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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

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

PARLIAMENT PROLOGUE on Thursday last.

2 DOZEN Men's Shirts and Drawers 70c a garment.—SWIFT'S.

THE exams are all over and the students are now rejoicing.

THE girl who looks like a magazine cover seldom looks inside a cook book.

THE Orange Lodges of Lambton will celebrate the Battle of the Boyne in Port Huron.

MILL end sale of wash goods, white and colored, July price 15c to 25c.—SWIFT'S.

THE wise workman will get busy, for there will likely be some laying-off before the year ends.

YOU can hardly blame anyone for crying over split milk these days when the price is so high.

THE increase in the registration fee on mail matter from 5c to 10c comes into force on July 15th.

READERS will find an interesting budget of advertisements in this issue. It pays to read them.

A NUMBER of safety deposit boxes just arrived at the Merchants Bank, Watford. Rental \$2, \$3 and \$5 per year.

WHEN you get a FORD car you not only get a better car but a more comfortable car—backed with Ford service.—R. MORNINGSTAR.

HE said to her, over the telephone, "After his weekly visit: 'Dearest, will you marry me?'"

"Why, yes," she said, "who is it?"

THE regular meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. J. D. Brown on Wednesday evening, July 14th. Roll call to be answered by short clippings.—SAC.

THE OLD CLOTHES LEAGUE of Toronto is asking us for free space to advertise its aims and objects. These requests for free space compel an editor to belong to the Old Clothes Club whether we want to or not.

WOMEN'S Oxfords \$2.00 to \$9.00. No Luxury Tax on these.—P. DODDS & SON.

DOMINION Day passed off very quietly in town. A great many people went lakeward. All business places were closed and very few people were seen on the streets except at mail time. Railway travel was light.

"A VISIT to FOUR GARDENS" will be the theme of the evening sermon by Rev. T. DeCourcy Rayner in the Congregational church on Sunday. Services as usual, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. You are cordially invited to attend.

A WATFORD merchant, after finishing his supper the other night, rang up a friend on an important matter. Mrs. — answered the phone. "Is Mr. — in?" asked the first mentioned. "Yes," replied Mrs. —, "he's washing the dishes, hold the line and I'll call him."

An electrical storm passed over Watford and vicinity Friday afternoon but no damage of any importance is reported. The rain lasted for over 30 minutes and did a lot of good in laying the dust which had become almost unbearable, and in freshening up vegetation.

LOOK at special price cards for new prices.—SWIFT'S.

In connection with the Orange Celebration at Port Huron next Monday the G. T. R. will run a special train from Port Huron to London, to leave Port Huron at 8 p.m., stopping at all intermediate stations. Going to Port Huron parties should take the 8.44 a.m. as there is no special going west.

THE Guide-Advocate mailing list has been corrected and shows all payments made to July 1st. If you have paid for your paper recently take a look at the label on this issue and see if the date corresponds with your receipt. If these dates do not harmonize kindly notify us at once so that the matter can be adjusted without delay.

PREST-O-LITE Battery is second to none in quality and you save duty as it is Canadian made.—R. MORNINGSTAR.

THE lawyer was drawing up Enpeck's will. "I hereby bequeath all my property to my wife," dictated Enpeck. "Got that down?" "Yes," answered the lawyer. "On condition," continued Enpeck, "that she marries within a year." "But why that condition?" asked the man of law. "Because," answered the sneek and lowly testator, "I want somebody to be sorry that I died."

A BIG snap in children's gingham dresses, age 6 to 12. See our July prices.—SWIFT'S.

Geo. W. HAGLE, of Calgary, in renewing his subscription to the Guide-Advocate, says:—"I could scarcely get along without the home paper, for although it is some eighteen years since I lived at Watford, there are yet many of the old friends there and the 'Guide' keeps us in touch with them, even though indirectly. I notice you are going to boost the price. The only wonder is you did not do it sooner, but I guess we will have the paper anyway. From time to time I notice the passing away of old friends and it reminds one that age comes on almost unawares and we are old before we realize it."

WHITE duck skirts, nicely made, July price \$1.29 and \$1.79.—SWIFT'S.

HON. ARTHUR MEIGHAN has accepted the Premiership of Canada and will proceed to form a cabinet.

MEN'S Oxfords \$3.00 to \$9.00. No Luxury Tax on these.—P. DODDS & SON.

THE price of cemetery plots has been increased. The \$12 plots have been raised to \$16 and the \$15 plots to \$20.

BASEBALL game in the Park this (Friday) evening. Appin vs. Watford. Don't fail to take this in. Admission 15c and 30c. Game called at 6.15.

THREE USERS who figure cost per mile and freedom from trouble insist on DOMINION TIRES—our specialty.—R. MORNINGSTAR.

THE National Liberal and Conservative Party succeeds the "Union" Party at Ottawa. Sir Robert Borden has resigned the leadership after nine years' service.

MISS MINIPELL will close her store on Saturday, July 10th, as she intends to take a few weeks' holiday. If anything is wanted it can be had by applying to Mrs. Moody, who has the key.

ABOUT 6 dozen boys' and children's linen hats, July price 59c and 79c.—SWIFT'S.

AN American orator in an eloquent speech the other day declared that there is but one remedy for the high prices and trying conditions that exist, and that remedy is more work and less indulgence in idle pleasure.

MEN'S Harvest Shoes \$3.00. No Luxury Tax on these.—P. DODDS & SON.

Mrs. Wm. Brock, of Strathroy, died while on her way to consult a doctor. She was touring in an automobile and when a few miles from Woodstock suddenly became ill. A start was made to get her to a doctor but she expired in her daughter's arms. She was 74 years old.

MRS. THOS. COLLINS, of Watford, has in her possession two interesting old newspapers. One is a copy of the London Times of the date of Nov. 9th, 1796, and contains the address of President Washington to the people of the United States on his resignation. The other paper is the Ulster County Gazette, published at Kingston, New York, U.S.A., and contains an account of the death of George Washington. This paper bears the date January 4, 1800.

BOY'S Balbriggan drawers, short and long, 28 to 32, July price 49c to 59c.—SWIFT'S.

THE 25th anniversary of the Lambton County Medical Society will be held in the Chamber of Commerce building, Sarnia, on Wednesday, July 14th. A very interesting program has been prepared for the occasion. Among the papers given will be one by Dr. Angus McLean, of Detroit, on "25 years Progress in Surgery"; while Dr. M. M. McDonald, of Detroit, will read one on "25 years Progress in Medicine." Dr. Newell, of Watford will read a paper on "The First 25 Presidents of the Lambton Society—Drs. Harvey and Fraser." A banquet will be held in the evening.

POLARINE OIL bought at last year's prices enables us to sell any quantity at exceptional prices. Polarine needs no recommendation.—R. MORNINGSTAR.

DURING the past week a number of freight cars standing on the sidings at Watford and Kingscourt have been broken into by thieves and a large quantity of merchandise stolen. The cars were being detained on the siding on account of the strike of the workmen at the transfer sheds at Port Huron. There were fifteen cars at Kingscourt and during Thursday and Friday nights the seals were broken on twelve of them and it is supposed a considerable quantity of valuable goods abstracted. Residents of the district heard three or four autos come in from the west during the night and return several hours later. One car was entered at Watford on Thursday night and a considerable quantity of shoes, groceries, etc., carried off. G. T. R. detectives are working on the case but so far have made no arrests although several persons are under suspicion.

GET in your order for clothing—prices will be higher in September.—SWIFT'S Tailoring Dept.

THE members of the Executive, together with several other members of the Y.P.S.C.E. of the Congregational church, Watford, motored to Forest on Friday evening, June 25th, where they were entertained by the Young People's Society of the Forest Cong'l church at a social evening held at the home of Miss P. B. Rawlings. After games on the lawn the party adjourned to the house where an interesting meeting was held, the feature of this being a splendid report of the young people's sessions of the Congregational Union of Canada recently held in Guelph, which was given by Miss Ruby McCormick of Watford. This was supplemented by the Rev. T. DeCourcy Rayner, who told of the Young People's part in the Forward Movement continuation plans for the ensuing year. Following this an adjournment was made to the diningroom where a dainty lunch was served. Miss Mamie Marwick, president of the Watford Society, expressed the appreciation of the visitors for the happy evening enjoyed and invited the Forest Society to return the visit in Watford in the near future. "Blest be the tie that binds," brought a very enjoyable evening to an appropriate conclusion, and the three carloads returned to Watford ere the midnight hour struck.

3 pairs men's cotton Sox, July price, \$1.00.—SWIFT'S.

BROWN—SPITTLEHOUSE

A quiet but pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Lawrence, Christens st., Sarnia, on Tuesday, June 29th, at 8 p.m., when Miss Hilda Spittlehouse of Sarnia, became the bride of Mr. J. L. Brown, of Sarnia, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brown of Watford. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Manning, pastor of the Central Methodist Church. The young couple were unattended. The bride looked charming in a dress of ivory silk poplin and carried a bouquet of roses. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brown, Miss Sadie Spittlehouse and Mr. Clarence Fuller attended the wedding.

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DIED

In Warwick, on Tuesday, July 7th, 1920, Bertha, beloved wife of George C. Harper.

TRIP TO EUROPE

Mrs. Vera A. M. Fuller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Swift, who won for herself in the London Free Press subscription contest a trip to the battlefields of Europe, leaves in a few days for Montreal. Along with a number of other ladies, Mrs. Fuller is due to arrive in Liverpool on Monday, July 19th. The party will spend one week visiting Glasgow, Edinburgh and Inverness, covering England, with six full days in the city of London, after which they will cross to Holland, touching the Hague and Amsterdam; in Belgium, Brussels and Antwerp, and on to France, visiting Lille, Arras, Vimy Ridge, Lens, Ypres, with eleven days spent sight-seeing in Paris. Then to Versailles, St. Cloud, racecourse of Longchamps August 15, by train to Chateau Thierry, Belleau Woods and city of Rheims, returning to Paris, embarking on a French Line steamship at La Havre, due to arrive in New York September 2. Mrs. Fuller will be accompanied by her sister, Miss E. Winnifred Swift. Bon voyage.

ODDFELLOWS INSTAL OFFICERS

On Monday evening the newly-elected officers of Peabody Lodge, No. 99, I.O.O.F., were installed by D. D. G. M. Roy Lewis and suite of Kerwood. There were a number of visiting brethren present. After the ceremony a light lunch was served and the brethren enjoyed a pleasant hour in social intercourse. Following is the list of officers:—

Noble Grand—Bro. Jas. McIntosh

Vice Grand—Bro. F. Pritchett

Rec. Sec.—Bro. L. H. Aylesworth

Fin. Sec.—Bro. J. T. Kersey

Treas.—Bro. M. Thompson

Warden—Bro. S. Reyerat

Conductor—Bro. J. McLachlin

O. Guardian—Bro. A. Gilliland

I. Guardian—Bro. R. A. McIntosh

R.S.N.G.—Bro. P. J. Dodds

L.S.V.G.—Bro. Jno. McKercher

R.S.S.—Bro. D. Hamilton

L.S.S.—Bro. Roy Heaton

L.S.S.—Bro. John Gilliland

Chaplain—Bro. W. J. Pearcey

BROOKE

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Acton and daughter, Helen, of Detroit, spent a week with relatives in Brooke.

BILLIE BURKE wash dresses, gingham, chambray, drillets, smart styles, July price, \$5.50, \$6.50, \$7.50.—SWIFT'S.

Mrs. Lambert Misselbrooke and children, Dresden, are spending the week with relatives in Brooke and Warwick.

PREST-O-LITE Battery is second to none in quality and you save duty as it is Canadian made.—R. MORNINGSTAR.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Kearney, Mr. and Mrs. Basil Acton and daughter, motored to Detroit and spent the week-end.

Mrs. J. M. Kelly, has returned home after a two weeks' stay in St. Joseph's Hospital, London, where she underwent an operation. She is gaining strength nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Brunel and daughter Ruth, and Mr. and Mrs. Elwin R. Burgess, of Flint, Mich., motored over and visited at Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Saunders and Mr. and Mrs. Herb. Holbrook's over the 4th of July.

POLARINE Oil bought at last year's price enables us to sell any quantity at exceptional prices. Polarine needs no recommendation.—R. MORNINGSTAR.

On Wednesday afternoon of last week the students, ex-students and young ladies of S. S. No. 17, Brooke, met at the school house to spend a social hour with their teachers, Gertrude Lucas, who has resigned and taken a position on the Sarnia staff. The afternoon was spent in games and other amusements, after which an address was read by Miss Lena Healy expressing the high esteem in which Miss Lucas is held and also regret at her leaving the section. Miss Maribel Parker presented her teacher with a dozen silver teaspoons. Miss Lucas made a feeling reply thanking all present. Ice cream and cake were then served by the teacher assisted by the young ladies.

BORN

In Watford, on Monday, July 5th, 1920, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Benson Cowan, a son.

In Watford, on Monday, July 5th, 1920, to Mr. and Mrs. John Kersey, a daughter.

In Watford, on Friday, July 2nd, 1920, to Mr. and Mrs. T. Callahan, a son.

To Mrs. and the late Dr. J. E. Kidd, on Friday, July 2nd, 1920, at Bethesda Hospital, London, a son.

MARRIED

In Sarnia, on Tuesday, June 29th, 1920, by the Rev. Dr. Manning, Mr. J. Le Vern Brown to Miss Hilda Spittlehouse.

At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin F. Gibson, Aylmer, by the Rev. Dr. Knowles, of Sarnia, uncle of the bride, Miss Madeline Patti (Babe) Gibson, to Mr. Gerald Fraser Steele, of Forest.

At Corunna, on Wednesday, June 30th, by the Rev. Fr. Labelle, Margaret Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Moore, Sr. of Forest, to Mr. Patrick L. McDermott, of Georgetown.

WARWICK

Miss Mary Gault, Windsor, spent the week end with her parents on the second line.

Miss Ada Mincieli visited friends and relatives in London last week and attended the Maw-Mincieli nuptials.

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Service at Bethel next Sunday evening at 7.30 conducted by the pastor, Rev. C. L. Couzens. Sunday School 1.15.

Miss Laura Hawken, nurse-in-training at the Sarnia General Hospital, is spending her holidays at her home, Main Road.

During the storm on Friday afternoon the barn of Mr. Nathaniel Herbert, near Warwick Village, was struck by lightning and burnt to the ground.

A considerable quantity of standing grain was flattened during the heavy rain and electrical storm on Friday afternoon. In some sections of the township the loss will be heavy.

When you get a FORD car you not only get a better car but a more comfortable car—backed by Ford service.—R. MORNINGSTAR.

Some time during Tuesday night thieves broke into Ross' Warwick Creamery and carried off eleven boxes containing 550 pounds of butter, and left no trace but the track of a motor running north and south. The police are working on the case.

There passed away on Tuesday last, July 6th, after two years illness with cancer, at her home on the fourth line north, Bertha, the beloved wife of Mr. George C. Harper. She is survived by her husband, whom she married nine years ago, and one brother, Mr. Phillip Smith of Edmonton. She had no children. The funeral was held on Thursday afternoon from the residence, lot 12, to Bethel cemetery. Service was held at the house and grave by Rev. W. M. Shore. The pallbearers were Stanley and George Brent, Samuel and John McClelland, Wm. Haney and George Smith.

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CHOP STUFF

Strathroy public school teachers were given increases in their salary totalling about \$1000.

Mrs. Armstrong, wife of the man who recently received two years' sentence for robbery at Strathroy, died in London last week. She was a bride of less than three months.

The soil is so rich in China that the farms are generally very small—indeed, it is estimated that a square mile should be capable of supporting a population of 4,000 persons.

It is said that Toronto now stands second among the cities of America for the number of motor cars in use in proportion to the population. Los Angeles is accorded first place.

Some Maidstone men had 73 cases of whiskey hidden in hay. Had the License Inspector not discovered the booze these men expected to "live in clover" for some time to come.

A 15-year-old Kansas City girl added three columns of figures, nine figures to the column, in 55 seconds, beating an adding machine, operated by an expert, by one minute and 42 seconds.

In one Ohio city 2,000 business and professional men have announced that they will give one day's service each week to farmers. This is an "Overalls Club" that is worthy of its name.

Chester Woods, of Inwood, was summoned before Magistrate Kelly at Petrolia to answer to a charge of non-support preferred against him by his wife, Ida. The magistrate found him guilty and ordered him to pay \$5.00 a week to his wife towards her support. An appeal against this decision has been entered.

A hail storm swept the lake front at Harrow last week and did a lot of damage, breaking windows in nearly every house. Hundreds of little chickens were destroyed, acres of tomatoes and tobacco plants were washed out

SUMMER SCHOOL opens July 5 and 12

Sarnia Business College

and merges into the Fall Term which commences September 7th.

COOL CLASS ROOMS HOURS 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Rapid advancement assured all students in Book-keeping, Shorthand, Typewriting, Penmanship, & English, etc.

PLUMBING and TINSMITHING

I have moved my Plumbing and Tinsmithing business from T. Dodds & Son's hardware store to more convenient premises 3 doors south. Your orders are solicited and will receive my best attention.

EDWARD MACKNESS

Phone 105

WATFORD

SPRAYING CROPS.

Applications Made Early in the Season Are Most Important.

If the fruit grower, vegetable grower, or flower grower does not spray nowadays, he is almost certain to have inferior products in his orchard, small fruit plantation and garden. There are so many injurious insects and diseases which affect a large proportion of the plants he grows that if they are uncontrolled there will either be no crop left or else the value of the crop will be very much reduced.

There are few of these insects and diseases which cannot be well controlled by using some of the remedies which have been discovered during the past 25 or 30 years, and which have been well tested by many experiments.

Spraying must, however, be thoroughly done if good results are to be obtained. Materials are expensive, and the cost of labor is high, and money will be wasted if the work is improperly done or not done at the right time.

The early sprayings are, as a rule, the most important, and those who contemplate spraying, as all should who have orchards or gardens, should get everything in readiness to begin at the right time, as delay may mean much loss. Spray Calendars are issued by the Dominion and Provincial Departments of Agriculture, in which several sprayings are recommended to be applied at certain stages in the development of the leaves, flowers and fruit. In the case of fruit trees, the spray should be applied so that

every leaf, bud, and fruit will, if possible, receive some of the material, not only one part of it, but as nearly all over as possible. Every leaf, flower and bud or young fruit missed means a possible starting point for disease or insect pests. In the case of vegetables promptness in the application of a good spray is just as important as with fruits. One does not need to be convinced of the value of promptness in using poison in controlling the Colorado potato beetle, as the results of the spray are immediately apparent in the death of the "bugs," but more faith is required when dealing with diseases and insects which are not so readily seen and which do much harm, and usually the grower is well rewarded for such faith.

The formulae for the mixtures and solutions recommended should be followed as closely as possible. If a man knows the chemical composition of the materials he uses, and has made a study of spraying, he may alter them slightly to meet certain circumstances, but if he knows little about them he should follow closely the instructions given on the Spray Calendar. He should also, spray as nearly as possible at the time suggested. A delay of a few days may mean practically the loss of the mixture or solution used as there might be no return for the labor and expense. Write to either the Dominion or Provincial Departments of Agriculture for a Spray Calendar.—W. T. Macaulay, Dominion Horticulturist.

Read Guide-Advocate Want Ads.

GROWING TOMATOES.

Five Methods Tested and the Results Compared.

Tomatoes should be kept growing from the time the seed germinates until the fruit is ripe. If sown in the hot-bed very early they are likely to receive an injurious check when held back until it is safe to plant them out.

Any good garden soil is suitable for tomatoes. It is usually best to delay manuring the plants until after the first fruit has set. Most amateurs make the mistake of planting in soil that is too rich in nitrogenous manures which produces great vines with late fruit or a very large percentage of green fruit. Once the fruit has set, then liquid or other forms of manure may be applied generously.

A series of experiments were conducted with two varieties, "Bonny Best" and "Sparks Earliana," for several years at the Charlottetown Experimental Station, to determine the best method of growing tomatoes. Five methods were used with each variety as follows: No. 1.—The plants were set four feet apart each way and the plants allowed to spread over the ground. They were unpruned and left lying on the ground.

No. 2. Planted two feet by four feet apart. The tomatoes were pruned to two stems and tied to wires.

No. 3. Planted two feet by four feet apart. The tomato plants were pruned to one stem and tied to stakes.

No. 4. Planted two feet by four feet apart, pruned to one stem and tied to wires.

No. 5. Planted two feet by four feet apart, pruned to one stem, tied to stakes and one half of the foliage removed during the ripening period.

The first method produced the greatest quantity of fruit each year with both varieties. The tomatoes were later ripening than with the other methods and the total quantity of ripe fruit from the plot was less than on the plots grown by the second method, where the plants were pruned to two stems and fastened up with wires. The second method gave the largest returns of ripe fruit. This was closely followed by method No. 3, which produced the most early ripe fruit though not the greatest quantity. The removal of the foliage in method No. 5, decreased the quantity of both ripe and green fruit, but greatly increased the percentage of ripe fruit on the plants.

Cutting Cordwood.

In cutting cordwood, an excellent opportunity is afforded to improve the woodland by removing the poorer, less valuable trees, leaving the better ones to grow. Many farmers who have never before given this subject a thought are taking a real interest, because they see how quickly nature responds in better growth when given a little guidance and aid. The kinds of material to be removed for firewood include trees un-

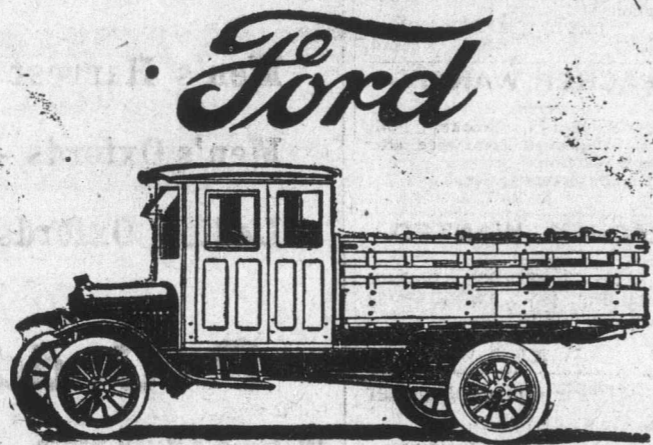


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suitable for lumber, crooked trees crowding out straight ones, badly diseased and decaying trees, small trees overtopped and shaded by larger and better ones, dead trees that are steadily sound, tree tops left from former cuttings, and trees of the less valuable kinds, where others of greater value are present which need the room and will grow faster, making trees. Handling farm woodlands rightly is an indispensable part of profitable farm management.

If lists of manufacturers or other information are desired regarding portable wood-sawing outfits, and wood-splitting and tree-felling machinery, the forest service of the Department of Agriculture will be glad to furnish such material upon request.

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MOTORIZING THE FARM

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The average team of farm horses costs \$400, a good set of double harness \$100, a wagon without box \$115, making a total of \$615.

A Ford Truck costs \$750 at Ford, Ont. A Fordson Tractor costs \$850 at Dearborn Mich.

The initial cost of motorizing a farm is slightly greater than the cost of a horse outfit, but the lower cost of operation and upkeep of the tractor and truck and the greater amount of work done easily put the horse out of the running.

Government experiments have proved that the cost of feeding a horse is 8.7 cents per working hour.

A team of horses cannot plow more than two acres in a ten-hour day. At 8.7 cents per hour or 17.4 cents per hour for a team, the cost would be \$1.74, or 87 cents an acre. A Fordson Tractor plows on an average of seven acres a day. The cost per acre averages not more than 75 cents per acre for gas and oil. The Fordson does three and a half times as much plowing in a day at a smaller cost per acre.

Suppose you are hauling produce to market or bringing out supplies. If the town is twenty miles away it will take you a whole day to make the return trip

with horses. If you have a heavy load and the weather is hot it will take you two days. If it took you twelve hours, the cost at 17.4 cents an hour for your team would be \$2.09. The average cost of running a Ford Truck, for gas and oil, is 4 1/2 cents a mile or \$1.80 for the forty miles. But with the Ford Truck you can make the return trip in four hours. The truck enables you to make three times as many trips and at a lower cost per trip.

But this is not all. If you motorize your farm you can get up an hour later in the morning. You have no horses to feed, groom or harness. You start work after breakfast.

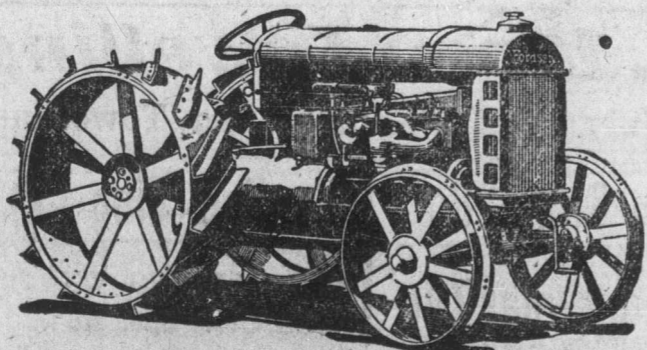
When dinner is ready you stop at the end of the field, drive your tractor direct to the house, eat your dinner, and rest till it is time to go to work again.

In the afternoon your motor works just as well though the sun is hot and the flies are bad.

And at night when work is over you are through for the day,—no horses to rub down, feed or water.

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Every way you look at it the motor has the advantage over the horse. It means shorter hours on the farm, more work done in less time and at less cost.



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THE BLACKBIRD PEST

A "Sorely Tried Citizen" writes to the Petrolia Advertiser-Topic about the blackbird nuisance. His remarks are equally applicable to Watford. He says:—"What is to be done about the blackbird nuisance? Who among us has not had his peaceful slumbers disturbed at 4 a.m. by their incessant shrieks, and his evenings made horrible by their return from the fields. Those of us who are trying to have a garden have become almost discouraged by having our corn rooted up and our green peas devoured. No one among us doubts that the filthy condition of the tree-lined sidewalk is a disgrace to the community as well as being a public nuisance. Either the beautiful shade trees must go or the blackbirds. Which shall it be? But this is not all. Does everyone know that the blackbirds destroy the eggs of smaller birds? Soon the song sparrows, chippies and other useful and attractive birds will be extinct if these marauders are allowed to continue their depredations. We see that in other places drastic methods have been adopted to rid the community of such pests. Should not Petrolia take similar measures? Will not the Council give permits to responsible persons for shooting these most destructive and annoying birds?"

Farmers' Sun, Toronto—Mr. J. E. Armstrong, M.P. for East Lambton, is doing good work in trying to induce Parliament to place coastwise and inland water vessels under the Railway Commission. With the huge British Empire Steel Company controlling practically all our inland shipping they will be able to charge any figure they choose for carrying grain. It was bad enough before but undoubtedly will be worse under the new merger.

One of the most important bills passed at the parliamentary session just closed is the new franchise law. It provides for uniformity throughout the Dominion in the election machinery, the lists to be based on the Provincial lists. The enumerator system has been restricted so that it will be used only in rural districts. Coupled with this bill, in the public mind, is the change made in the Naturalization Act which enables aliens of enemy birth who lived in Canada ten years prior to July 1, 1919, to vote.

DEATH OF JAMES CAUGHLIN

The death occurred in Port Huron on June 28th, of James Coughlin, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. P. J. Cloghesy. Mr. Coughlin was born in 1840 at Niagara Falls. Up to the time of the death of his wife 18 years ago, he resided in Watford, since that time he made his home with his daughter, Mrs. Cloghesy. He was a member of the Holy Name Society of St. Stephen's church.

Surviving him are the following sons and daughters:—Mrs. George Derby, Mrs. P. J. Cloghesy and Mrs. L. V. Smith of Port Huron; John of New Augustine, Florida; William, of Watford; Micheal, of Detroit and Frederick of Calgary, Alta. One brother and two sisters also survive, William of Minden, Mich., and Mrs. Bridget Cox of Port Huron, and Mrs. Thomas Gavigan of Watford. The funeral services were held at St. Joseph's church, Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock. Interment to Mt Hope Cemetery.

Those from a distance who attended the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Coughlin and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gavigan and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Gavigan and daughter, and Mr. Edward Coughlin all of Watford, Mrs. George Cundick and Mrs. William Welsh of London.

Maw—Marilyn

A very pretty but quiet wedding took place at the home of Mrs. John Miller, 804 Lorne Ave. London, on Wednesday, June 30th, at 6 o'clock when her niece Annie Mabel, eldest daughter of Wm. A. Marilyn, was united in holy bonds of matrimony to Stanley Maw, both of Watford. The Rev. W. R. McIntosh officiating. While the bridal chorus from Lohengrin was being played by Miss Beatrice Wells, of Goderich, the bride entered the parlor leaning on the arm of her brother, Warner, and took her place beside the waiting groom.

The bride was becomingly attired in taupe satin with georgette overdress embroidered in silk. After the signing of the register, all the guests repaired to the diningroom where the tables were beautifully decorated with American Beauty roses and crimson peonies; the hostess serving a dainty supper. The bride travelling in a navy tricotine suit with flesh georgette blouse and white picture hat. The gifts were costly and numerous. On their return they will reside on the groom's farm on the Egremont Road.

The friends and relatives join in wishing them a long and happy wedded life.

WARWICK WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The June delegate meeting of the Warwick Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. A. Auld on Wednesday, June 23rd, when eighteen ladies were present. Meeting opened by singing "The Maple Leaf," followed by prayer led by Mrs. D. Auld. Minutes of annual meeting were read and confirmed. Maxine Auld gave a reading, "Canadian Boy," which was much appreciated by all. Mrs. Lowe, of Toronto, gave a very interesting address on "Institute Work and Its Possibilities and the Betterment of Schools." A vote of thanks was tendered the speaker, followed with some selections on the victrola. Meeting closed with God Save the King, after which a dainty lunch was served.

WARWICK S. S. CONVENTION

The Warwick Township S. S. Association held its ninth annual convention in Bethel Methodist Church on June 23rd. The convention was a great success and an inspiration to all; the attendance being larger than on any previous occasion, and was noticeable for the deep interest which the delegates took in the discussion and the different topics.

The President, Mr. C. N. Richardson occupied the chair in a very able and efficient manner. The various departments of the S. S. work were well represented, a report of the year's work being given by each superintendent. The addresses listened to in the afternoon session, given by Mrs. (Rev.) Shore, Miss L. Ross and Col. Kenward, were very interesting and full of valuable points.

In the evening, two excellent addresses were given by Rev. G. B. Ratcliffe, Presbyterian minister at Arkona, and Rev. T. DeCourcy Rayner, Congregational minister of Watford. The addresses were full of practical suggestions and the spirit of Jesus Christ, and were appreciated to the fullest extent by the large number assembled. The collections, afternoon and evening, amounted to \$17.53. Township Provincial offering \$33.85; Missionary offering \$1,405.00; Total enrollment 1,081 members.

Officers elected for the ensuing year as follows:—
President—Thos. Gault, Watford
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Sec.—Tress.—J. F. Smith, Forest R.R. 4
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Teacher Training—Mrs. Shore, Watford
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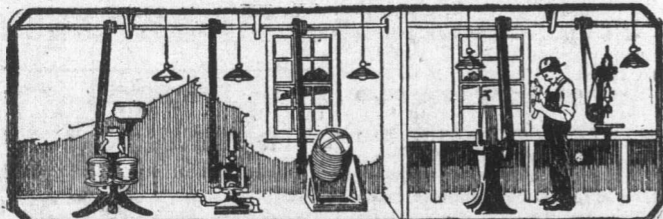
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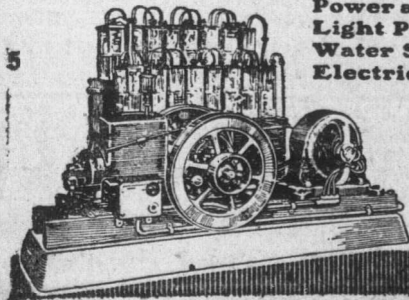
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ARKONA

Barney Morningstar motored to Niagara Falls last week.

Fred R. Brown made a flying visit to Toronto last week.

Mr. Reid Crawford, of London, spent the week end in town.

Mrs. McTavish, of Toronto, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Boles.

Mr. George Fuller, Guelph, spent the week end under the parental roof.

Mrs. Oakes and daughter, Lena, are visiting relatives in Windsor and Detroit.

Big Shoe Sale now on—secure a pair before they are all gone.—Brown Bros.

Mr. Fred Dowling, of Sarnia, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Dowling, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wilcocks and daughter, Rheta, are the guests of Mr. Chas. Cliff.

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet George and two daughters, of London, are visiting relatives in town.

Mrs. Richard Wilson, of South Bend, Indiana, returned to her home last week after spending the past month visiting relatives in and around the Ark.

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Baptist Ordination, Whitevale

After a searching examination, following carefully prepared statements as to his conversion, call to the ministry and his belief in Scripture teaching, W. H. Howard, pastor elect of the Whitevale Baptist Church, was unanimously voted into fellowship by the ordaining council, Wednesday afternoon, and at the evening meeting received the laying on of hands by the ordaining ministers while Rev. J. T. Priest, of Sunderland, offered the dedication prayer.

The Council was constituted and accepted by the Church with Rev. Harvey Merritt, of Whitby, as Moderator and some forty or fifty delegates, chiefly from the Whitby and Lindsay Association churches. Pastor H. O. Eastman, of Bobcaygeon assisted in the devotional exercises of the service, Dr. Jones H. Farmer, of McMaster University, Toronto, preached the ordination sermon, preceding the dedication; Rev. Charles H. Schutt of Century Church, Toronto, gave the charge to the candidate and the right hand of fellowship, and Rev. Charles W. King, late of Arkona, now of Claremont, gave the charge to the Church. These addresses were of a practical and inspirational character and the whole service was most impressive. The choir rendered a number of appropriate selections, and a banquet was served in the basement of the church by the ladies between the two meetings, adding considerably to the pleasure of the function.

KERWOOD

Miss Mabel Manicom spent a few days in Sarnia.

Miss Annie Richardson, Hamilton, is home for her holidays.

Miss Erna Wright, of Melbourne, is spending her holidays at her home here.

Mrs. C. Craig and little son are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Smith.

Mrs. Gordon Richardson, and little son, Harold, visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Richardson Sr.

Mr. W. G. Richardson and son, of Nanton, Alberta, is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Richardson.

The Women's Institute garden party this (Friday) evening, July 9th. The best talent procurable will be there. This is one of the season's treats. Come.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid picnic and bazaar was a decided success. A very interesting ball game was played between Kerwood and Enniskillen, the score being 21 to 22 in favor of Enniskillen.

The Oddfellows held a banquet on the lawn of Mr. Gilbert Dowling recently with their wives and friends as guests.

The tables on the lawn were bounteously spread with the delicacies of the season and a very pleasant social time was spent.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Robert Patterson Thursday, July 15th. Mrs. Ira Downer will be present and give a report of the Convention held recently in Kinardine. A good attendance is requested.

Quite a large number gathered at the parsonage Friday evening to tender Rev. Moorhouse, the new pastor, and his family, a reception. A short program consisting of solos, duets and speeches was given and a social time spent, after which the ladies served ice cream and cake.

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WARWICK COUNCIL

Warwick, July 5, 1920.

The Council met today as per adjournment. Members all present. The minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed.

Campbell—Higgins, that we go into a court of revision on the Frayn drain by-law with the Reeve in the chair.—Carried.

Muma—Williamson, that the bylaw on the Frayn drain be read the third time and finally passed and the court of revision be closed.—Carried.

The following accounts were paid:—

Jas. Dolan, statute labor returned undone in 1919.....	\$ 6 25
M. D. Campbell, for gravel drawn on 9 sideroad.....	100 00
A. Higgins, for gravel drawn on 12 sideroad.....	200 00
Geo. B. Brodie, work on Kilmer dr.....	15 00
Geo. Hawken, gravel furnished.....	23 60
F. Birchard, widening road and posts, 4 con S.....	30 00
Chas. Stewart, widening road 9 SR.....	29 25
M. E. Barrett, 1/2 cost of ditch con. 1.....	20 00
John Higgins, repair bridge 12 st.....	3 50
S. Morris, team in pit con. 4, SER.....	3 00
F. Clark, statute labor returned undone in 1919.....	6 00
R. Jarriott, gravel furnished.....	129 30
R. McPherson, cleaning tile on con. 6, N.E.R.....	10 00
D. Thompson, statute labor returned undone in 1919.....	7 50
Jas. Jones, work in pit on con. 4 S.....	51 00
D. Duncan, minding gate at pit.....	2 25
Wm. Bryce,.....	3 00
Corrugated Pipe Co., Stratford, culverts.....	326 66
Ingot Iron Co., Guelph, culverts.....	132 60
Campbell—Williamson, re report of Reeve on Edwards drain that he had examined same and could not make satisfactory arrangements, that the clerk be instructed to notify the engineer to examine the same and report.—Carried.	
Higgins—Campbell, that notice of a number of ratepayers on the McManus	

drain to have the tile joined on Mr. P. Gavigan's lot, be accepted and that we instruct the clerk to notify Mr. Gavigan to join the same at once and if not to notify the engineer to examine the same and report.—Carried.

Muma—Williamson, that the Council accept the petition of Robert Hall and others and the clerk be instructed to notify the engineer to examine and report on same.—Carried.

The Council then adjourned to meet on Monday, August 2nd, at 1 o'clock p.m., for general business.

N. HERBERT, Clerk.

PLYMPTON

On Monday last Alex. McLean, 10th line, was paid the full amount of the insurance which he carried in the Lambton Mutual Insurance Co., covering the loss sustained when six head of his cattle were killed by lightning two weeks ago.

The Plympton voters' list for 1920 contains the names of 885 persons qualified to vote at both Provincial and municipal elections, and of 143 persons qualified to vote at municipal elections only, a total of 1028 names. The totals by polling divisions are as follows:—No. 1, 124; No. 2, 160; No. 3, 119; No. 4, 165; No. 4, 196; No. 6, 52; No. 7, 111; No. 8, 101. There are 522 persons qualified to act as jurors. July 27th will be the last day for making appeals.

The marriage of Ila Lulu, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Anderson, 2nd line, to John Brereton, took place June 23rd, at the home of the bride's parents. Rev. Mr. Yule, of Petrolia, performed the ceremony, assisted by Rev. A. A. Barnes of Arkona. There were about 70 present from Watford, Petrolia, Oil Springs, Sarnia, Camlachie, Wyoming and vicinity. The oldest guest was Mr. Anderson's uncle, Wm. McKorie, Egremont Road, and the youngest was Mr. McKorie's grand-daughter, little Anna Leach, of the B. & W. town-line. Mr. and Mrs. Brereton will reside on the 2nd line, near Calvary Baptist church.



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Army men on a post welcome visiting girls as the glad old earth welcomes spring, but it was quite evident, after the first week of her sojourn in the house of Captain Anstruther, that his sister Helen was going to have a sorry time of it. She was pretty enough in her way, but that elusive something that makes or mars a girl's success with men held no promise for the captain's uneasy wife, Anne. What was she going to do with her sister-in-law for a whole month?

Men came, perfunctorily, at her bidding. They ate her dinners, nibbled her cakes and drank her tea, but they returned the courtesies with the air of men paying just and honest debts when they could make far happier use of the money. None of them on leaving lingered a little to grasp her hand and whisper, "She's some little peach, your visitor! Say a good word for me! How about dinner with me tomorrow night, and could you squeeze in a horseback ride for the next afternoon?"

Something had to be done and done quickly. Anne thought over the list of possibilities. Her heart gave a little convulsive gasp at thought of sending an S. O. S. to the colonel, and yet she looked forward happily to the opportunities that it would offer to exhibit herself in all her mature loveliness to the man whom she had refused to marry. Tom Anstruther. There was always a little glow of feminine satisfaction when she reflected that he was a bachelor because of her. His eyes were inscrutable, unfathomable. They looked at her as if they were still seeing the pretty, innocent young girl she had been when, visiting the post years before, she had chosen a husband because he was the best-looking officer there, the best dancer and the most adept at making love. Well, she had paid for her failure to discriminate, but nobody knew how much she had paid. Outwardly she was the toast of the officers' mess, beautiful as a star and just as cold, men found who ventured to make up to Anstruther's obvious lack of attention.

She had never asked a favor of Colonel Kent, but the time had come when she felt that the end justified the means. She could not have Tom's quiet little sister go back home with a tale of unhappiness to tell. The girl had looked forward to the visit for years. Anne knew. She remembered how it had been when she was young.

So Anne wrote a little perfumed note and asked the colonel to call at tea time the next day. She planned to have a few others in so that she could take the colonel aside and explain just what was wanted without having Helen suspect anything.

She longed to wear a blue georgette frock elaborately embroidered in steel beads, but the colonel had often mentioned his fondness for her in that color in the never-to-be-forgotten days of youth, so she resolutely pushed aside the alluring little garment and selected a drab gray to which only her sapphires gave color.

Of course they had met almost every day in the year, but he never went to Anne's house unless he was invited there, and Anne only asked him when there were many other guests. Lately she had seen little of him. He was beginning to plead that middle-aged officers ought to turn over social affairs to the younger fellows and let them have their fling.

When the few people whom she had asked had all been served, Anne left the gay little tea table and casually moved over to sit beside the colonel.

"I'm so glad that you came," she said. "I want to ask a big favor of you."

"Granted," he answered, smiling inscrutably, "before you ask, as you must have known it would be."

"Captain Anstruther's little sister is visiting me for a month. For some reason, not known to me, she is not proving very popular. My sixth sense tells me that."

"Woman's intuition."

"She is young, as you can see, so young that her heart and her eyes are still filled with dreams. I want her to be gay and happy while she is here. Already she is beginning to feel that the men are not rushing her as she had hoped they would. Can you help me? Will you help me to make her visit here all that I want it to be?"

A little wistful smile played about his full lips and etched with a bold stroke the fine lines that were already showing at the corners of his brown eyes. "It's a big task to put up to a

man whose own dreams have never come true, but I'll do my best. Whatever you say goes, you know. I told you that same thing, fifteen years ago."

Only that once did she let the mask fall. Her face went white as a snow-drop and her hand, idly fingering the bar of sapphires on her breast, trembled visibly. There was the agony of confession in the eyes she lifted to his for one brief moment. "If it hadn't been for the memory of your kindness, I couldn't have endured it all these years."

"I know." His clasp on her hand was warm, reassuring. "I'll do everything that I can for the girl."

If a miracle can happen, then one happened at the post. The end of Helen's visit came, and Anne knew that no girl who had ever been entertained there had enjoyed greater popularity. There had been rides, luncheons, teas, dinners and theater parties to the nearby city, all of them sponsored by the able, quiet-looking colonel. Anne was grateful beyond the power of words to express, but the visit had been a trying one for her. She was conscious every time that she saw the commanding officer at the post that all he did was for her. She had worn her blue dresses because she had heard him say so many times in the old days that blue was his favorite color, and she wanted to please him because he was doing so much for her.

He came to call, alone, the night before Helen was to leave. The girl seemed strangely excited, as if she were just bubbling over with happiness. Anne said good-night to them early and went to her room, thinking over her own care-free days and her unwise choice of a partner. She would try to save Helen from the same fate. She wondered if the girl had come really to care for any of the men who had danced attendance on her. None of them probably cared a straw for the girl herself. Of course, they rushed her to please the colonel. There was a little lieutenant who had seemed sincere in his attentions. Could it be that he—Anne was startled from her reverie by Helen tiptoeing into the room, with her finger on her lips. The little visitor was in a flame-colored taffeta with wide-plaited ruffles that served to round out her slim, girlish figure. A high Spanish comb held her yellow curls on top of her head. She was eager, vivid, keenly alive. Her eyes were sparkling.

"I have a secret, a wonderful one," she confided rapturously.

"Yes?" questioned Anne; but already that strange sixth sense was at work, prophesying the astounding news.

"I'm coming back—to be leading lady at the post—think of it! The colonel's wife! Maybe I'll snub you and Tom," she laughed, rocking herself back and forth on the low stool by Anne's dainty dressing table. "You know I was wild about him before I came here. Tom had told us so much about him. I cared even before I saw him. So you see your quiet, demure little sister-in-law has something that all the lovely, scintillating visitors who came here before must have lacked. I met him two or three days before you asked him to tea. He said then that if you didn't soon ask him to call he would have to hint to you." Then suddenly she changed the subject. "I think that I will have a brown going-away dress, Anne. I thought of blue, but he hates it. Isn't that queer? Most men adore it. Why don't you say something? Aren't you perfectly thrilled to have a sister who is the colonel's lady?"

Anne was staring at her, eyes dark as shadowy pools, as if she were seeing her for the first time. "Why, of course, I am delighted."

"I wanted him to tell you, but he said it would be better for me to break the news. Wasn't that thoughtful of him? Women do love startling secrets, don't they? And just think, Anne, he says that he has never loved a girl before, and he is nearly forty years old."

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A novelty fan in East Indian design is made from uncurled ostrich, the delicate fronds springing from a ring of tortoise shell, which serves in place of sticks. The fronds fall in a graceful one-side sweep. The stock of the fan is of tortoise shell and from the shell ring falls a long silken tassel.

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LINES LONGER, WAIST LOWER

Method Most Often Employed is Draping of Sash Low About the Hips.

In all of the new clothes prepared for this spring the carrying out of longer lines appears. This is done in various ways. Perhaps the method most often employed is the draping of a sash low about the hips. This low tied sash is the favorite method of giving the straight chemise dress—which still remains in fashion—the low waistline appearance. It is only necessary to tie a softly draped piece of material about a last year's chemise frock to place it in the front rank of this spring's fashions.

For those who wish to economize, this really offers an excellent opportunity. Each woman may satisfy her own taste in the manner of tying her sash. It may be at the side or in the back; some of them even tie in small bows at the front. There is just as much leeway, too, in the size and length of these sashes, which may be puffy bows with ends that are little longer than the loops themselves, or the ends may be very long, in some instances hanging below the bottom of the skirt. Putting wide sashes on chemise dresses is a decided departure from the narrow string belts, that have girdled the chemise frock heretofore.

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Johannesburg New Metropolis.
Johannesburg, with a population of 263,274, is the largest and most cosmopolitan city in South Africa. The tastes of the people are varied, ranging from the simplest requirements on the part of the natives to the most cultivated wants. Music of some form is one of the means of satisfying these wants.

GAY TOGGERY AT DANCES IN PARIS

Wealth of Beautiful Color Is Expressed in Clothes of the Richly Attired Women.

JABOT DRESSES IN EVIDENCE

Outfit Is Striking for Afternoon Wear; Almost Gaudy Silks Combined in Wonderful Way With Other Material.

The popularity of the dansant and the revival of the tango in Paris have had a remarkable influence on dress, writes a French fashion correspondent. The smart places where people gather for afternoon dancing have become centers of fashion. There are those who do not go to dance but simply to study the clothes, not only for the styles themselves, but for the wealth of beautiful color that is expressed in many of them, for this dancing craze has been the means of introducing unusual colorings of Spanish origin into our clothes.

Jabot dresses are still a very strong feature in Paris fashions; one sees an endless number of them at afternoon dances. The jabot skirt, when topped by a simple little bodice, makes a remarkably pretty afternoon dress. In fact, nothing could be more attractive than such a model when developed in a soft, clinging fabric. But all have not these modest corsages. There are extreme ones having sleeveless bodices almost as décolleté as an evening gown.

One worn recently at a tea dance in Paris, too extreme to be worn by American women as an afternoon dress, would make a charming informal dinner frock. The original is developed in black satin and silver lace, the lace forming the jabot cascade down the sides of the draped skirt. A straight piece of the lace goes about the figure to make an under portion for the surplice bodice of black satin.

Old Favorites in New Patterns.
A great many beautiful new fabrics have large designs printed in bright colors. The fashion for having frocks made to match coat linings, which prevailed during the past winter, no doubt had a great deal to do with the development and elaboration of silks that were similar to the materials which we have been wont to employ as linings for wraps only. Many old favorites have returned to us in new

skirt to accentuate this note without making the dress dark. Where the printed fabric, which is white with a large blue design, joins the plain one, lace entre-deux is used for outlining the edges of the points and the oblique ends of the panels.

Chiffon Finds Fountain of Youth.
The straight line figure is preserved through the draped blouse, which is made entirely of the printed chiffon and has a fichu collar of pure white chiffon, also elaborated with the entre-deux. This dress is quite as charming when developed in emerald green and white or cerise and white.

In days gone by we thought of printed chiffon as suitable only for elderly ladies' afternoon dresses; probably because this fabric was made in subdued colors and rather prosy designs. But this making of chiffon in big patterns and brilliant shades has given it a new lease of life, so that now printed chiffons are quite the rage.

Jenny, whose models, while always beautiful, never were lovelier than they are this spring, uses quantities of printed chiffons combined with plain materials. In one instance she unites bright red foulard with chif-



Afternoon dress of printed blue and white chiffon combined with solid blue and having a fichu of pure white. Real lace entre-deux is used

for having a large black and white pattern.

This dress has a long-waisted blouse joined to a tunic skirt with entre-deux, very much after the manner of the model just described, a point of difference, however, lying in the fact that the blouse, which is of the chiffon, is cut in a pointed design and applied to the foulard skirt. By using a long smock blouse Mme. Jenny cleverly gives the effect of a chemise dress.

Lovelier Dresses Than Ever Before.
There is a large rolling collar of the red silk draped about a rather low-cut neck on the chiffon blouse. It is really wonderful the way these very bright—almost gaudy—silks are being combined with figured or plain silks as well as chiffons and made into dresses lovelier than any we have ever had.

Even serge dresses have become frivolous to be in keeping with the gay dresses seen at the fashionable these dances. While these dresses have for a long time been somewhat enlivened by embroideries and trimmings of colored leather, the introduction of lingerie effects into them is something which we have not seen for many a season.

The woman who liked above everything else in her dress effects that were becoming and feminine regretted the passing of the always flattering lingerie collar. Many said, when it became the mode to wear dresses with severe necklines, quite unadorned except for the occasional use of embroidered bands or a bit of dark fur, that women would not adopt a fashion so lacking in flattering aids to beauty.

But that most women are willing to follow the prevailing fashions is attested by the fact that lingerie collars were nowhere seen in assemblages of women who made any pretension to being smartly dressed. Their absence was a comparatively brief one, however, for now lingerie effects have returned.

One of the smartest of the new serge frocks, which has white organza as its trimming, was seen at an afternoon dance. The color of the cloth was very dark blue and displayed to excellent advantage the fluted organza trimming which took

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Box Coats, One-Piece Dresses.
Box coats are not confined to regulation suits. At the Maison Worth, as well as at other great Paris houses, the box coat has been incorporated into the idea of a three-piece suit—that is to say, the one-piece dress has a straight box coat to be worn over it. Instead of having a contrasting vest these are open in the front to reveal the full length of the frock. Ever so many of these coats which match frocks have high, straight collars buttoning closely about the neck. These are unusual on loose coats that do not close at the front.

Every woman who loves simplicity and comfort in dress will be delighted to know that the best houses are still featuring the straight-line frock. A typical Parisian model is made of white tussah silk almost on the lines of a coat dress with the one side fastening. This closing shows a binding of black satin, which continues in a straight line to form a finish for the high, close-fitting collar. The skirt portion is slit at the front to show an underskirt of black satin.

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Sleeveless dress worn recently at an afternoon tea dance in Paris. It is developed in black satin, the skirt having a jabot drapery of lace.

guses as a result of the extensive use of these silks. Chiffon is one that has followed the lead of gay patterned silks.

To read of a chiffon frock in which the material printed in a large design of two colors is combined with chiffon in two solid tones might give you the impression of a decidedly bizarre gown, but one has been developed in just this way and the result obtained by such a combination is simple and quaint.

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The annual picnic of the Andrews Wire Works of Canada, limited, Watford and Strathroy, was held at Hillsboro on Lake Huron on Saturday, June 26th. The day was ideal and very promising for the event which has been eagerly looked forward to for some months. Five motor cars started from the works at Strathroy at 7 a.m., and joined the Watford contingent at the Carnegie Library at Watford. It took twenty-three cars to convey Watford's quota including the commissariat department. All being in readiness the conveyances headed for the lake passing through Forest enroute. The ride through this part of Ontario at this season of the year was very enjoyable. The odor of the new mown hay, wafted on the wings of the gentle zephyrs, was especially enjoyable. The run was soon made and after parking the cars the crowd repaired at once to the base ball diamond to witness a contest of skill, speed and endurance which has also been looked forward to namely a base ball match between the young ladies of the Watford and Strathroy shops, both of which have been practising for weeks. The coveted prize was the "Androck" Pennant and incidentally a box of choice chocolates each. The clubs lined up and sized each other up and down and Strathroy came to the conclusion that Watford would win. The game was called and to briefly summarize, the playing of both teams was excellent. Magnificent pitching, curves of all kinds. Catching to be appreciated should have been witnessed. Battery work was superb, hot grounders and sky-high. Catching of these almost miraculous. As the game proceeded the crowd in frenzy yelled and roared and fans on both sides let go their most cherished vocabulary and the very words echoed in sympathy

and encouragement. After five very strenuously contested innings the game was terminated with the score standing 25 to 24 in favor of Strathroy. All the spectators joined in a mighty cheer while Mr. Bate presented the Pennant and the candy which, by the way, was donated by Mr. R. Washburn, president of the company of Worcester, Mass. After the ladies' ball game a contest on the diamond took place between a picked team of married and single men with a score 9 to 4 in favor of the singles. Cigars were the prizes which were smoked with an air of great dignity and satisfaction.

The ride out in the fresh air and the whooping made all ravenously hungry, some complaining that they were so hungry that they really did not know whether they had backache or stomach-ache, so the appointed committees got busy and soon there was ready a sumptuous repast which in due time was disposed of. After dinner boating, fishing, reading, bathing and lounging on the beach was indulged in until supper time when a hungry company kept alert for the well-known whoop from the pavilion. Prefacing this enjoyment a song was sung by the entire company led by one of the members who was presented with a beautiful "Androck" shield with the colors attached. This song was composed by Walt Mason Best of Strathroy. After supper a vote of thanks was tendered to the company for the splendid entertainment and was enthusiastically endorsed by the assemblage.

This is the largest and best outing held under the auspices of the Wire Works, 140 being in attendance, and all were fully persuaded that "It can't be done" has no place in the thoughts of the promoters when an outing is being planned.—Com.

WATFORD COUNCIL

Watford, July 5, 1920
Regular meeting of Council. Present, Messrs. Johnston, Harper, Doan and Hollingsworth.
Minutes of former meeting read, no objection. Reeve confirmed same.
Harper—Doan, that Engineers report on Water Works System be received and that the Clerk advise Engineer of Council's views on same at the present time.—Carried.
Doan—Harper, that we increase the price of all lots in the Cemetery as follows in belts A and D to \$20.00 and in belts B and E to \$16.00 each.—Carried.
Finance Committee examined accounts and recommend payment.

Hydro Commission street light... \$135 42
Treas. Library bd for current use. 90 00
Wm. Roche, ringing bell 22 50
Samuel Harper, labor on streets. . 5 75
J. F. Elliot salary \$15.00 to pay Jamieson labor 50c. 15 50
W. S. Fuller, salary \$50.00, to pay Jamieson per Dean labor \$2.00. 52 00
J. H. Shaw, care of engine. 7 50
McCormick Bros., tile account. . . 30 37
Joshua Saunders, intake Main st. 7 00
Harper—Doan, that accounts be passed and Reeve grant his order.—Carried.
Doan—Harper, that we adjourn.—Carried.
W. S. FULLER, Clerk.

A warning has been issued at Alvinston that driving of motor cars by minors must be stopped.

HOW TO OVERCOME NERVOUS TROUBLES

A Returned Soldier Tells How He Regained Health and Strength.

Nervous troubles of all kinds, particularly nervous debility, work a remarkable transformation in the patient. The change is both physical and mental. The sufferer loses weight and strength, and frequently becomes irritable and fault finding. Troubles that were once thrown off without any difficulty assume exaggerated proportions. Other symptoms of this nervous condition are poor appetite, headaches, exhaustion after little effort, and frequently distress after meals.

The cause of this debility is generally starved nerves. The blood, which gives the nervous system its food and power to work efficiently, has become thin and weak, and until the blood regains its tone and strength there can be no improvement in the condition of the nerves. In cases of this kind Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will be found the very best medicine. They make rich, red blood which feeds and strengthens the starved nerves, and in this way restores the sufferer to full health and strength. Proof of this is found in the case of Mr. Fred Sander, London, Ont., who says: "While on service with the Imperial forces in Africa I completely lost my health through continual hardship and shock. I was sent back to the base hospital suffering, so the doctor said, from nervous debility. After spending some time in the hospital I was invalided back to England as unfit for further service. After spending some time in Netley Hospital, I was given my discharge, but was still a weak and nervous wreck, absolutely unfit for work. I had neither the strength nor ambition to do anything. In London I doctored for three or four months with a civilian doctor, who finally advised a change of climate. I was terribly nervous, suffered from sleeplessness, smothering and sinking spells, and pains in the heart; my hands and feet were always cold and clammy. At this time I decided to come to Canada, and shortly after reaching this country was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. After I had taken the pills for some weeks I found myself improving. I continued taking the pills for several months with the result that they fully restored my health. My nerves are now as steady as a rock; my appetite the best, and my eyes and skin, which had turned yellowish, are clear and healthy looking. I feel like a new man in every way, and fit for anything. I have since recommended the pills to several friends, and know of several cases where they were beneficial in the influenza epidemic. I am of the opinion that should any of my returned soldier comrades use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for shell shock, they would be a great help to them."

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BROOKE COUNCIL

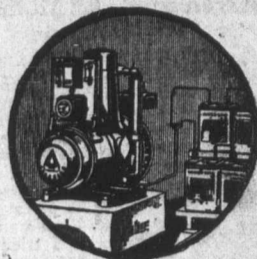
Council met pursuant to adjournment. Members all present. Minutes of former meeting read and on motion of Campbell-Zavitz were adopted.
Engineers report read on the following drains, viz: Cook Drain, Morley Drain, Watt Drain and Moffatt-Lucas Drain No. 2. A number of the interested ratepayers on each of the drains were present at the reading of the reports.
Zavitz—Sutton, that report on Cook, Morley, and Watts drain be adopted and by-law be prepared authorizing work and loan, and that Moffatt-Lucas drain re-

port be laid over to be considered at next meeting of the Council.—Carried.
Petition received and signed by a majority interested in a tile drain on 6 sideroad, con. 1, asking to have the Engineer instructed to examine the drain and if in his judgement, the size of the tile should be increased, that the work be done and the costs assessed against lands and roads benefited thereby.
Loosemore—Zavitz, that petition be entertained and Engineer be instructed to make an examination of the drain and if found insufficient submit report, plan, profile, estimate and to make an assessment of lands and roads liable under the provision of "The Municipal Drainage Act."—Carried.
Mr. A. F. Loosemore, Commissioner in charge of construction of the Hustler Drain reported the work completed. Receipts \$739 00; Expenditures \$921.00; Overpaid \$182.00.
Loosemore—Campbell, that report be adopted and deficit spread pro rata on lands assessed and entered on 1920 Collectors Roll for collection.—Carried.
Mr. E. E. Showler and Richard Lucas notified Council that their dogs had been killed and asked to have the same struck off the assessment roll. No action as notice was received after the closing of the Court of Revision.
Mr. Clarence Atkin, Commissioner in charge of repairs to North end of the Weldman Drain reported the work completed. Receipts \$374 68; Expenditures \$1334.00; Overpaid \$459 32.
Loosemore—Sutton, that report be adopted and Brooke's share of the deficit be spread pro rata on lands and roads assessed under by-law No. 8 of 1917 and entered on 1920 Collector's Roll for collection.—Carried.
Trustees of School Section No. 23 asked for \$216.75 be advanced for school purposes.
Loosemore—Sutton, that amount be advanced and 6 per cent. charged until Dec. 15th.—Carried.
By-law confirming the appointment of Inspector of ditches submitted and read. Loosemore—Zavitz, that by-law be read a third and finally passed.—Carried.
By-law submitted and read authorizing repairs to the Watt Award Drain under the provisions of the Municipal Drainage Act, and to borrow on the credit of the Municipality the sum of \$1235 for completing the same.
Sutton—Loosemore, that by-law be provisionally adopted, printed in pamphlet form, with a copy served on ratepayers assessed, with Court of Revision of same be held in Code's Hall, Alvinston, on Saturday the 24th day of July, 1920, to open at 3 o'clock p.m. John Zavitz to be commissioner.
Moved amendment by Zavitz—Campbell, that Robert Watt be Commissioner. Amendment carried.
Loosemore—Sutton, that Council do now adjourn to meet in Code's Hall, Alvinston, on Saturday the 24th day of July, 1920.—Carried.
W. J. WEED, Clerk.

SCHOOL FAIR DATES

Sarnia Township Hall Sept. 13
North Enniskillen, Petrolia. " 14
Rosanquet Township, Jericho " 17
Warwick Township, Arkona. " 20
Warwick Village. " 22
Dawn Township, Rutherford. " 23
South Enniskillen, Oil Springs " 27
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