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## The Civic Ideal

Boost your city, boost your friend;  
Boost the lodge that you attend,  
Boost the street on which you're dwelling,  
Boost the goods that you are selling,  
Boost the people round about you,  
They can get along without you,  
But success will quicker find them  
If they know that you're behind them.  
Boost for every forward movement,  
Boost for every new improvement,  
Boost the man for whom you labor,  
Boost the stranger and the neighbor,  
Cease to be a chronic knocker,  
If you'd make your town the better,  
Boost it to the final letter.

## LOCAL HAPPENINGS

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

**NEXT Friday is Emancipation Day. SOLDIERS' DAY at Watford, Wednesday, August 20.**

Read the Guide-Advocate Want Column on page 4.

**THE FORIST FREE PRESS** is taking a holiday this week.

**BLESSED** is the man whose watch keeps church time as well as business time.

A GOOD STOCK of Ladies white wear, wels, hosiery and gloves.—SWIFT'S.

MOST of the new fall wheat tested runs slightly under standard, being somewhat shrunken on account of continued dry weather.

"Why is it," asks the London Free Press, "that some people feel that the high prices for what they sell are right, but high prices for what they buy are wrong?"

**MOTORISTS** should remember that the new law which permits increased speed in both town and country calls also for reduced speed at the corners and crossings.

**THE FORDSON TRACTOR** has dropped in price from \$975 to \$825 f.o.b. Watford. Now is the time to get one.—RAY MORNINGSTAR.

**SEVERAL FRIENDS** from Watford went out to Sutorville last week to help Mr. Rich. Williamson thresh the crop from his 30 acres of wheat. The grain turned out well, yielding over 1000 bushels.

**G. W. WILLIAMSON** writing from Bear Lake, Alberta, to renew his subscription says:—"I could not get along without the home paper. The crops in this Peace River country are looking fine and hopes are high for a bumper crop."

ONE of the City League baseball teams will be here Friday evening to try conclusions with the Watford nine. The game is called for 6.15 and will likely be a fast one. Turn out and root for the boys. They are living things up in the sporting line and deserve to be patronized.

**THIRTY THOUSAND** black bass fry were placed in the Sydenham river at Alvington this week. In the course of a few years these should afford some fine fishing for the sportsmen of the district. The fry were secured by Dr. Martyn, M. P., from the government hatchery.

**WHITE and Black Silk Hosiery** at 60 cents, best value in Canada.—SWIFT'S.

**THE net profits** of the Oglivie Milling Company on the common stock last year were 71 per cent. The total net profits amounted to \$1,955,515. The company paid 12 per cent on the common stock, gave a bonus of 15 per cent and carried forward \$1,140,414. A very good explanation of the high price of bread.

**WEDNESDAY, Aug. 20th** is the date selected for holding a Soldiers' Day in Watford, when presentations will be made and a general welcome extended to all those who have been in khaki. In connection with this an extensive program of sports will be given. It will likely be the biggest day Watford has had for many years.

**NEVER** in the history of the town has a holiday been more conscientiously observed than was Peace Day. Every business house in the place was closed, which showed that every person was willing to sacrifice the chance of making a few dollars for the boys who have sacrificed lives, comfort and happiness that we might be free.

**THERE** will be no evening service in the Congregational church, Watford, this Sunday. Let the friends remember and rally to the morning service at 11 a. m., when the pastor, the Rev. T. DeCourcy Kayner, will preach on "The Tears of the Penitent," this being the fifth of the series of "Songs of the Heart." Every welcome.

**If you have failed** in your exams, don't don't worry, girls and boys; There's other things in life besides exam, promotion joys, I'd sooner have a boy or girl, alive and full of fun, Than a dead one with diplomas plastered over them, by gum.

**THE mother** was putting her child to bed, if you will be real quiet, she said, I will tell you the story about the prince who killed a dragon and rescued a beautiful princess. O mother, protested the child, that story is too undemocratic for the present day. Tell me the Fairy Tale about the government official who killed the profiteer and rescued the ultimate consumer.

**FOR USED FORD CARS** see R. MORNINGSTAR, Watford Garage.

**MR. S. VROOMAN**, senior student at Huron College, will conduct the service in Trinity church next Sunday evening.

**ACCORDING** to district orders no youth under 18 years of age will be accepted in the permanent force of Canada without the written consent of his parents or guardian.

**THE following Watford candidates** were successful in passing the Faculty Examination which entitles them to Grade B First Class Certificate.—Margaret Forster and Celestine McManus.

**A MEETING** of Temperance workers was held in the Methodist church last Thursday evening. As the list of officers and committees was not completed the names cannot be published until after an adjourned meeting.

**PEARODY LODGE, I. O. O. F.**, will meet on Monday evening next, when D. G. M. Robinson of Melbourne, will be present to install the officers. Lunch will be served. A full attendance requested. Visiting brethren welcome.

**FORD size** guaranteed tires at \$17.00 up.—RAY MORNINGSTAR.

**BASEBALL**—Watford boys won an easy victory over Theford here Wednesday afternoon, the score running up to 10-0. The local boys are getting into excellent shape and are now ready to meet any team in the district.

**AUTO OWNERS** do not rank high as law abiders. During the nine months from January to October last year there were 10,086 persons convicted in Ontario of violations under the Motor Vehicles Act. These penalties to the amount of \$71,476.75 and costs amounting to \$16,468.00.

**THE TENNIS** season was officially opened in town on Tuesday afternoon when the ladies members served tea at the court of W. J. Thompson's lot on Ontario street. About fifty guests were present and enjoyed watching several very good exhibition matches, both ladies' and men's doubles. Mr. C. Roche of Montreal, who has won three tennis trophies, played in several games in fine form. Treasurer F. O. McIvreen reported the receipts \$23. Those who wish to add their names to the membership list please apply to Mr. McIvreen. Fee for gentlemen \$1.50, for ladies \$1.00.

**ALL local municipalities** are being flooded with pamphlets circulated by the committee in charge of the prohibition campaign in Ontario. Advising the electors to vote "no" on the four questions that will appear on the ballot papers, when the prohibition referendum is held in the fall, the pamphlets state that 120 municipalities of the province have been well organized to defeat attempts of the liquor party to obtain modification of the Ontario Temperance Act. More than a million of the pamphlets have been printed and until the eve of the vote, these, and other literature will be continually in circulation.

**THE Winter Fair Board** are figuring on a building in Petrolia for the accommodation of the Corn Show and other shows and meetings in which the farmers of Lambton are closely connected and interested. It is expected that the building will cost at least \$3,000. As this structure will be of considerable benefit to the public Dr. Martyn, M. P., undertook to interview the Department at Toronto with the object of getting a grant from the government to assist in the undertaking, and succeeded in getting the promise of a sum equal to the amount spent by the Board, which would be at least \$1,500 provided the building cost \$3,000, or fifty-fifty if that amount is exceeded. Dr. Martyn was also instrumental in getting an annual grant of \$350 for the Grain Growers' Association and also \$250 for the Fruit and Vegetable growers.

**THE** different associations and Dr. Martyn is entitled to the thanks of the community for his efforts in securing them.

## The Late Mrs. George Zavitz

**Another** of Brooke's pioneers passed to the Great Beyond on Sunday morning, July 13th, in the person of Jane Borley, wife of George Zavitz, Wall street. She was born in Caradoc Township on June 2, 1835. On August 31st, 1856, she was married to George Zavitz, of Brooke, with him settled in the township of Brooke on the farm now owned by their son, John Zavitz, Walnut. With her husband she endured all the hardships of the pioneer, as this part of the country was at that time covered with bush, and in 1860 retired to Watford. Since early childhood she was a devoted member of the Baptist Church.

She is survived by her husband and three daughters: Mrs. Wm. Marwick, Watford; Mrs. J. J. Ross, Rodney; Mrs. Wm. Weed, Brooke, and one son, John, of Brooke. Two daughters, Electa and Mrs. Fred Coke, predeceased her over twenty years ago.

The funeral took place from the residence Tuesday, July 15th, at 2 p. m., to the Alvington cemetery. The service was conducted by Rev. A. A. Barnes, assisted by Rev. Kayner and Rev. Fortner. Rev. Barnes took as his text, Psalm 116: 15, "Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints." This was an especially suitable text to those who knew and loved her best.

The pallbearers were six grandsons, Russel Coke, Roy Coke, Oscar Ross, Earl Weed, Ward Zavitz and Bruce Marwick.

## PERSONAL

**Mr. Ross Annett** left Saturday for Wetaskiwin.

**Dr. and Mrs. Sawers** are enjoying a trip down the St. Lawrence.

**Miss Louisa Dodds** is visiting her friend Miss Gertie Parker of Leamington.

**Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Bodaly**, London, spent the week end with relatives in town.

**Mr. and Mrs. Manfred Thompson** are spending the week end with friends in Toronto.

**Miss Rheta Johnson**, St. Williams, spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. C. H. Butler.

**Nursing Sister Clara Tye**, who returned from overseas last week is visiting at her home here.

**Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Fuller**, London, spent the weekend at Mr. W. S. Fuller's, Simcoe street.

**Mrs. F. H. Just** attended the funeral of the late Mr. Wm. O'Brien of Wyoming on Monday.

**Miss Louise Smith**, formerly on the Watford High School staff, is visiting relatives in town this week.

**Rev. S. P. Irwin** and Mrs. Irwin are spending a month's holiday with relatives in London and vicinity.

**Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Brundage**, Rochester, spent the week end with the latter's sister, Mrs. Wm. A. Thompson.

**Miss Nellie Loucks**, after an extended visit to relatives and friends in New York, returned to her home here.

**Miss Alberta Lovell** is spending her holidays with Miss Beth Leatherland at their summer cottage at Hillsboro.

**Mrs. (Dr.) Siddall** and family are spending a couple of weeks with her sister, Mrs. F. B. Clark, of Tryonville.

**Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Roche** and son, Norbert D., of Montreal, are spending their vacation with Mr. David Roche.

**Mr. and Mrs. Cecile Annett** and family, who have been visiting relatives for the past three weeks, returned to their home in Wetaskiwin, Alta.

**Mrs. E. L. Cull**, who has been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Loucks, returned to her home in Ballston Spa, N. Y. She was accompanied by her mother.

**Mrs. S. B. Howden** and her mother, Mrs. Dougherty, left on Wednesday for Watford where they will make their home in future. They leave behind them many warm friends.

**Pt. A. J. McKenzie**, of the American E. P., spent a few days in town with his sons, Wm. T. McCormick, Miss Phoebe Saunders and other relatives, en route to his home in Seattle, Washington.

## BROOKE

**SOLDIERS' DAY, WATFORD, AUG. 20.** Reserve the date.

**Mrs. Alvin Copeland**, Sutorville, is in London this week having an operation on her tonsils.

**Mr. and Mrs. Allan Eadie**, of London, spent Sunday with the latter's uncle, Mr. J. W. Bryce, and also called on other relatives in the section.

**IN TO-DAY**—Silk poplin dresses in navy and black, 16 and 18 year old sizes, factory overmarks, regular \$17.50 for \$12.00 and \$13.00.—SWIFT'S.

**Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Johnston** of London, and Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Mizellbrook, of Bridgen spent Sunday with the latter's sister, Mrs. John H. Lucas.

**Mrs. Frank Lucas** and little daughter Merle spent the week end with London friends. They were accompanied by Mr. E. E. Showler who recently returned from overseas.

A number of the people of Sutorville district spent Peace Day in Sarnia, others were stook threshing, and as the old saying goes, others stayed at home to "make hay while the sun shines."

**Miss Ada Lucas Sutorville**, who went to Victoria Hospital, London, last Thursday to have an operation on her tonsils, returned home Sunday. Her many friends hope to see her soon restored to her usual good health.

**Mr. and Mrs. John Parker**, of Regina, are renewing old times with relatives and friends in this neighborhood—the place of their birth. Mr. Parker is a member of the Provincial Parliament of Saskatchewan.

The death occurred after a long illness at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Herbert Johnston, Brooke, on Thursday, July 3rd of Mrs. W. A. Graham, a pioneer of the 4th line of Enniskillen, and was well known in the community. The late Mrs. Graham, whose maiden name was Agnes Stewart, was born in Lanark County fifty-seven years ago. After her marriage to W. A. Graham on August 1, 1883, she moved to Warwick township where Mr. Graham taught school. In 1888 they moved to the 4th line where they resided until shortly before her death. Her husband, two daughters and six sons mourn her loss: Mrs. Jos. R. Yorke, Moosejaw; Mrs. Herbert Johnston, Brooke; Clyde, 4th line; Stewart, of Inroquois Falls; Alex. Russell, Will and George at home. The funeral was held on Saturday afternoon from her late residence to Alvington cemetery. The six sons acted as pallbearers. The service was conducted by Revs. Streeter, Loveday and Campbell.

## SOLDIERS' DAY AT WATFORD

Wednesday, August 20th, 1919

The various committees in charge of the arrangements for a Reception and Welcome Home to the boys who have been fighting or were willing to fight our battles overseas are gradually getting things into shape, and the date for holding the same has been fixed for Wednesday, August 20th, when it is the intention of the citizens of Watford to give the boys who have worn the khaki a reception and home-coming welcome that they will not soon forget. Nothing is too good for the men who have risked their lives for our comfort and safety, and the people are anxious to show their appreciation of the sacrifices so willingly made by our young men. But everything aside for this event. It will be a big day in Watford.

## CHOP STUFF

**SOLDIERS' DAY, WATFORD, AUG. 20.** Reserve the date.

Glencoe public school board increased Principal McMullen's salary \$200.

Only 25 per cent of a normal crop of apples is the outlook for this year by orchardists.

**Wm. Geddes** has donated six concrete water troughs to be placed at different localities in Strathroy.

This summer, according to the Toronto Observatory, has so far made a heat record without precedent in 70 years.

On the farm of Henry Swain, near Eagle, Ont., 1,863 boxes of strawberries were picked in one day by eleven pickers.

A young girl offered for adoption near Niagara Falls, secured over sixty applications. Looks as if there is a great demand to have children by proxy than to raise a family of one's own.

**Miss Teresa Donnelly**, daughter of Mrs. Gertrude Donnelly, of Alvington, was married in Holy Rosary cathedral, Regina, to Mr. Anthony Haughiam of Kamusack, Sask.

**Frank Fraser**, aged 17, an employee of the Imperial Oil Co., at Sarnia, was drowned in the river on Tuesday night. His parents live in Wyoming.

**Pt. George McLean**, a deserter from the 14th C. E. F. Battalion, was apprehended at Windsor on July 11, and has been posted to No. 1 detachment, C. G. R.

The cigar and tobacco business conducted for many years in Sarnia under the name of Wm. Storey will in future be known as Geo. Storey & Sons, Mr. Wm. Storey retiring.

Following a kick from a cow which she was milking which caused the fracture of several ribs and internal injuries, the death took place of Mrs. Margaret Robinson of Hatchley, 65 years of age.

While in Blake's blacksmith shop, Theford, a horse which made a sudden plunge to get away from a kicking mate, struck John Neilson and knocked him down. He was unconscious for some time, and the shock also affected his heart. His foot and leg was also injured.

Aerial mail routes were operated in the U. S. during the month of June with almost perfect efficiency, the post office department said in a statement Friday night. On the Chicago-Cleveland division machines flew 19,825 miles, and carried 19,663 pounds of mail without a single failure to meet schedules. The average speed of mail planes on that route was 97.8 miles per hour.

An experienced thresherman called our attention last week to an article in the Farmers' Advocate to the effect that some farmers make the mistake of cutting grain too green. Green cut shrinks in the head, and it is next to impossible to get all the grain out of the straw, even though the machine is closed up so tight that much ripe grain is cracked in threshing. In such cases the blame is often placed on the thrasher, when in reality the loss is due to cutting the grain before it is ripe.

**BORN**

In Wyoming, July 6th, to Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Mason, (nee Annot Caughlin) a daughter, Mary Marguerite.

**MARRIED**

At the residence of the bride's parents, London Road, on Thursday, July 17th, 1919, by the Rev. Geo. Jewitt, LaNimia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Canten, to Laverne Hoskins, V. S., of Sarnia.

In Plympton, on Saturday, July 5th, by 1919, by the Rev. Mr. Gazley, Robt. Walker McKeller, of Glencoe, to Miss Marguerite May Farris, sister of Mrs. David Wellington, of Camlachie.

**DIED**

In Strathroy, on Monday morning, July 14, 1919, William A. McKeen, aged 41 years.

In Plympton, on Tuesday, July 8th, Mary Elizabeth Williamson, beloved wife of John McDougall, in the 51st year of her age.

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## WATFORD PEACE CELEBRATION

Peace Day was quietly and reverently observed in Watford. There was no spontaneous outburst or surface excitement. The spirit of the day was tinged by memories of the men for whom there was no home coming, while the citizens quietly did honor to the men who had made a Peace Day possible. The proceedings were tempered with dignity, thoughtful people showing their thankfulness for the goodness of God and the achievements of the Allies by attending the service held in Armory.

About 9.30 the children assembled at the public school and under the supervision of Principal Sharpnell paraded the principal streets. Some exceedingly pretty and appropriate patriotic costumes and numerous flags were in evidence, but the absence of music of any kind made the procession a very quiet affair, and on that account it passed along without being seen by many people. The march ended at the Armory, most of the children remaining there for the religious service. This was carried out according to the published program, the only exception being the absence of Rev. A. A. Barnes.

In the afternoon a baseball match was played in the park between the London Blues and the Watford team which resulted in favor of the home team by a score of 7 to 6. In the evening fireworks were set off in front of several residences. The weather was exceedingly hot and many citizens went lakeward for the day.

## WARWICK

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Miss Rheta Higgins spent the week end in Sarnia.

Many of the Warwick farmers attended the Peace Celebrations in London and Sarnia on Saturday.

Divine service (D. V.) will be held in St. Paul's Church, Wisbeach, next Sunday, July 27th at 7.30 p. m.

**Miss G. W. Sanborn**, New Lathrop, Michigan, spent last week with her cousin, Miss Rheta Higgins.

**Mrs. R. A. Dennis**, Shawville, Que., spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. G. A. Westgate, 4th line.

The Warwick township voters' list has been printed and posted up. Take a look at it and see that your name is there and if not take the necessary steps to overcome the omission. The list contains 850 names, \$15 in the first part and 144 in the second.

**Misses Annie Ross**, Anna Auld and Millie Barnes of the Main Road, have returned from a trip up the Lakes to Mackinac Island and neighboring resorts. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Stephenson and son Ross of Detroit.

A quiet, but pretty wedding was solemnized at the Methodist parsonage, Wyoming, Saturday, July 12th, at high noon, when Gladys Pearl Luckins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Luckins, of Wyoming, became the bride of Mr. James Garside, of Warwick township. The bride looked charming in a dress of pretty white voile and lace trimmings, and carried a bouquet of pink roses. The happy young couple will reside on the groom's farm, Warwick Township.

There will be two services in the Zion Congregational Church, Warwick, on Sunday. At 2.30 p. m. the Rev. Mr. Bowen of the Bible Society will preach; and at 7.30 p. m. the pastor, the Rev. T. DeCourcy Kayner, will deliver the first of his messages on "Prophecy and the Present World Crisis," the topic being "World Peace, is it Possible Just Now?" Can the League of Nations make war impossible, and thus end wars forever? Bring your Bible and come to hear this important and interesting message.

**Mr. Richard Adams**, Main Road, met with a painful accident on Thursday afternoon of last week, which will confine him to the house for many weeks. He was drawing in grain and stopped his horses near the barn for the preceding wagon to unload. While stepping down from the load he slipped and fell, breaking his leg between hip and knee. As the distance he fell was only about three feet it is supposed that one of the horses kicked him, causing the fracture. Dr. Newell was called and reduced the fracture and at last accounts Mr. Adams was doing nicely although suffering much pain. His brother Thomas is looking after the harvesting and other work of the farm.

The funeral of the late Albert Murray Williamson, who died in Sarnia on Sunday, was held from the family residence, 115 Christina street south, Wednesday at 2.00. Service was conducted at the house by Rev. J. J. Paterson, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. At Wyoming cemetery, where the funeral was held, Rev. Mr. McLeod, of Wyoming, conducted the service. The pallbearers were Messrs. T. McCormick, C. McCormick, N. McPhedran, R. Williamson, C. Owens and S. Wiltonghy. The deceased, who was the son of the late Murray and Mrs. E. A. Williamson, was aged 24 years and nine months, and was an employee of the G. T. R. Surviving are his mother, two sisters, Mrs. Stapleford, Watford, and Miss Vina, at home, and a brother, Cecil, at home.

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car, in which were Mayor L. Dampier and Very Rev. Dean L. Tucker, of London. The position in the parade was given to L. O. B. A., of Sarnia, which consisted of ladies dressed in white wearing bunches of orange and blue colored ribbons.

Over an hour the procession proceeded to march through the streets but finally the head of the column turned toward Alexandria where the speeches of the day were to be held. Over 6000 people were assembled there to take part in the celebration.

Tucker of London, was the principal speaker, the other speakers being Mayor L. H. Dampier, Reeves, Rev. W. H. Graham, of London, who acted as chairman, and Rev. S. F. Robinson, of Strathroy.

## PLESS, PEEVISH GIRLS

A girl in her teens becomes listless and dull, when nothing interests her and dainties tempt her appetite, you may be sure that she needs more good than her system is provided. Before long her pallid cheeks, headache, and breathless heart palpitation will combat her anemic. Many of these are the result of their own experience can promptly detect early signs of anaemia, and a mother does not wait for a child to develop further, but at once has her daughter a course with Williams' Pink Pills, which replenish blood supply and banish a before it has obtained a foothold on the system.

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That does not seem to be recognized is that a tree in front of a piece of property subject to municipal control is very clearly stated in the Tree Planting Act which makes no provision for the property owner or commissioner (or otherwise) of the property adjacent to the tree. Such is the case also tree left standing on the lot.

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**Chief Cause of Unrest**

According to a resolution placed before the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church for debate, "selfish and vulgar display of wealth, at a time when our resources are required to meet the needs of the world," is one of the chief causes of the present unrest.

It might be difficult to prove that it is the chief cause, but no doubt it is one of the factors in the problem. The whole world has been disturbed by the war. It is difficult to get back to normal ways of thinking, and, for the present, impossible to get back to normal ways of living. To the minds of a great many people the war appears as marking the end of an old order of things and the beginning of a new day. In such process of transition there is bound to be unrest.

But, no doubt, the vulgar display of riches, especially of riches accumulated during the war, has a tendency to intensify the restless feeling. For many people the war has meant sacrifice and suffering. For some it has meant the accumulation of money. The cost of living would be a heavy burden in itself; it is all the more difficult to bear with patience by the suspicion that it is unnecessarily high and by the evidence afforded that some people are but lightly affected by it. The man who finds it difficult enough to keep his shoes patched so that his feet may be protected from the hard pavement, is not likely to be reconciled to his lot by the sight of his neighbor skimming along luxuriously in a new car of the latest model.—Woodstock Sentinel-Review

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**Newspaper Subscriptions**

"I subscribed," says an enquirer in the legal columns of The Toronto Mail and Empire, "for a local paper for one year and paid for it. After that they kept on sending the paper to me for three years and now demand payment. Am I liable?"

The following is the answer: "It is difficult for a newspaper manager to keep in mind the date when the subscription of any subscriber will expire. Naturally the circulation department continues to send the paper expecting to hear from the subscriber if any change is to be made, or if the paper is to be stopped. If the subscriber continues to take the paper from the post office after the time of his subscription has run

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and this is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Medicine that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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**First Transatlantic Steamship.**

The first steamship that succeeded in crossing the Atlantic Ocean was the Savannah, a vessel of about 350 tons burden, measuring 100 feet in length. She was built in New York city by Francis Pickett in 1818, and was a full-rigged ship, with side paddle wheels that could be unshipped and taken on deck in stormy weather. Under command of Captain Stevens Rogers, this vessel sailed from Savannah on May 20, 1819; but did not venture on the high seas until the 25th of the month. She reached Liverpool on June 20, after an ocean voyage of 26 days, during sixteen of which she used her paddles. Off Cape Clear she was mistaken for a ship on fire and was pursued by the British cutter Kite. The Savannah afterward visited St. Petersburg, Copenhagen, Stockholm and other foreign ports. Captain Rogers, having failed to dispose of his vessel to the King of Sweden, started for home, and reached Savannah on November 30, 1819. The engines and boilers were afterward removed and the ship was used as a sailing packet between New York and Savannah. She was finally wrecked off the south coast of Long Island.

**Wood as Fuel.**

Experiments on wood as part substitute for coal in gas making have been carried out in France. The wood used was sea pine in the form of billets cut from the middle of the trunk. The charge of the wood was about half the weight of that of coal, and carbonization occupied half the usual time. When running one report with wood to every two with coal, no appreciable difference in the calorific power of the gas was noted. Of the two by-products—small coke and tar—the former amounted to 5 to 10 per cent.

**BOSANQUET COUNCIL.**

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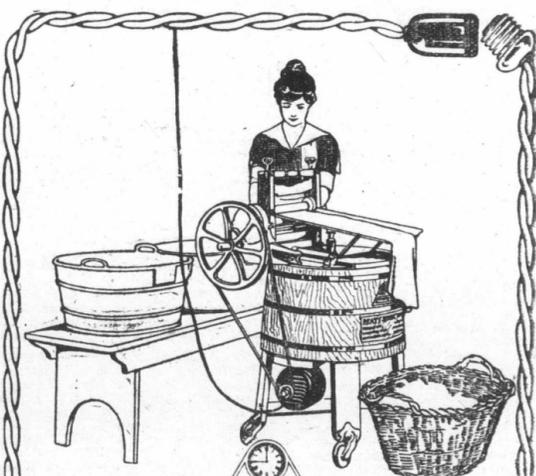
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Council adjourned to meet on Monday, August 4th at 10 a. m.  
GEO. SUTHERLAND, Clerk.

**The Food Value of Cheese**

Cheese is the only real substitute for meat. Bread and cheese is, indeed, a most perfect diet. Men have habitually done many hours' hard manual work with bread and cheese as their chief food. Margarine is a fairly satisfactory alternative for butter. There is no substitute for cheese. The two principal dairying provinces of Canada are Quebec and Ontario, the former leading in the production of creamery butter and the latter in the production of factory cheese. Out of a total of 3,446 creameries and cheese factories in Canada, 1,984 are in Quebec. The total number of patrons of dairy farmers, supplying milk and cream is 221,192, of whom 79,145 are in Quebec.



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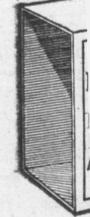
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## Tired Nervous Mothers

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**Buffalo, N. Y.**—"I am the mother of four children, and for nearly three years I suffered from a female trouble with pains in my back and side, and a general weakness. I had professional attendance most of that time but did not seem to get well. As a last resort I decided to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound which I had seen advertised in the newspapers, and in two weeks noticed a marked improvement. I continued its use and am now free from pain and able to do all my household work."—Mrs. B. B. ZIELINSKA, 202 Weiss Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

**Portland, Ind.**—"I had a displacement and suffered so badly from it at times I could not be on my feet at all. I was all run down and so weak I could not do my housework, was nervous and could not lie down at night. I took treatments from a physician but they did not help me. My Aunt recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I tried it and now I am strong and well again and do my own work and I give Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound the credit."—Mrs. JOSEPHINE KIMBLE, 935 West Race Street, Portland, Ind.

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Ask about the LITTLE DRAFTSMAN that turns on the drafts and regulates them automatically.



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### Profits on Strawberries

A recent bulletin of the Department of Agriculture gives the following particulars regarding the profits made on raising strawberries:—At the Agricultural College, Truro, N. S., the fruit was sold in 1918 at 17 cents a box, and the net profit per acre was \$304.52. Col. O. W. Wetmore, Clifton, N. B., sold his fruit at 20 cents a box in 1918, and his profit per acre was \$767. At MacDonald College, Que., the fruit sold for 10 1/2 cents a box in 1917, and the net profit per acre was \$284. In 1918 the price obtained was 18 1/2 cents a box, and the profit was \$280. Although the price obtained per box in 1918 was nearly twice as much as in 1917, the crop of 1918 was less than half that of 1917, so that the profits of the two years were nearly the same. Geo. A. Davenport, Hammond, B. C., received 10 cents a pound for his fruit in 1918. He estimates the net profits on his fruit at \$165.25, but valuing the plants available for setting out a new plantation in 1919 at \$50, his total net profit is \$215.25. His cost for boxes includes crating. As he sold his fruit to a local canning factory he was saved the cost of boxes and crates charged in above table. The value of plants available for a new plantation the following year has not been estimated in the above figures by other growers, but should be taken into consideration.

The prices obtained for strawberries in 1918 were abnormally high, and 10 cents a box would probably be more like the price they are likely to bring when conditions are more normal.

Hard and soft corns both yield to Holway's Corn Cure, which is entirely safe to use, and certain and satisfactory in its action.

The joys we expect are not so bright, nor the troubles so dark as we fancy they will be.

### Germans Lost Mighty Fleet

WHAT has become of the mighty merchant marine of Germany, second only to that of Great Britain until July 31, 1914? A melancholy view of the events that befell it in these four years and a half is given by the Kolnische Zeitung. According to it, out of the five and a half millions of the total German tonnage about three and a half millions of tons were, in the moment of the war's outbreak, in foreign waters. Of this, again, two and a half millions were, for the time being, rescued from the enemy by seeking refuge in the nearest neutral port, whence, however, the ships could not emerge without running the risk of being captured.

This tonnage of two and a half millions interned in neutral ports, was divided among the different countries as follows:

Ports.	Tons.
United States	620,000
Portuguese	230,000
Dutch	180,000
Brazilian	239,000
Chilean	320,000
Spanish	207,000
Italian	170,000
Turkish	73,000
Argentine	64,000
Norwegian	50,000
Peruvian	43,000
Uruguayan	43,000
Mexican	38,000
Chinese	21,000
Greek	18,000
Siamese	18,000
Cuban	16,000
Colombian	15,000
Danish colonial	8,000

Of the remaining one million tons in foreign waters, 550,000 were safe in Austrian waters, 259,000 were captured in enemy ports, 259,000 were seized on the high seas and 65,000 captured in German colonial ports conquered by the Allies.

As the course of the war this situation changed rapidly. To the two millions of tons which at the beginning of hostilities were safe in home ports were soon added 125,000 tons seized in the conquered Belgian ports, 75,000 gained in Russia and 24,000 tons of originally German-owned shipping safely conveyed back from Norway. With the entrance of Turkey into the war the 73,000 tons in Turkish ports became safe, even though they could not reach home. In this way 300,000 tons were recovered. However, of this about one-third, 100,000 tons, were later lost.

As to the fate of German shipping in ports originally neutral the following statistics are given:

Tons.	Tons.
Totally lost.	950,000
Seized on the entrance into the war of the United States, Greece, China, Brazil, Siam and Cuba.	60,000
Surrendered to Spain and Holland by way of compensations for submarine sinkings.	8,000
Lost through the acquisition of the Danish West Indies by the United States.	1,018,000
Conditionally lost.	
Seized by Italy and Portugal prior to their belligerency, with German property rights not invalidated.	400,000
Impressed into service, but not absolutely confiscated, by Peru, Chile, Argentina and Uruguay.	225,000
Total.	625,000

According to the German paper, the seizure of German shipping by Italy and Portugal, undertaken before these countries entered the war, was accomplished by a somewhat uncertain provision of international law. Such seizures, it is claimed, either leaves the property rights of the original owner unaffected or else must be compensated for by payment of money.

This would leave, according to the German writer, something like 750,000 tons of German shipping "untouched" in countries which preserved their neutrality to the end and refrained from the practice of impressing.

Tons.	Tons.
In safety.	2,000,000
Neutral ports.	750,000
New construction during the war.	1,000,000
Total.	3,750,000
In foreign possession, with German property rights reserved:	
Seized by Italy and Portugal.	400,000
Seized in South America.	225,000
Surrendered under Turkish treaty.	65,000
Total.	690,000
Total of shipping still under German proprietorship.	4,540,000
Lost.	834,000
Seized by belligerents of later date.	950,000
Surrendered to Spain and Holland.	60,000
Total.	1,844,000

Of course the status of German shipping seized by Italy and Portugal is not quite so clear as the German writer assumes. The writer in the Kolnische Zeitung is himself aware that difficulties may be expected, as his resigned remark testifies: "These statistical data demonstrate what does rightfully belong to Germany. What we actually will be permitted to retain the future only can show."

A deathhouse for women has just been completed in Sing Sing prison. Excuses never turned failure into a success.

**Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA**

Twenty Years in One Room. If we devote, on an average, eight hours to sleep, says Sir St. Clair Thomson, the English throat and nose specialist, a third at least of our 24-hour day is spent indoors, and each individual who reaches sixty years of life will have passed no less than twenty years of his existence in the one and only room where he is likely to be sole arbiter of the ventilation. Unless there are exceptional conditions, the windows of every sleeping room should be wide open all night and every night. The blinds should be drawn up, otherwise, from their valve-like action, they will only permit intermittent and uncertain ingress of fresh air while the only egress for devalitized air is by the inadequate route of the chimney.

Old Songs. Who can fittingly describe the warmth of feeling, the awakening of tender memories that come to us when we hear an old song—one that we have known and loved in other years? asks David Bispham. In this we find a sentiment at once true and deep—a sentiment it may be of the romantic, weaving its magic in unromantic lives like our own.



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WILL KILL MORE FLIES THAN \$8 WORTH OF ANY STICKY FLY CATCHER

Clean to handle. Sold by all Drug-gists, Grocers and General Stores.

**COUNTY OF LAMBTON**  
**Treasurer's Notice as to Lands Liable for Sale for taxes for 1919.**

TAKE NOTICE that the list of lands in the County of Lambton liable for sale for the arrears of taxes by the Treasurer of the County of Lambton has been prepared by me and that copies thereof may be had in the office of the County Treasurer.

And further take notice, that the list of lands for sale as aforesaid is now being published in the Ontario Gazette in the issues thereof bearing date the 12th, 19th, and 26th days of July and 2nd day of August, 1919.

And further take notice that in default of payment of the taxes in arrears upon the lands specified in said list, together with the costs chargeable thereon as set forth in the said list, so being published in the Ontario Gazette before the day fixed for sale of such lands, being the 18th day of October A. D. 1919, the said lands will be sold for the taxes pursuant to the terms of the advertisement in the Ontario Gazette.

And further take notice that this publication is made pursuant to Assessment Act Revised Statutes of Ontario 1914, Chapter 195, Section 149 sub. sec. 3.

Dated at Sarnia this 5th day of July, A. D. 1919.

H. INGRAM,  
County Treasurer of County of Lambton.

**LAMBTON FARMS WANTED**

The 9th list of Farms for Sale in Lambton County will be published by the Lambton Publicity Association on the 8th day of August 1919. Farms that appeared in the last list will re-appear in the forthcoming list if request be sent to the Secretary before above date and present price of farm stated. These lists will have wide circulation at the Canadian National Exposition, Toronto, and other places of concourse.

Those who have farms for sale will please send a full description, the price, and post office address of owner, to the undersigned, in order that the parties enquiring may be brought into personal touch with those who have land to sell.

There will be no charge or commission of any kind, and the parties furnishing descriptions are not bound in any way. Give details as to situation, lot numbers and concession, acreage, roads, improvements, soil distance from churches and schools, towns, railways, telephone service, etc., that would be of interest to prospective purchasers at a distance. When sale of farm takes place please notify the Secretary so that it may be struck off the list. Parties offering large farms, suitable for fruit growing, would do well to offer them in lots of 15 to 50 acres. The Publicity Association exists for the purpose of advertising Lambton County and for no other purpose. It consists largely of members of the County Council and the expense of advertising is paid by the County.

The information is wanted for the purpose of placing a list of farms in the hands of those who wish to buy and who have written to the Secretary in answer to general advertisements and descriptions of Lambton county which have been published in various newspapers in Canada, the United States and Britain.

The description may be sent by mail to R. Sturtevant, Petrolia, Secretary of the publicity Association not later than Wednesday, August 8th, 1919.

It is usually safe to say that when a child is pale, sickly, peevish and restless, the cause is worms. These parasites range the stomach and intestines, causing serious disorders of the digestion and preventing the infant from deriving sustenance from food. Miller's Worm Powders, by destroying the worms, corrects these faults of the digestion and serve to restore the organs to healthy action.

**Fall Fair Dates—1919**

- Strathroy—Sept. 15, 16, 17.
- Petrolia—Sept. 18, 19, 20.
- Sarnia—Sept. 22, 23, 24.
- Wyoming—Sept. 25, 26.
- Wilkesport—Sept. 25, 26.
- Glencoe—Sept. 25, 26.
- Bridgen—Sept. 29, 30.
- Forest—Oct. 1, 2.
- Florence—Oct. 2, 3.
- Alvinston—Oct. 7, 8.
- WATFORD—Oct. 9, 10.

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**NOTE AND COMMENT**

The Ontario Government has passed regulations to give both municipal and Provincial authorities wider powers for the protection of birds. The value of birds to man is explained in a pamphlet issued by the Canadian Society for the protection of birds.

In Australia the extreme section of the Labor party is trying to form One Big Union by paralyzing the shipping trade and all industries which depend on a regular supply of coal, but the Australasian of Sydney says that the plan has met with strenuous opposition from the more sober-minded leaders and their followers.

The British Government is losing more than \$300,000,000 a year on operation of the railways. The increases in wages have in most cases far outstripped the increase in the cost of living, high as it is, and the railwaymen's union, as one of the triple Alliance, is making more demands. To take a sum like that out of patriotic taxpayers every year, to pay excessive costs of operation, is indeed a tax on patriotism.

The hardware merchants of Owen Sound have adopted the cash basis of doing business. Goods ordered by phone are sent C. O. D. Their system also includes all plumbing orders. Two reasons are assigned for the change: the wholesalers are insisting upon prompt remittances, while the enormous cost of stocks renders it next to impossible for retailers to carry well assorted stocks and also several thousands of dollars, on their books. The cash system is gradually being introduced in many lines and it is the best plan for all concerned.

A protest has recently been raised against the time-honored project of adopting the goldenrod as the national flower of the United States on the ground that this plant is a cause of hay fever and hence nothing ought to be done that would encourage its prevalence. A statement has now been issued by Dr. O. Scheppergrell, on behalf of the American Hay-fever Prevention Association, in defence of the goldenrod. It is asserted that while the pollen of the goldenrod may cause trouble when applied directly to the nostrils or used in large quantities for room decorations, as a cause of hay-fever out of doors it is absolutely negligible. "It is one of our most beautiful flowers," says Dr. Scheppergrell, "and well merits its selection as the national flower of the United States."—Philadelphia Inquirer.

**BRITAIN'S DELIRIUM OF JOY**

Old London celebrated the return of a victorious peace with mad rejoicings. In her delirium of joy the great metropolis threw decorum to the winds and danced and shouted in the streets. Not since the days when Queen Victoria, of beloved memory, celebrated her golden jubilee had there been seen such revelry by day and night. Staid old Buckingham Palace threw custom and dignity to the winds and from her chaste facade there floated bunting and the flags of the Allies. The monarch and his queen, with the day's pomp at an end, hurried to the parks and the streets to witness if not to participate in the uncontrolled levity.

These outpourings are good for the nation and the empire. It would be unfortunate were they to end with the day that saw their birth. They must not and they will not. The buoyancy of the British people will carry them forward in a spirit of gladness and gratitude through generations. For this litheness of spirit is born of a great occasion. It is not merely that Germany, the arch-enemy, has been defeated and set aside. It is rather that the British nation has come to understand herself afresh and to be understood.

The motherland has come through a great trial. The skies had been never before so densely hung with masses of black cloud. There was not a home that was without its weight of deepest and continuing anxiety. But now the clouds have lifted, the skies have cleared, the warm sun bathes again the land and

people. Old causes of separation within and without have broken down. New ideals have been set up. Britain is no longer a nation where the race is only to the swift and the strong.—Ex.

**HARVEST CLOVER AND TIMOTHY SEED**

The Seed Commissioner has just returned from the International Convention of the Seed Trade Association held at Chicago, and reports that there is very real cause for prospective high prices in clover and timothy seeds for autumn delivery. Through the greater part of the clover seed districts of the United States and Western Ontario the new clover crop was destroyed by drouth in August of last year. The timothy acreage in the United States was also much reduced in order to grow wheat. There are practically no reserve supplies of clover seeds being carried over for next year, and timothy seed stocks are also very low.

Prices are soaring in consequence. Red clover seed on the Toledo market was quoted on June 8th at \$24.75 per bushel for autumn delivery, which is an advance of almost \$5.00 since May 16th. Timothy seed was quoted at \$13.50 per hundred pounds, and is advancing steadily.

Farmers in Eastern Canada who have clover or timothy crops, reasonably free from weeds with seeds difficult of separation, can depend on a strong demand for seed at unusually high prices. The Ontario Department of Agriculture is arranging to assist in the transportation of clover seed hullers, which can be spared from Western Ontario, to those counties in Eastern Ontario which have excellent clover crops for seed purposes. In Quebec, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia clover seed hullers are available for the use of farmers.

**Destroying Dandelions**

The yellow dandelion surely is a pest and the lawn mower has little effect on it, as the plant is perennial and perpetuates itself by a long tap root that penetrates far into the ground. Digging the weeds up one by one is a tedious task and often fails to accomplish a complete destruction, inasmuch as it is difficult to remove all the tenacious root.

A man who owns a pretty house and grounds describes a method of extermination that is easy to follow and is effective. It is simply to spray the dandelions with a solution made by dissolving iron sulphate in water.

The sulphate comes in granular form and should be used in the proportion of two pounds to a gallon of water.

One gallon of the solution will cover about 360 square feet. It can be applied from a sprinkling can or sprayer. The finer the spray and the better and more thoroughly the dandelions are soaked the surer will be the results. The best time to do the work is in the forenoon, after the dew has disappeared, and when fair weather seems probable for the next forty-eight hours. The solution should not be applied on a freshly mowed lawn, nor should the lawn be mowed or sprinkled for three days after the spray has been used.

If the dandelions are thick and have been allowed to go to seed it may be necessary to use the iron sulphate three or more times during the season.

**Mould on Canned Fruits**

If your fruits show mould do not be discouraged about that. Mould isn't dangerous. It is a vegetable growth, usually harmless, although it should not be eaten. Scrape off the mould, cook the jar contents slowly and you will find them safe. Even if a jar has started to ferment and is caught in time there is nothing but a rather unpleasant taste, the result of the formation of a small quantity of alcohol, and the canned goods are not harmful. Mould usually develops because the seal is defective. If mould is spreading through a large quantity of jars it may be entirely possible to scrape off the mould, remove the contents, reprocess them in clean jars with good rubbers, and have them keep well. Opening the jars after canning to put on the rubbers is responsible for much mould. Housekeepers must learn to keep rubbers on jars while they are being boiled. They must also be sure to use good rubbers

and test them if they are in any uncertainty. Buy the best rubbers, boil them hard for some time, say twenty minutes, and then cool them and pull them about. If they do not seem elastic do not use them. It pays to be certain of your rubbers.

**Children on Streets at Night**

The Children's Protection Act (8 Edw. c. 57, s. 19) which is well worth bringing to public notice, says:—"19.—(1) No child shall loiter in any public place after 9 o'clock in the evening or be there unless accompanied by his parent or guardian or an adult appointed by his parent or guardian. (2) A child found in a public place after the hour named in sub-section 1, unless so accompanied, may be warned to go home by any constable or probation officer or officer of a Children's Aid Society, and if after such warning the child is found loitering in a public place such child may be taken by the constable or officer to his home, or to the Children's shelter. (3.) A parent who permits his child to violate this Section shall for the first offence incur a penalty of \$1 without costs, and for a second offence \$2, and for a third, or any subsequent offence \$5.

**WANT COLUMN.**

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NOTICE is hereby given that I have transmitted or  
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or delivered of the list, made pursuant to said Act, of  
all persons appearing by the last revised assessment  
roll of the said Municipality to be entitled to vote in  
the said Municipality at elections for members of the  
Legislative Assembly, and at Municipal Elections;  
and that said list was first posted up at my office, at  
Warwick, on 25th day of July, 1919, and remains  
there for inspection, and I hereby call upon all  
voters to take immediate proceedings to have any  
errors or omissions corrected according to law.  
Dated at Warwick this 25th day of July, A. D., 1919  
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**ARKONA**  
**SOLDIERS' DAY, WATFORD, AUG. 20,**  
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Herbert George was home from Ottawa  
over the week end.  
Miss Kathleen Copeland, of London,  
is the guest of Miss Joyce Fuller.  
Monday's steady, heavy downpour  
will mean millions to this district, if not  
too late.  
Dr. and Mrs. Huffman left on Satur-  
day on an extended motor trip through  
the States.  
Principal Murray McLeish of Wingham  
Business College spent Sunday under the  
parental roof.  
Mr. and Mrs. Temple of Alvinston  
were the week-end guests of Mr. and  
Mrs. A. Augustine.

Mrs. (Dr.) Copeland, and Miss Ella  
and Mr. Brock Copeland were Arkona  
visitors on Sunday.  
Mrs. Jas. Jackson was called to Grand  
Rapids, Mich., on Thursday owing to  
the illness of her father.  
Mrs. Wm. Baldwin and two children,  
of Sarnia, spent the week end with re-  
latives in town.  
There will be a "Glory Song Service"  
in the Baptist Church, Sunday, 7.30 p.m.  
Cordial welcome.  
Mr. Ivan Crawford who has spent the  
past two months at his home here since  
his return from overseas left on Monday  
for Hamilton.  
Rev. R. J. Bowen, representing the  
Bible Society, will address a union meet-  
ing in the Baptist church next Sunday  
morning at 11 o'clock. All are welcome.  
Mr. Stephen Norton, of Drummond,  
Montana, after an absence of forty years,  
is back to his old home town, the guests  
of his sisters, Mesdames Davison and  
Hilborne.  
Commencing next Sunday service in  
the Arkona Presbyterian church will be  
held in the afternoon at 3 p.m. Sunday  
School at 2 p.m. The Rev. John Moore,  
of Strathroy, will occupy the Presby-  
terian pulpit the next four Sabbaths in  
the absence of Rev. G. B. Ratcliffe.

The Annual Union Service in Arkona  
churches in the interests of The Upper  
Canada Bible Society will be held Sun-  
day, 11 a. m., the 27th, in the Baptist  
church when the Rev. R. J. Bowen, re-  
presenting that organization for the world-  
wide spreading of the Word of God, will  
address the meeting. A special invitation  
to the young people of the different  
churches is extended.

A very successful garden party was  
held on the beautiful parsonage lawn of  
the Methodist church, Arkona, July 16, a  
large crowd being present. The Petrolea  
Orchestra supplied the instrumental  
music, Mrs. W. Williams and Miss L.  
Lucas sang with pleasing effect, while  
Mr. Steer of London sang several solos  
in good form and his readings were most  
enjoyable. The grounds were beautifully  
lit up with electric lights. The crowds  
were most orderly and the receipts quite  
satisfactory viz: \$160.00. Revs. King  
and Whalen gave interesting addresses.  
The pastor, Rev. J. Ball, occupied the  
chair.

ceived a pleasant surprise on the evening  
of the 11th, at the banquet in the Baptist  
Church when Miss Louie Percy read an  
address of congratulation and good wish-  
es in view of their recent entry into  
wedded life and Miss Grace Crawford  
presented them with a handsome arm  
chair on behalf of the congregation.  
Mr. Barnes replied in a brief and ap-  
propriate address. He has already found a  
large place in the hearts of the Watford,  
Calvary and Wyoming church people.  
Both he and his bride have been most  
devoted and efficient workers among the  
young people of the Sunday School and  
Union here.

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in the back means kidney trouble, but  
the best medical authorities agree that  
backache seldom or never has anything  
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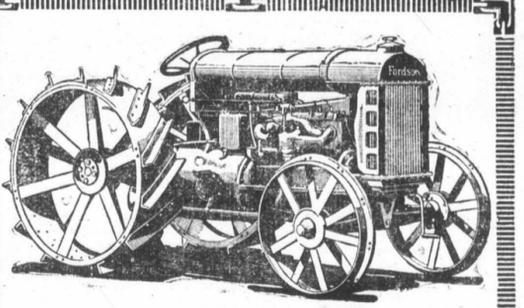
**KERWOOD**  
**SOLDIERS' DAY, WATFORD, AUG. 20**  
Reserve the date.  
Mr. J. M. Brunt has left for Angusville,  
Manitoba.  
Mrs. Robert Dell, of Sarnia is visiting  
friends here.  
Percy Tedball and Cecil Smith have  
returned from overseas.  
Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, Inwood, called  
on Mrs. Doan recently.  
Mr. Joe Wilson, of Chatham, is spend-  
ing a few days with Mrs. Blain.  
Mrs. Baker, of Ohio, is visiting her  
brother, Mr. John Richardson.  
Mr. and Mrs. Mills returned from a  
trip to Stratford and St. Marys.  
Miss Kathleen McQuaig, of Toronto, is  
visiting her aunt, Mrs. T. F. Mills.  
Mrs. Burdick and daughter Helen, of  
London, visited Mrs. W. McLaughlin.  
Mr. and Mrs. Richardson, Mt. Brydges,  
visited Mr. and Mrs. John Richardson.  
A few days ago a reception was held at  
the home of Mr. J. H. Richardson for  
DeLloyd Wright, and a very pleasant  
time was spent. His boy friends present-  
ed him with a camera.  
The Womens' Missionary society will  
hold an open meeting at the home of  
Mrs. Seymour Langford, on the 14th of  
August. A special program is being  
provided and luncheon served. Every  
one welcome.

**Wait Till Your Pa Comes Home**  
"Wait till your pa comes home!" oh,  
dear!  
What a dreadful threat for a boy to hear.  
Yet never a boy of three or four  
But has heard it a thousand times or  
more;  
"Wait till your pa comes home, my lad,  
And see what you'll get for being bad."  
"Wait till your pa comes home, you  
scamp!"  
You've soiled the walls with your fingers  
damp,  
You've tracked the floors with your  
muddy feet  
And fought with the boy across the  
street;  
You've torn your clothes and you look a  
sight!  
But wait till your pa comes home tonight.  
Now since I'm the pa of the daily threat  
Which paints me as black as a thing of  
jet,  
I rise in protest right here to say  
I won't be used in so fierce a way;  
No child of mine in the evening gloam  
Shall be afraid of my coming home.  
I want him waiting for me at night  
With eyes that glisten with real delight;  
When it's right that punished my boy  
should be  
I don't want the job postponed for me.  
I want to come home to a round of joy  
And not to frighten a little boy.  
"Wait till your pa comes home!" Oh,  
dear,  
What a dreadful threat for a child to  
hear.  
Yet that is ever a mother's way  
Of saving herself from a bitter day;  
And well she knows in the evening  
gloom  
That he won't be hurt when his pa comes  
home.  
—Edgar A. Guest.

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# The Gods of Mars

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### Prologue.

There are a few venturesome authors gifted with vivid imaginations who, like Alexander, sigh for new worlds to conquer, and they do it. H. G. Wells is one of these, and Edgar Rice Burroughs is another.

In his most recent and most fascinating work, "The Gods of Mars," the author lifts his readers to that interesting planet with an earth born hero who is mysteriously translated there.

As Mr. Burroughs reveals the condition of that planet, Mars is well named, for there is continuous warfare going on there of a most extraordinary kind. Wonderful air battles and wonderful war machines are described, and wonderful adventures are related.

Every page is full of color and incident, and every page has its thrill. With a touch of genius akin to that of Jules Verne, an air of reality is given to the marvelous, for here indeed is a marvelous story, and yet it might all have happened in Mars.

### Foreword.

TWELVE years had passed since I had laid the body of Captain John Carter of Virginia away from the sight of men in that strange mausoleum in the old cemetery at Richmond.

Often had I pondered on the odd instructions he had left me governing the construction of his mighty tomb, and especially those parts wherein he directed that he be laid in an open casket and that the ponderous mechanism which controlled the bolts of the vault's huge door be accessible only from the inside.

Twelve years had passed since I had read the remarkable manuscript of this remarkable man, this man who remembered no childhood and who could not even offer a vague guess as to his age, who was always young and yet who had—so he claimed—dandled my grandfather's great-grandfather upon his knee; this man who had spent ten years upon the planet Mars, who had fought for the green men of Barsoom and fought against them, who had fought for and against the red men and who had won the ever beautiful Dejah Thoris, princess of Hellum, for his wife and for nearly ten years had been a prince of the house of Tardos Mors, Jeddak of Hellum.

Twelve years had passed since his body had been found upon the bluff before his cottage overlooking the Hudson. Ofttimes during the long years I had wondered if John Carter were really dead or if he again roamed the dead sea bottoms of that dying planet. Had he returned to Barsoom to find that he had opened the frowning portals of the mighty atmosphere plant in time to save the countless millions who were dying of asphyxiation on that far gone day that had seen him hurtled ruthlessly through 48,000,000 miles of space back to earth once more?

I had wondered if he had found his black haired princess and the slender son he had dreamed of with her in the royal gardens of Tardos Mors awaiting his return.

Or had he found that he had been too late and thus gone back to living death upon a dead world, or was he really dead after all, never to return either to his Mother Earth or his beloved Mars?

Thus was I lost in useless speculation one sultry August evening when old Ben, my body servant, handed me a telegram. Tearing it open, I read: Meet me tomorrow hotel—Richmond.

JOHN CARTER.  
Early the next morning I took the

first train for Richmond and within two hours was being ushered into the room occupied by John Carter.

As I entered he rose to greet me, his old time smile of welcome lighting his handsome face. Apparently he had not aged a minute, but was still the straight, clean limbed fighting man of thirty.

His keen gray eyes were undimmed, and the only lines upon his face were the lines of character and determination that always had been there since first I remembered him, nearly thirty-five years before.

"Well, nephew," he greeted me, "do you feel as though you were seeing a ghost or suffering from the effects of too many of Uncle Ben's juleps?"

"Juleps, I reckon," I replied, "for I certainly feel mighty good. But maybe it's just the sight of you again that affects me. You have been back to Mars? Tell me. And Dejah Thoris? You found her well and a waiting you?"

"Yes, I have been to Barsoom again and—but it's a long story, too long to tell in the limited time I have before I must return. I have learned the secret, nephew, and I may traverse the trackless void at my will, coming and going between the countless planets as I wish. But my heart is always in Barsoom, and I doubt that I shall ever again leave the dying world that holds my dearest memories.

"I have come now because my affection for you prompted me to see you once more before you pass over forever into that other life that I shall never know and which, though I have died thrice and shall die again tonight, as you know death, I am as unable to fathom as are you.

"Even the wise and mysterious therns of Barsoom, that ancient cult which for countless ages has been credited with holding the secret of life and death in their impregnable fastnesses upon the hither slopes of the mountains of Otz, are as ignorant as we.

"I have proved it, though I nearly lost my life in the doing of it. But you shall read it all in the notes I have been making during the last three months that I have been back upon earth."

He patted a swelling portfolio that lay on the table at his elbow.

"I know that you are interested and that you believe, and I know that the world, too, is interested, though they will not believe for many years—yes for many ages—since they cannot understand. Earth men have not yet progressed to a point where they can comprehend the things that I have written in these notes.

"Give them what you wish of it, what you think will not harm them, but do not feel aggrieved if they laugh at you."

That night I walked down to the cemetery with him. At the door of



"Goodby, nephew," he said. "I may never see you again."

his vault he turned and pressed my hand.

"Goodby, nephew," he said. "I may never see you again."

He entered the vault. The great door swung slowly to. The ponderous bolts grated into place. The lock clicked.

I have never seen Captain John Carter of Virginia since.

But here is the story of his return to Mars on that other occasion as I have gleaned it from the great mass of notes which he left for me upon the table of his room in the hotel at Richmond.

There is much which I have left out; much which I have not dared to tell, but you will find the story of his search for Dejah Thoris, princess of Hellum, one of the most remarkable stories of adventure in strange lands and among strange people ever written. This story, as told by Captain John Carter of Virginia, is as follows:

### CHAPTER I. The Plant Men.

AS I stood upon the bluff before my cottage on that clear, cold night in the early part of March, 1888, the noble Hudson flowing like the silent specter of a dead river below me, I felt again the strange, compelling influence of the mighty god of war, my beloved Mars, which for tea lonesome years I had implored with outstretched arms to carry me back to my lost love.

Not since that other March night in 1896, when I had stood without that Arizona cave in which my still and lifeless body lay wrapped in the stillitude of earthly death, had I felt the irresistible attraction of the god of my profession.

With arms outstretched toward the red eye of the great star, I stood praying for a return of that strange power which twice had drawn me through the immensity of space, praying as I had prayed on a thousand nights before during the years that I had waited and hoped.

Suddenly a quail of nausea swept over me, my senses swam, my knees gave beneath me, and I pitched headlong to the ground upon the very verge of the dizzy bluff.

Instantly my brain cleared, and there swept back across the threshold of my memory the vivid picture of the horrors of that ghostly Arizona cave; again, as on that far gone night, my muscles refused to respond to my will, and again as though even here upon the banks of the placid Hudson I could hear the awful moans and rustling of the fearsome thing which had lurked and threatened me from the dark recesses of the cave.

I made the same mighty and superhuman effort to break the bonds of the strange anaesthesia which held me, and again came the sharp click as of the sudden parting of a taut wire, and I stood naked and free beside the staring, lifeless thing that had so recently pulsed with the warm lifeblood of John Carter.

With scarcely a parting glance I turned my eyes again toward Mars, lifted my hands toward his lurid rays and waited.

Nor did I have long to wait, for scarce had I turned ere I shot with the rapidity of thought into the awful void before me.

There was the same instant of unthinkable cold and utter darkness that I had experienced twenty years before, and then I opened my eyes in another world, beneath the burning rays of a hot sun, which beat through a tiny opening in the dome of the mighty forest in which I lay.

The scene that met my eyes was so unmarian that my heart sprang to my throat as the sudden fear swept through me that I had been aimlessly tossed upon some strange planet by a cruel fate.

I lay upon a close cropped sward of red grass-like vegetation, and about me stretched a grove of strange and beautiful trees, covered with huge and gorgeous blossoms and filled with brilliant, voiceless birds. I call them birds since they were winged, but mortal eye never rested on such unearthly shapes.

The vegetation was similar to that which covers the lawns of the red Martians of the great waterways, but the trees and birds were unlike anything that I had ever seen upon Mars, and then through the farther trees I could see that most unmarian of all sights—an open sea, its blue waters shimmering beneath the brazen sun.

As I rose to investigate further I experienced the same ridiculous catastrophe that had met my first attempt to walk under Martian conditions.

The lesser attraction of this smaller planet and the reduced air pressure of its greatly rarefied atmosphere afforded so little resistance to my earthly muscles that the ordinary exertion of the mere act of rising sent me several feet into the air and precipitated me upon my face in the soft and brilliant grass of this strange world.

This experience, however, gave me some slightly increased assurance that, after all, I might indeed be in some, to me, unknown corner of Mars, and this was very possible, since during my ten years' residence upon the planet I had explored but a comparatively tiny area of its vast expanse.

I rose again, laughing at my forgetfulness, and soon had mastered once more the art of throwing my earthly sinews to these changed conditions.

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## Such a Change



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As I walked slowly down the imperceptible slope toward the sea I could not help but note the parklike appearance of the ward and trees.

The grass was as close cropped and carpet-like as old English lawn, and the trees themselves showed evidence of careful pruning to a uniform height of about fifteen feet, so that as one turned his glance in any direction the forest had the appearance at a little distance of a vast, high celled chamber.

All these evidences of careful and systematic cultivation convinced me that I had been fortunate enough to make my entry into Mars on this second occasion through the domain of a civilized people and that when I should find them I would be accorded the courtesy and protection that my rank as a prince of the house of Tardos Mors entailed me to.

The trees of the forest attracted my deep admiration as I proceeded toward the sea. Their great trunks, some of them fully a hundred feet in diameter, attested their prodigious height, which I could only guess at, since at no point could I penetrate their dense foliage above me to more than sixty or eighty feet.

As I neared the confines of the forest I beheld before me and between the grove and the open sea a broad expanse of meadow land, and as I was about to emerge from the shadows of the trees a sight met my eyes that banished all romantic and poetic reflection.

It was the sight of a score of figures moving slowly about the meadow near the bank of a mighty river. Odd, grotesque shapes they were, unlike anything that I had ever seen upon Mars, and yet at a distance most manlike in appearance. The larger specimens appeared to be about ten or twelve feet in height when they stood erect and to be proportioned as to torso and lower extremities precisely as is earthly man.

Their arms, however, were very short and from where I stood seemed as though fashioned much after the manner of an elephant's trunk in that they moved in sinuous and snake-like undulations, as though entirely without bony structure, or if there were bones they must be vertebral in nature.

As I watched them from behind the trunk of a huge tree one of the creatures moved slowly in my direction, engaged in the occupation that seemed to be the principal business of each of them and which consisted in running their oddly shaped hands over the surface of the sward, for what purpose I could not determine.

As he approached quite close to me I obtained an excellent view of him, and, though I was later to become better acquainted with his kind, I may say that that single cursory examination of this awful travesty of nature would have proved quite sufficient to my desires had I been a free agent.

Its hairless body was of a strange and ghoulish blue except for a broad band of white which encircled its protruding, single eye, an eye that was all dead white—pupil, iris and ball. Its nose was a raised, inflamed, circular hole in the center of its blank face, a hole that resembled more closely nothing that I could think of other than a fresh bullet wound which has not yet commenced to bleed.

Below this repulsive orifice the face was quite blank to the chin, for the thing had no mouth that I could discover. The head, with the exception of the face, was covered by a tangled mass



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of jet black hair some eight or ten inches in length. Each hair was about the bigness of a large anglerworm, and as the thing moved the muscles of its scaly this awful head covering seemed to writhe and wriggle and crawl about the fearsome face as though indeed each separate hair was endowed with independent life.

The body and the legs were as symmetrically human as nature could have fashioned them, and the feet, too, were human in shape, but of monstrous proportions. From heel to toe they were fully three feet long and very flat and very broad.

As it came quite close to me I discovered that its strange movements, running its odd hands over the surface of the turf, were the result of its peculiar method of feeding, which consists in cropping off the tender vegetation with its razor-like talons and sticking it up from its two mouths, which lie one in the palm of each hand, through its armlike throats.

In addition to the features which I

have already described, the beast was equipped with a massive tail about six feet in length, quite round where it joined the body, but tapering to a flat, thin blade toward the end, which trailed at right angles to the ground.

**CHAPTER II.**  
**A Strange Meeting.**

AS I had been scrutinizing this weird monstrosity the balance of the herd had fed quite close to me.

Fearsome looking as they were, I did not know whether to fear them or not, for they did not seem to be particularly well equipped for fighting.

I was, in fact, on the point of stepping from my hiding place and revealing myself to them to note the effect upon them of the sight of a man when my rash resolve was, fortunately for me, nipped in the bud by a strange shrieking wail which seemed to come from the direction of the bluffs at my right.

Naked and unarmed as I was, my end would have been both speedy and horrible at the hands of these cruel creatures, but at the moment of the shriek each member of the herd turned in the direction of the sound, and at the same instant every particular snakelike hair upon their heads rose stiffly perpendicular as if each had been a sentient organism looking or listening for the source or meaning of the wail.

And indeed the latter proved to be the truth, for this strange growth upon the craniums of the plant men of Barsoom represents the thousand ears of these hideous creatures, the last remnant of the strange race which sprung from the original tree of life.

Instantly every eye turned toward one member of the herd, a large fellow who evidently was the leader. A strange purring sound issued from the mouth in the palm of one of his hands, and at the same time he started rapidly toward the bluff, followed by the entire herd.

Their speed and method of locomotion were both remarkable, springing, as they did, in great leaps of twenty or thirty feet, much after the manner of a kangaroo.

They were rapidly disappearing when it occurred to me to follow them, and so, hurrying caution to the winds, I sprang across the meadow in their wake with leaps and bounds even more prodigious than their own, for the muscles of an athletic earth man produce remarkable results when pitted against the lesser gravity and air pressure of Mars.

Their way led directly toward the apparent source of the river at the base of the cliffs, and as I neared this point I found the meadow dotted with huge bowlders dislodged from the towering crags above.

For this reason I came quite close to the cause of the disturbance before the scene broke upon my horrified gaze. As I topped a great bowlder I saw the herd of plant men surrounding a little group of perhaps five or six green men and women of Barsoom.

That I was indeed upon Mars I now had no doubt, for here were members of the wild hordes that people the dead sea bottoms and deserted cities of that dying planet.

Here were the great males towering in all the majesty of their imposing height; here were the gleaming white tusks protruding from their massive lower jaws to a point near the center of their foreheads; the laterally placed, protruding eyes, with which they could look forward or backward or to either side without turning their heads; here the strange antennalike ears rising from the tops of their foreheads and the additional pair of arms extending from midway between the shoulders and the hips.

Even without the glossy green hide and the metal ornaments which denoted the tribes to which they belonged I would have known them on the instant for what they were, for where else in all the universe is their like duplicated?

There were two men and four females in the party, and their ornaments denoted them as members of different hordes.

The facts puzzled me, since the various hordes of green men of Barsoom are eternally at war with one another, and never had I seen green Martians of different hordes associated in other than mortal combat, save on that historic instance when the great Tars Tarkas of Thark gathered 150,000 green warriors from several hordes to march upon the doomed city of Zodanga and rescue Dejah Thoris, princess of Hellium, from the clutches of Than Kosis.

But now they stood back to back, facing in wide eyed amazement the very evidently hostile demonstrations of a common enemy.

Both men and women were armed with long swords and daggers, but no firearms were in evidence, else it had been short shift for the grewsome plant men of Barsoom.

Presently the leader of the plant men charged the little party, and his method of attack was as remarkable as it was effective and by its very

strangeness was the more potent, since in the science of the green warriors there was no defense for this singular manner of attack.

The plant man charged to within a dozen feet of the party and then, with a bound, rose as though to pass directly above their heads. His powerful tail was raised high to one side, and as he passed close above them he brought it down in one terrific sweep that crushed a green warrior's skull as though it had been an eggshell.

The balance of the frightful herd was now circling rapidly and with bewildering speed about the little knot of victims. Their prodigious bounds and the shrill screeching purr of their uncanny mouths were well calculated to confuse and terrorize their prey, so that as two of them leaped simultaneously from either side the mighty sweep of those awful tails met with no resistance, and two more green Martians went down to an ignoble death.

There were now but one warrior and two females left, and it seemed that it could be but a matter of seconds ere these also lay dead upon the sward.

But, as two or more of the plant men charged, the warrior, who was now prepared by the experiences of the past few minutes, swung his mighty long sword aloft and met the hurtling bulk with a clean cut that clove one of the plant men from chin to groin.

The other, however, dealt a single blow with his cruel tail that laid both of the females crushed corpses upon the ground.

As the green warrior saw the last of his companions go down and at the same time perceived that the entire herd was charging him in a body he rushed boldly to meet them, swinging his long sword in the terrific manner that I had so often seen the men of his kind wield it in their ferocious and almost continual warfare among their own race.

Cutting and hewing to right and left, he laid an open path straight through the advancing plant men and then commenced a mad race for the forest, in the shelter of which he evidently hoped he might find a haven of refuge.

He had turned for that portion of the forest which abutted on the cliffs, and thus the fight was taking the entire party farther and farther from the bowlder where I lay concealed.

As I had watched the fight which the great warrior had made against such odds my heart had swelled for him, and acting as I am wont to do, more upon impulse than after mature deliberation, I sprang from my sheltering rock and bounded quickly toward the bodies of the dead green Martians, a well defined plan of action already formed.

Half a dozen great leaps brought me to the spot, and another instant saw me again in my stride in rapid pursuit of the hideous monsters that were rapidly gaining on the fleeing warrior.

But this time I grasped a mighty long sword in my hand, and in my heart was the old blood lust of the fighting man.

A red mist swam before my eyes, and I felt my lips respond to my heart in the old smile that has marked me in the midst of the joy of battle.

Though swift, I was none too soon, for the green warrior had been overtaken before he had made half the distance to the forest, and now he stood with his back to the bowlder, while the herd, temporarily balked, hissed and screeched about him.

With their single eyes in the center of their heads and every eye turned upon their prey, they did not note my soundless approach, so that I was upon them with my great long sword, and four of them lay dead before they knew that I was among them.

For an instant they recoiled before my terrific onslaught, and in that instant the green warrior rose to the occasion and, springing to my side, lay to the right and left of him as I had never seen but one other warrior do. With circling strokes that formed a figure 8 about him he did not stop until none stood living to oppose him, his keen blade passing through flesh and bone as though each had been, alike, thin air.

As we bent to the slaughter far above us rose that shrill, weird cry which I had heard once before and which had called the herd to the attack upon their victims. Again and again it rose, but we were too much engaged with the fierce, powerful creatures about us to attempt to search out even with our eyes the author of the horrid notes.

Great tails lashed in frenzied anger about us, razor-like talons cut our limbs and bodies, and a green and sticky sirup, such as oozes from a crushed caterpillar, smeared us from head to foot, for every cut and thrust of our long swords brought spurts of this stuff upon us from the severed arteries of the plant men, through which it courses in its sluggish viscosity in lieu of blood.

Once I felt the great weight of one of the monsters upon my back, and as keen talons sank into my flesh I experienced the frightful sensation of moist lips sucking the blood from the wounds to which the claws still clung. I was very much engaged with a fe-

rocious fellow who was endeavoring to reach my throat from in front while two more, one on either side, were leaping viciously at me with their tails.

The green warrior was much put to it to hold his own, and I felt that the unequal struggle could last but a moment longer when the huge fellow charged from those that surrounded him, he raked the assailant from my back with a sweep of his blade, and, thus relieved, I had little difficulty with the others.

Once together we stood almost back to back against the great bowlder, and thus the creatures were prevented from scaring above us to deliver their deadly blows. As we were easily their match while they remained upon the ground we were making great headway in dispatching what remained of them when our attention was again attracted by the shrill wail of the caller above our heads.

This time I glanced up, and far above us upon a little natural balcony on the face of the cliff stood a strange figure of a man shrieking out his shrill signal, while he waved a hand in the direction of the river's mouth, as though beckoning to some one there. With the other he pointed and gesticulated toward us.

A glance in the direction toward which he was looking was sufficient to



The Green Warrior Was Much Put to It to Hold His Own.

apprise me of his aims and at the same time to fill me with the dread of dire apprehension.

Streaming in from all directions across the meadow, from out of the forest and from the far distance of the flat land across the river I could see converging upon us a hundred different lines of wildly leaping creatures such as we were now engaged with, and with them some strange new monsters which ran with great swiftness, now erect and now upon all fours.

"It will be a great death," I said to my companion. "Look."

As he shot a quick glance in the direction I indicated he smiled.

"We may at least die fighting and as great warriors should," John Carter, he replied.

We had just finished the last of our immediate antagonists as he spoke, and I turned in surprised wonderment at the sound of my name.

And there before my astonished eyes I beheld the greatest of the green men of Barsoom—their shrewdest statesman, their mightiest general—my great and good friend, Tars Tarkas, Jeddah of Thark.

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Owosso, Mich.; one daughter, Mrs. Lorn D. Sheets, of Bay City, and two brothers, Joseph W. Rogers, Bay City, and David Rogers, Rouleau, Sask.

An impressive service was held at the home on Saturday afternoon by Rev. G. V. Hoard of the First M. E. Church. Interment at Oak Ridge Cemetery.

**SOLDIERS' DAY, WATFORD, AUG. 20.**  
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Orlo Dent, of Bothwell, met with a serious accident Monday evening. He had been shocking wheat at Mr. Wellington Marcus', Orford, all day, and in the evening went up into the loft to throw down some straw for the horses, and accidentally fell through a man hole, which was covered with straw, to the ground floor, breaking his arm near the wrist.

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**Presentation to Capt. Ernest Showler**

A number of friends of Capt. Ernest Showler gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lucas and completely surprised him.

Capt. Showler enlisted in the 149 Battalion in the fall of 1915 and after having remained with that battalion for a year, left in order to get to the front sooner and sailed for overseas. In England he took a course in bombing but a little later joined the Royal Flying Corps as a Lieutenant but after service at the front was promoted to Captain. He went to the front in the spring of the next year and remained there until the signing of the armistice.

During the evening an excellent program was given, Mr. Robert Henderson filling the chair in his usual able manner. Capt. Showler was called on and in a very pleasing manner told of some of his thrilling experiences over the lines, of the great help the Canadians had given their boys at the front, and lastly, how proud these boys were of their land of birth.

To Capt. E. E. Showler—We, your many boyhood associates and friends have gathered here to-night to do you honor and welcome you home again from your perils o'er the sea. We honor you for the manly stand you have taken throughout the course of the war, forsaking self and encountering hardships and dangers for King and Country. Your bravery is and has been above reproach, for by hard work and persevering zeal you have risen in the ranks and so thoroughly performed every innumerable task that war imposed on you that you have made an honorable name, not for yourself alone but also for your country. Your safety has ever been our utmost in our minds and we are delighted to welcome you home again whole in body and limb. When danger thickened around you over there, our prayers for your safety were answered and our longing thoughts of you must surely have reached and buoyed you up in the fight.

As slight tokens of our appreciation of your noble services in our behalf, we present you these souvenirs of our ever enduring friendship and esteem, may they to you prove useful and convenient and in after years when time has effaced many of present relations, may they recall to you your many friends here on the tenth. Signed on behalf of your many friends,  
 EDNA PEASELY  
 EVA JOHNSTON

Later in the evening Miss Edna Peasley presented him with a club bag, signet ring and gold cuff-links while Miss Eva Johnston read the address.

Capt. Showler thanked his many friends for these useful gifts but his reply was checked by the singing of "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow."

The ladies then served a dainty lunch and after singing the National Anthem they departed to their homes all satisfied with the success of the evening.

**SOLDIERS' DAY, WATFORD, AUG. 20.**  
 Reserve the date.

**School Reports**

The following is the report of Promotion Examination of S. S. No. 5, Warwick.

Class II to III—Lloyd Orr.  
 Class I to II—Margaret Hall, Fred Orr, W. M. BROWN, Teacher.

Promotion Examinations of S. S. No. 7 Warwick and 2 Brooke.

Class III to IV—George King, Allan Heaton.

Class II to III—Winnifred Hume, Mary Mitchell, Mary Barron.

June report of S. S. No. 12, Warwick. Names in order of merit.

Jr. IV to Sr. IV—Melvin Williamson, Sr. III to Jr. IV—Fred O'Neil, Archie Cameron, Gilbert Kersey, Lorenzo McLean, Amelia Pike, Nelson McLean, Sr. II to Jr. III—Harold Westgate, Wilson Westgate.

Sr. I to Jr. II—Robert Pike.  
 Jr. I to Sr. I—Fred Ward.  
 Primer to Jr. I—Philip Kersey.  
 G. CALLAGHAN, Teacher.

Report of the promotion examinations in S. S. No. 16 and 20, Bosanquet and Warwick. Names in order of merit.

Class III to IV—Clarence McColl, Grace McColl, Edwin Cundick.  
 Class II to III—Neil McPherson, Leah Welsh, Frank Cundick, Melvin Turner, Irene York, Leone Evans.  
 Primer to Class I—Florence Cameron, Kathleen Cundick, Minnie Wilcox.  
 BLANCHE HOLBROOK, Teacher.

Results of Promotion Examinations, S. S. No. 8, Warwick. Names are arranged in order of merit. All pupils who wrote were successful.

Sr. III to IV class—Edgar Sitter (honors), Olive Dunlop, Gerrie Thompson, Ellwood Benedict, Grant Evans.

Jr. III to Sr. III class—Wilbert Eastman, Cecil Dunham, Harold Evans.

II to III Class—Harold Dunlop (honors), Vera Fitzsimons, Gordon Dunlop.

Sr. I to II Class—Jean Butler (honors) Elden Smith (honors), Alice Wambough (honors), Leona Butler, Lawrence Benedict.

Primer to I class—Evelyn Cokrane, Dean Percy, Franklin Muma, Mary Wambough.

**Brienne-le Chateau**

Brienne-le Chateau, the little French town where Napoleon received his military education, celebrates this year the one hundred and fifth anniversary of the emperor's last visit to the village. It was on January 29, 1814, that Napoleon began his campaign against the Allies, who were storming at all the borders of France. At Brienne, where he had been taught the grim science of warfare, he attempted to cut the Silesian Army in two by suddenly interposing his forces between those of Schwartzzenberg and Bleucher, the object being to prevent their uniting. Almost on the same spot and on the same day Napoleon had a hairbreadth escape from the attack of a Cossack who attempted to murder him. It was only the prompt assistance of Gougoud that saved Napoleon.

**Soldiers' Day, Watford, Wednesday, August 20. Reserve the date.**

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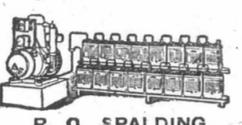
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