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Union Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.
10 a. m. Sunday School and Bible classes.
The Y. P. S. meets on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.
Prayer Service on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

VOTERS' LIST, 1922

MUNICIPALITY OF THE
Village of Waterdown

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

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

J. C. MEDLAR,
Clerk of Said Municipality.

The Government's Conversion Scheme

The attention of the holders of the five and a half per cent war loan bonds maturing December 1, 1922, is directed to the offer of the Minister of Finance to renew the loan on favorable terms. The last Canadian loan was placed in New York at a satisfactory price. The Minister is making his present financial operation entirely a domestic one by offering to exchange the maturing bonds for the new bonds bearing the same rate of interest, running for either five or ten years as the bond holder may prefer. A further inducement to the investor is that he receives a bonus of one month's interest. The terms offered are decidedly favorable to the investor and it is probable that a large part of the maturing loan will be renewed. Arrangements for the exchange of the bonds can be made at any branch of the chartered banks. Holders who do not wish to reinvest will be paid in cash on the 1st of December.

Mr. D. Harper was a visitor in town last Monday.

Mrs. Ed. Slater and son Hilton, of St. Catharines, were spending a few days this week with Mrs. DeLong.

FOR SALE

Registered Holstein Cow due in Sept also a few sacks of Binder twine. A. C. Sinclair, Waterdown.

Village Council Meeting

The village council met Monday evening with the Reeve in the chair and Councillors Crooker, Greene and Speck present. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and on motion adopted.

Communications were read from Wm. Attridge, Sec. Treas. of the High School Board, one from Dr. J. O. McGregor, M. O. H. re water in basement of Memorial Hall, one from Wm. J. Davids concerning ladders destroyed during recent fire, one from Hon. F. C. Biggs re lights on Vinegar hill bridge, and one from Benson-Johnson Co. re chairs for Memorial Hall.

On motion the following accounts were passed and ordered paid.

Power bill for June, \$434.72.
12 Lightning arrestors \$178.37, and cross arms, braces, insulators, etc. totaling \$661.22.

H. Nicol for Hydro work \$25.55.

Royal Bank to pay Hydro Debentures and interest, \$120.37.

Royal Bank for interest on money forwarded H. Slater before debenture money was available, \$68.33

To H. Slater, contractor, on acct. of contract price re Memorial Hall \$5000.00.

To F. Speck for money advanced for chloride of lime for disinfecting \$1.50.

To J. Smiley for money advanced for chloride of lime for disinfecting \$1.85, for placarding 3 houses \$2.25 and for cutting weeds \$12.

To Review for printing Voters' Lists for 1922, \$35.

To S. Weaver for fumigating 2 houses, \$10, formaldehyde and potash \$3.15.

By-law No. 234 authorizing striking the rate for county, school, debenture and municipal purpose was then given its three readings and passed, with the result that the rate for 1922 will be 46 mills on the dollar, viz. County purposes 8 mills, School purposes 20 mills, Debentures and interest 12 mills, Village purposes 6 mills.

On motion the council adjourned to Monday, September 11th.

J. C. MEDLAR,
Clerk.

Locals

Miss E. J. Reynolds, (Jennie Wren) is the guest of Mrs. Lottie Spence.

Miss Ida M. Hamilton has returned from a pleasant holidaying at "Fisher's Glen."

Miss Sarah Manning of Dundas was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Metzger.

The Epworth League will hold their annual picnic this year at Grimsby Beach on Thursday, August 24.

E. T. Sawell left last Sunday for Toronto and other points for a couple of weeks of well earned holidays.

Misses Frances Stephenson and Nora Sullivan of Dundas are spending the week with Mrs. J. Metzger.

Mr. Russell Hamilton has accepted the position as Science Master at Ridley College, St. Catharines. His duties to commence the middle of September.

Henry D. Ing, of New York City, is spending a few days with his brother, James G. Ing, before returning to his home after an extended visit at several western points.

Canadian Girls in Training

The Misses Grace Alton, Mary Buzza, Doris Bews, Constance Davidson, Rita Featherstone, Doris Hawkins, Mary Langton, Jean Millar, Mary Pearson, Ruby Spence, Annie Vance of the Canadian Girls in Training, under the chaperonage of Mrs. J. F. Vance, Miss E. Dale Sinclair and Miss Elsie Nicholson, have returned from a two week's vacation at Lake Couchiching, Orillia. The members were most fortunate in having their holiday while Orillia was celebrating "Old Home Week," and had the opportunity of meeting many celebrities, among them "Marian Keith," the Plunkett Brothers of the "Dumbell" and other notables who claim Orillia as their native town. Picnics, hikes, fishing, bathing and boating was the order of the day, and the various concerts and celebrations in Orillia's public park were all much enjoyed by the girls.

Millgrove

Rev. and Mrs. Fidell are visiting at Windsor. During their absence next Sunday the Ladies Missionary Society will take charge of the services.

Miss Abel of Saskatchewan is visiting at the home of Mr. R. Flatt.

A large number of people attended the Garden Party here on Wednesday.

Mrs. Samuel Flatt has returned to her home at Summit.

This happened the other day,
(So the neighbors all say),
While Wallace was tending his store,
As the money rolled in
Wallace said with a grin
"I think I can make a lot more."

So he told his dear young wife,
His better half in life,
To take care of the groceries while away;
Then he washed off some dirt,
And put on a clean shirt,
And hiked to get a job at dawn of day

In his mind there seemed to lurk
A desire to get work,
That his wife and children might
be fed;
But misfortune came his way,
He was forced to work that day,
And now behold him lying in his bed.

So Wallace crawled back home,
But his mind it seemed to roam,
And his children let him in at the back door,
And to hear him rip and tare
As he climbed the old back stair,
And he never will go back there any more.

Still his mind it seems to clutch,
Of the fact he did too much,
And his wife and his children still believes,
That he was forced to work
Like an ignorant Turk,
And was buried to his ears in dust and sheaves.

And now between his moans,
And his sighings and his groans,
He tells the howling public it may scoff,
But so long as he lives here,
In this northern hemisphere,
He will never work again for Roland or Flintoff.

THE WATERDOWN REVIEW

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Claremont Summers

BY
Mrs. Emerson Marcy
Kilbride, Ontario

(Continued from last week)

The next was a cotillion, so the four mentioned, rested on different seats until they started another waltz. Then Claremont asked Miss Markland if she was engaged for this waltz and she sweetly answered that she was. "Will you give me the next?" and they understood each other.

After awhile a square dance was announced. Several people were joining hands. Gladys and Velma should have joined hands but Velma let her hands fall listlessly to her side. Gladys was mortified and did not understand Miss Richmond in the least, but a smile from Claremont straightened the matter out.

The ball was over at last. Claremont went over to Gladys and asked when she would be home.

"Friday evening," she replied.

"Would you permit me to call on you then?"

"I should be most delighted," Miss Markland answered.

Claremont Summers went away thinking Gladys Markland the greatest of dark beauties.

Mr. John Summers was a man of much means and Claremont was the heir to all he had.

Mrs. Summers was a very aristocratic woman, but neither one ever dictated to their only child who he was to marry. Claremont dearly loved his parents and would not like to vex them.

The next afternoon after the ball, Velma was very cross as usual, when Mr. Summers, Jr. was announced. Claremont proposed taking a gallop through the Summer's Park, it was such a fine day, and had come over after Velma to accompany him, but Velma declined, saying she was going to make a call that afternoon, but neglected to say where the call was to be. Thus Claremont was destined to go alone for his gallop.

The bell rang at Mrs. Markland's cottage at three-thirty. When the maid announced Miss Richmond, Mrs. Markland took the call as a mark of friendship, but Gladys was puzzled as the readers know. Mrs. Markland talked a few minutes in her quite way to Miss Richmond, when Gladys glided into the room all sunshine. She was too happy over the night before for Miss Richmond's presence to dampen her spirits.

But Miss Richmond was all cordiality. "I came to say how rude I was yesterday at the ball and if you will just forgive me, please?"

Gladys was wholly deceived and freely forgave her.

They talked on various subjects. Gladys found her a delightful guest. Little did she know what was going on in Miss Richmond's mind.

"Miss Markland, do you intend to stay here this summer?"

"Well, yes, I can't very well afford to leave, to tell you the plain truth, Miss Richmond."

"Then you must marry some rich man about here so he can let you travel, Miss Markland."

Gladys blushed so very red and it was not lost on Miss Richmond.

"You are so rich, Miss Richmond, you won't have to marry for money, will you?"

(To be Continued)

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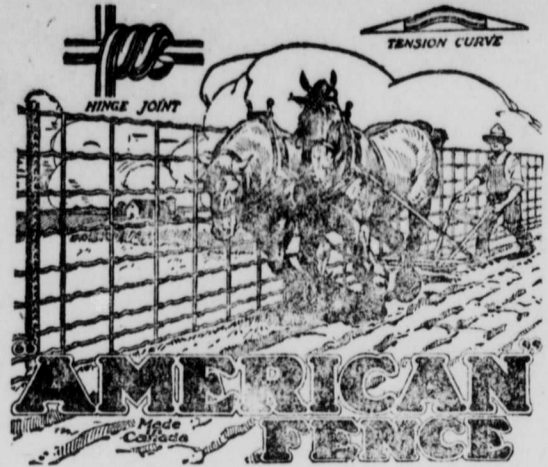
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Admission: 50c and 25c



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Issued in 1917 and Maturing 1st December, 1922.

CONVERSION PROPOSALS

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE offers to holders of these bonds who desire to continue their investment in Dominion of Canada securities the privilege of exchanging the maturing bonds for new bonds bearing 5½ per cent interest, payable half yearly, of either of the following classes:—

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

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

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

Dated at Ottawa, 8th August, 1922.

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

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

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

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

W. S. FIELDING,
Minister of Finance.

To Be Excused.

At a certain club some members were talking about motor-cars. One of them made the remark that he could tell any make at a glance. Another member, seeking to go one better, expressed his willingness to bet that he could give the name of any car whilst he was blindfolded. He would judge solely by the starting of the engine. The bet was soon taken, and the party adjourned to a nearby garage. Many different makes were started, and the blindfolded member named them correctly every time. During a pause, a workman, at the top of a long ladder, knocked over a large tin box of nails. As it reached the ground, there was a terrific clatter. Then the blindfolded man made a blunder. "You have just started up a Ford car," he proclaimed.

Gypsum.

In drilling to test the commercial possibilities of the salt beds in the Fort McMurray district of the Peace River country, recently, it was found that there are nearly 100 feet of anhydrite and gypsum of commercial quality at depths ranging from 500 to 600 feet, and if a market can be found for it there is a large reserve available for development.

Gypsum is one of the important non-metallic minerals of Canada, and is found in several of the provinces, but was not known to exist in the far north. Now uses are being constantly found for this adaptable material, and the revival of the building industry, in which it is used for wall plaster and plaster of paris, will doubtless result in an increased production. As a fertilizer it has the property of releasing plant food in the soil.

Chemically stated gypsum is hydrated sulphate of calcium. During the war Germany made thousands of tons of sulphuric acid from gypsum, and it is stated that the acid made in this manner is as pure as that obtained from sulphur and purer than that obtained from pyrites.

The total production of this mineral in Canada in 1920 was valued at \$1,876,595, but the value of the deposits of the ore must run into many millions.

There is an ever growing list of Federal Ministers leaving their jobs, but there is little need for worry on their account. Sir Thomas White gave up the Ministry of Finance to become adviser to great financial concerns. His income now must exceed by many times his \$7,000 a year as Minister. Hon. F. B. Carvell became chairman of the Dominion Railway Board at \$10,000 a year. Hon. T. A. Crerar works enough at his desk to draw \$15,000 a year as president of the United Grain Growers. —Toronto Star Weekly.

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"Employment on the staff of this bank offers an attractive future for young men. We are in a position to place a number of boys with High School education at our different branches throughout Canada.

"For particulars please refer to the manager."

Can't you imagine one of Canada's bygone general managers, pompous of mien, revisiting old haunts and nearly having an apoplectic fit at the sight of such a placard. Advertising for clerks! The very idea! Twenty years ago or more such an expedient would never have been dreamed of. Why, there was keen competition to get jobs in banks. In those distant days of Canada's hard times banks had waiting lists just like modern golf clubs, and picked and chose the young men who were to have the privilege of working for them. Applicants for positions approached a manager in humility and awe.

Not only good appearance, but social pull was necessary for admittance to one of the larger institutions. A boy's ancestry loomed larger with some general managers than did his penmanship. A bank job was the goal of most youths whose parents could not afford them a profession. For the post was a sure thing—banks never actually firing their clerks—and promotion, though slow, was regular up to a point, at least. Moreover—alas! that appeal to snobbishness—a bank clerk was some pumpkins socially in the city, and in the country towns he was absolutely IT. But that was twenty years ago.

Junior clerks started their career of finance in those days with as little as \$150 a year. To-day bank juniors are hard to get at \$600 and \$700 a year. And they have adding machines to do the dirty work. Twenty years ago—yes, less than fifteen years ago—branch managers with long service, several clerks under them and heavy responsibility, frequently received per annum no more than street car conductors and motormen are rejecting as insufficient to-day. Ask any senior bank man.

About fifteen years ago the native supply of bank clerks began to peter out in Canada. Better times had come with the opening up of the West, and opportunities offered in the professions and other occupations for young Canadians. The demand, for clerks rose simultaneously with the shortage, as new branches were springing up on the prairie overnight, like mushrooms. One or two large banks began importing clerks from Scotland, which has since furnished Canada with hundreds of hard-headed bankers.

The outbreak of war made the situation more stringent. Girls, whom banks had mostly employed as stenographers or at work which did not bring them into contact with the public, presently appeared at tasks hitherto considered unsuitable for feminine endurance. To-day they run the big deposit ledgers and in some country offices even that nerve-racking post, the cash, where she might have to use the loaded revolver lying ready at her side to defend the money from robbers. Some girls receive \$1,200 and \$1,500 a year in banks.

One Canadian bank has opened no less than 200 new branches within the past two years. Two or three of the larger institutions have from 400 to 500 branches each. All of which illustrates the growth of Canadian banking and the opportunities it offers.

Body Heat.

The immediate nearness of a large and robust person at the theatre or in a street car on a hot summer day may be a cause of discomfort by reason of the amount of heat given off by his or her body.

Such radiation from the human body is so considerable that, as proved by recent experiments, the presence of a man can be detected in the dark, with the help of suitable apparatus, at a distance of 600 feet.

Apparatus of the kind—consisting of a concave mirror to focus the heat rays, a "thermopile" and a galvanometer—proved very useful during the war. If a man crossed the range of the instrument the latter instantly perceived the fact. Even the lifting of a head out of a hole in the ground was registered.

Taken From His Sock.

A humorous story comes from the country districts where an automobile salesman had one of the biggest surprises of his life when an Italian farmer, who had ordered a car, made an old-fashioned specie payment and all in silver coin. The salesman was asked to "wait a minute" for his money. After an hour and a half he was summoned to the back yard, where the farmer had laid out the price of the car on two tables. The coins were all quarters, halves and dollars, piled \$10 in a stack. When the salesman undertook to check up he quickly understood why he had been left sitting on the front doorstep so long. It took him another hour and a half to make sure that he hadn't been overpaid.

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\$2 to \$2.75

Groceries

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

Try our white wine and blended cider vinegars.

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

This Store Closes Every Wednesday Afternoon at 1 o'clock