11, A. Lambert 7.

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