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LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

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CRISP, new bloomer suits for boys.—SWIFT'S.

SUNRISE flour, give it a trial next time.

S. Stapleford & Son are in the market for eggs and butter. Highest cash price.

MILLINERY apprentices wanted at Miss Williams'. Apply immediately.

YOUNG MAN: Have you been proposed to yet? If not, have a care next Wednesday.

MR. ALVIN SHIRLEY took the service in Trinity church on Sunday last and preached an excellent sermon.

SPECIAL CLOTHES imported for ladies' tailor made suits.—SWIFT'S.

THE cabling of the Bell Telephone wires in the town has made a big improvement in the overhead appearance of Main street.

THE Reeve applied to the County Council for a grant of \$200 to assist in repairing the lockup. Laid over until June session.

On Feb. 16th and 17th, for cash, you can buy cedar posts from McLeay, the lumber and coal dealer, at Watford, for 20 cents each.

ASK C. B. Matthews & Son for SUNRISE flour. Best on the market.

A SMOKING coal oil heater made it necessary to dismiss the congregation at the week night service in Trinity church last week.

THE Reeve has received a letter from the Minister of Militia stating that an appropriation has been made for an armory in Watford.

REV. JOHN MORRISON of Sarnia, will be one of the speakers at the E. Lambton Institute meeting in the Lyceum next Wednesday.

REFERENCE to the Council meeting shows that steps are being taken to procure a government building here to be used as a post office and Customs office as well as an armory.

FINEST stock of imported tweeds for men's ordered suits. See the Scotch Fannockburns.—SWIFT'S.

A LITTLE drama in which the Chief Constable, the ex-Chief and a pioneer County Constable took part, provided entertainment for pedestrians on Main street Monday night.

THE paving of Main street is again occupying the attention of the council. At last meeting a motion was passed with a view of getting information as to cost of different pavements.

WILL the person kindly return to the Public Library the book which they have named "I Will Repay," as it is wanted by other readers, and has been out from the Library a length of time.

IT'S COOL for white dress flouncings. They are here.—SWIFT'S.

THE marriage of F. A. Mann, formerly manager of the Merchants Bank, Watford, to Miss Minnie J. Jones, of Mitchell, is announced to take place in Trinity Church, Mitchell, on February 22nd.

At the special meeting of Trinity Church Women's Guild held at Mrs. Bennett's on Monday it was decided to have a progressive tea on Wednesday, Feb. 14. Particulars elsewhere in this issue.

A GRANT of \$3,000 has been made by the County Council for the improvement of Main street, Glencoe providing the municipality decides to take advantage of the same under the Good Roads Act.—Transcript.

SHE the new dress goods and trimmings.—SWIFT'S.

COLD weather does not in itself produce pneumonia. The impure air of shut up houses weakens the body, and then, when suddenly exposed to the cold, the body is not able to withstand it. As a matter of fact, there is more pneumonia in comparatively mild weather than in severe weather. People are apt to go out with lighter clothing and the temperature takes a sudden drop and brings pneumonia on.

Who was or is the greatest woman in all history? Two hundred school teachers recently answered this question, and with enthusiasm and unanimity the judges awarded the prize to the one who made this reply: "The wife of the farmer of moderate means who does her own cooking, washing, ironing, sewing, brings up a family of boys and girls to be useful members of society, and finds time for intellectual improvement."

ABOUT a dozen men's nice tweed coats, and half a dozen black, the price is your way.—SWIFT'S.

A "FARMER PARTY" was recently held in Chicago, the invitations reading: "Please come like farmers and wear farmers' clothes." The hostess, who hadn't been near a farm for twenty years, thought that the guests would come in ox carts and wear overalls or other working clothes. To her great surprise they came in automobiles and wore regulation full dress clothes. All of which goes to show that it is a great compliment nowadays to be called a "farmer."

S. Stapleford & Son are in the market for eggs and butter. Highest cash price. Dr. R. G. KELLY has been appointed Associate Coroner for the County of Lambton.

RICHARD WATSON fell on Sunday last and cracked three ribs. He is now able to get out again.

WHY buy expensive, imported flours? Try SUNRISE high patent, made from No. 1 Manitoba wheat.

ALREADY shrewd folks notice that furs are coming down in price. They ought to be quite reasonable by next August.

MAJOR SHANNON, D.A.A.G., London, was here Thursday last inspecting the arms, accoutrements, etc., of the 27th regt.

ONE ONLY, ladies' fur-lined coat, size 42, sable collar, it's a fine coat, \$45.00.—SWIFT'S.

MR. E. LAMONT has sold his comfortable cottage on Front street to Mr. C. B. Matthews, possession to be given in the spring.

WHILE playing hockey Friday evening, Roy Dodds, of Ailes Craig, was struck in the face by the puck, and had a nasty wound inflicted.

In the report of the Cong'l church opening last week we omitted to mention that Mr. Robert Spalding furnished and installed the electric light fixtures.

GROUP 10, O.H.A., is out of the running. In the Intermediate semi-finals St. Marys defeated Strathroy 17-5, and in the Juniors Woodstock defeated Alvington 45-8.

LADIES—See our cutter, Mr. Hudgin, for your tailor made suit.—SWIFT'S.

THE A. Y. P. A., of Trinity Church, had a social evening at the residence of Mrs. E. D. Swift on Tuesday evening. Lunch was served and a very interesting program rendered. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Annie Tanner.

If YOU are interested in Amateur Photography you are invited to attend the Velox demonstration at McLarens store this (Friday) evening, at 7 p.m. An expert from the factory will explain the fine points of this interesting work.

A PROGRESSIVE TEA under the auspices of Trinity Church Women's Guild will be held at the home of W. J. Howden, on Wednesday, Feb. 14th. Afternoon tea from 3.30 to 5 o'clock, 10 cents. Hot supper from 5.30 to 7.30 p.m., 25 cents. Everybody welcome.

SPECIAL, early shipment of boys' bloomers suits, tweed and worsted effects, sizes 23 to 35.—SWIFT'S.

ABOUT fifty couple attended the informal party given by the officers and members of the Junior Hockey Club in the Lyceum on Friday evening. The Cortese orchestra supplied the music which was declared to be exceptionally good. It was a very enjoyable dance.

THE man who says we do not now get the good old-fashioned winters that brought the glow of health to the cheeks of the pioneers will be surprised to learn that January, 1912, was the second coldest January recorded at the Toronto Observatory. Only January, 1857, gave a lower average temperature.

LUCKILY the paving of Main street was not accomplished before the telephone line men got to work. Through the foresight of some of our municipal representatives the matter of paving was shelved until the Bell Co. got through digging holes. Now everything is in line for the new pavement.

THE annual report of the Dominion Postoffice Department, just issued, shows an increase in expenditure of \$738,883, and a surplus of \$1,192,739. The increases in the service were: Post offices 437, postal note offices 284, money order stations 189, savings bank offices 18. The railway mail mileage increased by 670. There was an increase in letters and postcards handled of 52,357,000, or more than 19 per cent.

NORBERT ROCHE arrived home from Toronto on Friday. He was placed in the Isolation Hospital in that city on November 29th, suffering from diphtheria, and was detained there for nine and a half weeks. It was expected he would be home for Christmas, but he suffered a relapse that confined him indoors until last week. His many friends will be pleased to hear that he is now gaining strength rapidly.

A SUBSCRIBER once received a dun through the postoffice and it made him mad. He went to see the editor, who showed him a few duns of his own—one for paper, one for type, one for fuel and several others. "Now," said the editor, "I didn't get mad when these came because I knew all I had to do was to ask several reliable gentlemen like you to come and help me out and then I could settle all of them." When the subscriber saw how it was he relented, paid up, and renewed for another year.

A PUBLIC meeting of the Women's Institute to which all the ladies are invited will be held in the Foresters' Hall, above Stapleford's Produce Store, on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 14th. Roll call will be answered by a composition on "Valentine" after which Mrs. W. J. Hunter, of Brampton, will give a lecture. She comes highly recommended. There will also be other readings at this meeting. There will be a joint meeting in Taylor's Hall in the evening. Mr. Silcox, of Iona, and Mrs. Hunter will give a lecture. There will also be special music for the evening meeting. Everybody cordially invited.

THE third of the Presbyterian concert series, given in the Lyceum on Saturday night, proved fully up to the standard of the previous ones and in some respects superior. Mr. Ralph Bingham, who supplied the varied program, is certainly a humorist and musician of the first rank. He has a baritone voice of good quality and his violin playing was much enjoyed by the large audience present. As a raconteur Mr. Bingham is exceeding entertaining and his funny sketches were very amusing. Mrs. Bingham accompanied him on the piano for his violin selections. The entertainment was one of the best all round concerts ever given here.

THE OTTAWA CITIZEN, in its weekly review of the doings in Parliament, says:—"The modest apology of Mr. Armstrong, member for East Lambton, for taking up the time of the house with his most able commentary on the national means of communication was quite unnecessary. The material he laid before the house evinced a profound study of the subject, and the table of statistics which he placed upon Hansard were of a most illuminating character. His text was in the shape of a motion for the appointment of a commission to investigate the systems of national telegraphs and telephones, also postal conditions and improved methods of collecting and distributing mails."

PERSONAL.

L. D. Caldwell, St. Thomas, was here Tuesday.

Geo. Pollock, London, visited relatives in this section this week.

Mrs. (Dr.) Clement is the guest of Mrs. Wm. Thompson.

Mrs. Carson, Meaford, is the guest of Mrs. N. B. Howden.

Mrs. Thos. Howden, Detroit, is visiting at Mrs. N. B. Howden's.

Miss Clara Tye is attending the wholesale millinery openings, Toronto.

Miss Esther Hume left last week for an extended visit with friends in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Wellington, Forest, spent a few days with Mrs. W. D. Cameron, Erie st.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Mitchell, of Victoria, B.C., who are visiting relatives in Strathroy, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Mitchell here.

BROOKE.

Don't forget the debate in Chalmers' church this (Friday) evening, Feb. 9th.

Township Clerk Willoughby is in Ottawa this week attending the Good Roads meeting in the interests of the township.

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HOCKEY.

Watford 9, Sarnia 4.

The Sarnia Junior O.H.A. came to Watford on Monday night and met defeat at the hands of the Watford Juniors by a score of 9-4. Sarnia had a good team on the ice, but the Watford boys played all around them, and when the goal for half time sounded the score stood 5-2 in Watford's favor. The play in the last half was a little slow, and inclined to be rough, but few penalties were given. Carson, for Sarnia, played the best game, but the Watford boys threw splendid plays for Watford, and F. Haskett, in goal, blocked many good shots, and his stopping was a credit to the home team. The line-up:

Watford.	Sarnia.
Storey.....goal.....F. Haskett	McGurk.....goal.....S. Rogers
Duncan.....c.....T. Dodds	Carson.....c.....Dunlop
MacDonald.....centre.....Thorner	Knowles.....r wing.....Sedwick
McDonald.....l wing.....Brown	Referee—L. Dodds.

The Bonspiel.

Watford's two rinks played in the preliminary rounds for the Bank of Toronto trophy at Petrolia on Tuesday with the following results:—

Petrolia.	Watford.
J. Webb.....J. Fowler	
D. M. Steadman.....J. H. Hume	
John Hurst.....S. Rogers	
F. A. Johns, sk. 12.....J. Livingstone, s. 11	
R. N. Bradley.....F. Luckham	
W. F. Neill.....Dr. Brandon	
W. Dunlop.....J. Johnson	
F. McDonald, sk. 17.....P. Fuller, sk. 17	

County Orange Lodge.

The annual meeting of the County Orange Lodge was held in the Orange Hall, Watford, on Tuesday afternoon last. There was a good attendance. The following officers for the current year were elected:—

C.M.—G. Maddock.
D.M.—Robt. Cope.
Chap.—Rev. W. R. Haines.
Rec. Sec.—Ben. Pike.
Fin. Sec.—Wm. Neal.
Treasurer—Albion Hawkins.
Director—Jas. Gillard.
Lecturer—Geo. Rivers.
Deputy Lecturers—Wallace Karr and Samuel Stevens.

St. Thomas will hold an old boys' reunion in July.

Lewis Wade, of the G.T.R. bridge gang, was instantly killed at Thamesville Thursday, when, while loading gravel, a lot of the frozen gravel caved in on him, breaking his neck. He was taken to the depot and died shortly after the accident. Deceased was about 45 and unmarried. He resided at Stevensville, Ont. Coroner Fraser decided to hold an inquest.

Western District Fair Association.

The Fair Association was held in the Iroquois Hotel, Petrolia. Those present were the Secretary, David Evans, of Strathroy. President Brock, Messrs. A. A. Dewar, John Farrell, J. A. Taylor, of Brigidon, Jas. Smith, of Wyoming, G. S. Pitkin, Petrolia, John Richardson, of Wyoming, D. A. McClary, of Alvington, H. A. Gilroy, of Alvington, J. H. Burnard.

D. Evans was appointed to Toronto to the February convention to urge upon the government the necessity of giving a grant towards permanent improvements.

The following schedule of dates was drawn up and adopted:—

Strathroy—Sept. 16-18.
Petrolia—Sept. 19-20.
Glencoe—Sept. 23-24.
Forest—Sept. 23-24.
Sarnia—Sept. 24-26.
Wyoming—Sept. 27-28.
Erie meeting on October 1.
Alvington—Oct. 1-2.
Watford—Oct. 3-4.
Theford—Oct. 8-9.
Albert Brock was appointed a delegate to interview the County Council with a view of increasing the annual grant.

The election of officers resulted as follows:—

President—W. A. Brock.
1st Vice Pres.—H. A. Gilroy.
2nd Vice Pres.—Sam Bailey.
Secretary—David Evans.
Auditor—A. A. Dewar.

WARWICK.

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Another of the old residents of Brooke passed away on Sunday last, Feb. 4th, in the person of Mr. Hugh Leitch of the 10th con., after an illness of about two months, in his 73rd year. Besides his aged wife, partner, Mr. Leitch leaves to mourn his loss three sons and three daughters. The sons are Arch and Hugh, of Inwood, and John at home. The daughters are Mrs. Dawson, Wye, Mrs. A. D. Smith, Watford, and Miss Florence at home. The funeral took place on Tuesday morning from the family residence, lot 23, con. 10, to Kilmartin cemetery, the Rev. J. Ure Stewart, pastor of Chalmers' Presbyterian church, conducting the service. The pall bearers were Capt. Duncan McLachlan, Duncan Fisher, Thos. Brown, Arch. Fisher, Roy McGregor and J. Lindsay. A large number of people assembled to pay their last respects to the deceased who was much respected in the community where he so long resided.

WARWICK.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hall, 2nd line, are on the sick list.

Mr. C. H. Rowe, Strassburg, Sask., is renewing acquaintances in this vicinity.

Mr. John Mansfield and bride, Brandon, Man., spent a few days last week with his uncle, Mr. Chas. Mansfield, 2nd line.

Mr. Lou Smith, Caseville, Mich., and Mr. John Smith, Lapeer, Mich., are visiting at their old home on the 2nd Line, North.

Mr. Jean Watterworth, Caseville, Mich. and his cousin, Mrs. Thomas Hume, Watford, spent a few days last week with Birmam relatives.

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John T. Maxwell and niece, Mrs. Geo. Parsons, Pleasant Hill, are spending a few days with his brother, Isaac Maxwell, Brown City, Mich.

R. J. McCormick, M.P.P., and daughter Ruby, left Tuesday for Toronto where they will attend the opening of the Ontario Legislature.

Fred Kingston, who has been at Strat-

ford Business College, came home Tuesday and left next day for Grimsby where he has accepted a situation.

Mr. Robert Thompson, 2nd line, entertained a number of his young friends on Tuesday evening of this week, when a very enjoyable time was spent by all present.

Mr. Jos. Hilborn, of Leamington, will speak at the East Lambton Institute meeting in Warwick on Thursday, Feb. 15th, and at the subsequent meetings of the series.

Mrs. James McGillicuddy, 18 Alderood, was taken suddenly and critically ill a week ago last Monday. Dr. Kelly, Watford, was summoned and found that she was suffering from gas around the heart. She is still in a weak condition.

Rev. and Mrs. Tucker, missionaries from Chisamba, Africa, will take charge of the service at Zion Congregational Church next Sunday afternoon at the usual hour, and will address a meeting in the Congregational Church, Forest, in the evening.

The members of St. Mary's Church Branch of the Women's Auxiliary will hold their first Mission Study Class in the church on Wednesday, Feb. 14th, from 2 to 4 p.m. All are cordially invited to attend and join in the discussion. The subject will be "Missions in Egypt."

The marriage of Miss Agnes Whitehouse, of Forest, and Frederick Trowbridge, son of Mrs. Wm. Daley, of Warwick, took place Tuesday afternoon at the Manse, Forest. Rev. L. H. Currie officiating. They were attended by Misses Gladys Govenlock and Claude Bright.

The happy couple left on the 2.27 express on a short wedding trip. On their return they will take up home-keeping on Mrs. J. Govenlock's farm, Bosanquet.

The regular meeting of the East Lambton Farmers' and Women's Institute will be held in Warwick Village, Thursday, Feb. 15th. Women's afternoon meeting will be held in the Foresters' Hall. Men's afternoon and union meeting in the Orange Hall. The speakers expected to be present are F. H. Silcox, of Iona, who will speak in the afternoon in the Orange Hall, and Mrs. Hunter, of Brampton, will address the Women's meeting in the afternoon. She will also be present at the union meeting in the evening. A good program is being provided. All are invited to attend.

A very interesting hockey match was played at the Warwick Village rink on Tuesday, Feb. 6, between the home team and the Forest basket factory team, the home team winning by a score of 3-1. The line-up was as follows:—

Watford.	Forest.
B. Beal.....goal.....B. Dann	C. Head.....point.....C. Barnes
B. May.....cover.....B. Stewart	S. Baldry.....rover.....J. Brush
B. Culley.....centre.....V. Barnes	J. Stewart.....right.....G. Newell
O. Henry.....left.....K. Ross	Referee—F. Morris.

About fifty members and adherents of the Zion Methodist Church, 2nd line, gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Spalding on Tuesday evening last and presented Mrs. Spalding (nee Miss Myrtle Robertson) who had been church organist for a number of years, with a handsome mahogany centre table.

T. A. Gault, leader of the choir, read the address, and T. H. Fuller and J. E. Collier made the presentation. Mrs. Spalding replied in a few well chosen words. Rev. H. E. Currie occupied the chair and called on a number of those present for short addresses. The speakers were loud in their praise of Mrs. Spalding's services to the church, and expressed pleasure that she would still be a resident among them. After the program light refreshments were served and the remainder of the evening was spent in a sociable way. The gathering broke up about midnight and all left for home wishing Mr. and Mrs. Spalding many years of happiness and prosperity.

Kenndall—Ramsay.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ramsay Wainstead was the scene of a quiet wedding at twelve o'clock, noon, Wednesday, Jan. 24th, when their daughter, Isabel, was united in marriage to Mr. Robert G. Kendall, of Mazened, Sask. The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. W. Ross, of Wyoming, in the presence of the immediate relatives of the contracting parties. The bride wore a gown of cream silk poplin and carried a bouquet of cream roses. Miss A. D. Squire, of London, acted as bridesmaid and was attired in cream marquisette. The groom was assisted by his cousin, Mr. Jas. Gannon, of Sarnia. After a sumptuous wedding dinner the bridal party left on the afternoon train for Sarnia and other points west, mid showers of confetti and the good wishes of their many friends. Mr. and Mrs. Kendall will be at home at Mazened, Sask., after April 1st.

Lambton Publicity Association annual meeting in Town Hall, Sarnia, Feb. 12th.

Mr. I. Pickering has purchased from the Public School Board, Forest, the first ward school property, which will probably be turned over to the Methodist congregation as a site for a new parsonage.

J. L. Hilborn, Leamington, sold for cash 15 acres off the east side of his farm to August V. Bouthaki, Detroit, for \$7,500, or \$500 per acre. On this property there is an old house, three small greenhouses and about ten acres in fruit.

DOCTOR ADVISED OPERATION

Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Canifton, Ont.—"I had been a great sufferer for five years. One doctor told me it was ulcers of the uterus, and another told me it was a fibroid tumor. No one knows what I suffered. I would always be worse at certain periods, and never was regular, and the bearing-down pains were terrible. I was very ill in bed, and the doctor told me I would have to have an operation, and that I might die during the operation. I wrote to my sister about it and she advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Through personal experience I have found it the best medicine in the world for female troubles, for it has cured me, and I did not have to have the operation after all. The Compound also helped me while passing through Change of Life." Mrs. LETITIA BLAIR, Canifton, Ontario.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has proved to be the most successful remedy for curing the worst forms of female ills, including displacements, inflammation, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, and nervous prostration. It costs but a trifle to try it, and the result has been worth millions to suffering women.

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WATFORD, FEBRUARY 9, 1912.

Will Teach Manners.

At the present time—at every time in the history of the civilized family—there is and has been great need for special attention to the inculcating of good manners in the rising generation.

A kindly heart is the basis of good manners, but proper formalities should also be present; these forms are the outward expression of the inward feeling.

Earl Grey, a few months ago, when addressing the Boy Scouts, remarked that the boys and girls of Canada did not have as good manners as he would like to see, and hoped that this condition would improve. Since then the principals of a good many of the public schools have formed a plan by which good manners would be taught in the school, says a writer in the Toronto Globe.

The training of the child should, of course, be the work of the home and the mother, but now-a-days it seems the mother has too much to do or does not know herself how to train the children or what good manners are, so this work falls upon the teachers if the children are to be

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taught at all.

In the past the schools have devoted themselves to mental training and have neglected the physical and spiritual, but now the authorities are making a strong effort to emphasize the physical and some are clamoring for the spiritual, so the question arises—what are the responsibilities of the teacher? The more the teachers are burdened the less the parent's duties become, till now mothers are leaving everything to the teachers—even to teaching the rudiments of good manners.

It is hoped that a plan may be adopted in all the schools in which the children are taught what good manners are and the importance of cultivating the same.

Each class is to have "a circle of good manners", and the respect that should be shown to womanhood, to age, and to God is to be impressed on the children; the little courtesies that one should show to one's equals, to one's superiors, to acquaintances, and to strangers will be explained.

In Brittany and Normandy and all through the country in England the children are most respectful, the boys never fail to touch their caps or the girls and the girls to curtsy when a stranger or acquaintance passes them or speaks to them. If the children of the French peasants and England's country folk have good manners, why not Canada's children?

Operation For Piles Failed.

Zam-Buk Was Then Tried and Worked a Cure.

Writing from Poplar, B.C., Mrs. C. Hanson, wife of the proprietor of the Commercial Hotel, says: "I suffered for years with bleeding piles. The pain was so bad at times that I could hardly walk, and ordinary remedies seemed utterly unable to give me any ease. Finally I decided to undergo an operation, and went to the Sacred Heart Hospital in Spokane. There they performed an operation and did all they could for me. For a time I was certainly better, but within twelve months the trouble started again and the piles became as painful as ever. I tried liniments, hot poultices, various 'pile cures,' and indeed everything I could think would be likely to do any good, but still I continued to suffer, and the shooting, burning, stinging pains, the dull, aching and wretched, 'worn-out' feeling that the disease causes continued as bad as ever.

"One day I read about Zam-Buk and thought I would try it. The first one or two boxes gave me more ease than anything else I had tried, so I went on with the treatment. In a short time I began to feel altogether different and better, and I saw that Zam-Buk was going to cure me. Well, I went on using it, and by the time I had used six boxes I was delighted to find myself entirely cured. That was three years ago, and from then to the present time there has been no return of the trouble."

Zam-Buk is a sure cure for piles, eczema, ulcers, abscesses, cold sores, chapped hands, varicose sores, burns, scalds, bruises, inflamed patches, and all skin injuries and diseases. Druggists and stores everywhere, 50c. box, or Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, for price. Refuse harmful substitutes.

A Bountiful Harvest.

"As a man soweth, so shall he reap," and youth is the time in which he must do his sowing if the granary is not to be empty when old age overtakes him, as it surely will if he lives long enough. The making of money and the saving of money, as distinguished from the miserly love of money, should be the ambition of everyone, but it does not necessarily follow that if you make money you will have it in your old age, as many a one-time millionaire has died in the poor-house. But if you take advantage of the Canadian Government Annuities system, and out of your wages, salary or income pay the amount fixed to be paid each week, month or year, or as otherwise arranged, provision for old age may be made with absolute certainty and at much less cost than on any other safe plan. You may lose everything, else you own but the Annuity cannot be lost or taken from you by any process of law, no matter how long you live. Ask your Postmaster for literature on the subject, or write for the same to the Superintendent of Annuities, Ottawa, to whom all letters may be addressed free of postage.

Forestry in Europe.

The productive forest area in 1908 on the Grand Duchy of Hesse in Europe amounted to 182,263 acres. In general the standing timber is composed of sixty-nine per cent hardwood and thirty-one per cent coniferous forest. The fir ranks first among the coniferous species. The

total yield of lumber in 1908 was 4,575,000 cubic feet. Refuse in so far as it is not suitable for lighter lumber, such as lath or for pulp, is used for firewood. The expenditures for salaries, forest cultivation and road building amounted to approximately \$754,000, and the total gross income (from lumber and firewood) was \$1,161,931. The capital represented by the forests (\$52,665,354) brought interest accordingly at 2.21 per cent. Where intensive forestry of this kind is practised, forest fires are unknown. Sufficient money spent on Canadian Forest Reserves would greatly reduce the fire danger, maintain an adequate lumber supply for the country and in time become a source of revenue to the Government.

WATFORD PUBLIC SCHOOL.

HONOR ROLL FOR JANUARY.

Fourth Class.—Sr.—Ross Luckham, Stella Williamson, George Mead, Franklin Smith, Allie Harper, Burton Cook, Rheta Thompson, Katie Aitken, Michael O'Meara, Chester Cook. Jr.—Winnifred Swift, Jean Fitzgerald, Mary Currie, Jean Cameron, Celestine McManus, Alma Barnes, Nelvin McCormick, Verne Johnston, Eston Fowler, Eva Thorne, Henry Rivers.—W. H. SHRAPNELL, Principal.

Class III.—Sr.—Mildred Fortune, John Bruce, Geraldine Elliot, Teresa Logan, Jean McManus, Stella McMacken, Bruce Trenouth, Kathleen Elliot, (Ross Restorick, Cecil Atchison, Charlie Stumph), equal, Charlie Fitzgerald, Ada Spackman, Carleton Harrower. Jr.—Sara Howden, Roger Thorne, Florence Cook, Carmen McCormick, Marjorie Swift, Florence Roberts, Esther Weight, Hazel Thorne, Earl Logan, Jack Irwin, Ila Cook.—M. REID, Teacher.

Class II.—Sr.—Wilfred Jamieson, Lillian McKercher, Dorothy Seager, Leo McManus, Mary Fowler, Mamie Moore, Evelyn Dodds, Claire Lambert, Alvin Styles, Helen Hamilton, Norman Trenouth, Clifford Abbott, Spence Bruce, Deloise Dadds. Jr.—Orville Fuller, Gertrude Parker, Orville McGillicuddy, Elsie Weight, Lloyd Harper, May Higgins, Vernon White, Earl Dobbin, Harold Roche, Eulalie Logan, Geraldine Jamieson, Gordon Trenouth.—M. WAUGH, Teacher.

Part II.—Sr.—Florence Lambert, Louise Dodds, Ernest McKercher, Frank Roberts, Harry Cook, Blanche Stapleford; Robert McLeay. Jr.—Edythe McDowell, Beatrice Cooke, Elgin Kersey, Rebe Bruce, Stanley Mitchell, Ula Higgins, Earl Roberts.—L. M. CAMERON, Teacher.

PRIMARY ROOM.

Class I.—Romano Thorne, Blanche Burton, Wesley Shepherd, (Willie Thorne and Frank McGillicuddy) equal, Opal Restorick, Franklin Potter, Harry Croucher, Gwendolyn Cook, Irene Graham, Family Graham, Stanley Bennett, Nettie Spalding. Class II.—Morna McWaters, Alie Drury, Dorothy Fowler, Esther McKercher, Frank McCormick, Margaret Irwin, Burton White, Keith Spackman, Jack McGillicuddy, William Fitzgerald, Rushton Seager. Class III.—Gladys Kersey, Evelyn Cooke, Verne Caughlin, Winnie Croucher, Burton Roberts.—MARGARET WYNNE, Teacher.

The Jewish population of New York city was 906,400 on January 1st, according to figures published in the American Hebrew. The same journal in 1902 computed the number as 600,000.

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A table of ten commandments is very widely circulated in Germany at the present time, and reads as follows:—

1. Never lose sight of the interests of your compatriots or of the fatherland.
2. Do not forget that when you buy a foreign product, no matter if it is only a cent's worth, you diminish the fatherland's wealth by just so much.
3. Your money should profit only German merchants and workmen.
4. Do not profane German soil, a German house or a German workshop by using foreign machines and tools.
5. Never allow to be served at your table foreign fruits and meat, thus wronging German growers, and, moreover, compromising your health, because foreign meats are not inspected by German sanitary police.
6. Write on German paper with a German pen and dry the ink with German blotters.
7. You should be clothed only with German goods and should wear only German hats.
8. German flour, German fruits and German beer alone make German strength.
9. If you do not like the Germans

malted coffee, drink coffee from the German colonies. If you chocolate coffee or cocoa for the children, have a care that the chocolate and cocoa are of exclusively German production.

"10. Do not let foreign boasters divert you from these sage precepts. Be convinced, whatever you may hear, that the best products, which are alone worthy of a German citizen, are German products."

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Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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SCHOOL REPORTS.

Report of S.S. N. 11, Brooke, for the month of January. Those pupils whose names appear without marks were absent from all examinations. Class IV.—Sr.—Alex. Fisher 80, Willie Lett 74, Jr.—Alex. McGregor 58, Eddie Brown 52. Class III.—Pearl McGregor 66, Gus Denning, Arthur Lee, Lizzie Doan. Class II.—Freida Smith 55, Gladys Clothier, Kenneth Clothier. Pt. II, Sr.—Georgie Brown 63, Mercie Doan. Ir.—Bert McGregor 68, Gladys Duffy 57. Class I.—Cecil Duffy 43. Average attendance 10.—SADIE M. LOGAN, Teacher.

Report for January of Matlock school, S.S. No. 10, Plympton.—Class IV.—Wesley Wright 77, Gladys Marriott 74. Class II, Sr.—Stella Marriott 64, Jr.—Lesley Marriott 51. Part II.—Andrew Gillyatly 60. Primer class.—Georgina Gillyatly 76. Absent—Ada Gillyatly.—L. S. BRVCK, Teacher.

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POINTED PARAGRAPHS.
 Are the friends you buy worth the price?
 And some men are sober only when money is tight.
 Anyway the fool is apt to be generous with his folly.
 Jealousy is but another name for ingrown self-esteem.
 Conservatism and rheumatism cause a man to make haste slowly.
 Probably a rose by any other name would have just as many thorns.
 Any man can darn socks, but it takes a clever woman to mend them.
 A woman cares not if her clothes are unbecoming, provided they are stylish.
 The woman who has occasion to forgive her husband never allows him to forget it.
 When a man is in love with a widow it's a sign she knew it long before he made the discovery.
 And there are people who never arrive at a conclusion until the undertaker is ready to take their measure.
 The young man who tells a girl during leap year that he could listen to her voice all the rest of his days takes desperate chances.
 A RECOGNIZED REGULATOR. — To bring the digestive organs into symmetrical working is the aim of physicians when they find a patient suffering from stomachic irregularities, and for this purpose they can prescribe nothing better than Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, which will be found a pleasant medicine of surprising virtue in bringing the refractory organs into subjection and restoring them to normal action, in which condition only can they perform their duties properly.

A little boy said to his mother the other day:—"Ma, am I a descendant of a monkey?" "I don't know," replied the mother. "I never knew any of your father's folks." The father, who was listening, went out in the coal shed and kicked the cat through the roof.
 As a matter of fact, most of our troubles amount to very little.
 The fellow who gets the reputation as being a ladies' man is seldom anything else.

HOW OLD PEOPLE
May Prolong Their Lives
 At an advanced age waste is more rapid than repair. The organs act more slowly and less effectually than in youth. The circulation is poor, the blood thin and watery, the appetite poor and digestion weak.
 We want to say to every aged person in this vicinity that Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron tonic (without oil) will prolong life. It creates an appetite, aids digestion and makes good blood. In this natural manner Vinol retards waste and replaces weakness with strength, giving new life to the worn system.
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How Disease May Be Communicated.
 A recent outbreak of diphtheria in the west was attributed by the medical authorities to the bad habit school children have of moistening their pencils with the tongue to make them write more smoothly and legibly. The pencils in themselves were found to be harmless when clean and new. But in many of the rural school districts pencils, pens, copybooks and slates are distributed to the children during lessons and collected again when school is dismissed for the day. Consequently no child is sure of getting the same pencil twice in two days.
 Johnny Brown gets a nice new pencil to-day and moistens it frequently in his mouth during the writing lesson because he finds it writes easier when the "lead" is wet. To-morrow Mary Hopkins gets that same pencil. She, too, moistens the lead in her mouth to make it write better. And that is how the dread disease is communicated from one child to another.

Cruelty to Animals in France.
 A society for the prevention of cruelty to animals has been organized in Paris, where no legislation on that subject has been passed since 1860. So long as the beast was not the property of the offender acts of cruelty against dumb animals could not be punished. According to recently published accounts, a man who had published a match and another who had been discharged from service and had taken revenge by tearing his former master's horses' eyes out were discharged by magistrates because the brutal men were not the owners of the tortured animals. The act under which the new society was organized provides that any person shall be punished who maltreats a dumb animal.

A Round of Gaiety.
 On the occasion of the visit of a traveling circus to a small town the juveniles of the neighborhood were in a whirl of excitement. The young son of a notoriously close-fisted farmer eagerly importuned his father for 25 cents with which to "see the circus." "What!" exclaimed the old man. "Twenty-five cents to see the circus, and here only last month I let you go up to Farmer Jones' field to see the eclipse of the moon! Young man, do you want your life to be one perpetual round of gaiety?"

Find the Beadle!
 Minister—"Aye, Mic, I've nae doot after yer long experience ye cood occupy the poopit for an afternunc yer sel', should there be need."
 Beadle—"Aye, sir, there'd be nae difficulty aboot that; but where in the whole parish wad ye find onybody able to undertake the duties o' beadle?"

Six In One Room.
 In London 900,000 persons are living more than two in a room and 26,000 persons are living six or more in a single room.
 Much distress and sickness in children is caused by worms. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator gives relief by removing the cause. Give it a trial and be convinced.

The man of few words doesn't have to take many of them back.
 Many a man puts on his Sunday manners with his Sunday clothes.

Doctors Condemn Oily Liniments
The Public are Warned to Be Careful of These Strong-Smelling Oily Liniments Containing Harmful Acids, Ammonia, Etc.

Many people have clung to the old-fashioned idea that a thick, greasy liniment is the best kind. Doctors say not—and they know.
 Recently a number of these white, oily liniments were analyzed, and they were found to contain an enormous high percentage of harmful acids, and such irritating chemicals as ammonia, etc. For the moment they may cause a warm sensation when first applied, but their continued use never cures rheumatism, and only deteriorates the skin, sets up inflammation and causes endless trouble.
 When a doctor warns you to quit using a white, oily liniment—do so. He knows that a thick liniment can't penetrate, can't sink through the pores and reach the seat of the pain.
 When asked his opinion a few days ago, Dr. Roberts stated that he considered a strong, penetrating, pain-subduing liniment such as "Nerviline," to be superior to any of the white, ammonia liniments. In his twenty-five years of practice he had witnessed cases of rheumatism, sciatica, and lumbago that simply would not respond to ordinary treatment—but "Nerviline" cured them. The same physician also spoke of the great advantages of keeping a preparation like "Nerviline" in the house always, because of cramps, diarrhoea, stomach disorders, earache, toothache, headache, and such minor ailments. "Nerviline" is a first-class cure. There is scarcely an ache or a pain, internal or external, that "Nerviline" won't cure. In thousands of homes no other pain-relieving medicine is used. Fifty years' continued success and the endorsement of the profession are proof that "Nerviline" is the liniment for the home.

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PUTNAM'S PAINLESS CORN EXTRACTOR

Charles S. Sheldon, of Leamington, lost a valuable young horse in a cruel manner. He runs a livery barn, and sent out a driver named Campbell with the horse. The animal lost a shoe and the man continued to drive the horse on the very hard and rough roads until the hoof was all worn off and the foot was bare. The foot then began to bleed and the flow could not be stopped, the animal dying from loss of blood.

Shiloh's Cure
 quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs. 25 cents.

Don't let repairs eat up your profits
 Whether they represent actual cash outlay, or only the time of yourself and your help, repairs are waste just the same. When you make an improvement—no matter how small its cost may be—let it be permanent. Then it is a real investment, something on which you can realize in cash should you decide to sell your property; and something that will pay you constant dividends in convenience, sightliness and comfort as long as the farm remains your own.
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INWOOD.

Mrs. Joseph Bishop attended the funeral of her aunt at Newbury last Tuesday.
The W. R. M. S. of the Presbyterian church met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Warner.
Mr. and Mrs. S. Loosmore were in London last week consulting a specialist about their daughter's eyes.
Mr. and Mrs. Johnston Vance were called to Thamesville last week by the death of Mrs. Vance's sister.
On Feb. 16th and 17th, for cash, you can buy cedar posts from McLeay, the lumber and coal dealer, at Watford, for 20 cents each.
The primary department of the public school was closed last Monday and Tuesday on account of the death of Miss Windover's youngest sister at Petrolia.
Mr. W. Kitchen has sold his residence and confectionery business to Mr. F. Loosmore, who will take possession in March. Mr. Kitchen has not yet decided where he will locate.
The sacrament of the Lord's supper was dispensed in the Presbyterian church last Sunday morning and seven new members united with the church, five by profession of faith and two by certificate.
The annual band concert held last Tuesday evening in the Orange hall was, as it always is, a decided success. The weather was perfect, sleighing good, and a large crowd as usual. Proceeds amounted to \$75.00.
The death occurred last Wednesday near Inwood of Mr. Alex. Deans, son of Mr. James Deans of this place. The funeral was held on Saturday, conducted by Rev. N. A. Campbell, and the remains were interred in the Alvinston cemetery.

NAPIER.

Dr. Elliott is renewing acquaintances in the village.
Everyone enjoyed the leap year hop at the hall Friday evening.
Mrs. O. R. Gough is spending a few days with relatives in London.
Roy Quick, Detroit, is spending a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Quick, merchant, Napier.
Mrs. K. Byron, Detroit, leaves on Saturday after spending two weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Dunlop.
Mrs. Julia McDermid, for many years a familiar figure in Napier, was taken to the house of refuge Strathroy on Thursday.
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The Literary Society met in the town hall, Monday evening, Feb. 5th, the chair was occupied by the President, Miss S. Anley Graham. The Secretary's report was read by Miss Cassie Bowlby. The "Literary Chronicle," the bi-weekly newspaper, was read by the editress, Miss L. Kadey. A debate followed on "Resolved that city life offers more inducements than country life." The affirmative side was led by Stanley Graham supported by Misses Cassie Bowlby and Lulu McLean, the negative by Albert Clothier supported by Misses Elva McIntyre and Reta Field. Some excellent points were set forth by both sides, all the speakers proving themselves able debaters. The judges were Mrs. K. Byron, Mrs. (Dr.) Sawers and Mr. Hector McLean, decided in favor of the negative side by one point. The critic's report was given and a program committee appointed for next meeting which will be held Tuesday, Feb. 20th. There will be a debate on "Resolved that the use of more time to manking the horse." Leader on affirmative side will be Fred McPhail, and on negative Arthur Field.

SCHOOL REPORTS.

Report for S. S. No. 4, Warwick, for the month of January. The names are in order of merit. V. Class—Charlie Phelps, Fred Graham. IV. Class—Vera Richardson, Jean Smith, Albert Cable, Mabel Tanton. III. Class—Freddie Cable, Rhea Smith, Amy Luckham, Lily Perry. II. Class—Archie Luckham, Addie Bears, Freddie Tanton. Part I.—Freddie Kenzie.—MARY McCORMICK, Teacher.
Report of S. S. No. 12, Warwick, for January. Names in order of merit: Class IV. Sr.—Lillian Morgan, Lily McLean, Mary Cameron, Ethel Hollingsworth. Class IV. Jr.—Mina Hollingsworth, Reta Pike, Earl McLean. Class III.—Amy Cameron, Jean Westgate. Sr. Class II.—Victor Westgate, Clarence Atchison, Valeria Routley. Jr. II.—Mabel Pike, Ola Routley. Part II.—Willie Hollingsworth, Gordon Westgate, Albert McLean. Class C.—Morgan Cameron, Sybil Routley, Milton Williamson, Verma Pike. Class B.—Irene Westgate, Amelia Pike. Class A.—Melvin Williamson, Nelson McLean, Melvin Routley.—M. J. LAMB, Teacher.
Report for the month of January, of S. S. No. 5, Plympton. Names in order of merit. IV. Class, Sr.—Eldon McPhedran, Alex. McPhedran, Myrtle Wark, Lillian Rankin, Bella Graham, Ruby Ramsey. Jr.—Marjorie Ramsey, Arthur Randall (absent). III. Class, Sr.—Maggie Simpson, Jessie Breton, Gusie Lampman, Daisy Simpson. Jr.—Stanley Morningstar, Donald Graham. Class II, Sr.—Geo. Simpson, Joe Kerr, Earl Randall. Jr.—Ruby Lampman, Winifred Pescock, Cora Alexander, Russell Kerr, Ino. Burr, Class I, Sr.—Kathleen Simpson, Freda Rankin. Jr.—Jim Alexander, Clarence Randall, Margaret Lampman, Velma Kerr, Clare Lawson. Average attendance for month 26.—E. LEACH, Teacher.

ARKONA

Miss Sarah Hilborne, of Theford, is the guest of Mrs. Wes. Lucas this week.
J. F. Dickson spent the past two weeks in Sarnia on business.
Rev. J. A. Baldwin is visiting his sister in Sarnia.
Beef scrap and beef meal to make hens lay.—Brown Bros.
Ray Eastman, of the C.P.R., at Walkerville, is home on a week's visit.
Miss MacDonald, of Parkhill, is visiting her cousin, Miss Sadie Sankey.
We understand that orders for five autos have been placed by local parties.
The post office transfer took place on Feb. 1st with Miss Julia Thoman in charge.
C. J. Ready is in Toronto on a business trip.
New spring goods are being opened out. Dress goods, wash goods, veils, prints, laces, etc.—Brown Bros.
Fruit growers all through this district fear that a tremendous amount of damage will be done to the trees by the unusually heavy frosts that have lasted so continuously for several weeks. Those who have peach orchards are especially apprehensive, as peach trees are susceptible to the cold, and it is feared that many of them will be much hurt if not killed. Young apple and plum trees are also expected to suffer.
T. W. Mitchell, Forest, called on Arkona friends on Wednesday last.
J. S. Gadd, Springfield, was in Arkona this week.
Fuller Bros. have sold their hardware dept. to Mr. Schmidt, Stratford. Mr. Schmidt arrived in Arkona on Tuesday.
Next Saturday is bargain day at Fuller Bros.
On Feb. 16th and 17th, for cash, you can buy cedar posts from McLeay, the lumber and coal dealer, at Watford, for 20 cents each.

A VALUABLE MEDICINE FOR YOUNG CHILDREN

Baby's Own Tablets are a most valuable medicine for infants and young children. They break up colds, expel worms, regulate the stomach and bowels, and in a natural way promote healthy sleep. They contain no injurious drugs and cannot possibly do harm. Concerning them Mrs. J. A. Rix, Ebbesfleet, P.E.I., writes: "My baby was troubled with her stomach but Baby's Own Tablets speedily cured her and now she is a bright, healthy child." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25c a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

LAMBTON LOAN'S RECORD YEAR.

Old Established Sarnia Company Has Assets of Nearly Three Million Dollars.
The 68th annual meeting of the Lambton Loan and Investment Co. at Sarnia on the 14th ult., showed that the business of the Company for the year exceeded any previous year in its history. The annual statement, read by the manager, Mr. J. H. Kittermaster, showed that the assets of the Company had reached the total of \$2,794,613. The profits for the year were \$79,513, out of which eight per cent. dividend was paid, and \$15,000 added to the Rest Fund and \$853.86 added to Contingent Fund.
The total amount of the Rest Fund is now \$585,000. This makes the reserve total seventy-five per cent. of the capital, making the Company one of the strongest in Ontario.
The confidence of depositors and investors is shown by the fact that during the year the deposits of the Company increased \$165,000 over the previous year, and now total \$910,000.
The meeting re-elected the same officers, viz.: L. Unsworth, president; N. S. Gurd, vice-president; J. H. Kittermaster, manager. The vacancy on the board of directors was filled by the election of Capt. John Scott, of Wallaceburg.

Warwick Liberals.

The annual meeting of the Warwick Liberal Association was held in the Town Hall, Warwick Village, on Friday evening, Feb. 2nd, when the following officers and committees were elected:
President—H. K. Laird.
1st Vice—Alf. Cox.
2nd Vice—William McRorie.
Sec.-Treas.—J. E. Collier.
COMMITTEES.
Division No. 1.—E. A. Edwards, E. Robertson, Jas. Spaulding, A. Laird, Sr., E. Sessions, B. Smith, R. Williamson, A. Harrower, B. Anderson, Robt. Edgar, Peter Cran.
No. 2.—John Kingston, John Cameron, D. Acton, John Williamson, W. Lambert, Robt. Leitch, D. Duncan, W. Smith.
No. 3.—John Wilkinson, Wm. McRorie, Fred Smith, T. Gavigan, W. Auld, D. Ross, P. Fleming, P. Ferguson, Mark Parry, E. Barrett.
No. 4.—R. Elliker, Geo. Brodie, Geo. Mathews, H. Morningstar, G. McFarlane, W. Minielly, D. McLaughlin, E. Maidment, D. Kernohan.
No. 5.—D. McLeay, W. H. Luckham, A. McKenzie, J. Campbell, D. Auld, A. Auld, J. Cates, C. E. Smith, T. McPherson, B. Paulds.
No. 6.—T. Eastman, F. Crawford, C. Smith, G. McPherson, Geo. Murray, D. C. Lane, D. Marshall, A. W. Augustine.
No. 7.—W. Parker, Robt. Watson, W. Hall, J. Wylie, D. Ross, Chester Orr, Geo. Baird, D. Edwards, John Aitken, W. Marshall, E. Cundie.
The first two names on each committee being Chairman and Secretary.
R. J. McCormick, M.P.P., and a number of others gave addresses, after which resolutions were passed expressing confidence in Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Hon. N. W. Rowell, leaders of the opposition at Ottawa and Toronto.

SWIFT BROS.

New Spring Goods 1912

All through our store spring seems to be written in large letters by the piles of new goods.

Case after case of crisp new spring materials have arrived during the past few days.

Anderson's Gingham, Zepthers,

fine dainty patterns embodying the newest designs in stripes and floral with also plain solid colors, all shades.

Our Special Prints we are showing in 48 patterns, blues, light and dark, splendid fast color, and is excellent value, 10c. yard.

Our Imported Cloth at 12 1/2c. is well up to the record and the large range of patterns were never daintier, the very best possible, 12 1/2c.

In Gingham, we are showing a range of Scotch woven, absolutely the newest and best cloth for dainty dresses, the patterns are par excellence, per yard 15c.

Shirtings, new patterns, a large range at 12 1/2c., 14c., 16c.

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Embroideries

Our first shipment of embroideries have arrived, flouncings, skirts, gings, allovers.

Swift Bros.

Stock Taking Sale
We're cleaning out our Winter Stock of Shoes
the stock we have left from fall and winter. They are not a lot of shoes bought for CLEARING purposes, the shoes are all good ones; in fact we don't sell any other kind. All discontinued styles and broken lines must go. We want to begin the spring season with Brand New Goods throughout. That's why we're selling cheap now. Don't let the sale slip by without providing yourself with at least One Pair of Shoes at Bargain Priced.
\$1.25 Felt Slippers for..... 98c.
\$1.40 Felt Shoes for..... \$1.08
\$1.75 Felt Shoes, leather foxing for.. \$1.39
\$2.00 Felt Lined shoes for..... \$1.63
65c. Fancy Turkish Slippers for..... 50c.
Cash Paid for Butter and Eggs.
P. DODDS & SON.

Prevention of Eye Trouble Is Better than Cure
All Trouble may be avoided by Properly Fitted Glasses. See CARL A. CLASS, the Jeweler.

WANT COLUMN.

COOK-HOUSEKEEPER wanted. Wages \$5.00 per month.—A. C. EDWARD, Petrolia, Ont.
A CAR of choice cedar posts suitable for stabling, just to hand. See the posts and get the price. Apply to Wm. WILLIAMSON, Watford.
Any person wanting 200 handles made will please leave the timber at Hollingsworth Bros.' warehouse or down at my shop.—JAS. CRAIG.
LADY'S neck fur found on 2nd line on Sunday, Jan. 28th. Owner can have same by applying to J. E. COLLIER, 2nd line, and paying for this adv.
FOR SALE—2 Shorthorn bull calves. Also a number of heifers. Show proposition, easy terms. Apply JAMES WILEY, Lot 30, Main Road, Watford. 12-31
CARD OF THANKS—The family of the late Hugh Letch wish to express their sincere thanks to the friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy at the time of their bereavement.
A HOUSE, lot and stable in Watford for sale at a very low figure. Do not miss this chance. A great bargain. Several other properties in Watford for sale cheap. Considerable money to loan on mortgages. Apply to W. E. FITZGERALD, Barrister &c., Watford.
FOR SALE—Comfortable six room house on Rachel street, Watford. Soft water inside and plenty of good hard water, frame stable, chicken pen, good coal and wood shed, etc. All in good repair. Apply to HILLIARD WILLOUGHBY, Watford. 12-31
LEHIGH VALLEY COAL will not burn free and clean like some coal, but it is harder, will last longer, and give more heat than any other coal on the market. Try a ton now. You can then judge for yourself re future supplies. R. C. McLeay is the only dealer for Watford and vicinity. d22-1d
Dr. Warner Cornell, the well-known eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, of Port Huron, will resume his visits to Watford, and will be at the Roche Hotel on Friday afternoon, March 22nd, when he can be consulted on all diseases of those organs. Glasses properly fitted, if

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to 1. George V., Chap. 26, Sec. 53, that all persons having claims against the estate of John Clarence Lambton, Physician, who died on or about the second of January, 1912, are required to send or deliver to the undersigned solicitors for the estate, on or before the twenty-fourth of February, 1912, full particulars of their claims and the nature of the security (if any) held by them, and after the said date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate, having regard only to the claims of which they then shall have notice.
ELIZABETH ALLD, Executrix.
ROBERT ALLD, Executor.
By COWAN & TOWERS, Watford, Ont., their Solicitors.
Dated this 26th January, 1912. 12-31

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to 1. George V., Chap. 26 and Amending Acts, that all persons having claims against the estate of the above named deceased, who died on or about the fourth day of January, 1912, are required to send or deliver to Cowan & Towers, Watford, Ont., or before the first day of March, 1912, their names and addresses with full particulars of any claim and the nature of the security (if any) held by them, duly verified, and that after the said date the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate having regard only to such claims and shall not be liable to any person of whose claim notice has not been received.
Dated this second day of February, 1912.
THOMAS KIDD, } Executors, by
JOHN ALEXANDER KIDD, }
COWAN & TOWERS,
Watford, Ont.,
Their Solicitors.
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The Dominion Canners have decided to erect a much larger factory in Ridgewood than they anticipated, 250 acres of tomatoes have already been contracted for.

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ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS OF THE INDUSTRIAL MORTGAGE AND SAVINGS CO.

Splendid Achievement in all Departments of the Company's Business.

New Issue of Stock and a Wider Field for Investments Decided Upon.

The twenty-second annual meeting of the shareholders of the Industrial Mortgage and Savings Company was held in the office of the Company on Friday, January 26th, 1912, at 2 p.m. Among the shareholders present were—Alex. Chalmers, Hugh Nickells, Robert McNaughton, Jno. Wardrop, Duncan McDonald, Rev. J. J. Patterson, M. McGugan, W. Armstrong, Jno. T. Fuller, G. A. Proctor, A. R. McKay, W. G. Willoughby, B. Rooper, J. Ross Geddes, Donald Sutherland, W. G. Moorehouse, J. B. Simpson, Jno. Cowan, Wm. Powell, Peter Grant, Samuel Smith, Rev. Jno. Morrison, W. G. Hall, Peter McPhedran, C. Armstrong, Jno. McFarlane, Geo. Boulton, Jno. Moody.

The Company were never in better shape. During the past year money has been plentiful and it has required great efforts on the part of the management to keep it all invested, even although a larger volume of investments have been made than in any previous year, as appears by the statement, no less a sum than \$380,935.74 having been invested during the year, and in no case has there been any investment made where there was any doubt about the security. The directors again thank the manager and his staff for their efficient labors during the past year. The business of the Company has as heretofore been carefully audited. All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN COWAN,
President.

Sarnia, January 11th, 1912.
Mr. John Cowan, in moving the adoption of the following report of the Directors with the financial statement for the year was considered.

Financial Statement for the Year Ending December 31st, 1911.

CASH ACCOUNT.	
RECEIPTS.	DISBURSEMENTS.
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1911. \$ 11,983 84	Loans during year. \$ 380,935 74
Paid on stock. 1,339 45	Deposits. 693,598 63
Repayments on loans. 335,176 18	Deposit Interest paid. 310 78
Deposits. 724,317 12	Expenses. 5,837 85
Debitures. 276,736 58	Rent of office. 400 00
General interest. 1,362 10	Dividend Jan. 2, 1911. 16,538 13
Withdrawn from Traders' Bank. 822,550 67	Dividend July 2, 1911. 16,568 06
	Taxes, Ont. Gov. 174 79
	Municipal Taxes. 331 50
	Debitures. 203,648 76
	Debitures, Int. Paid. 16,720 77
	Registration. 130 00
	Commission on loans. 292 25
	Traders' Bank Deposits. 828,955 14
	Cash on hand. 10,014 54
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PROFIT AND LOSS.	
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June 30th, 1911. \$ 8,716 67	General Interest. 1,362 10
Dec. 31st, 1911. 9,330 41	
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Paid. 310 78	
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Taxes, Ont. Gov. & Municipal. 506 29	
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Registration. 130 00	
Rent of office. 400 00	
Expenses. 5,837 85	
Commission on loans. 292 25	
Carried to Rest Acct. 11,784 07	
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BALANCE SHEET.	
RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans. \$1,861,521 55	Stock paid up. \$ 510,900 00
Office Furniture. 500 00	Rest Account. 203,943 59
Balance in Traders' Bank. 51,855 93	Deposits. 691,622 35
Cash on hand. 10,014 54	Deposit Interest. 21,531 08
	Debitures. 470,564 31
	Debiture Interest. 8,730 02
	Dividend due Jan. 2nd, 1912. 16,600 00
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We hereby certify that we have audited the accounts of The Industrial Mortgage and Savings Company for the year ending December 31st, 1911, and find the same correct and in accordance with the above statement. We have examined the Cash and Bank Accounts and Vouchers, and have carefully checked every item of the Company's ledgers, and we have examined the Company's securities and find them in order.

A. B. TELFER,
HENRY INGRAM, } Auditors.

Sarnia, January 11th, 1912.

REPORT.
To the Shareholders of the Industrial Mortgage and Savings Company:
Your directors respectfully submit for your consideration and approval the report of the Company for the last year, 1911.
The business of the Company during the past year has been of an entirely satisfactory character, and such as to enable the directors to present to you a report which they trust will meet with your entire approval.
During the year the assets of the Company have increased upwards of \$140,000.00, making the assets at the present time within \$80,000.00 of the Two Million Dollar mark. The general business of the Company, as appears from the Statement, has been greater than any previous year, and the profits have been correspondingly greater.
After meeting the expenses of the Company and paying the half-yearly dividends to the shareholders, your directors have been able to carry to the Rest Account \$11,784.84, making the total Rest \$203,943.59, as the directors intimated to you in their last statement that they hoped such an outcome of the business of 1911 would accomplish.
As heretofore the properties on which the Company hold Securities have been well under the careful supervision of the Manager of the Company, and your Company is pleased to report, that so far as your directors can ascertain, the assets of

the Company were never in better shape. During the past year money has been plentiful and it has required great efforts on the part of the management to keep it all invested, even although a larger volume of investments have been made than in any previous year, as appears by the statement, no less a sum than \$380,935.74 having been invested during the year, and in no case has there been any investment made where there was any doubt about the security. The directors again thank the manager and his staff for their efficient labors during the past year. The business of the Company has as heretofore been carefully audited. All of which is respectfully submitted.

Then let us look at the Rest Fund. Last year we had a rest fund of \$192,159. This year we have a rest fund of \$203,943. That is a very good increase, especially when that increase was made out of earnings. We have had no way of making money but by actual work and careful management. No increase from any other source than by good management and care. And during the time we have been in existence we have acquired a Rest Fund to an amount equal to 40 per cent. of the paid up capital stock. It is not necessary to look upon this Rest Fund as an additional security but a further means of increasing the assets of the shareholders of the Company. Look at our investments during the past year. We have invested \$380,935. That is a large amount of money for a Company of this size to invest in a year. We have turned over in this office no less a sum during the past year than \$2,174,456. A development of this kind brings about changes of conditions that the Directors have to face. There are two such changes, one of which the Directors had to consider during the past year. The Company having developed in such a way that we have the entire confidence of the public and in this way a large amount of money has come into our hands to invest, and instead of our having too little funds, our trouble during the past year is that we have had more money than we could get out. We pay depositors by way of deposits and debentures what we consider to be as good a rate as any institution in the County of Lambton. We believe it is in the interest of the Company to do so. Our belief heretofore has been justified by the results of the operations of the Company. We have found that every progressive, up-to-date Loan Company are investing its surplus funds in the West. We found upon investigation that their operations are most satisfactory. This led us to think, "Is there any reason why we could not do the same?" We found that good loans could be placed on farm lands, improved farming lands at a good rate of interest, and they would not expect more than 40 per cent. of their value. Now take for instance the part around the city of Edmonton, where they do mixed farming as we do in Lambton. There is no doubt but that we could invest in that locality monies giving us 60 per cent. margin on a very conservative value. The lands are good. They farm as we do. We will have 60 per cent. of a margin. We can get a rate that will justify us in going there and making a personal inspection. We made investigation in two other places. We as directors have decided that there isn't any reason why we should not invest our surplus money on farm lands in the West. The Directors recommend that the shareholders of this company approve of the policy of the Directors in this regard. You must remember that we do not intend to cease investing in Ontario. We do not intend to turn aside a single good mortgage in Lambton or where we have been investing, but our recommendation is that surplus monies be invested in the Northwest on the security that I have mentioned.

Then there is just one thing more that circumstances have brought about by reason of our deposits. It has become necessary for us to issue some more stock. We have decided to the extent of \$25,000 be put on the market, \$15,000 for the old shareholders and \$10,000 for the general public, at a premium of 37 1/2 per cent. We can raise our dividend from 6 1/2 to 7 per cent. within a year, which will give the shareholders a splendid return on their investment. In no case have we issued a second allotment of stock at the same as we issued on a previous occasion and we would not in the interests of the shareholders be justified in doing so. Since we last issued stock we have had to the Rest Fund over \$60,000, notwithstanding increased dividends, and that the shareholders have the benefit of that \$60,000.

I have nothing further to say with the exception that the management of this firm has been carried on with equal satisfaction, if not greater satisfaction than any year during the past. The increased volume of business will call soon for more help.

I think it a privilege to thank on this occasion the Manager and help of this Company for the efficient way in which they performed their duties. I am pleased to move the adoption of the twenty-second report of this Company.

Mr. Geo. Proctor seconded the motion for the adoption of the Report and after he had spoken to the motion and Rev. Jno. Morrison, Mr. Malcolm McGugan, Mr. J. Ross Geddes, Mr. Peter Grant, Mr. William Armstrong, Mr. J. W. Simpson and Rev. J. J. Patterson had expressed satisfaction with the Report and endorsed the policy of the Directorate the motion was unanimously adopted. The following resolution on motion of Mr. M. McGugan, seconded by Mr. A. R. McKay, was adopted: "That having regard to the difficulty in keeping the monies of the Company all invested in Ontario and the loss that is occasioned by not doing so to the Company, and to the fact that all other progressive companies are now investing monies on mortgages on lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, and believing it would be to the advantage of this Company to do so, Be it resolved, that the Board of Directors of the Industrial Mortgage and Savings Company are hereby authorized, directed and empowered to make investments on mortgages in the said provinces, and if they deem it advisable to take out licenses therefor." The retiring Directors, viz., Wm. McDonald, M. McGugan, W. G. Hall, Byron Stephens and Donald Sutherland, were re-elected, and Henry Ingram and A. B. Telfer were re-appointed Auditors. A hearty vote of thanks was tendered the Manager and staff for efficient services. At a subsequent meeting of the Board John Cowan, K.C., was appointed President and W. G. Willoughby and John McFarland 1st and 2nd Vice-Presidents respectively.

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Parisian Sage BANISHES DANDRUFF OR MONEY BACK

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A Delightful And Refreshing Hair Dressing.

People who desire to preserve the hair can gain some valuable information from the following:
Have your own brush and comb at home and at hair dressers.
Never use a brush or comb in public places, they are usually covered with dandruff germs.
Wash your hair brush once a week with soap and warm water to which is added a disinfectant.
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Use PARISIAN SAGE every day, rubbing thoroughly into scalp.
PARISIAN SAGE is guaranteed by T. B. Taylor & Son to destroy dandruff germs and abolish dandruff, or money back.
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General Manager.....E. F. HENSON
Paid-up Capital.....\$6,000,000
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Deposits Nov. 30, 1911.....63,494,680
Assets Nov. 30, 1911.....81,928,960
168 BRANCHES IN CANADA
General Banking Business transacted, SAVINGS DEPARTMENT at all Branches. Deposits of \$1.00 and upwards received and interest allowed at best current rates.
Watford Branch - F. KENWARD, Manager

THE INDUSTRIAL MORTGAGE & SAVINGS CO. SARNIA, ONT.

The Annual Report of this Company for 1911 records another year of splendid achievement in all departments of the Company's business as the following increases over 1910 will show:—
ASSETS INCREASED ABOUT.....\$140,000.00
LOANS ".....135,405.00
VOLUME OF BUSINESS.....129,000.00
DEPOSITS AND DEBENTURES.....135,000.00
REST FUND.....11,784.00
The evidence of strength, progress and prosperity which the Report contains must secure an earnest recommendation of the Company from all who have had business dealings with us in the past and we count on hearty co-operation for accomplishing greater results in the future, if you are not a shareholder, depositor, or debenture holder now is the time to get in right.
JOHN COWAN, K. C., President. D. N. SINCLAIR, Manager.

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A Lot of Lines to be Sold at Less Than Cost. Come and See Our Prices.

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R. G. KELLY, M. D. Watford, Ont. OFFICE—MAIN STREET, formerly occupied by Dr. McLeay. Residence Front St. East.

THOS. A. BRANDON, M. D., WATFORD, ONT. FORMERLY OF SARTIA GENERAL HOSPITAL and Western Hospital of Toronto.

CIVIL ENGINEER. W. M. MANIGAUPT, ONTARIO LAND SURVEYOR AND CIVIL ENGINEER. Box 800. STRATHROY, ONTARIO

DENTAL. GEORGE HICKS, D.D.S., TRINITY UNIVERSITY, L.D.S., ROYAL College of Dental Surgeons. Post graduate in Bridge and Crown work, Orthodontia and Porcelain work.

G. N. HOWDEN, D.D.S., I.D.S. GRADUATE of the Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario, and of the University of Toronto.

Veterinary Surgeon. J. MCGILLICUDDY, Veterinary Surgeon. HONOR GRADUATE ONTARIO VETERINARY College.

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STAGE LINES. WATFORD AND WARWICK STAGE LEAVES Warwick Village every morning except Sunday, reaching Watford at 11.30 a.m.

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The wonder-working paste in the big can. In fact, "Black Knight" is the biggest can of good stove polish on the market.

Artificial Sponges. There is now to be had an artificial sponge which is the outcome of German ingenuity. The process of making it consists principally in the action of zinc chloride on pure cellulose.

Her Account. "I should like to open an account at this bank, if you please." "We shall be glad to accommodate you, madam. What amount do you wish to deposit?"

HAIR HEALTH. If You Have Scalp or Hair Trouble, Take Advantage of This Offer. We could not afford to do so strongly endorse Rexall "93" Hair Tonic and continue to sell it as we do, if it did not do all we claim it will.

J. W. McLAREN, WATFORD. It REACHES THE SPOT—There are few remedies before the public to-day as efficacious in removing pain and in allaying and preventing pulmonary disorders as Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil.

THE "BABIES' QUEEN."

Elena's Motherliness Not Concentrated on Her Own Children. While Italy's Queen—the tall, girlish-appearing Elena—shines in society, it is noted for her charity work and takes not a little interest in all kinds of healthful sport, it is as a mother that she holds first rank in the hearts of her loyal and loving subjects.

Shiloh's Cure

One hundred thousand placard bearing the words "Beware hatpins" are being distributed broadcast in Montreal. It is the first step in a movement to abolish the modern feminine dagger.

Remarkable Bamboo Bridge. In Java the government engineers have recently constructed a road bridge more than 100 feet long, with a central span of over 60 feet, entirely of bamboo.

In the Land of Contraries. Old women, not young, are the idols of Chinese society. Elderly men fly kites and play ball, while the children look quietly on.

CORNS CURED IN 24 HOURS. You can painlessly remove any corn, either hard, soft, or bleeding, by applying Putnam's Corn Extractor. It never burns, leaves no scar, contains no acids, is harmless, because composed only of healing gums and balms.

Agriculture in Rural Schools.

If evidence were needed to show the practical benefits derived from teaching agriculture in rural schools, some recent information given out by the Department of Agriculture at Washington will supply it. In March, 1907, Prof. Benson, of that department, sent out a circular to 31 schools in Iowa, asking these questions:—How many boys above the fifth grade expect to be farmers when grown to manhood, and how many of the girls when grown to womanhood expect to have something to do with the farm home and rural life?

Was Fading Away

"I think it should be the duty of the schools to teach children how to keep well," writes Miss Nannie E. Naydon, a well-known and highly esteemed resident of Bristol.

FARM FOR SALE. THE UNDERIGNED OFFERS FOR SALE THAT desirable situated farm known as the east half of Lot 19, Con. 4, S. & E. R., Warwick, consisting of 100 acres.

FARM FOR SALE. 100 ACRES, BEING WEST HALF OF LOT 24, Con. 2, Township of Plympton. The land is good rich soil, good orchard, 20 acres of good bush.

FARM FOR SALE. SITUATED ON THE WEST SIDE OF WATFORD. Contains 55 acres, suitable for fruit raising. New buildings, young peach orchard and other fruit.

Largest School. During the past year the London Business College enrolled more students than any other Business School in the city. There's a reason. Seven Colleges. Largest training in Canada. Thirty years experience.

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IS LAZINESS A DISEASE?
To Be "Born Tired" is Not at All Impossible.
There is at least consolation, if not hope, for the sinful wight whose friends are accustomed to fling the reproach at him that he was "born tired." For that is precisely what is the matter with the majority of seemingly able-bodied individuals who are accused by the world of being lazy. The physiologist has sought for the sources of the disease and he has found that congenital laziness—that which is obviously not wilful—has an organic and a mental origin. A complete examination of a series of so-called idlers has discovered that there was a lack of tonicity in the whole system, that the heart-beats were weak, that the arterial pressure was low and that the circulation was generally of the slackest. A consequence of this is that the brain showed not so much an indisposition as a real incapacity for concentrating attention and soon, owing to the fact that its nourishment was at the vanishing point, became exhausted. Even persons of great mental and physical energy are given to indulgence in spells of idleness which they themselves are unable to explain, since their inclination does not tend toward waste of time. At such periods they will find that the circulation of the blood has dropped from its normal activity, or else, certain areas of the brain and body are not being supplied with the normal quantity of blood.

The common man cannot, at will, regenerate the energies he has just expended. His organism cannot (of his own will) transform the quantity of energy received into an equal quantity of freed energy, for, in the normal man, efficient or workable energies circulate in the body, are gradually placed in reserve in the tissues and constitute the greatest part of his organic or working energies. But the love of work and activity is an acquired tendency rather than a natural one, for the human tendency is toward the line of least resistance.

Catching Suckers.
An old French curiosity dealer has found a new snare for the guileless amateur. He put in his window five dolls dressed in vaguely medieval clothes. Collector No. 1 came in and asked to buy one of them. The dealer could not divide the lot, as they were a valuable set, representing the Five Senses. After long persuasion the amateur at last carried one off at a very low price.

Collector No. 2 followed. Could he have one of the dolls? "Out of the question, sir—a most valuable set, representing the Four Seasons." After more long persuasion, and at a still longer price, one of the dolls was sold.

When amateur No. 3 called, the three dolls were the Three Graces, a most valuable set, which could not be divided. By offering an enormous sum he carried off one of them.

Amateur No. 4 called and wanted to buy one of the two dolls. What was monsieur actually proposing? The two dolls were Adam and Eve, sculptured and dressed by some forgotten medieval artist. The pair could not possibly be parted. The collector eventually carried off Adam for a gigantic sum. Amateur No. 5 called and asked "How much for that curio? Evidently an odd one of a set." "An odd one of a set!" screamed the dealer. "It is a unique piece. Does not monsieur perceive that it represents Agnes Sorel, the favorite of Charles VII?" and the amateur secured the unique piece for a fabulous amount.

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Happy Mr. Tatcher.
Nothing that her husband was unusually talkative at tea, Mrs. Tatcher asked him the reason for it.
"Well," said Tatcher, "I am happier to-day than usual, and the reason is I did three good things on my way to business to-day. I was walking down the main street when I saw a young woman with a baby sitting on a church step weeping. Being touched by her appearance I asked her what was the cause of her distress."
"Oh, sir," she said, "I have walked six miles to have my baby baptized, only to find I have lost my purse."
"I told her that was a small matter, and, handing her a sovereign, told her to get the child baptized and bring me the change afterwards, which she did. So you see, Mary, I did three good deeds. I performed an act of charity, started a little child on its way in life, and got fifteen good shillings for a bad sovereign."

Clever Way of Catching Monkeys.
In tropical countries the natives have many unique ways of catching monkeys. One of them, as explained by a traveler, is this: The hunters walk about in short boots in sight of the monkeys. Then they take the boots off, place some gum in the bottoms and leave them on the ground, withdrawing themselves to a great distance. Presently the monkeys come down from the trees and try on the boots and when the hunters come after them the boots stick to the feet of the monkeys and they are unable to climb. Thus the imitative little animals are captured.

Engagement Rings.
The custom of giving engagement rings ranks back to long before the Christian era. With the ancient Egyptians engagement rings were always of iron, to indicate the mutual sacrifice of liberty of the contracting parties. One of the very earliest adornments of betrothal rings was a loadstone, which symbolized the attractive force which drew a maiden from her own family circle into that of her husband. It is believed that the fourth finger has always been the bride's ring finger.

Remarkable.
"Chiggsworth admits that he gets seasick every time he happens to be on a boat in rough weather."
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Appearances are deceiving. An officer of the San Francisco Society for the protection of children, rescued a "child" actress from a local theater. When a birth certificate, showing that she was 32, was presented, proceedings were discontinued.

Holloway's Corn Cure destroys all kinds of corns and warts, root and branch. Who, then, would endure them with such a cheap and effectual remedy within reach?

A London man feels so strange out of prison that he deliberately broke a street lamp the other day to get back in. His plan succeeded, for the magistrate gave him two months' "hard."

"Father," asked Johnny, "what is the difference between farming and agriculture?" "Well, my son, for farming you need a plow and a harrow and other implements, and for agriculture all you need is a pencil and a piece of paper."
A curfew law for husbands is advocated by Robert B. Glenn, formerly governor of North Carolina. "The man who stays away from his family at night is the most contemptible creature on earth," he said. "I wish we had a law that would make every husband stay at home from 8 o'clock in the evening until 6 o'clock the next morning."

Some men are so used to making money all week that it's really a kindness to let them take up collection in church on Sunday.
A Boston man wants a divorce because he didn't discover until after they were married that his wife had false teeth. He could not have been a very ardent suitor, as only real teeth can survive the average period of engagement.

Housework Drudgery
Housework is drudgery for the weak woman. She brushes, dusts and scrubs, or is on her feet all day attending to the many details of the household, her back aching, her temples throbbing, nerves quivering under the stress of pain, possibly dizzy feelings. Sometimes rest in bed is not refreshing, because the poor tired nerves do not permit of refreshing sleep. The real need of weak, nervous women is satisfied by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.
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Barley, per bush.....	65 75
Peas, per bush.....	75 75
Beans, per bush.....	1 50 1 75
Timothy.....	4 50 7 00
Clover Seed.....	8 00 11 00
Alfalfa.....	8 00 10 00

PROVISIONS—	
Butter, per pound.....	28 28
Lard.....	15 15
Eggs, per doz.....	30 30
Pork.....	8 00 8 50
Flour, per cwt.....	2 50 3 25

MISCELLANEOUS—	
Wool.....	2 25 3 00
Tallow.....	6 6
Hides.....	8 10
Wood.....	18 20
Hay, per ton.....	14 00 14 00

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—	
Potatoes, per bag.....	1 25 1 35
Dried apples per lb.....	06 04

POULTRY—	
Turkeys, per lb.....	18 20
Chickens, per lb.....	9 10
Ducks, per lb.....	14 15
Geese, per lb.....	10 11

LONDON MARKETS.	
Wheat.....	\$0 88 to \$0 88
Oats, cwt.....	1 45 to 1 50
Peas.....	1 00 to 1 10
Barley, cwt.....	1 50 to 1 50
Butter.....	0 29 to 0 30
Eggs.....	0 83 to 0 85
Pork.....	8 50 to 9 00

TORONTO MARKETS.
Toronto, Feb. 6.—Receipts at the Western cattle market to-day are very light, with only 52 cars, consisting of 730 cattle, 215 sheep and lambs, 500 hogs and 142 calves. Although the deliveries are very light, this does not appear to affect the prices for choice stuff. Common cattle are not in demand, and are off from yesterday considerably. Good cattle are selling at their real value and are in splendid demand. Sheep and lambs are more active than yesterday. Lambs took a rather brisk rise shortly after the opening, and a few sold as high

as \$7.40, with the average selling from \$6 to \$7.25. Hogs show no change whatever, although the receipts look more promising.
Butcher cattle, medium 5 25 to 5 60
do., common 3 75 to 5 00
Butcher cows, choice 4 75 to 5 50
do., medium 4 25 to 4 50
do., canners 2 00 to 2 50
do., bulls 4 75 to 5 25
Feeding steers 4 75 to 5 30
Stockers, 800 to 900 lbs 4 25 to 4 70
do., 550 to 600 lbs 3 00 to 3 50
Milkers, choice, each 50 00 to 55 00
Springers 45 00 to 60 00
Sheep, ewes 4 00 to 4 50
Bucks and culls 3 00 to 3 75
Lambs 6 00 to 7 30
Hogs, fed and watered 6 60 to 6 60
do., f. o. b. 6 25
Calves 3 00 to 8 00

East Buffalo.
East Buffalo, Feb. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 400 head; active and firm. Veals—Receipts, 150 head; active and 50c lower, \$5.50 to \$10.25. Hogs—Receipts, 4,000 head; active and steady; mixed, heavy, yorkers and pigs, \$6.70 to \$6.75; roughs, \$5.90 to \$6; stags, \$4.50 to \$5.50; dairies \$6.50 to \$6.75. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 7,000 head; active; sheep steady, lambs, 5c lower; common lambs slow; lambs, \$3.50 to \$7.20.

Entrance Exam. Fee.
Higher education and higher education fees are apparently coming together. Public school inspectors have received a circular from the Department of Education at Toronto, announcing a new schedule of examination fees. Most striking in these changes is the innovation of a \$1 fee for high school entrance. Heretofore there has been no charge for the entrance examination, but commencing this year an assessment of \$1 will be levied on each pupil trying the examination. The senior High school entrance, the higher toronto High school entrance and examination for admittance to the Collegiate Institutes, taken by pupils who have taken several years at a continuation school, will now be \$5. The fees for all other examinations save that of entrance to the normal schools have also been boosted. A comparative table of the old and the new fixed fees for the examination is:

	New.	Old.
High School entrance.....	\$ 1	\$
Junior matriculation.....	8	5
Partial matriculation.....	3	2
Honors or scholarship matriculation.....	10	5
Entrance to Normal school.....	5	5
Entrance to faculty of education.....	8	5
(Part I. or II.).....	5	3

The increase in the fees is for the purpose of preventing candidates unprepared for their examinations trying them for the mere sake of trying.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.
Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Education held in their Board room on Friday, Feb. 2nd, 1912, at 7 p.m. Present—Col. Kenward, chairman, E. D. Swift, Dr. Hicks, P. J. Dodds, J. W. McLaren, John White and S. W. Louks.
The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and confirmed.

HIGH SCHOOL.
Communications were read from John Dalziel, County Clerk, advising that the County Council had appointed Samuel W. Louks a member of the Board of Education for three years; James Newell two years, and Edward D. Swift one year.
From Olive M. Stuart, asking for a refund of \$2.00 on her Normal Entrance fee.
The former communication was received and filed.
Swift—White, and carried, that we refund \$2.00 to Miss Olive Stuart, the amount being paid by her on Normal Entrance examination.

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White—Swift, and carried, that the account of J. W. McLaren for \$9.05 be paid.
Dodds—White, and carried, that on account of the continued absence of Mr. J. B. Wynne from Board meetings that the Secretary be instructed to ask him for his resignation from the Board.
PUBLIC SCHOOL.
Dodds—McLaren, and carried, that we confirm the action of the Board in accepting Miss Wynne as a substitute for Miss Hume during her absence.
A communication was read from the Public School Board, Petrolia, advising that they had appointed our Principal, Mr. Shirapnell, their representative on the Entrance Board of examiners.
McLaren—White, and carried, that we appoint Principal R. J. Campbell, Petrolia, as our representative on Entrance Board of examiners.
Dodds—Louks and carried, that we procure our High School supplies from T. B. Taylor & Sons for the current year.
Dodds—Hicks, and carried, that we procure our Public School supplies from J. W. McLaren for the current year.
Board adjourned.
D. WATT, Secretary.

Chatterton to reconsider his resignation as constable, and to act until further arrangements are made.—Carried.
Hawn—Johnston, that Reeve communicate with several town officials re permanent pavements and correspond with contractors as to probable cost.—Carried.
Doan—Hawn, that we request our representative, J. E. Armstrong, M.P., to do all in his power to obtain for us a building to include a post office, customs office and inland revenue office as well as armories, and that Reeve communicate with him to that effect.—Carried.
Finance committee examined accounts and recommended payment.
T. Dodds, hardware account..... \$ 1 03
Ed. Pearce, supplies Boyles..... 75
H. Kelsey, wood for lockup \$1.00, draying Soc., engine to fire \$1.00..... 3 10
N. Chatterton, salary as constable to date..... 21 00
Geo. Chambers, carting earth..... 1 00
Geo. Chambers, electric light for January \$9.50, lumber account etc..... 68 15
F. J. Hughes, auditor's salary..... 10 00
W. H. Shirapnell, auditor's salary..... 3 75
Postage and stationery 50c..... 10 50
T. Glean, shovelling snow, Buchner \$2.00 Howard \$2.25..... 3 75
W. E. Fitzgerald, expenses Petrolia re McPherson..... 1 30
D. G. Parker, repairs lock-up and lock..... 2 15
Sidney Smith, shovelling crossings..... 1 10
Mary Lewis, rent Boyles..... 2 00
A. J. Weight, lighting fires and cleaning hall..... 50
T. B. Taylor & Sons, rent hall re local option..... 8 00
Oscar Cook, rebate business tax..... 2 00
Doan—Hawn, that accounts be passed and Reeve grant his order.—Carried.
Hawn—Doan, that we adjourn.—Carried.
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Good, red blood is the chief controller of every action; the source of all the energy you possess. It builds up every substance of your muscles, nerves, sinews and flesh. It removes the waste and poisonous products constantly created in your body, which, if allowed to remain set up disease and weakness of every kind. Good blood gives energy and vitality to the nervous system, besides regulating the function of the stomach, intestines, liver, kidneys and other organs of the body. Briefly, on the purity and richness of your blood the health of your body depends.

Often the blood begins to fail and becomes thin and poor in quality. It becomes loaded with waste matter and charged with poisons. Then it is that the motive power of your bodily workshop goes wrong, your physical machinery becomes disorganized and you fall ill. You become anemic; maybe the wheels break down and you begin to suffer from indigestion, neuralgia, general debility, severe headaches, pains in the back or side, rheumatism, or even paralysis.

In all failures of the blood Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are the best known remedy. These pills actually make new blood, which brings health and energy to every part of the body. Thousands and thousands of people, not only in Canada, but all over the world, testify to the truth of this statement. The following is a bit of proof. Mrs. Fred Stricker, jr., Moosefield, Ont., says: "A few years ago I was a physical and nervous wreck. I had pains throughout my whole body. I had no appetite and my stomach felt as if there was a big lump in it. The least exertion would make my heart beat violently, and I would be attacked with trembling spells, and such a weakness that my breath would come in gasps. I was under a doctor's care for two months, but got very little relief. I then tried other remedies, but with no better results. Finally I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and this was the first medicine that reached the root of my trouble. After taking the pills a few weeks I was much better, and by the time I had taken ten boxes I was entirely recovered. I now always keep the pills in the house and if I feel the least worn out take an occasional box and feel all right again."

"Sold" by all medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

WATFORD COUNCIL.
Watford, February 5th, 1912.
Regular meeting Council. Members present—Reeve, Johnston, Doan and Hawn.
Auditors presented their report.
Minutes of former meetings read. There being no objection Reeve confirmed same.
Hawn—Doan, that we receive Auditor's Report and that Clerk get the usual number of copies printed.—Carried.
Johnston—Hawn, that we grant Oscar Cook rebate of \$2.00 on business tax, he not being in business.—Carried.
Hawn—Doan, that Council ask Mr.

MARRIED.

At the home of Mrs. Gammon, Forest, on Wednesday, Jan. 31st, 1912, by the Rev. R. Stevenson, of Watford, Miss Jewel E. Bell, of Forest, to Mr. Fred H. Dupre, of Detroit.

On Wednesday, Jan. 24th, 1912 at St. John's Rectory, 254 Wellington St., by Rev. T. G. Newton, Charles Hugh Gordon to Charlotte Lever, both of Paris.

DIED.

In Petrolia, on Thursday Jan. 25th, 1912, Emma, beloved wife of Henry Mann.

In Petrolia, on Thursday, Jan. 25th, Alex. Knight, in his 25th year.

Frederick Quance, the unfortunate old man who had his feet frozen in Bosanquet and was taken to Sarnia hospital, has died in that institution.

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We have one each of several lines of hand bags ranging in prices from \$1.25 to \$5.00, and to clear these out now for Cash we are offering them at a

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