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## SQUIBOGRAPHS.

Eggs are so dear in Toronto that poultry men are charging an admission fee to hear their hens cackle.

While eggs are fifty cents a dozen, Toronto youths call their sweethearts omelettes instead of dearies.

A bank that proposed to keep open all night has forfeited its charter. It is now all day with the shareholders.

Not having made a speech for three days specialists report an improvement in Emperor Williams' language values.

A Kansas city editor shot the manager who fired him and wrote up the tragedy in the next issue under the heading of "A fatal discharge."

We boast of the elasticity of our currency, but the strongest man in the country cannot stretch a dollar as far as he could a few years ago.

Many of our readers will be pleased to hear that radium is reduced to a million dollars an ounce. Now is the time to lay in a stock for Christmas.

There are so many locks on the Panama canal that investors are afraid they would never get their money out if they purchased the new bonds.

Law is peculiar. A man was fined ten dollars the other day for sticking his tongue out at a lawyer and the lawyer was paid fifty for wagging his.

Thursday was Turkey Day in the U. S. and was appropriately observed by citizens who had the price of a fat gobbler without giving the banks sixty day's notice.

The experts who are being sent to South Africa to investigate the cause of the sleeping sickness might acquire some useful pointers by attending a session of the Canadian Senate.

The frost is on the Christmas cake. The pie is on the punk. The hired man, full of apple jack, Lies snoring in his bunk.

During William Jennings Bryan's visit to the President the other day a timely allusion was made to the conversation that took place some years ago between the governors of the Carolinas. Both expressed themselves as delighted.

Prisoners fined in the U. S. courts have either to serve thirty days or give a clearance house certificate for the amount of their fine. It is easier to serve the sentence than get their money out of the bank.

## THE WIRE WORKS.

Since our last issue there has been a change in the wire works situation. The industry has been taken over by a local company composed of W. McCormick, A. Mitchell and D. O'Neill and in future the works will be known as the Watford Wire Works. Work was resumed at the factory on Tuesday and it is the intention of the new Co. to run it to its capacity to overtake the orders that have accumulated. We are not in possession of all the facts in connection with the transfer, but understand the new Co. are to pay \$2,300 for the stock on hand and assume liens on plant amounting to \$1,171. The town still holds a first mortgage on building and plant and the debenture debt will no doubt be provided for. We trust the new firm will meet with success and under the new management better results may be expected.

## A STRONG FAVORITE.

With all classes of people, professional men, business men, mechanics, farmers, etc., the Family Herald and Weekly Star, of Montreal, is the popular paper of Canada. Its success is well deserved, \$100 for certainly no paper in Canada gives such big value. How such a paper can be supplied to subscribers at one dollar per year is a mystery. Few homes in Canada will be found to day without the big Montreal paper. We learn there is a greater demand than ever this season and those that want to receive the paper regularly during 1908 should send in their orders at once.

## HIGH SCHOOL EXAMS.

Grammar, Form II.—Clayton Fuller 75, Ralph Gibson 73, George Lampman 73, Luta Brown 67, Cecil Hone 67, Ernest Lawrence 67, William Kelly 67, Grace McKenzie 65, Mary Cooke 65, Winnie Humphries 64, Hayward Jack 64, Sadie Johnston 63, Pearl Fowler 62, Bruce Goodhand 61, Robert James 60, Violet Annett 60, Bella Hay 59, Ruby McCormick 59, Norman Rivers 59, Lela Brown 58, John Acton 55, Mabel Acton 54, Ruby Lewis 54, Hazel Doibear 53, Richard Fisher 53, Myrtle Williamson 52, Ivah Clark 51, Bert Taylor 51, Albert Higgins 47, Cecil McCormick 47, Gerald Taylor 42, Edith Johnston 41, Thomas Swift 41, Harry Parker 40, Bessie Harper 35, Minnie Leggett 32, Pearl Doan 31, Pina Van-Natter 20.

There are two attractions in town this week, the firemen's concert and McLaren's toe book counter, 15, 25 and 50 cent books for 10 cents.

## LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

TAYLOR'S for bibles and hymnals.

DRESSED hogs wanted at R. Haskett's. The new tunnel electric motors are expected to arrive in a few days.

20 PATTERNS in 4 yd. wide linoleums, 3 patterns in inland.—SWIFT BROS.

SECRETARIES of societies will oblige by sending in the list of newly elected officers.

LAMBTON County Council convenes at Sarnia on Tuesday, Dec. 10th for the December session.

SPECIAL alarm clocks price \$1.00.—CARL A. CLASS.

The Grand Trunk has increased the wages of its yardmen 12 per cent. This does not favor of hard times.

LT.-COL. ROBT. MACKENZIE, 27th Regiment has been awarded the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long Service medal.

MCLAREN'S cough syrup will stop that cough. Largest bottle on the market for 25 cents.

QUITE a number from town attended the Confirmation service in St. James' Church, Brooke, on Friday afternoon.

MR. WM. SULLIVAN, the present reeve of Adelaide township, has announced his intention of seeking re-election next year.

CALL at Howden's and get a receipt you may need the money badly but we need it worse.

THE following marriage license has been issued in Port Huron: Mary Kersey, aged 22, and Walter Gibbs, aged 27, both of Sarnia.

THE name of Corporal C. Kimsley of the 27th Regiment appears in the list of winners of best shot badges published in the official gazette.

ORDER your smoking jackets and fancy vests for Xmas. Don't put it off, as we are busy now.—SWIFT BROS.

SETTLE—Accounts due T. Dodds must be settled by cash or note, not later than Dec. 10th. Kindly give this prompt attention.

THERE is little talk in local municipal circles at present, but the approach of nomination day may bring forth some new developments.

THIS week closes the open season for quail, partridge, ducks, woodcock, etc. Birds have not been plentiful hereabouts, and few good bags were secured.

J. Y. EGAN, the well known rupture specialist, will be at the Roche House, Watford, on Thursday next, Dec. 5th from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. See adv't.

THE Bothwell Old Boys' and Girls Re-Union Committee are putting forth every effort to make the home coming, Aug. 3, 4, 5, 1908, an unequalled success.

ANYTHING in our line you may need for Xmas, make your wants known. We do the rest.—SWIFT BROS.

THE death occurred on Monday, November 18, at the family residence, lot 29, con. 7, Brooke, of Jane McIntosh, wife of Donald C. McIntyre, in her 79th year.

A new locomotive of the old wood burner type passed through the tunnel recently en route for California. It attracted much attention from railroad men.

FOR genuine knives and forks, Rogers' Bros. 1847.—CLASS THE JEWELER.

KAISER WILHELM has an income of \$5,000,000 a year, as the king of Prussia and as a private landlord. In his capacity of German Emperor he does not get a penny.

THE date of the Methodist Church S. Christmas entertainment has been changed from Friday, Dec. 20th, to Thursday, 19th. It will be held in the Church.

PAY up your account at Swift Bros. We have heavy payments due on 4th and 10th of December, don't neglect this.—SWIFT BROS.

REV. MR. CONWAY, of Kerwood, occupied the pulpit of the Watford Methodist Church on Sunday morning, Rev. Mr. Muxworthy taking his appointment at Kerwood.

THE express from London was delayed at the east end semaphore Strathroy for about 20 minutes on Monday morning, owing to a freight car being off the track at the switch.

BEFORE buying your Christmas gifts take a look over our stock of fancy china, lamps, silverware and crockery. Our prices and goods are right and all we ask is the privilege of showing them to you.—N. B. HOWDEN EST.

THE Grand Trunk railway will give an excursion from Port Huron to Chicago and return for \$9.75. Tickets good going Friday, Nov. 29th to Dec. 4th, returning up to Dec. 9th.

RIGHT WOR. BRO. A. THOMAS, of Arkona, D. D. G. M., St. Clair District, will pay an official visit to Havelock Lodge, No. 238 A. F. & A. M., on Tuesday evening, Dec. 3rd.

A CHRISTMASFIELD overcoat made to order, it's a Xmas box and no mistake. Order now.—SWIFT BROS.

THE roller towel is now being held up as a breeder of disease, and its banishment is demanded from the Public Schools and other public places. The office towel still stands up in the corner.

MORNING and evening service will be held in Trinity Church on Sunday next. There will be a celebration of the Holy Communion at the close of the morning service. Service at St. James at 2.30 on Sunday afternoon.

P. DODDS & SON received this week a large shipment of lamps and fancy china. Suitable for wedding and Xmas presents. No trouble to show goods.

IN the report of the entertainment in connection with the St. Andrew's supper the name of Miss Anna Coupland was inadvertently omitted. A well rendered recitation by Miss Coupland was a feature of the program.

HARRY, seven years old, came home from school the other day and rushed into his mother's room with the news, "Mother, what do you think? We're going to have physical torture twice a week now."—Judge.

TAYLOR'S for ebony brushes and mirrors.

THOSE fancy dress goods at 37 1/2 c. are nearly all gone. We have added 20 ends for the week to clear the lot out.—SWIFT BROS.

TWO very cadaverous looking tramps looked in at the window of a Western railway station where a telegraph operator sat at his key. "Say, pardner," one of them said in a very husky voice, "report a couple o' empties goin' East."

O'BRIEN—"Tis a queer thing about a cousin o' mine. He has a great habit o' walkin' in his sleep. O'Toole—"Ye don't tell me? Can't be cured of it, at all? O'Brien—"Cured of it? Shure, 'tis the makin' of him 'e's on the police force.

For herbage, Pratt's food, linseed, flaxseed, oil cake, poultry bone, oyster shell and grit, go to Haskett's.

A WALKERON youth recently saw an advertisement in a Yankee paper offering "undressed black kids" at a small figure. He immediately sent for a pair for his best girl. They arrived the other day, and proved to be a pair of undressed little crockery dainties worth half a cent.

THE Petrolia St. Andrew's Society will hold their annual dinner at the Hotel Iroquois on the evening of Friday Nov. 29th. This is one of the social events of the season in the oil town, and the 1907 dinner promises to excel all its predecessors.

SOUVENIR booklets of views of Watford, handsomely bound in leather, 35 cents. See them at McLaren's.

JUST nine more of those \$15.00 china dinner sets left and as this is all we can possibly get before May make an early choice. The best value in Canada.—THE N. B. HOWDEN EST.

FRANK JACKSON, the Englishman who was arrested by Chief Wilson, Strathroy, last night for stealing a pair of shoes from Patterson Bros., appeared before P. M. Noble Tuesday morning. He pleaded guilty and was sentenced to six months in the Central Prison Toronto.

REV. HILTON PEDLEY, B. A., of Tokio, Japan, will preach in the Congregational Church Sunday morning Dec. 8th. It was announced that Mr. Pedley would be in Watford Dec. the 1st, that next Sunday, but he cannot be here on the 1st but will be on hand for the 8th.

ENGLISH WILTON, Axminster, Brussels and tapestry floor rugs, stock must be reduced, see them.—SWIFT BROS.

P. DODDS & SON have just received another large shipment of shoes bought specially for this season.

A GANG of young boys across the bridge, have been acting badly of late, and unless their parents take them in hand the Chief will have to attend to them. One day last week they threw missiles at some young ladies passing on the street striking one of them in the face.

A MINIATURE mountain is one of the sights seen at the Sarnia entrance to the tunnel. The "mountain" is a stack of coal, weighing 35,000 tons, which will be used by the Grand Trunk locomotives. This coal is of the best quality and represents a sum of nearly a quarter of a million dollars.

Everything in hardware at Howden's. Try us for axes, saws, skates, lanterns, etc. General tinshop work solicited.

THE fishermen of Southampton had a wonderful run of luck last week and within a few days they landed forty-five tons of trout fish. John Logie caught nine tons with one tug, getting as much as five tons in one day. The season was dull for some time but it is ending in a way quite satisfactory to the hardy lake toilers.—Port Elgin Times.

AT popular prices, 25 and 35 cents, McLaren is showing some burnt leather and hat wood souvenir gifts, they will make appropriate Xmas gifts. See them before the rush.

THERE is every indication of a large audience at the entertainment given in the Music Hall this Thursday and Friday evenings by the Francis Firth Opera Co. The reserved seats are being rapidly taken up. Dolya The Tea Girl will be presented on Thursday evening and The Beggar Student on Friday evening. The Co. appeared in Parkhill last night and the program gave excellent satisfaction.

XMAS GOODS are coming in fast, special prices in fur coats to get room.—SWIFT BROS.

THERE was truth in the advertisement that a young man answered one day. The advertisement said:—"How to win the girl you love. Full and explicit directions sent in sealed, plain envelope on receipt of \$1." This young man, who loved a girl madly and hopelessly, sent by return mail. The answer came to him in a dollar, and the answer came to him in a dollar. It read: "How to win the girl you love. Get \$1,000,000 and let her look at it."

For your Xmas gifts and toys.—CLASS THE JEWELER.

200 SAMPLES of wool and union carpets, 15, 20 and 25 cents. 95 samples Brussels and tapestry in 1 1/2 yd. ends, about half price.—SWIFT BROS.

"SAV, papa, you was tellin' Mr. Cummage 'bout shootin' an eagle on the wing. Which wing was it?" "You don't understand, Bobby. It was a soaring eagle I shot." "Did it make him soar when you shot him, papa?" "No, no, Bobbie. The eagle was up in the air—enjoying a long fly." "Do eagles eat long flies, papa?" "Jane, why don't you put the child to bed?"

WE would again remind all that are indebted to us that we would like to change a receipt for the money.—GOODHAND & MILLER.

"DOCTOR," said the patient upon whom the hospital surgeon had just operated for appendicitis, "You're the same surgeon that amputated the first finger of my right hand when I had it crushed in a railroad accident a few months ago, ain't you?" "Yes," answered the surgeon. "Well," you got my index then, and how you've got my appendix. I hope you are satisfied."

MR. J. F. AITKEN, of Sarnia, has recently prepared a most original and instructive geographical time chart and from an examination made The Sarnia Post found it to possess many new and pleasing features, and capable of affording an endless amount of practical geography that is little known or thought of at the present time. Mr. Aitken has received much praise for his production and it is understood he is making preparations to place it on the market.

MR. D. O'NEIL, G.T.R. agent at the Watford station for the past five years, has tendered his resignation, having taken an interest in the Watford Wire Works. Mr. O'Neil has been in the service of the G.T.R. for nearly twenty years and was one of the most obliging and efficient agents on the line. While regretting his removal from the railway service his many friends are pleased to learn that he will remain in town and feel assured that he will make a success of his new undertaking.

W. C. CHISHOLM, of Belleville, who has been buying apples for a number of seasons in the vicinity of Watford, entertained his staff at an oyster supper at the Rogers' House on Friday evening at the close of the season. After justice had been done to the beautiful spread, an informal program of speeches and songs followed, and a most enjoyable evening was spent. "Dad" is an old County Councillor and knows the art of entertaining from Alpha to Omaha.

CHAS. ROBERTS, a one-armed man who said he had lived for over 20 years in the vicinity of Wyoming and Petrolia, with an uncle, applied to the Sarnia police court last night for food and shelter. His uncle he said, sold the farm and moved his family and household effects to New Ontario two or three weeks ago, leaving him behind without a home and destitute. He was willing to work, but owing to his crippled state no one would give him employment. The magistrate committed him to jail for two months as a means of calling the attention of the county authorities to his case.

WE have in stock a full line of fresh fruits and peels, tea and coffee. All goods guaranteed to be first class.—GOODHAND & MILLER.

## I. O. O. F.

At the regular meeting of Peabody Lodge No. 99, I. O. O. F. held on Monday evening the following officers were elected:—

N. G.—F. J. Jones.  
V. G.—S. W. Louks.  
Rec. Sec'y.—J. W. McLaren.  
Fin. Sec'y.—G. A. Dunlop.  
Treas.—C. A. Class.

The appointive officers will be named before the January meeting.

## BORN.

In Enniskillen, on Sunday, Nov. 17th, 1907, to Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Maw, a daughter.

In Plympton, at the home of Mr. Bridelick, on Nov. 17th, 1907, to Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Johnson, twin daughters.

In Watford, on Nov. 15th, 1907, to Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bull, a daughter.

In Warwick, on Nov. 19th, 1907, to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Koutley, a daughter.

In Warwick, on Nov. 19th, 1907, to Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Parker, a son.

In Adelaide, on Nov. 25th, 1907, the wife of the late Rev. Alex. Rapson, of a son.

In Warwick, on Nov. 6th, 1907, to Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Pyko, a daughter.

At the rectory, Dresden, on Oct. 18th, to Rev. and Mrs. B. A. Kinder, a daughter.

## MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Q. Nicholson, Caradoc street, Strathroy, on Wednesday, Nov. 27, 1907, by Rev. M. L. Pearson, Mr. A. G. Shaw to Miss Charlotta Nicholson, both of Strathroy.

## DIED.

In Plympton, on Nov. 17th, 1907, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Johnson.

In Theford, on Monday, Nov. 18th, 1907, Geo. W. Holwell, aged 71 years.

In Sarnia, on Saturday, Nov. 23rd, 1907, Israel Moulton, aged 71 years and 7 months.

In Strathroy on Sunday evening, Nov. 22nd 1907, Elizabeth, relict of the late John S. Anstey, aged 88 years and 10 months.

In Lobo on Tuesday, Nov. 26, 1907, Nancy Patterson, aged 65 years.

In Petrolia on Saturday, Nov. 23rd, 1907, John Anderson, in his 69th year.

In Petrolia on Sunday, November 24th, 1907, Mary Stansfield, relict of Wm. Dibb, in her 82nd year.

## PERSONAL.

Mrs. Lowry visited Strathroy friends last week.

B. Gott, Strathroy, was here on business this week.

Miss Edith Roche is visiting relatives in Stratford.

A. Nugent, Belleville, was here on business Wednesday.

Mrs. Hayhurst is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lewis, in Burford.

R. J. Richardson, Inwood, visited at his old home here Sunday.

Mrs. J. A. Rice, Wyoming, visited Watford relatives this week.

Mrs. (Dr.) Tennant, London, is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. B. Thompson.

Geo. Henry, photographer, London, spent Sunday with Watford friends.

Messrs. Cameron and Kitchen, Guelph, were the guests of B. Richardson over Sunday.

Mr. T. Alexander returned Saturday from an extended visit to his sons in Flint, Mich.

Miss Westland, Wyoming, spent the week end in Watford, the guest of her cousin, Miss Bisset.

Chief Shaw decided not to cross the ocean after reaching Montreal, and returned on Saturday.

Miss Florence McLeay has returned from an extended visit to her sister, Mrs. (Dr.) Smith, Mitchell.

Mr. Paul S. Kingston left on Saturday for Stratford, where he purposes taking a course in the Central Business College.

Miss Sarah Shaw, who has been spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. (Rev.) Shaw, returned to Toronto Tuesday.

J. W. Auld, Denver, Colorado, spent a couple of days with relatives here leaving for the West Sunday evening. Mr. Auld is connected with a large plastering cement plant in Colorado, and reports business good in the West. His health has considerably improved since locating in that state.

Joseph Miller returned Wednesday evening from Clair, Michigan, where he attended the funeral of his niece, Mrs. Clayton Waddington, nee Miss Annie Miller, who died in Bakersfield, California, in her 21st year. The deceased with her two little children had just returned to her home in California after spending a few weeks at her old home in Clair, Mich.

## Thrown From a Horse.

John Doyle, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Doyle, who reside near Maudamun, was badly hurt on Tuesday last week by being thrown from a horse. Archie McDonald and his son were returning home from Sarnia and saw the mishap and hastily came to the boy's aid. The boy was taken home, and his injuries were attended by Dr. Merrison, who found he had received a fracture of one rib and had also sustained internal injuries. The boy is progressing favorably and no permanent results of the mishap are feared.

## Induction at Oil Springs.

On Tuesday evening, 19th inst., the Rev. Thomas Dadds, B. A., was inducted into the pastoral charge of Oil Springs, Oil City and St. John's, (Enniskillen). The moderator of the vacancy, Rev. G. W. Arnold, president, preached and inducted. Rev. W. Reid, of Bridgen, addressed the newly inducted minister, and Rev. J. W. Wallace, of Inwood, addressed the people as to their duties. Excellent music was furnished by the choir. At the conclusion of the service, which was largely attended, a social time was spent, the ladies of the congregation serving refreshments.

## Weston Ends Walk.

Chicago, Nov. 27.—Edward Payson Weston completed his 1,234 miles walk from Portland, Maine, at 12:15 o'clock to-day. Weston broke by one day, 3 hours and 25 minutes a record made by him 40 years ago on a trip to the city over practically the same route.

The finish today was a triumphal march from the Chicago Beach Hotel through the South Side Boulevards at a pace which taxed the powers of endurance of several city officials and others who essayed to walk beside the aged pedestrian.

## Not Yet But Soon.

Strathroy, Nov. 27.—At a union meeting of the town council and board of trade held in Strathroy last fall, at which Watford and Petrolia were well represented. Mr. A. E. Kinder, secretary of the Strathroy board of trade, was requested to act as secretary, and was instructed to report the proceedings to the C. P. R.

Prompt action was taken by the secretary, and also at different intervals since has been kept in touch with the C. P. R. officials with a view of keeping the matter before them, so as to ensure the proposed extension of the C. P. R. at an early date.

In response to the secretary's last letter he has just received a reply from Sir Thos. Shaughnessy, president of the C. P. R., intimating that no doubt they will come this way in time, but that at present it is not on the list.

Sir Thomas spoke in an encouraging manner of their road coming this way, but would not at present set any date.

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remedy to cure disease of the breathing organs  
than to take the remedy into the stomach?  
It cures because the air rendered strongly anti-  
septic is carried over the diseased surface with  
every breath, giving prolonged and constant treat-  
ment. It is invaluable to mothers with small  
children.  
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tendency find immediate  
relief from coughs or in-  
flamed conditions of the  
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real, Canada. 307



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WATFORD, NOV. 29, 1907.  
A Woolly Suggestion.  
We are the men of the Northern  
Zone; and yet we send to Scotland  
and the north of Ireland and west of  
England for our frieze, and our tweed,  
and our serge, and our cloths general-  
ly with which to clothe ourselves in  
winter.  
And yet the Northern Zone swarms  
with fur-bearing animals—the weasel,  
the coon, the groundhog, the squirrel,  
the fox, the mink, the Alaskan sable,  
and further north the deer, the wolf,  
the bear, the beaver the muskrat, the  
lynx, the wolverine, the wildcat, and a  
host of others, and one of which will  
furnish a picturesque, a beautiful, and  
a storm-defying raiment. And yet  
furs here in Canada are the exception  
to the rule. True, the hack driver has  
his coonskin, and the teamster his bul-  
skin coat, and here and there you will  
see a Persian lamb; but our people  
depend upon fabrics to protect them  
from our Canadian winter—frosty, but  
kindly.  
I have often read of the peasant of  
Europe and their sheepskin coats.  
Some people fancy that a sheepskin  
coat is a badge of serfdom; but I saw  
a Polack lady the other day wearing  
one, and it was all right. It isn't ne-  
cessary that the sheepskin coat should  
be either germinous or verminous in  
this country. I believe that if some  
enterprising Canuck would make the  
sheepskin coat artistic, shapely, at-  
tractive, and drossy, that there is a  
fortune awaiting him and a future in  
store for the coat.—The Khan.

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All vegetable and gently laxative.

**Buy Early.**  
Christmas is coming. It will be  
here before you are ready for it. It  
is inevitable and must be provided for.  
You may as well make your purchases  
now as a month hence. In fact it  
will be a great deal better for you, for  
those who are going to get what you  
buy, for the merchants and for the  
stores who sell your goods, if you buy  
early when the stocks are full—when  
every line gives the greatest possible  
choice; when the goods are not mussed  
by handling; when you can get  
exactly what you want, when the  
clerks have ample time to wait on you  
and show you the stock, and when  
you may have your purchases deliv-  
ered and stored away, all ready for the  
great event.  
It is well that you should look after  
your family and friends at Christmas  
time; it is better that you should, in  
addition, seek to soften the hard job  
of the clerks who sell Christmas goods  
by buying early. And when you can  
do that and at the same time do your-  
self a good turn, it will be rather odd  
if you do not extend your good-will  
towards man to the hard-working  
clerk and the merchant who is cater-  
ing to your Christmas needs.  
Do yourself a good turn, gentle  
reader, and you will be doing a good  
turn for others as well.

**Fits Your Case Exactly.**  
You know how you feel—blue, sickly and  
heavy. Each morning you waken in a dull  
"dopy" condition and wish it were night  
again. Your liver is wrong and needs fix-  
ing with Dr. Hamilton's Pills; they do  
cure all liver ills. At once the system is  
relieved of poisons, blood is enriched and  
purified, appetite increases and digestion  
picks up. Health and vigor return because  
Dr. Hamilton's Pills make the body proof  
against weakness and disease. For your  
liver, your kidneys, your stomach, for the  
sake of your looks and feelings, try Dr.  
Hamilton's Pills, 25c per box at any deal-  
ers.

**Work Treatment in Disease.**  
Some interesting experiments con-  
ducted at the state institution at  
Mauer Oehling have completely dem-  
onstrated the great value of work as a  
means of healing in various forms of  
chronic illness, especially in mental  
and nervous disorders, alcoholism and  
epilepsy, says the Vienna correspon-  
dent of the Pall Mall Gazette.  
Under the supervision of Dr. Star-  
hnger, the chief of the institution, no  
less than 54 per cent. of the patients  
are engaged in some kind of occupa-  
tion. The majority are employed in  
farm dairy and garden work, while  
others turn their attention to mechani-  
cal trades, including the production  
of a newspaper, which is printed and  
also largely written by the inmates.  
It has been found that patients  
mentally affected and those suffering  
from alcoholism make the most willing  
and efficient workers. Work has a  
quieting influence and renders the  
patients much more satisfied.  
The favorable effect on their physi-  
cal condition is shown from the fact  
that the number of deaths from tuber-  
culosis have steadily decreased since  
the introduction of the work treat-  
ment, although the number of patients  
has constantly increased.  
One other good effect of the work  
treatment is that the general public  
are found to lose much of their dread  
of asylums when they see the patients  
engaged in some useful occupation.

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awanna station at Hoboken, N. J., and  
will rate at no less than a million and a  
half candle power.  
The most striking feature of the ex-  
terior lighting, and one which will make  
this tower the most conspicuous object at  
night on the entire North River water-  
front, will be a cluster of 49 flaming arc  
lamps, which will be arranged in series  
within a single globe 6 feet in diameter,  
each arc consuming 16 amperes at 2,300  
volts. It is estimated that a candle power  
of 1,500,000 will be reached. This  
will unquestionably be the most power-  
ful light ever produced from a single fix-  
ture. The globe will be suspended from  
the upper part of the tower. Besides be-  
ing the most impressive spectacle, this  
experiment will prove of no little com-  
mercial value in demonstrating the possi-  
bility of lighting large open spaces with  
exceedingly high candle power units  
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and nutrient substance of the very  
best beef. It gives strength and  
nourishment to the weak and help-  
fulness and economy to the cook.

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"I've heard a good deal in my time  
about the foolishness of hens, but when  
it comes to right-down, plumb foolish-  
ness, give me a rooster every time. He's  
always strutting and stretching and crow-  
ing and bragging about things with which  
he had nothing to do. When the sun  
rises, you'd think he'd be making all the  
light, instead of all the noise; when the  
farmer's wife throws the scraps in the  
hen yard, he crows as if he was the  
provider for the whole farmyard and was  
asking a blessing on the food; when he  
meets another rooster, he crows; and  
when the other rooster licks him, he  
crows; and so he keeps it up straight  
through the day. He even wakes up  
during the night and crows a little on  
general principles. But when you hear  
from a hen, she's laid an egg, and she  
don't make a great deal of noise about  
it, either."

**A Costly Kick.**  
Hamilton, Nov. 20.—At the police  
court this morning Christopher Arm-  
strong, a member of the Lanarkshire As-  
sociation football team, charged Samuel  
Dutton, a member of the Westinghouse  
team, with assault. The alleged offense  
was committed during the progress of a  
game played on Nov. 9th, several of  
Armstrong's teeth being knocked out.  
Dutton claimed that it was an accident,  
and that he was kicking at the ball, when  
he accidentally kicked Armstrong in the  
face. The magistrate did not believe  
him, and imposed a fine of \$50. The al-  
ternative being two months in jail.

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tisfaction for a wo-
man to feel that
she can write to
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the most private
and confidential
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Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—
"Over a year ago I wrote you a letter
asking advice, as I had female ill and
could not carry a child to maturity. I re-
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followed your advice. I am not only a well
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in the land would write you for advice, as
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able Compound cure every woman
suffering from any form of female ill.

If you are sick, write Mrs. Pinkham,
Lynn, Mass., for special advice. It is
free and always helpful.

LOCAL OR OTHERWISE.

THIRTY tons or nearly \$3000 worth of
fish were caught Sunday by Port Stanley
fishermen.

While adjusting the curtains Mrs. W.
H. Pratt, of Petrolia, fell off a chair and
broke her arm.

THE Ontario Government will leave
the placing of immigrants entirely to the
Dominion Government.

"MAY I call you Mabel?" he asked at
their second meeting, pretending to be
badly smitten. "If you wish to; but my
name is Gertrude."

FUR trappers in the north are predict-
ing an open winter. The way they tell
is by the whiskers of the natives, which
are not as thick as usual this season.

TEACHER—How long had Washington
been dead when Roosevelt was inaugu-
rated? Scholar—I dunno, but it hasn't been
very dead since Teddy has been there!

GIANT TRIPLETS "Currency," "Bobs"
and "Stag" Chewing Tobaccos, in big
plugs. Quality always the same.

Do you think cabbage is unwholesome?
asked the dyspeptic. "It depends some-
what," answered the food expert, "on
whether you eat it or try to smoke it."

DATES have been fixed for the Glencoe
home-coming and old boy's reunion next
summer. They are Wednesday, Thurs-
day and Friday, July 29th, 30th and 31st.

Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator does
not require the help of any purgative medi-
cine to complete the cure. Give it a trial
and be convinced.

It is again rumored that the C.P.R.
will extend their line west next summer,
and that Strathroy will be one of the
towns through which the extension will
pass.

MABEL (aged six)—Ain't you afraid of
our big dog? The Parson (very thin)—
No, my dear. He would not make much
of a meal off me. Mabel—Oh, but he
likes bones best.

WEST LORNE and Rodney are seeking
incorporation as villages in order to head
off local option. It is fully anticipated
that the by-law will carry in the township
of Aldborough, in which both villages
are now situated.

MIKE had only recently been made
foreman of the section, gang, but he knew
the respect due his rank. "Finnegan,"
he said to an argumentative assistant,
"I'll have nawthing out of you but silence
—and mighty little of that."

"No," said the moss-covered alleged
business man, "I cannot afford to; adver-
tise. If I did, more customers would
come, and I would have to hire more

clerks to wait on them, and I cannot
afford this additional expense.

THE boats on the great lakes have not
suffered this season as much as former
autumns from gale storms. So far the
lakes have been very quiet, and the only
bad accident was the wrecking of the
steamer Nimick on Lake Superior.

THE proud New York hotelkeeper no
longer insists on the coin of the country
from the stranger in his midst. He has
become so reasonable that he will actual-
ly trade a sirlon steak for a dollar and a
quarter in Canadian money.

HON. NELSON MONTEITH, minister of
agriculture, gives it as his opinion that
horticulture is soon to take a very de-
cided step forward in this province. The
hope is expressed that the time will come
when municipalities will pay greater at-
tention to landscape architecture and
employ competent men for the work.

FOR Quality and Quantity ask your
dealer for the new big plugs of "Bobs,"
"Stag" and "Currency" Chewing To-
baccos.

THE 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. Geo. A. Pearce, of Brooke, who
was seriously burned some time ago while
playing around a fire in a barnyard,
succumbed to her injuries last Friday,
after intense suffering. The remains
were laid to rest in the Alvinston ceme-
tery last Monday. Much sympathy is
felt for the bereaved parents.

A SMOOTH salesman is taking subscrip-
tions about town for a map of the Dom-
inion. The price is small, \$1.25, and it
may be that the article will be O.K. but
the salesman goes a little beyond the
limit when he tries to create the impres-
sion he is some kind of an agent of the
government geographical department
when he only represents a Hamilton con-
cern.—Petrolia Advertiser.

JUST as like as not your wife feels
awfully poor because you carry the purse
and do not give her a fair show. She
may want to make a few presents at
Christmas and can not even do that.

You mean all well, no doubt, but do be
a little more thoughtful. She has helped
you earn the money. She has saved you
hundreds of dollars. She only asks for
a little justice—not generosity.

Miss Clara J. O'Neill died at the resi-
dence of her sister, Mrs. James J. Lyne,
on Thursday, Nov. 14. Miss O'Neill had
been in poor health for some months, but
the termination of her illness was a great
shock to her many friends. She was born
in Toronto, but lived from childhood in
Port Huron. Miss O'Neill was the
daughter of the late Peter J. O'Neill one
of Port Huron's most prominent mer-
chants.

THE deed to the supreme tent, Knights
of the Maccabees of the World, of the
Smith Mansion, Detroit, has been record-
ed, and shows that the consideration was
\$50,000. That the Maccabees made a
good bargain in buying this property is
intended for the headquarters of the order,
is generally conceded. It has been au-
thoritatively stated that the building alone
cost \$85,000, not counting the value of
the grounds.

AN interesting feature of the financial
situation is that the latest English news-
papers to hand contain a column of ad-
vertisements from the principal banks of
the United Kingdom notifying depositors
that the interest allowed on deposits has
been increased to four, and in some cases
to four and a quarter, per cent. The nor-
mal rate of bank interest in England is
3 per cent. Deposits at call are now 4,
and at 7 to 14 days notice 4 1/2.

LAWYERS stand up in court houses
before judges and jurors, in the presence
sometimes of large audiences and de-
nounce men as liars, scoundrels, thieves
and perjured villains, and when court
adjourns, the men appear to bear no ill
will against them. But let a newspaper
only faintly intimate that a man's char-
acter is blemished, and he has to con-
front a horse pistol, stand a libel suit, or
suffer what the people think to be the
greatest of all mortifications—lose a sub-
scriber.

A WOMAN rushed into a telegraph office
the other day, says an exchange, and
informed the operator that her husband
had gone to New York to get a banner
for the Sunday school, but she had for-
gotten to tell him the inscription and
how large the banner was to be. She
wrote a telegram containing the needed
information. It read—"My dear Frank,
Savoy Hotel, New Hotel, New York
City: "Unto us a child is born, eight
feet long and two feet wide." The
husband is in the city, and it is rumored,
he isn't going back.

Boyd Must Hang on January 8.

Toronto, Nov. 12.—John Boyd, the
colored porter, who on July 11 last shot
and killed Edward F. Wandle, a colored
restaurant keeper, in the latter's place on
York street, was found guilty of murder
this morning, and was sentenced by Mr.
Justice Macmahon to be hanged on Jan.
8. The murder was a most cold-blooded
and premeditated one. Boyd called at
Wandle's restaurant on the morning of
July 11 looking for a woman named Mrs.
Naomi Carr, with whom he had been
living, and was put out of the restaurant
by Wandle. Boyd went away, purchased
a revolver, and a box of cartridges, and
returned in the afternoon to the restau-
rant. Wandle was upstairs and Boyd fol-
lowed him from room to room, until he
finally found him in a bedroom, where
he deliberately shot him dead.

The Case Against G.T.E. is Dropped.

As a result of the death of Mrs. Ade-
line Robertson recently, an action which
was about to be begun by Meredith,
Fisher & McDonald against the G. T. E.
for the death of Mrs. Robertson's hus-
band, who was killed at Newbury by a
boiler explosion, has been dropped.

According to the law no action can
be entered in the case of a married man
except on behalf of the wife or children
of the deceased.

Mrs. Robertson had no children.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

It is a debatable question whether Canada is in a position to assimilate the influx of immigration that is at present flowing in this direction. For the past few years there has been a great outcry for farm laborers. Dominion and Provincial Governments and other agencies have been besieged to supply the demand. No effort has been spared to meet the requirements of the situation, but the results are not altogether satisfactory. The laborers have been brought here, employed for a few months during the busy season and turned adrift. They naturally centre in the cities, and, not a few of them become a charitable charge for the winter months. When the country is prosperous and industries at high tide some disposition may be made of this unskilled element, but in a period of financial depression like the present, they furnish a problem that is difficult to solve. Unless some scheme can be devised whereby these people can be given permanent employment on the farms it looks like folly to overload the country with them, thus adding to their own and the nation's burdens. For able bodied men with sufficient capital to maintain themselves for a year, no country in the world offers greater opportunities than Ontario and the Canadian West. At the same time it is a mistake to bring people here with the impression that they can pick money off the gooseberry bushes. The men who have made this country what it is today endured privations and worked long and hard before they attained the prosperity and comforts they now enjoy. Newcomers cannot reasonably expect success without the exercise of the same thrift and industry that characterized the early settlers, although modern conditions have eliminated much of the hardship. It is up to the farmers of Ontario to provide permanent employment for the labor they require, educate the new arrivals in the ways of the country and fit them for the responsibilities of citizenship. With two or three years experience under experienced instructors an immigrant of ordinary intelligence is equipped for the battle of life and is a valuable asset in national development. As to skilled mechanics and clerical work the country has few inducements to offer the field being largely filled by those to the manor born, but there is always room on top for the ambitious and aggressive who are not afraid of hard work and can concentrate their attention on their duties instead of watching the dial of the clock to see how long they have to labor before the bell rings for dinner. A wise discrimination should be exercised in the class of people induced to locate here and no illusive hopes of immediate prosperity held out. There is room for all who have the energy and determination to adapt themselves to the situation, but to make good they must depend largely on their own efforts.

WARWICK.

Neil Fair and Albert Brush visited friends in Sarnia last week.

Mr. Wm. Logan, of Sarnia, and Mrs. Eastman, of Manlaumin, and Mrs. Higgins, of Brooke, visited their sister Mrs. M. Cornell last week.

At Mrs. Muma's sale on Wednesday afternoon Auctioneer Elliot disposed of \$1900 worth of stock, etc., in less than three hours. Good prices were realized.

Mrs. Morris Cornell, of Ashland, Wis., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Wm. D. Logan, of Birnam. It is 22 years since Mrs. Cornell was home and she no doubt sees a great many changes in that time.

NOTICE—S. W. Edwards, tax collector, will be at the Roche House, Watford, on the afternoon of Saturday Dec. 7th, and at the council meeting on Monday Dec. 16th. Those who have not paid their taxes will please take notice.

Douglas McNaughton, youngest son of Mr. James McNaughton, fourth line, who spent the summer in Manitoba, returned home last week. He speaks favorably of the country and intends returning in the spring.

BROOKE.

The anniversary service of St. James' Church will be held on Sunday, Dec. 8th, at 10.30. The Rev. Canon Downie, B. D., Rector of Pt. Stanley, will preach on that occasion.

Stewart Gardiner, an old resident of the township, died at his home on the 7th con., on Friday last after an illness of several weeks with typhoid fever. The funeral took place on Monday and was largely attended. Deceased leaves a family of three sons and two daughters.

His Lordship, Bishop Williams, held a confirmation service in St. James' Church, Brooke, on Friday afternoon of last week, when a large congregation was present. There were eleven confirmed, six males and five females. The Bishop gave a very fine address on "Stewardship," taking for his text 1st Peter 4: 10, "Good Stewards through the manifold grace of God."

R. Sylvester has sold his shoemaking business in Theford to Jas. Daly and will remove to Theford.

Where's the Snow?

Although November days are on the wane, there are few signs, locally, to denote the coming of the Frost King, and, in view of the high price of coal, references to the weather are usually being made in a satisfied vein.

At the observatory, it is stated that the absence of snow so late in the fall is something unusual, but no theories as to the reason are advanced. Those who have followed Rugby football for years will find it no easy matter to recall a previous season when final games were not played off under more or less snowy conditions, but the gridiron struggles of 1907 are over and the padded outfit packed away, and still the ground is clear of any vestige of what the poets call earth's white mantle.

What is true of Ontario, leaving out the northern portion, is true also of the whole of Canada, with the exception of Quebec. There is 5 inches of snow in Montreal, and in different parts of the province sleighing is very fair. In Ontario yesterday there were some slight snow flurries, at Whitby the ground was white, but a fine, drizzling rain, such as visited Toronto, was pretty general. Locally, the mercury was about 36 degrees, and weather a trifle milder is promised to-day.

CHOP STUFF.

There are 86 inmates in the Middlesex house of refuge.

Eleven car loads of cattle were shipped from Forest last week.

The Methodist Church, of Wardsville, has undergone a renovation.

Paul Pretty, a recent resident of Wyoming and a native of England, died in that town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sercombe, of the 3rd con., of Bosanquet, left last week on a visit to their old home in Devonshire, England.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Whiting, of Port Huron, celebrated their golden wedding last week. A number of Canadian relatives attended.

Fall plowing is not yet a back number in Middlesex County. Farmers with from 40 to 50 acres to plow are still looking for good weather.

A large number of relics of the war of 1812 were uncovered at Clinton near Thorold, the other day. They consisted of skulls, Indian clubs and such like.

Last week the Petrolia creamery secured the contract to supply the public Institutions of Ontario with butter and this year they have again obtained the contract.

Jacob Pheasant, a Muncey Indian, aged 19 years, was sentenced at Wallaceburg to six months in jail for raising a cheque issued by the Sugar Company from 48 cents to \$2.48.

The Grand Trunk paid out \$60,000 in Canadian money to its Port Huron employees the past week. The money was sent from Montreal to the St. Clair County Savings bank.

It is rumored that the G. T. R. will be compelled to keep their old main line between Point Edward and the Blackwell junction open for passenger traffic, or else give up their rights.

The mail boxes along the Strathroy road, Adelaide, have been tampered with of late by vandals, who have either damaged, destroyed or removed some of them. The matter is being investigated.

P. E. McDermid, Alvington's pioneer druggist and a most highly respected citizen, has moved into his handsome new residence south of the M. C. R., where his many friends hope that he and family will spend many happy years.

From representation made by F. R. Pardee, M. P., the Dominion government has presented Fred Chester and John McLeod, of Sarnia, with handsome silver medals as a reward for bravery in saving the crew of the barge Aaron when that boat was sunk by the steamer Cowle last spring.

More than one best?

When you ask your grocer to send you the best flour, he sends you—his best. When you know the best flour and order by the name, the choice is not left to the grocer. Many grocers handle

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MONTREAL

READY SATURDAY MORNING. OUT THEY GO

We cannot wait any longer. Ladies' misses' and children's WINTER MANTLES AND JACKETS. These coats are marked with RED INK down to almost half price and must be sold as the season is fast advancing and the stock is heavy.

- REGULAR 6.75 14 of these neat Tweed Coats are the year models, long length, lined and unlined, the red ink price 4.95.
REGULAR 7.50 and 7.75 33 of this line including neat tweeds, blacks, greys, blues, long lengths, lined and unlined, velvet collars, a very stylish garment, the red ink price 6.90.
REGULAR 8.50 28 of these very stylish coats, loose and light fitting, long length, velvet collar and fancy collar style, red ink price 10.50. Some lovely black coats in this lot.
REGULAR 9.50 and 10.00 60 of these coats, the price will surprise you, all this year's goods, neat stylish garments and must be sold, to fit girl from 6 to 16 years.
REGULAR \$12 14.00, 15.00 MISSES' OR MAIDS COATS

ALL READY SATURDAY MORNING.

SWIFT BROS.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

DR. BUTLER, London, will be at Watford, Roche House, on following days: Monday, Dec. 2nd, after 3 p. m. Eye, ear, nose and throat, consultations. Eyes tested for glasses.

PRIVATE and other money to loan on mortgages. A few good dwelling house properties in Watford for sale and also several farms in this vicinity. A dwelling house in Watford to rent. Apply to W. E. Fitzgerald, Barrister, etc., Watford, n22-td

MISS NESBITT has a choice line of selections in artistic art work for the holidays, also many pretty little water color paintings, the prices marked down for the holiday trade. I would be pleased to have you call and see them at my studio, Main St., over Fitzgerald's law office. n22-td

ARE you a good guesser? E. A. Dowling is giving a handsome gold filled watch, 25 year guaranteed case, Elgin movement, to the person guessing the nearest to the number of beans contained in a jar now on exhibition in his show window. One guess given with every 50c purchase. Jar to be opened 3 p. m. Dec. 26th. n1-d

DOWLING the jeweler, stationery and fancy goods man, is giving a calendar for 1908. Only those who call and leave their name between 15th of November and 15th of December will receive one as he has only a limited number. They are reproductions of famous painters in 2 subjects and fit to hang in any parlor. "The Receding Tide" is painted by George Howell Clay, and "After Sun Set," by Neil Mitchell. Call and leave your name and get one. n8-6w

Ambrose Smith, of Forest, left for Winnipeg last week where he has secured a situation.

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- STRATHROY, QUEEN'S HOTEL, DEC. 4
WATFORD, Roche's Hotel, Thursday, (from 9 a.m. till 8 p.m.) 1 day only. DEC. 5.
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News	2.25
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**TEACHER WANTED**  
 FOR School Section No. 10, Warwick. Duties to commence with the new year. Applicants to state salary expected and to include janitor's work. Applications to be in by December 2nd, 1907.  
 J. Y. WILLIAMS, Secretary, Warwick, Nov. 20th, 1907.

**TEACHER WANTED**  
 FOR School Section No. 10, Brooke. Duties to commence with the new year. Applicants to state salary expected and to include janitor's work. Applications to be in by December 2nd, 1907.  
 JAS. A. HAIR, Secretary, Watford P. O.

**TEACHER WANTED**  
 FOR Union School section Warwick No. 7 and Brooke No. 2 Normal Teacher preferred. Duties to commence first of the year. Applications stating salary qualifications will be received up to the 30th day of November 1907 to 115-21.  
 ALEX. BRYCE, Sec'y, Box 326, Watford P. O. Ont.

**TENDERS FOR DRAIN**  
 TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to Monday, Dec. 16th, 1907, for the Higgins' Drain in the Township of Warwick. Plans, specifications and profiles can be seen at the Guide-Advocate office.  
 ROBT. AULD, Warwick P. O.  
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**Village Property For Sale.**  
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 MRS. J. ECOLLIER, Killarney, Man.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS.**  
 In the matter of Albert E. Anderson of the Village of Watford in the County of Lambton, Merchant Tailor, insolvent.  
 NOTICE is hereby given that Albert E. Anderson of the Village of Watford in the County of Lambton, merchant tailor, carrying on business at the said Village of Watford, has made an assignment under R. S. O. 1897 C. 17 of the amending Act of all his estate, credits and effects to William Samuel Fuller of the Village of Watford, County of Lambton, accountant, for the general benefit of his creditors.  
 A meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of Cowan & Towers in the Village of Watford on Saturday the thirtieth day of November A. D. 1907, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, to receive a statement of affairs, to appoint inspectors and fix their remuneration, and for the ordering of the affairs of the estate generally.  
 Creditors are requested to file their claims with the assignee, with the proofs and particulars thereof required by the said Act, on or before the day of such meeting.  
 AND NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that after the fifteenth day of December, 1907, the assignee will proceed to distribute the assets of the debtor amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been given, and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.  
 Dated this 18th day of November, A. D. 1907.  
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 Winter Term opens January 6.  
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A marriage license has been issued in Port Huron to Elizabeth North, aged 23, and J. B. Giffin, aged 26, both of Sarnia.

**ARKONA**

Geo. Fair paid a business trip to London last week.  
 Miss Mary McKay is visiting friends in Sarnia this week.  
 Miss Carrie Sitlington visited Theford friends last week.  
 Turnbull's knitted underwear for ladies and children, at J. Geo. Brown's.  
 Mr. and Mrs. E. McKay, of Oil Springs, visited at Jno. McKay's, last week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Pullen, Sarnia, attended the funeral of Mr. Meadows last week.  
 Miss May Fox and Mr. Smith of Strathroy spent Sunday with Miss Fern Smith.  
 Miss Edna Showler, of Adelaide, spent Sunday with her friend, Miss Stella Rook.

Rev. Baker and Jno. L. Brown attended the funeral of Miss Bradden, Theford, on Sunday.  
 Clover and timothy wanted. Clover cleaning mill in connection at J. Geo. Brown's.

A number of our young men, attended the Forest High School concert Friday evening.  
 Rev. A. Cousins, of Parkhill, will preach educational sermons in the Methodist Church next Sunday.

See our Chesterfield overcoat in black for young men at J. Geo. Brown's.  
 We expect to have the town lit up with electric lights some night next week. Take off your hat to Arkona. Watch us grow.

A number of people gathered at the Manse last Friday evening and presented their newly married pastor and wife with a handsome couch.  
 Mr. Jno. Cochrane is remodeling his dwelling on North street. Jno. Dunlop Jr. has the contract for carpenter work and Jno. Lacey for the brick work.

**JOHNSTON vs. PLYMPTON.**

**Important Drainage Case Decided in Favor of Township.**  
 Mr. J. B. Rankin, Drainage Referee, of Chatham, opened Court at the Court House, Sarnia, on Wednesday last, for the hearing of the drainage case of Johnston vs. the Township of Plympton. The plaintiff, Mr. Timothy Johnston, who resides on lot 16, in the 6th concession, of Plympton, made application to the Referee to quash by-law No. 7, of 1907, of the township providing for the construction of the Gillatly drain, and to restrain the township from proceeding with the work. The proposed drain was stated in the by-law to be intended to drain certain lands in the fifth and sixth concessions of Plympton, including part of the hundred acres owned by plaintiff. Plaintiff contended that his lands would not be benefited by the construction of the Gillatly drain, they being already effectively drained by the Parker drain; also that the Gillatly drain was really intended as a cut-off to take away water which would naturally flow into the Parker drain; and would not be of any value to the lands represented to be benefited. Plaintiff further contended that the Macdonald drain, into which the Gillatly drain was planned to discharge, was not of sufficient capacity to carry the additional water, and floods would be caused in consequence. Plaintiff also advanced technical objections against the petition, engineer's report and by-law.

The application came before the Referee at Chatham on the 23rd of October, and it appearing to Mr. Rankin that the matter was one in which an inspection of the locality should be had, the hearing was set for Wednesday last in Sarnia, the Referee to inspect the ground in the meantime, which was done on the Tuesday preceding.  
 At the opening of the hearing, the testimony of a number of property owners in the neighborhood was submitted on behalf of the plaintiff, to the effect that the construction of the Gillatly drain would not be beneficial to the district in proportion to its cost. Mr. McCubbin, land surveyor, of St. Thomas, gave evidence that he had inspected the ground and that in his opinion the Gillatly drain was wrongly located, the natural drainage being toward the Parker drain, which was in the proper situation to carry off the water from the lands under the Gillatly drain by-law, and that the construction of the Gillatly drain would not be of sufficient benefit to compensate for its cost.  
 Mr. A. S. Code, land surveyor, of Alvinston, who laid out the Gillatly drain, and Mr. C. A. Jones, land surveyor, of Petrolia, who laid out the township, gave evidence on behalf of the township to the effect that the Gillatly drain, while admitted to be to some extent a cut-off, would not divert much water from the Parker drain; that it would drain the land to the southward in the 5th concession, contrary to the contention of the plaintiff; and that the construction was advisable; also that the Macdonald drain was in good condition and would furnish a sufficient outlet for all the water which the Gillatly drain would carry. Several property-holders also gave evidence in support of the contention of the township.

The whole of Wednesday and the forenoon of Thursday were occupied in the taking of evidence and in the address of Mr. Towers, counsel for Mr. Johnston. At the close of Mr. Towers' address, the Referee gave judgment dismissing Mr. Johnston's application. Mr. Rankin said he would dismiss the application without costs, provided proceedings were allowed by the plaintiff to drop at this stage. If, however, Mr. Johnston decided to proceed further with the case, Mr. Rankin said he would in that event make an order giving the township costs of the present hearing against Mr. Johnston.

Arkona expects to have its electric light plant in operation next week. The power will be supplied from Rock Glen.

**GOOD BLOOD FOR PALE.**

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Good blood is the one thing necessary for perfect health. If the blood is good disease cannot exist—if it is bad disease is bound to appear. There are dozens of maladies caused by bad blood. Among them are anaemia, rheumatism, heart palpitation and the special ailments of women and growing girls. If you suffer from any of these troubles, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will cure you—because they make new, red, health-giving blood. They succeed where doctors sometimes fail. In proof of this, Mrs. Sarah Jane Duce, Deseronto, Ont., says: "In 1905 I became weak and sickly. I was all run down; I found housework a burden—sometimes I could not do it at all; the least effort made me tired. I consulted a doctor who told me he might help me some but could not cure me permanently on account of my age. I am over fifty. His treatment did not help me and I gradually grew worse; even my friends began to despair. Four different doctors told me my case was hopeless. My suffering was intense. Sores broke out around my mouth, and I was unable to eat. I consulted a specialist who told me my trouble was anaemia and that he had little hopes for my recovery. I was in despair and decided it was useless to spend any more money on doctors. One day my husband urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. After a few weeks use of the Pills I was convinced that I had found the right medicine. I took twelve boxes and they completely cured me, and I am now in excellent health. I gladly recommend them to all sufferers, for they cured me when doctors had failed and my friends were expecting my death to end my suffering."  
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**Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jardine of Plympton, Celebrate Fiftieth Anniversary.**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jardine, of the ninth concession of the township of Plympton, were last week honored by the presence of their whole family, with the exception of one son in Winnipeg, it being the occasion of their fiftieth anniversary of wedded life. For a couple to live a sufficient number of years to celebrate their golden wedding is not by any means a common occurrence, and to have a grown up family of thirteen and not a single one absent by death makes the event even more interesting. Five sons and eight daughters constitute this stalwart Scotch family, and all were present with their husbands or wives as the case may have been, with the exception of one son, who, on account of the distance, could not participate in the home gathering. All lived in the County of Lambton, with the exception of a daughter, Mrs. Brown, of London, and the above mentioned son in Winnipeg.

On this occasion, the sons and daughters presented their father with a gold watch chain and the mother with a gold ring. The recipient of the chain on behalf of himself and his life companion, thanked the givers in a very few words in which the beautiful Scotch accent was much in evidence.—Petrolia Topic.

**FELL OFF WINDMILL.**

**Mr. Daniel Dunham of Plympton Township Killed.**  
 Forest, Nov. 22.—Mr. Daniel Dunham, a highly respected resident of Plympton township, about a mile from Forest, fell from the top of a windmill this morning and died almost instantly from injuries sustained. Deceased was about sixty years of age and is survived by two sons and two daughters—J. B. Dunham of Burlington, Frank of Silver Creek, N. Y., and Misses Ethel and Emma, at home. Deceased was a brother-in-law of Mrs. Jos. Thorne, of Watford, and a number of the relatives from here attended the funeral at Forest on Sunday.

**SCHOOL REPORTS.**

Report of S. S. No. 5, Warwick, maximum 100 marks—Class V—Berton Campbell 78, Gordon Patterson 49, Russell Hall 38. Class IV—Milton Hall 88, Pearl Marshall 75, Beatrice McAdam 72, Basil Richardson 72, Ivan Dunlop 47. Class III—Rellie Richardson 71, Clayton Dunlop 70, Elsie Richardson 53, Charlie Patterson 52, Lloyd Hall 48. Pt. II, Sr.—Carmen Hall 82, Hope Taylor 71, Jenett Hall 64. Jr.—Don Richardson, George Hall, —GERTRUDE CAMPBELL, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 14, Brooke. Class V Geography.—Malcolm Campbell 84. Class IV Written reading.—Lyle Johnston 71, Nellie Soper 69, Orville Maddock 68, Aura Clothier 60, Lizzie Johnson 57, Josephine Anph 41, (Lela McNally absent). Class III Physiology—Violet Stuart 72, Roy Doan 65, Russel Maddock 53, Millie Doan 48, Howard Clothier 36, Arthur Aulph 34. Class II Geography—Earl McNally 72. Pt. II Reading—Johnnie Douglas 53. Pt. I Reading—Orson McClung 65, Barbara Aulph 58, Sammie Maddock 65. Class A Writing—Alma Shields 60.—VINA JOHNSTON, Teacher.

**SALE REGISTER.**  
 Auction sale of farm stock, Friday, Nov. 29th, 1907, Hy. Shannon, lot 15, con. 6, N. E. R., Warwick, proprietor, J. F. Elliot, auctioneer. No reserve, 11 months' credit.

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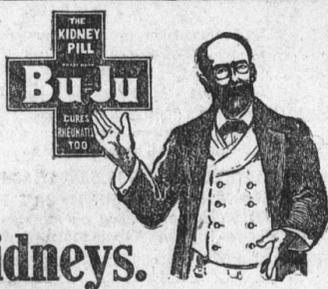


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### Fruit Institutes.

G. A. Putnam, superintendent of Farmers' Institutes, is arranging for three-day fruit institutes in various parts of the province, and meetings will be held at Grimsby and Toronto near the

close of December. At these meetings addresses will be given by experts on the suitability of the soil, the selection of stock, pruning, packing, and other matters of interest to fruit growers.

A meeting to re-organize the Florence band was held on Friday evening,

### Artistic Music

We have read about the newly imported German tenor who on an Easter-morning electrified a "heavily mortgaged congregation" by singing over and over again, "He will raise ze debt, He will raise ze debt, in ze twinkling of an eye." But the following musical incident is related by one who recently attended a fashionable church. The choir started with a reference to the lilies of the field, and after singing the changes on the word "consider" until all idea of its connection was lost, they began to tell the congregation through the mouth of the soprano that "Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed." Straightway the soprano was reinforced by the basso, who declared that Solomon was most decidedly and emphatically not arrayed—was not arrayed. Then the alto ventured it as her opinion that Solomon was not arrayed, when the tenor without a moment's hesitation sang as if it had been officially announced, that "he was not arrayed." Then when the feelings of the congregation had been harrowed up sufficiently, and our sympathies all aroused for poor Solomon, whose numerous wives allowed him to go about in such a fashion, the choir at length, in a most cool and composed manner, informed us that the idea they intended to convey was that Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these"—these what? So long a time had elapsed since they sang of the lilies that the thread was entirely lost, and by "these," one naturally concluded that the choir was designated. Arrayed like one of these? We should think not, indeed! Solomon in a Prince Albert or cutaway coat? No, most decidedly. Solomon in the very zenith of his glory was not arrayed like one of these.

Despite the experience of the morning, the hope still remained that in the evening a sacred song might be sung in a manner that would not excite our risibilities or leave the impression that we had been listening to a case of blackmail. But again off went the nimble soprano with the very laudable though startling announcement, "I will wash." Straightway the alto, not to be outdone, declared that she "would wash." And the tenor finding it to be the thing, warbled forth that he would wash. Then the deep-chested basso, as though calling up his fortitude for the plunge, bellowed forth the stern resolve that he also would wash. Next a short interlude on the organ, strongly suggestive of the escaping water or the splash of the waves, after which the choir individually and collectively asserted the firm, unshaken resolve that they would wash. At last they solved the problem by stating that they proposed to "wash their hands in innocence."—Cathedral Chimes.

### COULDN'T WEAR BOOTS.

If you suffered with a bad foot, so bad that you could not bear any thing to touch it, and then some one sent you a small sample box of Zank-Buk, a part of which healed you after 12 months' suffering, what would you say? Why, exactly what Mrs. Baptiste Jealous, of Vankleek Hill, said, when finishing her letter, viz.:

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Zam-Buk is the great Miracle-Worker. Heals where all else fails. All skin troubles, such as Boils, Ulcers, Eczema, Pimples, Running Sores, Chapped Hands, Scalp Irritation, Festering Sores, Poisoned Wounds, etc., yield to Zam-Buk.

For Piles, Rheumatism, etc., it cannot be equalled. All druggists, between cents a box, or from The Zam-Buk Co. Cash paid for price, 3 boxes for \$1.25. Send for a free sample box, enclosing 1c. to pay postage.

### Indian Reserve.

Sarnia Indian reserve has a total area of 6260 acres, and it is all of the very best of land for agricultural purposes. Population 293. The Kettle Point and Stony Point reserves contain between them 4677 acres and are surveyed into lots approximating in size to 80 acres each, about one-half of which are occupied. A considerable portion of unoccupied lands are of inferior quality. The population of these two reserves is 127, making a population for all three reserves of 420.

### Baked Their Own Bread and Beat the Bakers.

Bellefonte, Nov. 18.—About a week ago the bakers of this city raised their prices from 10 cents to 12 cents for a three pound loaf. Their customers rebelled and so many started to bake their own bread that today the bakers reduced their price to the old figure, 10 cents.

### Famine in Lapland.

Stockholm, Sweden, Nov. 21.—Famine is threatening the Vesterland and Vesterbotten districts of Lapland, where deluging rains have had a disastrous effect on crops. The threshed barley produces bread that is almost worthless as food, and milk cows must be slaughtered to prevent people dying of starvation. The Swedish Cabinet has been petitioned to remove the duty on grain.

ITS POWER GROWS WITH AGE.—How many medicines loudly blazoned as panaceas for all human ills has come and gone since Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil was first put upon the market? Yet it remains, doing more good to humanity than many a preparation more highly vaunted and extending its virtues wider and wider and in a larger circle every year. It is the medicine of the masses.

Do you know that you can make a delicious dessert in two minutes, with



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One ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion;  
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Mixed and taken in teaspoonful doses after meals and at bedtime, is stated by a prominent physician to give most excellent results in kidney or urinary affections, and also in rheumatism and sciatica. The mixture opens the clogged pores of the kidneys, thus assisting them in their work of filtering all waste and poisonous matter from the blood, and expels these in the urine. To allow this poisonous matter to remain means that it will settle in the muscular tissues or joints, and cause the untold misery known as rheumatism. The mixture is composed of harmless vegetable ingredients which can be purchased at any good drug store, and mixed at home.  
Anyone suffering from any of these afflictions will no doubt be pleased to learn of so simple and highly recommended remedy.

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#### LAGER

is a mild appetizing product of malt and hops, with less alcohol than sweet cider, which cannot ferment in the stomach. It is especially suited to women as a dinner drink.

#### ALES

as brewed in Ontario are so rich in the food elements of malt that they rank above milk as an item of diet, and are far purer than most milk is when city-dwellers get it.

#### PORTER

differs from ale in that the malt is roasted (like coffee) in the brewing process, and this makes porter so nourishing that it is a real specific for anemic and run-down people.

#### STOUT

is the richest and most strengthening of malt beers; it contains nearly as much nourishment as eggs, and digests easier. This people will find it builds healthy flesh.

\*BEER is a term which covers Lager, ale, porter, and stout, and in the practice of Ontario brewers, implies beverages made under most hygienic conditions from Ontario barley (the best in the world) malt, hops, and pure water.

#### BEER\*, used

with meals and before bedtime, increases digestive power, gets you more good out of the food you eat—and is itself a food.

A Beer does not contain enough alcohol to react upon the system—just enough to induce the stomach to do its work better.

A Beer is not an intoxicant—it is a beverage with definite value for almost every grown person.

Ask your own doctor whether it wouldn't be good for you and the adults of your household.

### A Distinguished Warwick Lady.

Many of our older readers will remember the Rothwell family who lived near Wisbeach in the early days. The following clipping will be of interest:

We are advised that Lady La Touche will return to Canada, early next spring and make her headquarters with her sister, Mrs. P. E. Bucke, her niece, Mrs. Graves, and Colonel S. H. P. Graves, of the Indian army, in Ottawa; and will also during her stay in this country visit many relatives and friends in Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago, etc. It is now some years since the La Touches visited Canada. Lady La Touche was born in the township of Warwick, not far from the birthplace of the Honorable Edward Blake, and was educated at the convent of the Sacred Heart in London, her maiden name being Julia Rothwell.

Sir James Digges La Touche, who has been a member of the civil service in India for many years, during which by his talent and high executive ability he rose steadily to the first rank. In 1901 he acted as Lieutenant-Governor of Agra and Oudh during the temporary absence of Sir Antony Macdonell on leave in Ireland. When Sir Antony's term of service expired and he was made Chief Secretary for Ireland, Sir James, whose temporary tenure had been such a brilliant success, was appointed Lieutenant-Governor in his place. Quite recently at the close of his term of office Sir James was further honored by being called to the Indian Council.

Whilst in India Sir James and Lady La Touche had the honor of entertaining the Prince and Princess of Wales and suite on two separate occasions, Lady La Touche's tent at the Delhi Durbar, on the occasion of the coronation of His Majesty the Emperor of India, was one of the most brilliant on that occasion. Lord and Lady Minto, the late representatives of His Majesty in Canada, and now the vice-royal representatives in India, frequently exchanged visits with the La Touches. It is noted in the Indian papers, especially The Pioneer, that their departure has been deeply regretted, and many will rejoice at the elevation of Sir James to the council.

Sir James' untiring interest amongst all classes of natives during his long term of office endeared him to every caste and class, whilst Lady La Touche, by her pleasant and numerous entertainments and affable manners, secured the praise and good wishes of her numerous guests, and all who came in contact with her. It is hoped that Sir James may be spared to fulfill his term of seven years on the Indian Council, as the present unrest in India requires the greatest consideration and attention, and there is no doubt Sir James, long term of office in that country, his well known conciliatory character combined with a due amount of firmness, will do much in the councils of the Empire to pour oil on the troubled waters of unrest.

## Rheumatism

Eats Up Strength  
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Prevents Sleep.

### UNCHECKED,—It Finally Strikes the Heart and Kills its Victim

It originates in the blood and develops most quickly in the system of persons who are run down and lacking in vitality. The only specific of all forms of Rheumatism is Ferruzone, which is perfect solvent for uric acid and a splendid stimulant for the kidneys and liver.

No remedy is so successful as Ferruzone. It has never failed to cure, because it attacks the cause of the disease in the blood. It neutralizes the uric acid poisons, quickens the sluggish circulation, and relieves the system of all irritating matter.

Every distressing symptom is cured, swollen muscles and aching joints are relieved of their pain. The disease will not return if once cured by Ferruzone, which does its work thoroughly. Its cures are lasting.

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The perfection of all rheumatic remedies is found in Ferruzone. It is in tablet form easy to take, convenient to carry guaranteed to cure, and costs only 50c per box, or six boxes for \$2.50 at all druggists.

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Everyone who uses Ferruzone has good color and great vitality. Reason for this is Ferruzone's power to create nourishing blood. "I was broken down, had no strength and couldn't eat," writes Mrs. Chas. Benny, of Cloynes, Ont. "My nerves were irritable and I was thin-blooded and continually unhappy. I tried Ferruzone. It gave me new energy, force, vim. It brought me strength—made me well." Greatest tonic and re-builder ever known is Ferruzone. Sold everywhere in 50c boxes.

### Standard Weights.

What is the standard weight of plums, apples, pears and onions?

A.B.C.  
There is no standard weight in use in the trade for the fruits you mention. A barrel of apples should weigh 165 lbs. gross, a barrel of pears about 175 lbs. Plums are sold by the basket of 11 quarts and onions by the 100 lbs.

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GRAIN AND SEEDS—	
Wheat, fall, per bush	\$0 90 @ \$0 90
Oats, per bush	48 48
Barley, per bush	65 65
Peas, per bush	85 85
Beans, per bush	90 90
Timothy	1 25 2 00
Clover Seed	10 00 12 00
Alfalfa	8 50 10 00
PROVISIONS—	
Butter, per pound	23 23
Lard	11 15
Eggs, per doz.	25 25
Pork	7 00 7 50
Flour, per cwt.	1 75 2 00
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—	
Potatoes, per bag	75 90
Dried Apples, per lb.	5 6
MISCELLANEOUS—	
Wood	2 00 2 25
Tallow	6 64
Hides	5 6
Wool	23 25
Hay, per ton	14 00 15 00
POULTRY—	
Turkeys, per lb.	9 10
Chickens, per lb.	6 7
Ducks, per lb.	6 7
Geese, per lb.	6 7
LONDON MARKETS.	
Wheat	\$0 90 to \$0 90
Oats	0 50 to 0 52
Peas	0 60 to 0 60
Barley	0 40 to 0 46
Rye	0 54 to 0 55
Butter	0 25 to 0 27
Eggs	0 25 to 0 25
Perk	7 50 to 7 80

TORONTO.	
Receipts of live stock at the Union Stock Yards, Toronto, Monday, were 20 car-loads, composed of 419 cattle, 18 hogs, 384 sheep and lambs and 10 calves.	
There were few good cattle on the market, not enough to supply the demand.	
Dealers who have been in the habit of looking to the Junction market for good to choice cattle went away disappointed, not being able to get what they wanted.	
Trade was slow, although there was a goodly number of the dealers on the market. Prices were about steady at last week's quotations for the same quality.	
Exporters—Few exporters were offered, and those on sale were bought to be used for butcher purposes at about \$4.45 per cwt. Export bulls sold at \$3.25 to \$3.75 per cwt. Feeders and Stockers—Not many on sale. Prices steady. One lot of 25 stockers, 600 lbs. each, sold at \$1.60 per cwt.	
Butchers—A few picked cattle sold at \$4.50; loads of the best butchers on sale sold at \$4 to \$4.25; medium, at \$3.50 to \$3.75; common, at \$3 to \$3.25; cows, at \$2.50 to \$3.50, and \$3.75 for some of the best; canners, 75c to \$1.50 per cwt.	
Milkers and Springers—Less than half a dozen cows were on sale, and the highest price paid was \$56.	
Veal calves—A few good quality calves sold at \$5.50 to \$6.50 per cwt.	
Sheep and Lambs—Export sheep sold at \$4 per cwt; lambs at \$5 to \$5.10 per cwt.	
Hogs—H. P. Kennedy quotes \$5.50 for select, fed and watered, and \$5.25 f.o.b. cars at country points.	

BRITISH CATTLE MARKETS.	
London, Nov. 25.—London cables are firmer at 10½ to 13c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10c per lb.	
Glasgow, Nov. 25.—Edward Watson and Ritchie report 945 cattle on offer, with trade slower at lower prices; top quality was 11½c, secondary 10½c to 11c, ranchers and inferior 9½c to 10c; bulls, 9½c to 10c per lb.	
Liverpool cables quote States steers at 11½c to 12½c; Canadians, 11c to 11½c; ranchers, 9½c to 10c; bulls, 9½c to 10c; trade, firm.	
EAST BUFFALO.	
East Buffalo, Nov. 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 5500 head; dull and 10c to 20c lower; prime steers, \$3.30 to \$3.85; shipping, \$4.75 to \$5.40; butchers, \$4 to \$5.25; heifers, \$3 to \$4.65; cows, \$2.50 to \$4.25; bulls, \$2.50 to \$4.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.50 to \$4.25; stock heifers, \$2.25 to \$2.75;	

fresh cows and springers, choice, steady; others, \$2 lower; \$30 to \$50.  
Vena—Receipts, 1500 head; active and \$2 lower; \$20 to \$57.  
Hogs—Receipts, 27,200 head; active and 25c to 50c lower; heavy, mixed Yorkers and pigs, \$4.25; roughs, \$3.50 to \$3.70; stags, \$2.75 to \$3.25; dairies, \$4 to \$4.20.  
Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 29,000 head; slow and lower; lambs, \$5 to \$6.35; yearlings and wethers, \$5.25 to \$5.40; ewes, \$4.75 to \$5.15; sheep, mixed, \$2.50 to \$3.25; Canada lambs, \$5.75 to \$6.10.

### A Tramp Thief Arrested.

Frank Lawrence, a hobo, was arrested at the Albion Hotel Strathroy Friday night by Chief Wilson for theft committed at Kerwood Thursday morning. Lawrence, it appears, was travelling east without a ticket or pass and was put off at Kerwood.

While resting at McKee's hotel there he watched his chance, and at an opportune moment emptied the till, which contained about \$4 in loose change, and came on to Strathroy. When McKee investigated and found the money gone his suspicions at once fell on Lawrence, and he telephoned Chief Wilson. He found him at the Albion Hotel, in which he was comfortably seated in an armchair reading the Free Press.

He was at once arrested and locked up. He made a full confession. He appeared before P. M. Noble to-day and was remanded to London jail for a week. Chief Wilson took him to London on the noon train.

The same party was in Watford Thursday and was searched by local parties. He had a number of cigars, a box of pen points and a bunch of keys in his possession.

### CHILDHOOD ILLS.

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### BOSANQUET COUNCIL.

Council met on the 18th inst. Members all present. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed. The following orders were given:—R. Jennings, \$100 work on the Upper portion of Hany drain; G. Prince, \$70, work on Coultis drain; Sherman Morley, \$50, work on S. B. drain; Dan Johnston, \$8.72, to pay engineer's assistants, etc., on Wilcocks drain; George Frayn, \$218.00, Shawana drain outlet and \$61.50 for work on Gillard drain; Reeve and Russell, \$12, commission on Shawana outlet and \$4 commission on Gillard drain; R. Laird, \$1 McDonald and Duncan McIntyre, \$1 each, refund statute labor returned undone; the Clerk, \$34.80, to pay members of Board of Health; Robert Oliver, \$100, on gravel pit; John S'cier, \$28.20, for gravel; Mrs. Stevenson, \$7.40, and Albert

Miller, \$1, for gravel; J. G. Daws, \$2.66, for a lamb killed, and E. Zavitz, \$1, inspecting same; Annie Bowden, \$10, for bridge over S. B. drain; David Sheppard, \$5, ditching on 21 sideroad; George Prince, \$3, for lowering 30 inch tile on 17th concession; John Thompson, \$16, taking water off the 12th cou. road; Samuel Rivers, \$86.45, for concrete tile; Neil Eastman, \$1.25, damage to wagon on townline; N. J. Kearney, \$20, for Bosanquet Ag'l Society. A Local Option by-law was read a first and second time, and a by-law was passed appointing Deputy Returning Officers and Poll Clerks and fixing King Edward Hall, Theford, as the place for holding the nominations. The Reeve was authorized to send Wm. Collins, (aged and infirm) to the House of Refuge. A petition, signed by N. Sitter, C. Sloan and Wm. Russell, for a local drain, was received, and the Clerk instructed to notify the Engineering Council adjourned to meet on Monday, the 16th day of December next.  
GEO. SUTHERLAND, Clerk.

### A National Live Stock Convention.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the National Live Stock Association was held on Thursday, Nov. 27th, at the office of the Live Stock Commissioner, Ottawa, to consider the calling of the next convention of that body. The meeting was attended by the President, Hon. John Dryden, Toronto; the Vice-President, Mr. Robert Neas, Howick, Que.; Messrs. C. A. Gigault, Quebec, Que.; Arthur Johnston, Greenwood, Ont. and J. G. Rutherford, Live Stock Commissioner. Owing to illness the Secretary, Mr. Westervik, was unable to be present. The Hon. Sydney Fisher attended the meeting during the early part of the day.

Arrangements were made for the holding of the next convention at Ottawa, on February 26th, 27th and 28th. These dates were selected so as to permit the breeders from Western Canada and also the Maritime provinces to attend the meetings of the cattle, sheep and swine associations, most of which will be held at the end of January and during the first few days in February, as also the horse show meetings of the Horse Breeders' Associations which are arranged for the week following.

A programme for the convention was informally discussed but not definitely arranged. A number of subjects will probably be dealt with, but it is likely that the principal discussion will be on the advisability of amending the regulations governing the admission to Canada of pure bred stock. It is also proposed to take up and discuss the best means of retaining for our Canadian breeders the Canadian market for pure bred stock and it is probable that a number of specially prepared papers on this subject will be submitted. The future of our export trade in pure bred stock will also be discussed, while it is expected that considerable light will be thrown on our export trade in meats and most food products.

### A Deluge of Tramps.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Nov. 23.—The discharge from employment by railways, iron works and other concerns in the eastern states, and the absence of immigration officers on the Niagara frontier, is resulting in the flooding of the district with men seeking work many reach Canada without a dollar. The police and railway officials of the United States are eager to be rid of them, and help them across, but resist sternly any attempt to return. Only those who are American citizens and cannot be denied admission are permitted to re-enter; on the rest a head tax of four dollars is demanded, which naturally they cannot pay. Beyond doubt hundreds of these men will spend the winter as vagrants in Canadian county jails.

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