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## LOCAL HAPPENINGS

**Eggs wanted at Swift's.**  
Wheat \$1.10, oats 40c, eggs 23-24c, butter 40c.

W. E. Fitzgerald was in London on Monday on business.

Miss P. J. Petty of Guelph, is visiting her niece, Mrs. C. C. Leigh.

I. J. Hastings made a big shipment of wagon axles to Winnipeg last week.

Miss Annetta Landon, Ottawa, is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. H. W. Nixon.

Have you seen the new Wall Papers, it is no trouble to show you.—P. Dodds m23-2t

Dorothy Dalton will be presented at the Lyceum next Thursday in "The Siren Call."

Petrolia baseball players will not enter the Lambton League but will form a town league.

Life would be easier if with a four-cylinder salary we did not have a six-cylinder idea of living.

Mrs. M. Temple, London, spent a few days last week with Mrs. J. Temple and other friends.

Perrin-Kayser—Silk Gloves and hose.—A. Brown & Co.

Mr. G. R. Temple, Cochrane, spent the weekend with his uncle Mr. J. Temple and Mrs. S. Smith.

Some men are born fortunate, others achieve fortune, and some have hard coal thrust upon them.

Mr. Bert Taylor of Guelph spent a few days this week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Taylor.

This old fashioned winter linked up with a new fashioned price for coal makes a pretty bad combination.

Monarch Knitting Yarns, all shades and qualities.—Swift's.

I remember, I remember, a happy day, how gone, when hard coal was considered dear at seven dollars a ton.

The melancholy days have come, the saddest of the year; we've eaten all our canned preserves and fresh fruit isn't here.

Dr. McGillicuddy received word Tuesday that his brother, Dr. James McGillicuddy, Lansing, Mich., is critically ill.

Our Easter shoes are all here. Call in and let us show you the very latest styles. The prices will please you.—P. Dodds 23m-2t

Bring the kiddies to the Lyceum Tonight (Thursday) to see "The Top of New York" which has a wonderful appeal to children.

The person who contributes something "just to help fill the paper," should call around and take a look at the waste paper basket.

The New Bertha Laces, six patterns.—Swift's Easter Display.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Harrison, Petrolia and Mr. H. Madden, Abbotsford, Mich., were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Aylesworth.

The saying that Cleanliness is next to Godliness is illustrated by the Saturday night bath coming just before the Sunday morning church.

If your storage battery is "dead" are you stalled? Not if you have a Ford, the car with a magnet. Buy yours early.—Ray Morningstar. d23

Six volumes of the Cyclopaedia of Applied Electricity and some miscellaneous volumes have been presented to the Public Library by Mr. F. W. Mahony.

Open today Bachelor Suits with 2 pair trousers—Art Kraft—four styles.—Swift's Easter Display.

Main street pavement had a good cleaning up this week, drain basins and all. There was a big accumulation of dirt gathered during the winter to be carted away.

The weather man is showing his spring samples. The wholesale millinery houses are also displaying their spring wares. Both are changeable and apt to give one a chill.

Are you putting stamps on receipts for ten dollars or more? And if so, are you cancelling the stamps? Either omission may involve you in a police court case and a fine.

Mr. W. H. Luckham brought into town Monday and sold to W. W. Edwards two seven months old calves which tipped the scales at 1780 pounds. They were shipped to Toronto.

Wednesday, according to the calendar, was the first day of Spring. The weather here was mild and bright with light southeast wind. This is said to predict an early Spring.

The services at Calvary and Watford Baptist churches next Sunday, the 25th inst., will be at 3.00 and 7.00 p.m., as usual and will be conducted by Mr. Russell F. Anderson.

The Young People's Society of the Watford Presbyterian Church will give the comedy "Blundering Billie" in the Lyceum, Thursday and Friday, April 12th and 13th. Reserve this date and enjoy a good evening.

Wilton, Axminster, Brussels and Tapestry Rugs placed in stock this week.—A. Brown & Co.

All members of Peabody Lodge No. 99, I.O.O.F. are requested to be present Monday evening, March 26, at the regular meeting.—L. Harper, Sec.

The new dress buckles, bertha lace in gold and silver, cream and white.—Swift's.

Mr. Fred Landon, chief librarian, London Public Library, will address the Reading Club, Friday evening, in the Public Library basement on Canadian Authors and Canadian Literature. All interested are welcome.

J. W. Bengough, well known Canadian crayon and chalk artist, who gave a performance in Watford last year, recently suffered a stroke and will not be able to give any more entertainments.

Call in and see our Wall Paper and let us give you figures on that room you will be surprised.—P. Dodds 2t

Lieut.-Col. W. A. McCrimmon, director of the cadet service in this military district since 1912, has been transferred to District No. 2, the senior district. Lieut.-Col. Gillespie of Kingston will succeed him on April 1st.

For Men—Suit made to your measure from highest grade all wool British worsted—blue, black grey or fancy. \$36.00.—A. Brown & Co.

The Farmers' Co-operative store has moved to the store lately occupied by W. R. Earley on the west side of Main street. Their old site will be occupied by W. H. Brown, plumber, who has purchased the building from Sterling Saunders.

The death occurred on Monday last at her residence, Rachel street, Watford, of Elizabeth Carter, wife of Thomas Saunders, aged 74 years. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at St. James cemetery, Brooke, Rev. J. H. Hosford conducting the service.

Nifty Easter Dresses in silk, serge and canton crepe.—Swift's Easter display.

Miss McGregor, Travelling secretary of the Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church in Canada will deliver an address on Friday evening, March 23rd, at 8 o'clock in the Presbyterian church. All are cordially invited to hear Miss McGregor's address.

Part III of the Watford Voters' List for 1922 has been printed and posted up in the usual places. This list contains the names of women voters and is the one that will be used at the provincial election to be held this year. If interested see that your name is properly recorded.

Smart styles in Easter millinery.—A. Brown & Co.

The Sarnia Observer's report of the Masonic dance held in that city last week says: "Among the visitors which included many from outside the city, was Rich. Williamson of Watford, district deputy grand master, who entered into the festivities and addressed the dancers during the supper hour."

A goodly number of members of all denominations took supper with the ladies of the Presbyterian church at the home of Mrs. T. G. Mitchell on Friday March 16th. The rooms were decorated in green, the Shamrock being much in evidence. The waitresses were dressed in white with green. An excellent hot supper was served. Proceeds \$51.80.

Our patent oxford and strap slippers with suede trimming and our satin slippers are the very newest and very reasonable in price.—P. Dodds. m23-2t

A visitor inquired of his host's little son, "Do you go to school now?" "Yes sir!" "And what do you learn—reading, writing and sums?" "Oh, yes, and I learn religion, too." "Religion?" "Yes, I learn the religion that teaches that we all come from Adam. But my elder brother is in a higher class; he learns the religion that teaches that we all come from monkeys."

Church financial reports are a good barometer of the times, for if money is tight and unemployment is rampant, it does not take long for the church reports to reflect such a condition. Judged on that basis the splendid financial statements presented by the churches of this and other towns lately reflected a very pleasing state of affairs for in nearly every instance they show greater revenue than a year ago. A very healthy state of affairs in thus revealed.

A special purchase of Easter Coats for Misses and High School Students the price \$12.50 to \$15.75, city stores ask more.—Swift's Easter Display.

The Lake View hotel, Grand Bend, has been purchased by an American syndicate who will erect a 200 room hotel on the site.

Prof. A. Laurie, a massage artist, residing on Albert street, London, poured carbolic acid on the back of Stirling S. Tobias of Petrolia on May 8 last when Tobias was taking treatment at his office, and the mistake cost Laurie \$1,200 and costs, according to the verdict of the Supreme Court jury, which discussed damages for one hour Tuesday morning before bringing in a verdict. Tobias asked for \$3,000 damages.

The New Congoileum patterns now in stock. The smallest mat to largest rug.—A. Brown & Co.

Jazz and late hours are not good for the student who is backward in his or her duties; the staff at the Sarnia Collegiate has decided, and is recommending to parents that girls and boys whose studies do not show evidence of normal application and progress, be permitted to take no part in dancing and other social activities either inside or outside the school.

When you buy a Hats Hat it is a good hat.—Swift's.

The county of Lambton municipal and legal directory for the year 1923 has just been published and is being distributed to county and other officials by sheriff A. J. Johnston. This publication, authorized by the county council, contains much valuable information regarding county business, names of officials, dates of court sittings, etc. This is the 24th year of publication.

**LANTERN PICTURES.** Beautiful slides of "Across Canada" in Home Mission Work, will be shown in the Cong'l Church on Sunday evening, following the regular church service. It is Home Missionary Sunday and a special offering for Home Mission work will be taken up at the conclusion of the pictures. The pictures will commence shortly before 8.30 p.m. Friends from other churches will be in time after their own church services. All are welcome. The regular services as usual at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m., the pastor, Rev. T. DeCourcy Rayner, will preach at both services.

Young Men's Snappy Suits ready to wear for Easter.—Swift's.

The March meeting of the W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. T. G. Mitchell, Wednesday evening, March 14th. Present, Mrs. Hamptries, in the chair, meeting opened by singing the Institute Ode. Roll call was answered by 27 members on St. Patrick, four visitors were also present. The Canadian Home Journal was donated to the Public Library to be laid on the table. The members appointed to represent the Women's Institute on the Cemetery Board are Mrs. T. G. Mitchell, Mrs. P. J. Dodds and the President, Mrs. Wm. Howden gave a good reading entitled "Aunt Susan's Social Ambitions", also a solo by Miss Cameron. Mrs. Harry Mihell of Strathroy, gave a very interesting talk on her trip last year to Oberammergau, Bavaria, and telling of her travels and also taking in the Passion Play in that place, her talk was very much appreciated by all present. The singing of God Save the King brought the meeting to a close after which home-made candy was served.—Sec.

The new Camisole lace, 60c complete.—Swift's.

**SALE OF BAKING**  
Lambton's 149 I.O.D.E. will hold a sale of home made baking on Saturday at 4 p.m. in the former Farmers' Co-operative Store. Come early.

**ODDFELLOWS DANCE & EUCHRE**  
A dance and euchre will be held in the Armory on Thursday, March 29, under the auspices of Peabody Lodge No. 99, I.O.O.F. Music by Petrelia orchestra. Dancing from 9 to 2. Refreshments. Tickets \$1.50 a couple.

**BIG TENNIS DANCE**  
Keep the date open, Thursday, April 5th. The Tennis Club is putting on a dance with Petrolia's Six Piece orchestra supplying the music. Every one welcome. The proceeds go towards building two new tennis courts west of the Armory. Come and help the young people of the town take a step forward in athletic activities. Tickets couple \$1.00, extra lady 50c.

**CANADIAN FORESTERS'**  
A meeting of members of the Canadian Order of Foresters will be held in the C.O.F. Hall, Watford, on Friday evening, March 23rd, at 8 o'clock, to discuss the proposed raise in assessment rates. A number of the Legislative Committee of the High Court will be present and give full information concerning the proposal and answer all questions relative to the same. Representatives from Arkona, Warwick and Brooke have been invited to be present. As this matter vitally concerns the finances of the Order every member should endeavor to be present.

**"SAY IT WITH PEONIES"**  
At a recent meeting of the executive of the Watford Horticultural Society it was decided to make the Peony Watford's Emblematic flower—it is a flower of ancient lineage having been brought to a high state of perfection in China—The Flowery Kingdom—over 2000 years ago. Our soil and climate are well adapted for its growth, a strong feature in its favor is that once planted it is practically permanent and with only moderate attention will go on increasing in size and beauty from year to year—when not in bloom it is as ornamental as a shrub and is not subject to injury by insects.

The Horticultural Society purpose importing from Holland a shipment of roots this fall—better results are attained by planting in the fall—and it is hoped that every householder will give an order for at least one or two roots and in a few years our village will be noted for its Peonies and thus attract visitors to see the peonies when in bloom. Watford even now is often spoken of as being one of the neatest and most attractive villages of its size in Canada. Nowhere you go will you see such well kept streets and boulevards backed by attractive homes and well attended lawns, but still there is plenty of room for further improvement.

The Horticultural Society will do what they can, with the limited means at their disposal, to beautify some of the unsightly public places, but for the rest it largely rests with the individual, and surely in a place where over 90 per cent of the people occupy their own homes, it ought not to be hard to create a spirit of friendly rivalry as to who will have the most attractive surroundings. The officers of the society will always be pleased to give all the assistance in their power in the laying out of grounds and advice as to the varieties of trees, shrubs, and flowers most suitable for planting and by ordering through the Society, you will be sure of getting them at a lower price than if ordered in any other way. The Horticultural Society are offering very generous premiums and it is hoped everyone will make it a point to become a member and thus help along a worthy cause.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 23, 1923

#### NOTE AND COMMENT

The Kincardine Review asks: Is there anything being made today that would last for three thousand years if stored in a tomb?

In the Ontario legislature there are 55 government supporters and there are 26 Liberals, 26 Conservatives and 3 Independents making another 55.

A new kind of home brew is called radio. The first drink fills a man with static, and the next one starts him broadcasting.—London Advertiser.

Even down in Quebec, Steel Company stock salesmen got huge sums. Some day people will learn that stock bargains worth buying are never peddled from door to door.

If we are to judge from the pictures in the papers, Canada's "beauties" have nearly all come to the conclusion that "pants" are more becoming than skirts.—Orillia Packet.

Brockville Recorder:—London, England, churches are about to inaugurate sweetheart services. Not a bad idea if they intend to have the lights dimmed so that each party can hold out the hand of brotherly love to one another without being observed too much.

The Ontario Legislature spent some time on Monday discussing where St. Patrick was born, whether in Ireland, Wales or Scotland. They are all wrong. He was born in Italy. Anyway, whether he was born or just grew, it makes little difference and if alive now he would be ashamed of the carrying on at present in the green isle. As for our learned legislators at Toronto they could spend their time to better advantage studying provincial economy.

You'd smile, too, if you could see what we do," was the reply of a Kincardine choir girl, when her attention was called by one of the members of the congregation to the amount of laughing going on among the warblers. No doubt she is right. The choir girls must see some funny things. We know they do from what she tells us. So when you are tempted to sleep and let your head flop around like a hen with a broken neck, think of the poor choir girl, who needs the sermons more than the comedy.—Kincardine Reporter.

London Free Press: The whole principle of the Ku Klux Klan is contrary to the spirit of British institutions. It is a government within a government, a secret order which proposes to take upon itself the task of enforcing the law over the head of the recognized channels of law enforcement. No matter how well intentioned were the founders, or are the leaders of such a movement, it is easy for its members to get out of hand, as has already been discovered in certain places in the United States. If the Americans think a Ku Klux Klan is necessary as the best means "to enforce the white man's law and the white man's ideals" Canadians have no objection. However, people under British rule have a different conception of "the white man's law and the white man's ideals."

When the smooth-tongued gentlemen who peddled gold-bricks to our grandfathers passed away, the art of bamboozling the public did not die with them. Nowadays the grandsons of these impostors do not handle fakes so crude and obvious as the gold brick. Equally glib, they are many times more up-to-date in their methods of filching the savings of more honest but less quick-witted people. If a man tried to sell a farmer a brick that had been gilded to look like gold he would have to run faster than the farmer's dog to get away whole. But if he tried to talk him into investing into some scheme that, upon sane reflection, lacked even the possibilities of a brick for holding the door open, he might be asked to stay for supper, and leave with a wad of hard-earned cash that would never find its way home to that farm again.—Farmers' Sun.

In 1919 the debt of this Province was \$97,000,000. Today it is \$240,000,000, and this is some increase to face. We remember passing Hon. Pete's farm in Hay Tp. once, and we must admit that while we admired it for a tidy, nifty place, we never dreamed that Pete would develop into such a spendthrift.—Kincardine Reporter.

The resolution of the Kent Motor Club in favor of a "no speed limit" motor vehicle law has points in its favor. Under the present law a driver may be very reckless and be well within the speed limit. Under the law as it appears to exist in Quebec, and which has recently been adopted in Manitoba, the onus is placed squarely on the driver to exercise due precaution in accordance with varying conditions. Every motorist knows that there are times when a speed of forty miles an hour is absolutely safe and sane, while at other times a speed of five miles is criminally careless if not actually vicious. The great objection to the proposed change is that there are many drivers who imagine themselves smarter than other people, and who consider it an evidence of cleverness to handle a car at high speed in dangerous conditions. To look down from the "Twentieth Plane" and see the driver of the car in the hands of the police would be poor satisfaction to the person killed by the speed maniac.—Ridgetown Dominion.

#### SPRING WEATHER HARD ON BABY

The Canadian Spring weather—one day mild and bright; the next raw and blustery is extremely hard on the baby. Conditions are such that the mother cannot take the little one out for the fresh air so much to be desired. He is confined to the house which is often over-heated and badly ventilated. He catches cold; his little stomach and bowels become disordered and the mother soon has a sick baby to look after. To prevent this an occasional dose of Baby's Own Tablets should be given. They regulate the stomach and bowels, thus preventing or relieving colds, simple fevers, colic or any other of the many minor ills of childhood. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co. Brockville, Ont.

#### Blats' Diary

By Ross Farquhar

Friday—well the younger set to whom I belong give a nother party with a dance attached and we had a very good time considering everything. I thot this wood be a good chance to go & make up with Jane on acct of are last falling out recently so I tuk and ast her if she wood like to have a dance with me. I diddent no weather she wood refuse me or not. Well she diddent refuse me naxkly. In so many wirts. She only just looked at me and sed Ha ha ha ha.

Saturday—Mrs. Starge cum over this evening to borry are salt and pepper. They never by any thing out side of can goods hardly. Pa says that if they wood ever lose ther Can opener they wood pritty near starve to death.

Sunday—Mrs. Gillem has got the swell head pa says. She was down here today and we got to talking about things to be thankful for and she sed she was thankful that evrybody was not rich and well off because if they was she woodent have nobody to be thankful she was better off than.

Monday—Lots of Xcitement in town today. Sum man went and run off with Joe Pains wife and his ottomobel. Right away he sed no 1 cud do that and get by with it so he offered a reward of 300\$ for the capture and return of his ottomobel.

Tuesday—8 oclock and no supper yet at are house. Ma is mad. She overherd pa talking to Blisteres pa. He ast pa if his wife spent as much money as she use to formerly and pa sed No. He ast how he accounted for the fact and pa sed he gess it was because ma lays in bed later in the morning here of lately. So they had a few wirts. But pa never got to use his. Consequently no supper to eat on are emty stumick.

Wednesday—The preacher was at are house today and he was laffing at the way sum people does. He is a good sport. He sed he met a fellow down town today who haddent never red the Bible and he thot the 10 Commandments was sum kind of military xercise.

Thursday—Teacher balled me out today. I got to talking in the class and finely she yelled at me & sed Am I the teacher or are you, meaning me. I replied and ansered Well I gess I am not the teacher. Then she sed scornishly. Then dont be acting like a Idiot then. Sum of the kids laffed but I kep my dignity intact.

#### BUSINESS AT POSTOFFICES IN LAMBTON GIVEN

The report of the postmaster general for the year ending March 31st, 1922, was issued a few days ago. Among other useful information it gives the gross revenue of the 12,247 postoffices in the Dominion. The revenue of each of the 34 postoffices in Lambton was as follows:

| Accounting Offices     |          |
|------------------------|----------|
| Alvinston              | 3832.51  |
| Arkona                 | 1759.72  |
| Becher                 | 264.16   |
| Brigden                | 2651.46  |
| Cairo                  | 273.42   |
| Camlachie              | 1169.14  |
| Copleston              | 193.15   |
| Corunna                | 1085.80  |
| Courtright             | 1925.86  |
| Forest                 | 6849.37  |
| Florence               | 1511.98  |
| Inwood                 | 1793.51  |
| Mandaamin              | 366.04   |
| Mooretown              | 1413.73  |
| Oil City               | 330.31   |
| Oil Spring             | 2109.87  |
| Petrolia               | 14272.11 |
| Point Edward           | 1709.02  |
| Port Lambton           | 1207.25  |
| Sarnia                 | 62814.23 |
| Sombra                 | 1594.53  |
| Theedford              | 2991.66  |
| Wanstead               | 703.37   |
| Warwick                | 234.79   |
| Watford                | 6212.65  |
| Wilkesport             | 276.62   |
| Wyoming                | 2835.13  |
| Non-Accounting Offices |          |
| Aberfeldy              | 135.80   |
| Bickford               | 223.85   |
| Edy's Mills            | 169.35   |
| Glen Rae               | 100.50   |
| Port Frank             | 126.00   |
| Ravenswood             | 179.40   |



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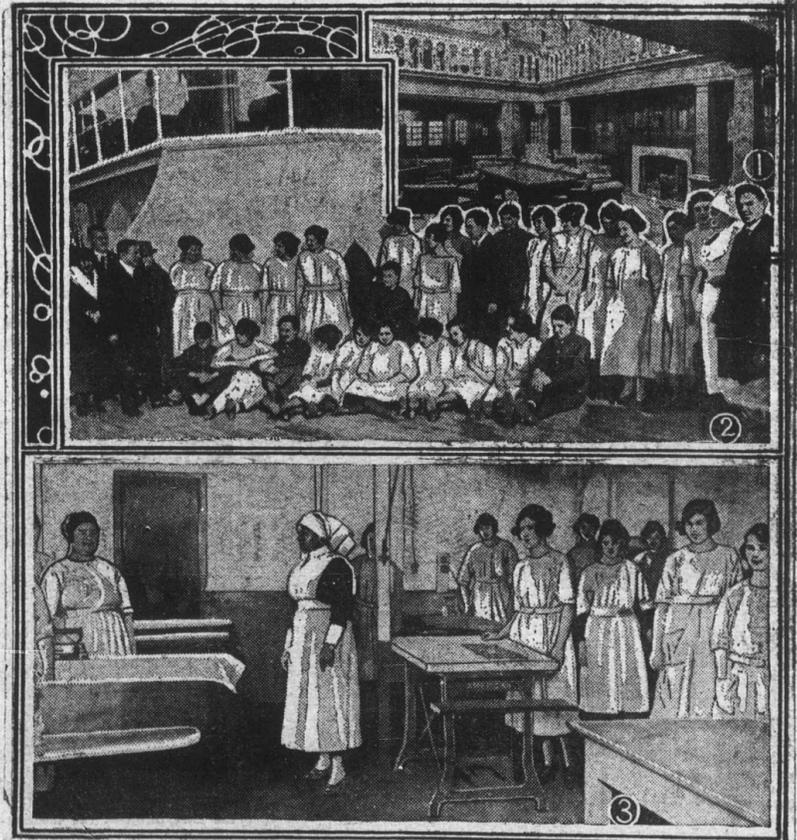
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Internal parasites in the shape of worms in the stomach and bowels of children sap their vitality and retard physical development. They keep the child in a constant state of unrest and if not attended to, endanger life. The child can be spared much suffering and the mother much anxiety by using a reliable worm remedy, such as Miller's Worm Powders, which are sure death to worms.

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#### AN ELECTRIC LAUNDRY ABOARD SHIP



(1) A first-class smoking room on the "Empress of France."—(2) A group of the laundry staff of the same liner.—(3) Corner of the finishing department.

It has been said that the modern ocean liner is a floating hotel, and this is probably the best description that can be given. A modern hotel is a city in itself, and a modern ocean liner of the type of the Canadian Pacific "Empresses" is certainly no less. When a couple of thousand or so of passengers are cut off from land to spend a week or more on the ocean, they must have every convenience and comfort that land can provide. The ship must be self-sustaining in every particular. In this respect Canadian Pacific ships are as complete as modern invention can make them, and whether their trips extend for one week, or six weeks as does the cruise of the Mediterranean which the "Empress of France" made this winter, or even for three months as in the case of the cruise around the world to be made by the "Empress of Australia" this year, nothing is lacking to ensure the complete happiness of all on board.

As an instance of the way in which modern liners are equipped, the newly installed laundry of the "Empress of France" is well worth comment. It cost \$25,000 and its complete plant and large staff of workers make it probably the finest of its kind afloat. In addition to the large amount of work undertaken for passengers at shore prices, it deals with 100,000 pieces of ship's linen per week. This new department is under the management of G. Dawe, junior, who controls its staff of six men and thirty women. Three washing machines form part of the equipment, and one of these, the largest ever fitted to a liner, is capable of dealing with 3,000 pieces of linen at a time, each piece being subjected to the entire washing process without removal. There is also a huge ironing machine which will iron and dry sheets at the rate of 400 per hour after they have been passed through a power wringer. This machine is operated by a team of nine girls. The higher class of laundry work is done by skilled ironers with press machines and electric irons, while shirts and collars, etc., are starched and finished by machines specially fitted for the purpose. All the machinery is electrically driven, and there are elaborate electrical controls for starting, stopping and regulating the machines. In the case

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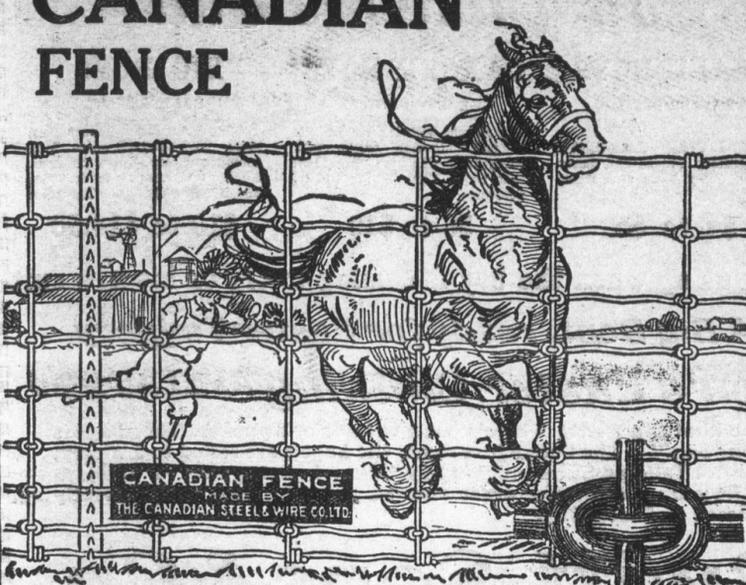


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### ALVINSTON

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. met at the home of Mrs. G. A. Hadden on Thursday afternoon. Roll call was answered with a poem on "Guidance." Mrs. Zavitz gave an interesting paper on "Railway Work" and Mrs. Chalk gave a talk on the work of the "Travellers Aid."

The Literary Society of the local high school dramatized the Shakespearean play "Macbeth" on Friday and Saturday evening of this week in the Parish hall, and was a decided success and the manner in which it was carried out reflects great credit on those taking part and making it such a successful enterprise. The leading parts, that of Macbeth and Lady Macbeth, were taken by Mr. Appleton and Miss Dolbear.

Miss Jessie Livingston has returned home after visiting with relatives in Detroit.

Mrs. Willisie of Belmont spent a few days this week with relatives in town.

Mr. George Mitchell is spending a few days with relatives in Detroit.

Mr. L. Welch attended the funeral of his sister in London last week.

Miss Lorna Luckham spent the weekend with relatives in town.

Everyone reads the "Guide-Advocate Want Column" on page 4.

### INWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Dawson returned home after spending the winter months touring South America.

The Public Library Board have purchased about forty new books which are now placed on the Library shelves.

Miss Etta McLaughlan is visiting in Detroit.

Mr. John Dawson of Sarnia spent the weekend at the home of his father, Mr. Richard Dawson.

Mrs. Robert McEachern spent Tuesday the guest of Mrs. Wm. Munro.

Mr. Ernest Smith and family left for London on Wednesday where they intend making their home for the present.

Miss Anna Armstrong is visiting friends in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barrett and family spent Sunday at Mr. Jas. Barrett's, Aberfeldy.

Mr. Jas. Vosburg of Bridgen spent Thursday last with his daughters, Mrs. Clayton Johnston.

Mrs. Mitchell Walker of Toronto visited Mrs. R. J. Richardson last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Carroll were in town last Monday.

Wm. Leitch was on the sick list last week.

Mr. Lloyd Kinmball of Detroit spent the weekend the guest of his grandmother, Mrs. Lyle Kinmball.

Mr. John Robinson has sold his house and lot on Moore street to Mr. Wm. Wade of this place.

Mr. Robert Elliott of Florence spent Sunday at the home of his uncle, Mr. Richard Dawson.

The monthly meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. A. Trowhill on Thursday, March 27th at 2.30 p.m.

Mrs. E. Flannery is in Oil Springs with her grandmother, Mrs. Marchbank, who is ill at her home there.

The friends and acquaintances of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Poland were shocked to hear of the death of their little daughter Velma, who passed away on Sunday following an operation. Mr. and Mrs. Poland, at one time residents of this place, moved to Bridgen a few years ago.

We are sorry to report Mr. S. A. Rielly is seriously ill at his home.

### THE LATE MRS. J. P. MacVICAR

The community was shocked on Friday last when the news was broadcast that another citizen of Inwood, (formerly of the township of Brooke) in the person of Mrs. J. P. MacVicar, had passed away, death being due to heart failure.

Deceased was well and favorably known throughout the community and her loss will be felt greatly by all. She was born at Cairo, on July 5, 1867, and was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. H. McKeown, former residents of the township of Euphemia. Throughout her life she was a member of the Presbyterian church and was associated with all good work. Up until three years ago she resided with her husband on the third concession of Brooke, after which they moved to Inwood where they made their home. She leaves to mourn the loss of a loving wife and mother, her husband, three sons and three daughters: Jean, wife of Dr. J. A. Patterson of Toronto; Gertrude E., and Effie M., at home; Neil S. of Ferris Institute, Big Rapids, Mich.; Dr. J. M. of Port Huron, John W., of Dominion Business College, Toronto, and also one brother, J. Y. McKeown at home.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. A. McVicar of Inwood, on Monday afternoon, interment taking place in Alvinston cemetery, being largely attended, while the floral tributes were beautiful.

### FOREST

The Spring Horse Show will be held April 26th.

R. J. Vincent has sold his dry goods stock to Wm. E. Freese of Schromberg, who gets possession about July 1st.

Arthur G. Ross and family have returned to their home here after spending the winter in Detroit where Mr. Ross had a position in the printing business. He is now at work on his fruit farm.

Mrs. P. G. Bromley has returned to her home here after spending the winter in Toronto with her brother, D. A. McKellar. Mrs. Blain and Miss Matheson, who occupied A. G. Ross' house during the winter, have taken up their residence with Mrs. Bromley.

C. P. Ouellette of Forest, has again been appointed by Libby, McNeil & Libby, of Chatham, to secure land in this section for cucumbers for pickling purposes. He wants a larger acreage than usual.

Miss Peggy Bridgeman who leaves in a short time for her former home in England, has been the raison d'etre of a couple of jolly parties during the week. Her high school and public school friends gave her a surprise party at the home of Mrs. J. D. Livingston, when she was presented with three books. Miss Noreen Middleton made the presentation, while Miss Marjorie Jennings read the address. Another evening the Busy Bees class of the Presbyterian church met at the home of their teacher, Mrs. Will Laurie, when Miss Peggy was presented with a camera by Miss Claire McKindsey and Miss Ivy Fraser on behalf of the class.

William Addison, a former resident of Bosanquet Township, died in Thornloe, Ont., at the home of his son, Peter, and the remains were brought to the home of his son William, of Forest. The funeral services took place Wednesday morning in the Catholic church, with interment in Beechwood cemetery. Mr. Addison was 77 years old and was born in Westminster. He moved to Bosanquet when a young man and carried on a successful threshing business in addition to his farming operations. His wife, who was Miss Ellen Rose, of London, predeceased him in 1915. Five sons and two daughters survive, all of whom were at the funeral. They are George, of Sarnia; William of Forest; John of Caledonia; Roy of Detroit; Peter of Thornloe; and Mrs. L. Campbell of Caradoc; and Mrs. Peter Cayley of St. Marys.

### PETROLEA

Four drilling rigs are now in operation in Petrolea and vicinity. They are busy drilling for new oil wells.

Although there is still a chance of Petrolea entering the proposed baseball league with Sarnia, Strathroy, Watford and Forest, the proposed organization of a town league appears to be the most popular for the Petrolea baseball fans. The league will probably contain four teams, Ebancoos, Main street, Taxis boys and perhaps Marthaville. Unless Petrolea discovers another pitcher it is altogether likely they will play a town league series and stage a few exhibition games with outside teams.

Word was received of the death on Monday of another old-time Petrolea driller in the person of J. A. Newton at San Leonards, Cal. Mr. Newton was well-known and has drilled in Egypt, Australia, New Zealand and other countries for many years. He is survived by his wife and three children, Roy, Kate and Ethel, all at home here.

The high school literary society held another successful meeting on Thursday afternoon. The meeting opened with a chorus "O Canada", by four pupils of the school. After the business in regard to the high school play was settled, Harold Mclean delighted the society with a cornet solo. Then followed a chorus by the glee club entitled "The Lass that loves a Sailor." Misses Eva and Hazel Koehler played a piano duet. The main part of the program was an address on "Ideals," by F. H. Gilroy of the Bank of Nova Scotia.

"The Spare Period," the school paper, was then read by the editor, Park Steadman. It contained editorial comment on the play, school gossip, feature stories on Paris and the discovery of the North Pole, also humorous and sport stories. Miss McGugan gave a very favorable critics report and the meeting closed with "God Save the King."

Fraser Ross, the agriculturist who has been working in Lambton county under the agricultural department has left to accept a permanent position in Fort William. Mr. Ross is a young graduate of Guelph agricultural college and has a host of friends in town. He belonged to last year's Petrolea intermediate rugby squad and is popular among rugby fans. Mr. Ross' advance in position is considered well deserved as he has been very active along agricultural lines in Lambton county.

A. C. Edward's estate has disposed of the timber on the Morrison lot on the 8th line to Mr. Bogue of Strathroy, who will immediately start to cut.

**FOR BETTER HEALTH CONSULT**  
**DR. A. C. ANDERSON, D.C.**  
 Chiropractic a Specialty  
 Watford Office, over Mr. Rogers' Grocery Store  
 Monday, Wednesday and Friday 9 to 11 a.m.  
 New patients please come early m9-tf

**EXECUTORS NOTICE**  
 Notice is hereby given that creditors and others having claims against the estate of Alfred Williams, late of the Township of Warwick, in the County of Lambton, Farmer, deceased, are to send in full particulars of such claims together with the nature of security (if any) by mailing them to Cowan & Cowan, at Watford on or before the Thirtieth day of April 1923, and after the said date the executors will proceed to distribute the estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have received notice.  
**COWAN & COWAN,**  
 Solicitors for Executors  
 Jean Williams and Robert Morgan  
 Dated this 10th of March 1923. m16-3t

**Mortgage Sale**  
 OF  
**Valuable FARM PROPERTY**  
 Under and by virtue of the powers of sale contained in a certain mortgage which will be produced on the day of sale there will be offered for sale at Public Auction at  
**GROGAN'S HOTEL**  
 in The VILLAGE of ARKONA ON  
**Wednesday Mar. 28**  
 AT 2 P.M.  
 the following lands namely:  
**The west 100 acres of Lot 23 in the 6th Con., N.E.R.**  
 In the Township of Warwick In the County of Lambton  
 These lands are situated at Arkona and on the lands are erected a good frame house in good repair, a frame barn in fair repair, also a frame cow barn, horse stable and drive shed.  
 The lands are well fenced and there is five acres of bush mostly maple on them and abundance of good water.  
**TERMS OF SALE:**—The property will be offered for sale subject to a reserved bid. Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid on day of sale and the balance without interest within 15 days thereafter.  
 For further particulars apply to  
**COWAN & COWAN,**  
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**S.C. White Leghorn**  
  
**CHICKS OF QUALITY**  
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**OBTAIN THE PREMIUM WHILE IT'S AVAILABLE**  
 1923 Victory Bonds due in November next can now be sold for more than face value.  
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 Huron & Erie Debentures for \$100. or more are authorized investments for trust funds. This means they are absolutely safe.  
 Call and talk it over.  
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**WANT COLUMN.**  
 One cent per word each insertion. Minimum 25 cents, Cash with order. Card of Thanks 50c.  
**WANTED**  
**GANDER WANTED**—Apply to Cecil McNaughton, 76-5 Watford.  
**WANTED**—Girls for Hosiery Mill experienced or beginners, good wages and first class working conditions, apply Pennmans Limited, Mill No. 1, Paris, Ont. m23-4t  
**STRAYED** from the premises 2nd line south, Adelaide, black and tan, with tag No. 17 Adelaide. Reward for recovery.—Graham Alderson, R. R. No. 1, Kerwood, Ont.  
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**REPAIR WORK WANTED**—I am now prepared to do upholstering and light furniture repairs. Terms: cash. J. Tomlin, Warwick and Simcoe streets. m8-3t  
**ELECTRIC VACUUM CLEANER** to Rent, with all attachments. \$1.00 per day; 50c for half day.—W. L. McCrae & Co. 23m-2t  
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**FOR SALE**—1 1/2 story frame house on St. Clair street. Apply to Mrs. H. Macnally.  
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**CALL AT FARMERS' CO-Operative Store** and leave your order at once for Spring delivery of Stones High Grade Fertilizer, suitable for grain and root crops. m23-2t  
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**CLEARING SALE**  
**FARM STOCK, IMPLEMENTS, Etc.**  
**CHAS. BARNES**  
 to offer for sale by public auction on Lot 12, Main Road, Warwick **TUESDAY, MARCH 27th, 1923** the following stock and implements  
 G.P. team, aged; Percheron mare, 7 years; 2 Percheron colts, year; driver, 2 milk cows, new milk cow, cow due in April, cow due in May; 4 steers, 2 years old; 5 spring calves, 3 young calves, 11 pigs about 125 lbs.; about 30 hens.  
 Deering binder and rake, McCormick mower, Deering Drill, Bissell steel roller, Noxon disc, Miscro Manure spreader, 2 Wilkinson walking plows, Maxwell hay loader, Perrin riding plow, gang plow, fanning mill, set Diamond tooth harrows, set of straight tooth harrows, set hook tooth harrows, 2 walking cultivators, cutter, top buggy, light rig with top, Hastings wagon and sleighs, hay and oats, corn sheller, grindstone, potato sprayer, cyclone grass sower, Premier cream separator, cream can, sap pan, 2 sets double harness, 1 set single harness, horse collars, sling ropes, two sets pruning clippers, 22 foot ladder, 2 barrels, 2 pumps, parlor stove, post auger, shovels, forks, hoes, tile spade, scoop, other articles too numerous to mention.  
 No reserve as proprietor has sold the farm.  
 Sale to commence at one o'clock.  
**TERMS OF SALE:**—\$10.00 and under, Cash; over that amount 8 months' credit on approved joint notes, 6 per cent. per annum discount for cash on sums over \$10.00.  
**J. F. ELLIOT, Auctioneer.**

**VOTER'S LIST, 1922**  
 Municipality of Watford, County of Lambton  
 Notice is hereby given that I have compiled with section 10 of the Ontario Voters' Lists Act and that I have posted up in my office, on the 21st day of March, 1923, the list of all persons entitled to vote in the said Municipality for Members of Parliament and that such List remains there for inspection.  
 And I hereby call upon all voters to take immediate proceedings to have any errors or omissions corrected according to law.  
 Dated this 21st day of March, 1923  
**W. S. FULLER,**  
 Clerk of the Village of Watford

**Benstead, Florist**  
 FRONT STREET, STRATHROY  
**FLOWERS FOR ALL OCCASIONS**  
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**These are a Few of our Spring Styles in Shoes and Oxfords**  
**WE WILL BE PLEASED TO SHOW THEM TO YOU**  
**WOMEN'S PATENT OXFORD**, military heel, brown suede collar  
**WOMEN'S PATENT PUMP**, grey suede collar and strap  
**WOMEN'S PATENT PUMP**, one strap, military heel  
**WOMEN'S PATENT PUMP**, fancy buckle, military heel  
**WOMEN'S PATENT COLONIAL PUMP**, military heel  
**WOMEN'S PATENT VAMP** with a kid back, one strap Pump  
**WOMEN'S PATENT OXFORD**, military heel  
**WOMEN'S GREY ELK OXFORD**, brown trimmings, flat heel  
**WOMEN'S BLACK KID OXFORD**, flat heel  
**WOMEN'S BLACK KID OXFORD**, military heel  
**WOMEN'S VICI KID OXFORD**, cubon heel, black  
**WOMEN'S BLACK CALF OXFORD**, flat heel  
**WOMEN'S BLACK CALF OXFORD**, cubon heel  
**WOMEN'S BROWN CALF OXFORD**, flat heel  
**WOMEN'S BROWN CALF OXFORD**, military heel  
**WOMEN'S BLACK KID OXFORD**, Cuthion sole, rubber heel  
**WOMEN'S BLACK KID BAL**, military heel and cubon heel  
**WOMEN'S BLACK KID BAL**, military heel with rubber life  
**WOMEN'S BLACK KID BAL**, cushion sole, rubber heel  
**GROWING GIRLS' BLACK CALF BAL**, flat heel  
**MEN'S BLACK CALF OXFORD**, French toe, rubber heel  
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**A HEALING REMEDY FOR COUGHS AND COLDS, BRONCHITIS, SORE THROAT AND OTHER DISEASES OF RESPIRATORY ORGANS. IT IS A SAFE REMEDY, ABSOLUTELY RELIABLE AND GUARANTEED.**  
**DIRECTIONS:** Adults, One-half to One teaspoonful every 2 or 3 hours. Children, 10 years old 20 drops. 5 years old 15 drops, 2 years old 5 to 20 drops.  
**PRICE 35c, 60c and \$1.10** MANUFACTURED BY  
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**SALE REGISTER**  
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B. & E. TOWNLINE

Miss Ila Currah is visiting her sister Mrs. E. Wallis of Sarnia for a few days. We are sorry to report that Mr. A. R. Ironsides is confined to his bed. Mr. and Mrs. J. Stonehouse and family visited Mr. and Mrs. E. Ferguson on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. Ferguson spent Sunday with the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Lampman. Mrs. W. Saunders visited her daughters, Mrs. W. Butler and Mrs. R. Hall last week.

FROM OLD SUBSCRIBER

Wm. Collier, chief constable of Souris, Man., writes:—Please find enclosed the sum of two dollars as subscription for the Old Home Paper for another year. As regular as Monday comes around the paper from the Old Home Town comes to hand with its grist of news. True there is a lot in it that those of us who have been away nearly a third of a century know but little about, but every paper seems to tell of the passing of one and another of the old acquaintance; just lately for instance the death of John White of Swift Current; T. Goodhand of Dauphin, and very lately of John and Mrs. Lovell. These things remind us that we are all as well here as time and tide permit. Wishing you and all old friends success.

PARK—MUNRO

A quiet, but pretty wedding took place on Wednesday, March 14th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Campbell, 65 Cathcart street, south London. Rev. James Versey officiating, when Mrs. Rosa Munro of Alvington became the bride of Thomas Park also formerly of Alvington. Only a few of the relatives and the immediate friends were present. The couple received many valuable and useful gifts. They will be at home after May 1.

McALPINE—ANDERSON

Judson Kenward McAlpine, late of Windsor, and May Edith Anderson, daughter of Peter Anderson of the Egremont road, Plympton, were quietly married at the Methodist parsonage, Forest, Rev. Geo. Jewitt performing the ceremony. The bride wore a brown tricotine suit with hat and carried a bouquet of orchid roses and carnations. The witnesses were the bride's sister, Mrs. Reynolds of Toronto, and her sister-in-law Mrs. Willard Anderson of Plympton. They have taken up their residence on the farm Mr. McAlpine recently bought from Duncan Campbell, con. 89 Warwick.

GOLDEN WEDDING

A pleasant gathering was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. McLachlan, of Brooke township, two miles north of Alvington, on Tuesday March 6th, when they celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. McLachlan were born in Mossa township, Mr. McLachlan being the son of the late Duncan McLachlan, and Mrs. McLachlan being the daughter of the late Malcolm Monroe. After their marriage, March 6, 1873, Mr. and Mrs. McLachlan took up farming on the farm where they have since resided. Eight sons and two daughters who survive of a family of eleven were present—Archie, Malcolm, Duncan, Robert, Neil, John, Stanley, Harvey, Sarah (Mrs. Wallace) and Janet (Mrs. Ross), all of Brooke township, and none of them living more than 3 1/2 miles from their old home. One daughter, Margaret, died twenty years ago. During the day Mr. and Mrs. McLachlan, who are both hale and hearty, received many congratulations from their friends and neighbors. They were also presented with two upholstered chairs, clock, gold watch and chain, brooch and ring from their family and grandchildren and a couch from the neighbors; also \$60 in gold from relatives. About 100 guests sat down to a sumptuous dinner, after which a social time was spent. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator will drive worms from the system without injury to the child, because its action, while fully effective is mild. Recently when Mr. John Hamilton was operating his machinery in stable his clothing got caught in the line shaft which rolled him up and almost stripped him. The shaft being too close to the joist to allow him to revolve with it consequently it stopped the machinery, except the engine which kept going with the result that the clutch kept slipping and held him in this position for nearly an hour. When found by his wife he was in an exhausted condition. Fortunately no bones were broken, although he was very badly squeezed and shaken up. He is improving rapidly. Mr. Hamilton is a resident of Cromarty.

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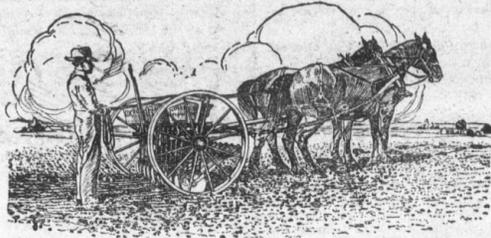
Mrs. Wilson of London is visiting her daughter at the Parsonage. Mrs. T. Patterson of Strathroy visited her brother Mr. John Richardson Sr. Mr. Quince Cook of Bridgeburg spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Cook. Rev. C. J. Moorhouse attended the Annual Irish Tea in Theford last week taking part in the program. The Ladies' Aid of St. Paul's church will meet on Wednesday afternoon, March 28th, at the home of Mrs. Grovenors. A good attendance is requested. The W. M. S. of the Methodist church will hold their Easter meeting in the Sunday School rooms on Thursday afternoon, March 29th. All the members are urged to be present with their Easter Thankoffering. Services on Sunday were conducted by the Pastor, the subject in the morning was "God," and in the evening the subject was "The Harvest of the Godless Life." Next Sabbath being membership Sunday the pastor is anxious for a full attendance. On Easter Sunday the pastor Rev. C. J. Moorhouse begins his series of special services. The first two weeks of April he will be assisted by the Jackson Sisters of Comber, who will lead the musical part of the services with the harp and violin and piano, they will also sing. They accompany their solo and trio work with the mandolin and guitar. The St. Patrick's meeting of the Women's Institute was held last Friday at the home of Mrs. W. R. Pollock. The rooms were decorated for the occasion, the colors being green and white, the table decorations of tulips, hyacinths and daffodils greatly added to the beauty and also gave a touch of Spring. Papers were given on "Pauline Johnson" by Mrs. Rogers and on "The Home Beautiful" by Mrs. Frank Hull. Some of her ideas were: good surroundings inspire better living, they are an uplift to the soul and are a high water mark of civilization; the inside of the home should combine comfort, usefulness and beauty, and reflect the happiness of the makers, for home is a place in which to be happy; keep ever before you the idea of harmony in inside decorations and seek to bring out the individuality of the home makers. Several good selections were given on the Victrola and the contests caused much amusement. Miss Redmond being the best artist, was the winner of the prize in the pie drawing contest, and Mrs. Brunt and Mrs. Rogers were winners in the Guessing contest. During the afternoon Miss Barnes, the retiring secretary was called forward and was presented with a fountain pen with gold band having her name nicely engraved. The presentation being made by Mrs. Kerr on behalf of the members of the Women's Institute and the following address was read by Mrs. de Gex: "We the members of the Kerwood Women's Institute have met here this afternoon to show our appreciation of your faithful and untiring service. We have always found you ready and willing to help in any way at any time to advance the interest of the community. As a slight token of the esteem in which you are held by all, we ask you to accept this pen and trust that the memory of your friends will linger long with you and in after years over life, that the memory of our Institute meetings may stand out as a golden gem on memory's wall." Signed on behalf of the Institute—Mrs. Geo. Freer, Mrs. J. Johnson, Mrs. Kerr. Mrs. John Johnson was appointed to fill Miss Barnes place as secretary for the Institute. The collection and sale of home-made cooking amounted to \$16.00. We wish to acknowledge the contributions sent in by those who were unable to attend the meeting. The dainty St. Patrick luncheon served by the ladies also had the touch of green and was much enjoyed.

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MARRIED

At the Methodist Parsonage, Forest, on Friday, March 9th, by the Rev. George Jewitt, Miss Mary Edith Anderson, daughter of Mr. Peter Anderson of Plympton, to Mr. John Kenward McAlpine, of Warwick.

DIED

In Warwick, on Saturday, March 17, 1923, Ida Mathews, beloved wife of Charles Thompson, aged 50 years, 7 months, 16 days. In Brooke, on Sunday, March 11th, 1923, Mary Elizabeth McKeown, beloved wife of Abner Shortt, in her 54th year. In Inwood, on Friday, March 9th, 1923, Elizabeth Jane McKeown, beloved wife of J. P. MacVicar, in her 56th year. In Strathroy, on Tuesday, March 13, George Wilson, in his 93rd year. In Strathroy, on Tuesday morning, March 13, Henrietta M. Whitley, relict of the late Edwin Robbins, in her 78th year. In Watford, on Monday, March 19, 1923, Elizabeth Carter, beloved wife of Thomas Saunders, aged 74 years, 4 days.

DUMB LUCK

Professor—What is ordinarily used as a conductor of electricity? Stude (all at sea)—Why not? Professor—Wire. Correct! Now tell me, what is the unit of electric power? Stude—The what, sir? Professor—Exactly, the watt. Very good; that will do.—Boston Transcript.

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So the meaning is that one body of our Lord was broken that another might be found. As Paul would say "Know ye not that ye are the body of Christ." Christ died for the church that is, He died to the world that He might live in the church.

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### PREACHER AND FARMER

#### The Two Are Getting Closer Together Once More.

Many Prophets of Old Were Farmers.—Preachers Have Done Much for Ontario Agriculture.—O. A. C. at Guelph Was Planned by a Clergyman.—Pastors Who Have Been in Pastoral Work Indeed.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

The preacher and the farmer are drawing closer together. This is not surprising, for the former is usually a product of the soil. It is estimated that about 85 of our professional men, including clergymen, were raised on farms, and practically all of them have had to "do the chores" in their time.

Prophets of Old Were Farmers.

The Old Testament worthies were largely men of the soil. Abraham, Jacob, Moses and David were authorities in handling flocks. And was not Elshah famous for his record of following the plough "with twelve yoke of oxen before him." Amos went in for mixed farming—herds and fruits. Abraham Cowley quaintly remarks that the first man was a gardener, and it was only after a second tiller of the soil became a murderer that he began to build cities.

Clergymen Have Done Much for Ontario Agriculture.

Rev. John McCaul, an early President of the University of Toronto, was a great champion of farming, and read a paper before the Agriculture and Arts Association in 1858 on "Agriculture Among the Romans."

Rev. Egerton Ryerson, a celebrated Methodist leader, when Superintendent of Education for the Province, had several text books on agriculture prepared for our schools. If he were here to-day to behold the "see and do" work of our modern junior agriculturists, both boys and girls, he would be very much astonished, and would perhaps recite a "Nunc Dimittis."

A Preacher Devised the Plan of the Agricultural College.

Rev. W. F. Clarke, a Congregational minister, if not the father, may be termed the godfather of the Ontario Agricultural College. In 1869 he was appointed by Hon. John Carling, Commissioner of Agriculture, to visit the leading agricultural colleges of the United States—then very few—and report as to the possibility of such an institution succeeding in Ontario. His investigation was carefully made, and the scheme he recommended was so comprehensive and practical that it was adopted practically in its entirety, and was the foundation of the excellent college now in operation in Guelph. He edited the Canadian Farmer for many years, and was looked upon as almost omniscient in things agricultural.

Rev. Dr. Burnet, for over a quarter of a century a Presbyterian minister in Hamilton, was President of the Ontario Fruit Growers' Association (1869-1879), was a specialist in pear growing, and had a grape named after him.

A Clergyman Who Has Been a Public Benefactor.

Rev. Dr. C. J. S. Bethune, for years Principal of the Boys' College, Fort Hope, (Episcopalian), and for some years a professor in the Ontario Agricultural College, has long been regarded as one of the leading economic entomologists of his time. The researches and observations of the able scientist have saved annually thousands of dollars to the fruit and vegetable growers of the Province. For many years he was Secretary of the Ontario Entomological Society and editor of the Canadian Entomologist.

The late Rev. Thomas Fyles of Ottawa was also a noted entomologist, with a delightful literary style. Rev. E. B. Stevenson, of Guelph, a retired Methodist minister, has long been reckoned, both in Canada and the United States, as a leading authority on strawberry growing.

A Preacher Who Managed an Experimental Farm.

Rev. Newton Woolverton, formerly Principal of Woodstock College (Baptist), was for some time in charge of the Dominion Experimental Farm at Brandon, Man.

Father E. A. Burke, a former editor of the Catholic Register, has also been well known, particularly when residing in Prince Edward Island, as an instructive speaker at gatherings of farmers, especially on such topics as fruit and vegetable growing.

A Trio of Active Men of the Manse.

Rev. A. H. Scott, of Perth, has been president of the Horticultural Society, and has given many helpful addresses on gardening, both home and landscape.

Rev. James Anthony has made a reputation in rural leadership, and is a well-known writer and speaker on agronomics.

Rev. W. M. McKay, while pastor in Weston, made the record of having procured more members for his local Horticultural Society, pro rata of population, than any other man in the Province.

### The New Agriculture and the Rural Clergyman.

Agriculture to-day has a new outlook, and it cannot afford to neglect the rural clergyman; and most assuredly the minister who has a country congregation, or even a suburban one, cannot afford to neglect the new agriculture, lest the very ground, yearning for fruitfulness and beauty, should cry out in protest against him.

A later article will show what the Ontario Department of Agriculture is doing to assist rural pastors in the solving of some of the problems of country life now confronting them.

### "FEELING" FOR LAYERS

#### This Method Is About as Certain as the Trap Nest.

Experiments With Capons—Feeding Costs—Excellent Flesh Produced Without Confinement—Handling Baby Chicks.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

The writer carried on a series of experiments with poultry when connected with the Agricultural Experiment Station for Vancouver Island, Sidney, B.C., and presents the following notes as among those worthy of consideration:

#### DETERMINATION OF EGG-LAYING

A test was made of the "feeling" method, to determine its accuracy. Thirty hens that were under trapnest record were subjected to the feeling process for eight days: January 17 to 24.

The results of "feeling" were checked up and tallied perfectly with the "trapnesting," indicating that it is quite possible for any careful person to determine which hens are laying by feeling the bird for the presence of the egg in the oviduct, in the early morning before she leaves the perch. The method also has an advantage in that it eliminates the necessary confinement of the birds in a "trapnest" for a period which is frequently longer than is actually required to produce an egg.

The great disadvantage of the feeling method is that it is impracticable for pedigree breeding, inasmuch that the eggs from individual birds cannot be recorded.

#### CAPONS.

Thirty cockerels were operated on when twelve weeks old. These birds were a thrifty and well-grown lot, averaging 2½ pounds in weight. After caaponing, they were kept under the same conditions as the cockerels. The feed cost for a pound increase in weight was slightly less for the cockerels up to six months of age. At this time the cockerels and capons weighed the same. These birds were killed for Christmas trade when 264 days old, and weighed, plucked, 3 pounds 2 ounces. The percentage of offal was low, being but 18 per cent. of the total weight. The birds were not crate fed, but were finished on a liberal milk ration. The quality of the flesh was excellent, and the wholesale price received was 39 cents per pound. The advantages of caaponing are that an excellent quality of flesh can be produced without confining the birds in small feeding crates and the tender flesh can be retained to a greater age and weight. The cockerels made just as good gains, and when milk fed in crates for two weeks, produced the same high grade of flesh. Following is the feed cost of an eight-pound two-ounce capon:

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| Feed cost to rear to end of third month    | 21.54c.  |
| Feed cost to rear during fourth month      | 18.2     |
| Feed cost to rear during fifth month       | 13.17    |
| Feed cost to rear during sixth month       | 21.3     |
| Feed cost to rear during seventh month     | 21.3     |
| Feed cost to rear during eighth month      | 23.4     |
| Feed cost to rear during December, 20 days | 14.4     |
| Total feed cost                            | 111.31c. |

These birds were sold for \$2.43 each wholesale, leaving \$1.11¼ per bird. From this we can deduct 20 cents, the price paid for the bird as a day-old chick, and have 91¼ cents per bird for labor and shelter.

#### HANDLING BABY CHICKS.

In another experiment a thousand one-day-old chicks were procured from two reliable local breeders. The first day they remained in the incubator, and on the second day they were transferred to the brooder, but were not fed until forty-eight hours old. The following hints on general treatment are given:

Do not chill or overheat the chickens, or disastrous results will follow. If they pant they are too hot, and if they huddle together they are not warm enough.

Do not overfeed during the first week.

Change the water daily and see that it is perfectly clean.

Give plenty of green food.

Feed sour skim milk whenever possible.

Do not forget to supply charcoal, grit, and shell.

Make all change of food and feeding gradually.

Clean and disinfect brooder often. Do not use damp, mouldy feed or straw.

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## ITEMS FROM FAR AND NEAR

Some Wise, Some Otherwise  
Some Newsy, All Readable.

Nine-tenths of the men on the bridges of United States vessels on the Great Lakes are of Canadian birth.

The Ku Klux Klan claim that it is "Here Forever". That brag may go across the border. It is not true, and will not be true, of Canada.

Surely this is a money-mad age. The young sutor now has to say it with roses, chocolates and gasoline, whereas conversation lozenges used to do the whole thing.

From "Swansdown," by Ducan Swan: Marriage is like a future life. Of neither state can mortal man obtain any advance information worth a rap. He has to cross the threshold to find out for himself how matters stand.

Anna Renich of Milford, New Hampshire, who "invented" porterhouse steak, has passed away at the age of 87. The name was derived from a hotel, the Porter House, in North Cambridge, Mass., where she was chef.

What's in a name? Well, there's the L. R. Steel Company, the head of which has seen fit to silently steal away and whose stockholders are now hopefully holding the bag for returns on the twenty-six million invested.

The Wingham town council intend to try out the method of allowing citizens to pay taxes any time from the middle of July to the middle of December, a half per cent. per month discount to be allowed for such payments. Couldn't this system be tried out in Watford with a saving to the municipality?

They are doing things by legislation in United States. In South Carolina it is against the law to play pool or billiards. In Utah smoking in public is eliminated. In Oklahoma, the mention of evolution is forbidden in school books. "Thou shalt not" seems to be coming into its own with the law makers. The fever has been very high in Canada for some time now.

At Canadian government central experimental farm, Ottawa, after a great deal of experimental work, a new cheese has been originated. It is termed Meilleur cheese, being named after the dairyman at the Farm of Joseph Meilleur. While the process of manufacture can not as yet be considered to have been perfected, results that have been obtained indicate a product of the first quality among full-flavored cheeses. The cheese is described as presenting, when properly ripened, an attractive bright yellow color and possessing fine texture. It is more open than Cheddar, resembling to some extent the Emmenthaler or "Swiss-hole" cheese.

In increasing the value of Canadian produce in ten years from \$550,000,000 to \$984,000,000 Canadian farmers were a deciding factor and largely responsible for the stabilizing of the Canadian dollar. J. H. Gundy, Toronto, an authority on finance, told a gathering of 300 Wentworth men and women at a luncheon in Hamilton. "The farmer is responsible for the increase, for he has produced more from the soil with no appreciable increase in population," said Mr. Gundy. "It is by increased production that we brought our dollar back to the mark where we hope to keep it, and where we can keep it if we continue the good work. In this country we have resources and the brains and the energy to develop these. With the proper financial administration and strict economy, I see a bright, happy prosperous future for Canada."

Don't sign up with the "20-minute late" class who, apparently, like the cow's tail, are always behind. Late for church, school, lodge, business and every engagement almost that could be mentioned. It's an imposition on business arrangements or on the temper and time of your friends to always have to wait for the late comers. We have known a concert program held up nearly a half hour because of someone's tardiness. When we speak of "the late Mr. So and So" people take it for granted that they have gone hence but in the case of the "20-minute late" fellows that is not the case as they have yet to come. Turn over a new leaf and get every place on time, without a run for it or such a fuster that an hour or half a day is almost essential to have you get breathing naturally after the chase. Don't have folk always waiting on your time table, but over come it by making an earlier start.

## THE INCOME TAX

You are struggling every spare minute with that blank report and still it is not finished, although you are, or just about.

Your face is wearing one of those blank expressions so often mentioned in the classics. This is due to the fact that you have received the income tax blank in the morning mail or from the Postoffice. The government has sent you a long ballot this year, presupposing that you cleaned up more than \$20,000 during 1922. The government compliments you. You thank the government, but would like to say that it is no time for joking. You get your personal cash book and you do some quick figuring. You find you have made more than you thought during the past year—more than you had any right to make. You had no idea you were taking in so much. There must be some mistake. You add it up again and \$2,563.67 more than you got the first time. No man should make as much money as you did. It's outrageous. You hastily count up the number of little exemptions you have running around at home. There are only five at \$300 apiece. Every man should have a large family—at least ten exemptions. You can take out \$1,000 for your wife and \$1,000 for yourself. You rapidly calculate that your wife cost you in the neighborhood of \$9,674.85 and the government allows you \$1,000. What does the government know about married life? You refer constantly to the instruction booklet. You stick your fountain pen in your mouth and light it by mistake for a cigar. It doesn't draw well, but don't notice it until somebody in your office calls up the board of health.

Ah, here you go, at last. One blond wife, five children, mother-in-law, sedan car. If the wife has been a blonde all the year you can deduct \$1,000. Three of the children are going to school. Very good. In that case figuring this combination as it stands, you take your grandfathers age at his death, multiply it by 6%, subtract your automobile license number, divide by the number of lodges you belong to, add your club dues, subtract your telephone number, multiply by the number of electric lights in your house, subtract your best golf scores add your life insurance policy premium and divide by your chest measurement, add your surtax and subtract your luxury tax. That gives you the result.

You show the result proudly to your bookkeeper in your office and she advises you to consult an alienist. You hunt an expert accountant. He says you have it all wrong; you hand him \$25 and tell him to mix the dope. He labors over it for two weeks and you send a cheque for \$347.83 to the government.

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David Park was elected by acclamation to fill the vacancy in the Ailsa Craig council.

A straw shed on the farm of the late Thos. Johnston of Euphemina township, collapsed, falling upon a number of cattle, killing two and injuring another.

Bothwell has passed the curfew bylaw. Any child found on the street without parents' consent after 8.25 will be placed in jail and fined not less than five dollars.

Rev. A. L. Spracklin, who has been pastor of the Malden Methodist church for four years, has been invited to become pastor of the Alvinston Methodist church after the next conference. Mr. Spracklin has accepted the invitation subject to the approval of the Stationing committee.

Charles Wickwire has been committed for trial before Judge Stanworth on a charge of arson. Wickwire was arrested some weeks ago at Windsor and is alleged to have been responsible for the fire which destroyed the large barn on the farm of his brothers, near Coatsworth, on January 28.

Rev. F. G. Newton, rector of St. John's church, Sarnia, has received word of the death of his brother, Captain Frederick G. Newton, in Scarborough, England, on March 2. The late Mr. Newton is survived by his wife and two sons.

A painful accident befell James Tunks, at Bothwell, when the earth about a boiler of boiling water gave way and one leg slipped into the scalding water up to his hip, scalding him badly. Robert Tunks also slipped and one foot went into the boiling water.

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## R. B. Janes Warwick Village

The population of Thamesville is 817, a slight increase over last year. The death occurred Tuesday morning of Henrietta M. Whitley, of Strathroy, relict of the late Edwin Robbins in her 78th year. The deceased had been in failing health for some time. Mrs. Robbins was a resident of Adelaide for over sixty years, living on the old homestead, lot 23, con. 2, S.E.R., where she was born. About two years ago she went to Strathroy. She leaves a large family of nine children.

Mr. W. C. Anderson, the man who promoted the Cabinet factory in Dresden, was arrested in Toronto by the local police there, on Wednesday night, March 7th, on charges of obtaining money under false pretenses, fraud and misrepresentation, the charges were laid by local Dresden people.

The death occurred at his home near Kilmartin on Sunday, March 11 of Hugh McLaughlin, in his 95th year. Mr. McLaughlin was one of the pioneers of the township of Mosa, and was well known and highly esteemed throughout the district. He leaves a family of five sons and three daughters, who have the sympathy of the community in their bereavement.

Rev. Chas. Alex. Batstone, at one time rector of Alvinston, died in Sarnia on Saturday, in his 67th year. He is survived by his wife and one son, A. T. Batstone of Ottawa. He preached in many of the large churches in England, Canada and the United States.

J. G. Lethbridge has introduced a bill in the Ontario legislature to amend the Consolidated Municipal Act, 1922, by which the council of any township may by by-law appoint and authorize the treasurer to levy and collect all the taxes, rates and assessments which may be imposed from year to year by the council, and such treasurer shall thereupon have all the powers conferred by law upon a collector of taxes.

Mrs. Elizabeth Stonehouse, relict of the late R. C. Stonehouse, dropped dead at her home in Wallaceburg on Wednesday evening. She was 73 years of age and was a native of Sombra township. One son, William, and one daughter, Mrs. Raymond Johnston, of Sombra township, survives.

David F. O'Neill of Wyoming, who went to Florida a few months ago for his health, passed away in Haines City, Florida, on Thursday last. Mr. O'Neill was at one time a resident of Oil Springs and bought a farm on the London road in which he remained for five years. About a year ago he moved into Wyoming. He was born in Oxford township, Kent county, in 1864. He is survived by his widow and nine children.

It seems that the Sarnia Reserve Indians are badly involved in the L. R. Steel stock investment. Some months ago the Indians received \$200,000 from the Dominion Alloy Steel Corporation for land purchase settlement. The L. R. Steel Co. agents followed the money, and one agent, an Indian, sold considerable stock on the reserve. Individual Indians lost as high as \$2,000, and while the total has not been learned yet, it will run to a high figure.

Amherstburg has several would-be millionaires in its midst who are becoming confirmed gamblers in German marks. It is growing to be quite a common pastime to compare drafts for quarter of a million, or half a million, and the market is watched just as eagerly as by the Wall street guys. Unfortunately the trend continues to be so bearish that there's little encouragement to do real plunging. Some of the boys have enough marks to paper an ordinary house, but it doesn't mean anything.

Owing to a very peculiar accident the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wright had a very narrow escape from death one day last week. While other members of the family were absent from the house the child in some way got his foot fastened in a chair causing him to hang head down wards and when found was unconscious. Medical aid was summoned but we are glad to report that he is now well again.—Sandy Hill Correspondence.

### ODDFELLOWS DANCE & EUCHRE

A dance and euchre will be held in the Armory on Thursday, March 29, under the auspices of Peabody Lodge No. 99, I.O.O.F. Music by Petrolea orchestra. Dancing from 9 to 2. Refreshments. Tickets \$1.50 a couple.

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### LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Good Friday. Next Sunday is Easter. Wood wanted at Swift. Easter Millinery at B. Easter Silk Hosiery at Saturday.

\$3.00 a gallon is being maple syrup. Easter Lily and Cut on sale at McLaren's.

Watford markets—W. oats 45c, butter 40c, eggs. New Hats opened Saturday at Miss Minielly's. Easter hat.

Even a hen can scratch between neighbors, and to cackle about. English Cape Gloves, in grey, brown, tan, speckled. A. Brown & Co.

The homemade baking the I.O.O.F. on Saturday. Dorothea Dalton and J. be featured at the Lyceum a big human tale of our entitled, "The Siren Call."

Ray Morningstar has a dance on Front street to Sr., and intends building on Huron street.

Usual service in Baptist Sunday. Calvary 3 p.m. p.m. Pastor's subject: "Christ."

Just arrived—the old Williams' English Kip solid that keep you dry. See Dodds.

It takes some handling, gallon of maple syrup, content of sap varies with but it usually takes thirty of sap to make one of syrup. Mr. W. C. Caldwell, has resigned his position.

tural representative of the Dundas and taken over A. P. S. of Watford. The Y.P.S. of Watford. Billy," a comedy in three Lyceum on the evenings and 13. Plan to attend.

Northway Garments for New Coats and Suits for Brown & Co.

On Easter Day there was a service of Holy Communion at 9 a.m. A service special music will be by the choir suitable for the day.

The Dalmor flat curtain 28 to 48 inches, 25 c. Swift's.

On Sunday, April 8th, at 9 a.m., the 10th anniversary of the church, Watford, will be celebrated.

Our Paper is all here and the Price is right. The 20% saving in buying our inches wide) as the rolls the price much less and to hang.—P. Dodds.

The Easter meeting of the Missionary Society of the church will be held in the Tuesday, April 3rd, at 7. This will be an evening of good program is being prepared. An assault trial concerning the Sturville school here on Thursday afternoon before Police Magistrate of Sarnia. The accused are lectured by the man.

For Easter—See our American Beauty Roses and up. Also Carnations. Order your Easter—J. W. McLaren's.

Don't forget the Tennis April 6th. Petrolia 6-piece is supplying the music. Co. Extra lady 50c. Refreshment.

Do you want a front seat those renowned artists on the metropolitan stage gives you many hours of the price of one ticket and those famous entertainers leaving town or home.—Gerald, Watford.

Fred Landon, M.A., chief of the London Public Library the special lecturer at the Reading Club of this Friday evening. The meeting in the public library was one of the series being held in connection with the West city extension course. The subject was "Canadian A Canadian Literature" and dealt particularly with people.

The new Tuscan court. Swift's. A wonder at the and 65c.