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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.

SWAT the Fly.
94 in the shade Tuesday.
DON'T forget SWIFT'S July Sale.
WHEAT 90c, oats 45c, butter 22c, eggs 25c.

HAYING is pretty well completed in this district. The crop is immense. The County of Lambton war tax for 1916 will total up to nearly thirty-thousand dollars.

MORE food riots are reported from Cologne. The Germans must be getting real hungry.

"DON'T worry when you stumble—remember a worm is about the only thing that can't fall down."

BERT FULCHER has purchased the barber business of G. B. Richardson. He took possession last Monday.

BIG tables of straw hats 10 and 15c.—SWIFT'S July Sale.

THE soldiers at Camp Borden are so anxious to fight that they organized a little war of their own on Monday.

NORTH PERTH by-election on Monday resulted in the election of Hay, the Liberal candidate, by a large majority.

THE Daylight Saving scheme is not giving satisfaction in some places and several cities are going back to the old schedule.

It is stated that the second Dominion domestic war loan will be floated in September. It would be for either fifty or one hundred millions.

THE farmers may have lost millions of dollars by the late rains. But many is the time that the rain has enabled them to make millions.

INFORMATION will be laid before a magistrate against all livermen and draymen who fail to secure licenses at once.—By order of the Council.

PILE of remnants at half price.—SWIFT'S July Sale.

SATURDAY'S casualty list contains the following: Sergt. W. K. Rooney, Sarnia, wounded; Sergt. Colin R. Lennan, Petrolia, wounded; Sapper Wm. H. Tomlin, Watford, wounded.

A NUMBER of Orangemen from this district motored to Bridgen on Wednesday to take part in the Battle of the Boyne celebration at that place. They report a good time.

MRS. Joseph Keller will be in charge of the Epworth League and prayer service in the Methodist Church this Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. The topic for study will be "Paul at Athens."

THE strawberry social in the Methodist Church on Friday evening was not very well attended, owing no doubt to the oppressive state of the temperature. Proceeds twenty-three dollars.

As the prize lists for the East Lambton show will be in the printers hands shortly, all parties contributing special prizes should send the list to the Secretary, F. Kenward, as early as possible.

WATCH for the eclipse of the moon on Friday night. It will begin at 10.19, four-fifths of the moon's surface will be rendered invisible at 11.46 and at 1.13 Saturday morning the moon will leave the shadow.

CERTAIN PROFESSORS have decided that there are 45 varieties of fungi which are good to eat. If they would only include the common old variety of lawn grass the high cost of living would be reduced.

PTE. F. CARFRAE, of London, formerly of Watford, who enlisted with the 33rd overseas battalion, is now reported missing. He was well and favorably known to many friends while residing here.

JUDGMENT has been given by Judge MacWatt in the cases of Armstrong vs. Brooke Township and Bodkin vs. the Township of Rippenheim. The action was dismissed with no costs in the first case, and with costs in the latter case.

ALICE MAE, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Pearce, Huron St., passed away on Wednesday, July 12th, aged 31 years and 7 days. The funeral will leave the family residence on Friday at 2.30 o'clock for the Watford cemetery. Service at the house at 2 o'clock.

At a meeting of the Watford Hydro Committee held in the Armory on Monday evening, W. E. Fitzgerald was elected a member of the committee and will give special attention to legal matters in connection with the coming vote on hydro.

THE postmaster here has received word from the Inspector to forward eastern mail posted between 3 and 6 p.m. on the 6.44 mail going west and it will then go east from Sarnia during the night thus saving several hours in getting to its destination.

THE municipal councils of the County of Lambton have been requested by the Lambton County Branch of the Canadian Patriotic Fund to name a committee of ladies for each polling sub-division in their respective municipalities, whose duty it will be to visit and keep in touch with the families of soldiers and report monthly to the secretary.

WASH dresses at SWIFT'S July Sale.

SWIFT'S July cash sale for bargains. THERE are 154 families in Lambton receiving assistance from the Canadian Patriotic Fund. During the month of May the payments made amounted to \$2,229.25.

THE appeal of Sir Roger Casement will be heard Monday. It is a mystery to most people why the appeal was granted when the evidence of treason was clear. A poor man who attempted to murder his neighbor would not get a chance to appeal.

A NUMBER of members of Tecumseh Chapter of I. O. O. F. drove over to Arkona, where they were hospitably entertained by Mrs. (Dr.) Huffman. A short programme was rendered, followed by a social hour, after which a delectable luncheon was served.

THE Wednesday half holiday will be observed by the merchants of Watford this summer as before, commencing on Wednesday, June 7th, and continuing until the end of August. Make a note of this and do your shopping in the morning.

EXPORTATION of sugar and candies outside the British Empire will be prevented by the Canadian government, according to orders received at Windsor. This will not prevent the mails being used to send those commodities to soldiers of the allied forces however, the new regulation states.

PROCLAMATION is issued by the lieutenant-governor urging that on August 4, the second anniversary of the declaration of war, public meetings should be called throughout the province "for the purpose of stimulation of the devotion and patriotism of our people, and of embodying those sentiments in appropriate resolutions, and thereby uniting them effectually for the supreme effort which is necessary to bringing to a victorious issue the struggle for the maintenance of those ideals of liberty and justice which are the common and sacred cause of the allies."

THE reproductions of the miniature of the Princess Patricia now being sold by the members of the Kewpie Club are remarkable for their fine workmanship and make a beautiful souvenir of the "Princess Patricia" Canadian Light Infantry. The Mortimer Company Ottawa spent nearly seven weeks perfecting the reproduction and the proceeds of the sale go to patriotic purposes. Lady White is at the head of the distribution committee. Small copies of the miniature cost only 25c and large copies autographed may be had for \$2.

THE following is a recipe for preserving fruit without sugar: "The fruit is prepared in the ordinary way, the jars are cleaned and scalded while the rubbers and tops are boiling. The fruit is then placed in the jars in which cold water is placed. When the jars have been sealed air-tight they are placed in a boiler filled with cold water and brought to the boiling point. Berries will do if removed when the boiling point is reached, but large fruit such as peaches, cherries, plums and apricots, should get 20 to 30 minutes boiling. Keep cover of wash boiler on tight."

WILL a merchant who is wise ever cease to advertise? Yes. When the trees grow up-side-down, when the beggar wears a crown, when ice forms on the sun, when the sparrows weigh a ton; when gold dollars get too cheap, when secrets women keep, when a fish forgets to swim, when Satan sings a hymn, when girls go back on gum, when the smaller boys hate a drum; when no politician schemes, when mince pies make pleasant dreams, when it's fun to break a tooth, when all lawyers tell the truth, when cold water makes you drunk, when you love to smell a skunk, when the drummer has no brass—when these things all come to pass, then man that's wise will neglect to advertise.

THE Poultry Exhibit at the Western Fair London, Ontario, in September next promises to be a very large one as usual. Poultry Breeders have come to the conclusion that a win at London's Exhibitions means considerable to them. The prize list is a very liberal one and the cups and trophies offered by the Exhibition Association in addition to the cash prizes makes it very attractive from an Exhibitor's standpoint. Prospects are very bright this year for the whole Exhibition. A very large amount of space is already allotted and applications are coming in daily. A real live program of attractions will be given twice daily before the Grand Stand. Prize lists, entry forms and all information regarding the Exhibition will be given on application to the Secretary, A. M. Hunt, London, Ont.

ON Friday evening, June 30th, a very pleasant time was spent at the home of Mr. Wm. Doan when his spacious lawn and home were thrown open to about 60 of the friends and neighbors of Pte. C. E. Atchison, who has enlisted for overseas service with Lambton 149, prior to his departure for Borden camp. The early evening was spent in games. Rev. Robinson then took the chair, and a program was given, consisting of addresses by Rev. Robinson and Forster and some good advice given by kind friends; also solos and gramophone selections. At the end of the program Pte. Atchison was called upon. An address was read by Miss Florence Lambert, and the presentation of a handsome wrist watch with luminous dial, was made by Miss Riosse Doan. Pte. Atchison replied in a few feeling remarks thanking his many friends for their kindness to him, and hoping he would be spared to do his duty for king and country. The ladies then

served a bountiful lunch and the evening was brought to a close, every one feeling the time well spent in honor of Pte. Cecil Atchison.

A VERY pleasant and long to be remembered evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fowler, Watford, on Friday last, July 8th, when a large number of friends of Bugler Eston Fowler and Bandsman Will Aylesworth of Lambton 149 gathered to bid them farewell and present them with an address and some useful and valuable gifts before they left for Camp Borden on the first lap for overseas service. The address was signed by Mr. C. H. Butler and Dr. George Hicks. Will Aylesworth was presented with a Gillette Safety Razor and a cigarette case and Eston Fowler a 149 signet ring and a Gillette Razor. The gifts were feelingly and thankfully acknowledged by the young soldiers. A sumptuous lunch was served and heartily enjoyed by all present as was also an interesting program of speeches, music, etc. Lieut.-Col. Kenward presided, recitations were given by Miss Moody, songs by Miss Blanche Stapleford and Mr. Bert Falcher and speeches by Revs. Forster and Robinson and Dr. Hicks. The gathering broke up at a late hour with the earnestly expressed wishes for the safe return of the popular young soldiers.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Jordan McGillicuddy is visiting at Lucan this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Elliot, Forget, Sask., are visiting their parents here.

Mrs. Thos. Goodhand, Dauphin, is at present visiting friends in this district.

Rev. J. C. Forster is spending a few days at Port Frank with "The Live Wires."

Mrs. W. H. Cook, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. McLeay.

Mr. John Hawn, Saginaw, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Frank Restorick.

Misses Eleanor Hawn and Violet Bennett visited at Mr. Nelson Hawn's this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Haskett, Paimerton, are holidaying with relatives in Watford and Arkona.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Phillips, and two sons, spent a few days this week with Col. and Mrs. Kenward.

Mr. Clarence F. Hughes, of Hughson, Texas, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Hughes, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Somers and daughter, Villa Nova, and Mr. Skyer, of Bramford, were guests at S. B. Howden's on Sunday.

Miss Helen Bowker, Alberta, Ladies' College, Red Deer, left Monday for her home at Granby, after spending a week with her friend, Miss Alice Tanner.

Mr. Will L. Francis, editor of the Algoma Advocate, published at Thessalon, gave the Guide-Advocate a pleasant call on Monday. He is spending a few days at W. D. Cameron's.

Mrs. A. B. Steer is the guest of her mother at Niagara Falls for the summer. Mr. A. B. Steer is an associate examiner in Chemistry during July. His address is Knox College West House, 304 St. George St., Toronto.

Mr. W. B. Crosse of the Merchants Bank staff has been transferred to a London branch. Mr. Crosse has been with the local branch for about three years and during that period made many friends who regret to see him leave.

Mrs. A. J. Barrie, of Port Arthur, is a visitor at the home of Dr. Geo. Hicks. Mrs. Barrie is President of the Women's Press Association of Port Arthur and Ft. William, also holds the important office of Vice President of the Canadian Women's Suffrage Association. Before marriage Mrs. Barrie was a Miss Harvey and lived in Watford.

The Thug and Burglar Still at Large

It is now positively known that the thug who beat up David Auld and left him unconscious on the afternoon of June 30th and made good his escape, is Steven Schromick, wanted at Woodstock for jail breaking.

At the time Schromick beat Auld, who was sworn in as a special constable for a few hours, and who was holding him in detention until a vehicle could be secured to take the prisoner to jail, his identity was not known. Just previous to his arrest he had robbed the house of T. McLeay and made away with a good suit of clothes, an amount of money, and some jewels. The clothes left behind were identified by the Woodstock authorities as belonging to Schromick. They were forwarded to that city on Monday by County Constable J. F. Elliot. Rumors were rife that the man had been seen near Glencoe, but investigation proved there was no truth in the report. Samples of the clothes he is wearing, which were the ones he stole, have been sent to several points along the border, with a complete description. His description as to features and heights, etc., tally with those of the man who escaped from the Woodstock jail, where he was being detained pending removal to the penitentiary.

Mr. Auld is still very ill but is now considered out of danger.

Of 276 autos inside the track at the Dominion Day celebration at Strathroy, 204 were Fords.

YOUR WEEKLY NEWSPAPER

Perhaps you have not been thinking about it—just taking, for granted that \$1 a year is a right price for The Guide-Advocate, year after year, let other things cost what they may. But you are a reasonable being, and so can see that the price of a weekly newspaper should no more remain "fixed" year after year than the prices of such common things as beef steak, sugar, coal, boots, wheat, eggs, potatoes, clover seed, lumber and land. Can you think of any other commodity except newspapers and their like whose price has remained unchanged and unchanging year after year. Why then, should your newspaper price forever remain the same—the same for example as when you could buy a cord of wood for \$1.50, a bushel of wheat for 50c., a common fowl for 25c., a dozen eggs for 10c., a pound of butter for 12c. The war has brought to a crisis a condition of things which has vexed publishers for years—the selling price of their newspapers. It has sent prices of paper, ink, type and supplies skyward. It is costing us many more dollars a week now to produce The Guide-Advocate than before the outbreak of war. The answer is: we must at least get more prompt payment for The Guide-Advocate. Many weeklies in entire districts have raised the subscription price to \$1.50. You are reasonable, and so we are counting on you to meet the necessities of the situation cheerfully. If we do not raise the price, we are sure you will help us out of the present situation by paying promptly in advance your dollar per annum. Look at the label on this paper for the date.

A Few Reasons Why We Need Hydro.

You have always wanted a morning light service. Vote for Hydro and have it.

Hydro will make Watford a more desirable place to live. It also will increase the value of your property.

We want to retain the Wire Works. Vote for Hydro.

It is said that our idle flour mill could be placed on a paying basis if it could take advantage of the cheap Hydro power.

Wyoming will soon turn on Hydro. Well, they won't laugh at us long.

Petrolia had an electric plant giving good service. They saw better service, cheaper rates and reduced taxation in Hydro. They went after it and got it.

London's hydro plant declared a large surplus last year and that in spite of the hardest opposition.

Mount Brydges with a population about half that of Watford is very proud of their hydro plant. They say it has boomed the town.

The danger from fire, will be greatly reduced. Properly installed electric lights are considered the safest, and will lower insurance.

WARWICK.

Messrs. C. and E. H. Williams spent Sunday in London.

Miss Ada MacPherson is holidaying at her home on the 18th line.

Miss Mary McCormick, teacher in Petrolia, is home for the holidays.

Mr. Elmor Thompson, Port Arthur, is spending a few weeks at his home on 18 sideroad.

Attend the Garden Party on the lawn of Mr. Robert McKenzie on Friday evening July 14th.

J. Scott Luckham returned to Ottawa this week after a two weeks holiday at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Luckham.

Mrs. Goodon Vance (nee Miss Winnie Evans) Sarnia underwent an operation for appendicitis last week in the hospital there. At last report she was doing well.

A meeting of the Women's Patriotic League will be held at the home of Mrs. John Ross, corner main road and 18 side road, on Wednesday afternoon July 19th.

The Rev. S. P. Irwin, rector of Trinity Church, Watford, will preach morning and evening in St. Mary's Church, Warwick, and afternoon in St. Paul's church, Wisbeach, next Sunday, July 16th.

The Birnam Red Cross Society met June 22nd. 16 ladies present. Donations amounted to \$6.20. Next meeting to be held July 20th. All ladies interested in the work are invited.—Ruby McCormick, Sec.

On Sunday evening next at 7.30 divine service will be held in Zion Congregational Church. Rev. R. M. Stevenson will

preach on the subject, "The Rapture of the Saints and the Great Tribulation." A hearty invitation extended to all. Please bring your bibles.

The following members of the Sunday School teacher training class of St. Mary's Church, Warwick, have passed their final examination and have won their diplomas for the full three years course:—Miss M. Archer, Miss M. Barnes, Miss N. Meyers and Miss M. Hawkins passed her second year examination.

After a lengthy illness Mrs. Catherine Jones, widow of C. H. Jones of London, formerly of Warwick, passed away on Monday. Her husband died about two years ago. She was in her 60th year and is survived by one son, Herman of London, and two daughters, Mrs. W. J. Clark of Arkona, and Mrs. J. F. Grey of Calgary.

The young people of the Women's Patriotic League will hold a garden party at the home of Mr. Robert McKenzie on Friday, July 14th. An interesting program of music and addresses is being prepared. The Kerwood band will be in attendance. Refreshments will be served. Admission 25c. Proceeds to be devoted to Red Cross purposes.

The death of Miss Elba Foster occurred at Victoria Hospital, London, last Friday morning after a lingering illness. Miss Foster, whose home formerly was in Arkona, was well and favorably known in this neighborhood. Much sympathy is expressed for her mother, Mrs. Foster in the loss of her daughter, as she is the last of a family of nine children. Interment took place last Sunday in the family plot at Strathroy. Mr. Foster died many years ago.

Owing to it being a busy time the meeting of the Women's Patriotic League held at the home of Mrs. David Waller, was not as largely attended as usual but what it lacked in number was made up by the zeal of those who were there as the work accomplished testified. A welcome visitor to the meeting was Mrs. McLellan one of the few pioneers of this township still left to us. An appeal was made for old papers, magazines, etc., to be left at the Rectory. The contributions for Red Cross work amounted to \$13.05.

BROOKE

Walnut Methodist Church Ladies' Aid Society will meet at Mrs. Joln Edgar's home on Thursday, July 20th.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Gray and son Grant, of Niagara Falls N. Y., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith, of Sutorville.

There is some pretty tall grass this year, but Wm. Bisset cut some timothy that measured 5 feet 10 inches. Who can beat this?

The June meeting of the Brooke Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. McLellan and was a splendid success. Miss Collins of Toronto talked very interesting on "Home making Ideals." After the program the hostess served a bountiful lunch. Guests were present from the Napier and Watford branches.

The Red Cross Society of the 6th line met at the home of Mrs. Robert King on Wednesday, June 28th and completed a bale containing the following, which was forwarded to Hyman Hall, London:—16 grey flannel shirts, 8 pairs woolen socks, 10 trench towels, 10 hospital towels, 12 pillow slips, 5 pyjama suits.

At noon on Thursday, June 29th, a very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Watson of the twelfth line, Brooke, when their daughter Eva was united in marriage to Mr. Gordon McNeil, of Orillia. The wedding march was played by Master John Hair, nephew of the bride. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. A. Snell of Watford, assisted by Rev. K. M. Eason, of Napier, in the presence of only the immediate relatives. After the wedding dinner Mr. and Mrs. McNeil left on a trip to Kingston. With the reopening of school they will take up their residence in Gailia.

The Glorious 12th

The Orangemen had a big time at Bridgen on the 12th. There was a large crowd and the weather was reasonable. There were 16 lodges in the procession, with plenty of music, and twenty autos carrying the ladies. Port Huron lodges came here to celebrate the day. Bro. Haggart, of Dawn, was chairman. The principal speakers were R. E. Lesueur of Sarnia, Rev. Robinson of Point Edward and Mayor Hayes, of Bridgen. Other speakers were Rev. Graham, of Sarnia, McCormick Bros., Wm. Rowan and Reo Odell.

There were band concerts in which the Sarnia company took first prize in full band competition and the Petrolia band took second prize. In the single file and drum contest the Port Huron lodge captured the laurels with the band from the Township of Brooke a close second, Ruben Dupe, of L. O. L. 1230, Sarnia, was the Judge.

The marriage of Mr. Joseph Stewardson of Bosanquet township, and Miss Ethel Lancaster, second daughter of Mr. Geo. Lancaster of Appleby, Eng., was quietly solemnized at St. John's Episcopal church, Sarnia, on Wednesday, June 21st, the Rev. F. G. Newton officiating.

I OWE MY HEALTH

To Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Washington Park, Ill.—"I am the mother of four children and have suffered with female trouble, headache, nervous spells and the blues. My children's loud talking and romping would make me so nervous I could just tear everything to pieces and I would ache all over and feel so sick that I would not want anyone to talk to me at times. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills restored me to health and I want to thank you for the good they have done me. I have had quite a bit of trouble and worry but it does not affect my youthful looks. My friends say 'Why do you look so young and well?' I owe it all to the Lydia E. Pinkham remedies."



—Mrs. ROBT. STOEPL, Moore Avenue, Washington Park, Illinois.

We wish every woman who suffers from female troubles, nervousness, headache or the blues could see the letters written by women made well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If you have any symptom about which you would like to know write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for helpful advice given free of charge.

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NOTE AND COMMENT

The German high fleet is not just now engaged in any northward enterprise, nor is it scouring the North Sea looking for the British grand fleet.

The Paris Temps in summing up the military situation, says: "It is now the turn of the Germans to be harried ceaselessly with the explosive shell. To-day they are no longer masters."

When thousands of women living in Scotland, the home of the distilling industry, urge prohibition, the world will likely sit up and take notice. Slowly but surely the domination of King Alcohol is passing.

A majority of the Berlin newspaper proprietors have decided to reduce the size of their publications from July 1 owing to the increasing cost of paper. Several of the newspapers have also determined to increase their subscription price for the same cause.

Victoria Colonist: Mr. John U. Smith has established a claim to fame by suggesting that all babies shall be tattooed with name and date and place of birth. He does not say where the mark ought to be placed. You remember the story of the young lady who told her partner at a dance that she had just been vaccinated. He looked at her spotless arms and said: "Where were you vaccinated?" to which she replied: "In Boston."

The Financial Post says that if the government wants to reach the farmer it must use the newspapers. Pamphlets, blue-books and public meetings do not get them. All the farmers can be reached by the methods pursued by modern merchants and manufacturers. They talk to the people they

want to reach in the papers closely read by them. There are no worthwhile farmers anywhere in Canada who are not readers of their local, town or village newspaper.

The term "no man's land" has sprung into prominence during the present war. It means, of course, the "dead" ground between any two lines of advanced trenches, the enemy's and ours; a region of death and desolation, studded all over with shell craters and mine craters, where corpses lie about for days unburied, and even for weeks, and into whose confines, by day-time at all events, none may venture and live.

Many a tribute is being paid Canadian valour on the bloody fields of France and Belgium. While this may be deserved and highly valued, it does not atone for the great toll of human life by the over-weening ambition of a military despot who has set out to conquer the world. Many a home in this Dominion will have a vacant chair because the Kaiser revelled in war. No terms of peace should be thought of that will not smash militarism to atoms. Nothing short of this will suffice.

On the day that Russia raised a loan of \$50,000,000 in the United States, it ordered 200,000 tons of barbed wire. The Philadelphia Record says that the Russian purchases from the States are enormous and promise to continue large for a long time. It is not only war supplies, but railroad material, it is buying there, and the money borrowed in the American money market will be used in paying for supplies produced by the mills and factories in the States.

A news item says, "Canada is to put heroes on farm." Another item in comment on it asks if the heroes are not already there. At 4 a.m. the farmer feeds the horses, chops wood, fixes the fence, plows awhile, does some harrowing, weeds the truck patches and gets through in time to do "the evening chores." Does it take a hero for that? But the farmer needs no sympathy. Health is his. He doesn't have to keep up the steam-engine pace of modern business. He just works. He doesn't have to worry. As one has well said, "Life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness are his."—The Bee Hive.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, ss.

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

FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Latest Perfume is Scented Sea Breeze

Promise of the capture of the fugitive fragrance of the sea breeze and its reduction to perfume was made before the convention of the American Chemical Society at the University of Washington. Dr. Edward T. Beiser, perfumery expert, gave this assurance in a paper read before the delegates.

"Just as the chemist has been able to compound the different chemicals to produce the delightful fragrance of the new mown hay," he said, "so in time will he make perfume that will have the refreshing odor of the sea breeze, the exhilarating fragrance abounding within the forest after a warm rain and the many charming odors which prevail at the various seasons in the fields."

No better protection against worms can be got than Miller's Worm Powders. They consume worms and render the stomach and intestines untenable to them. They heal the surfaces that have become inflamed by the attacks of the parasites and serve to restore the strength of the child that has been undermined by the draughts that the worms have made upon it, and that their operation is altogether health-giving.

Of French invention is a sliding buffer for the end of railroad tracks that has stopped a 200-ton train running at a speed of seven miles an hour within 25ft.

As a rule, toast-eating is less expensive than toast-baking.

Production and Thrift

Following are a few extracts from the parliamentary war saving pamphlet:—

Thrift is a national duty, so that the money thus saved may be invested with the government.

The more goods we buy at home and the more we make and send abroad the richer the country becomes.

Every dollar borrowed abroad that might be obtained at home means money going out of the country.

By devoting all our energies to producing things useful and abandoning the purely ornamental and the luxurious we are helping the country.

Women are the main power in the campaign for thrift. As leaders of the home they can best foster economy in food and clothing.

Cheese is one of the best and most wholesome substitutes for meat.

Economy and good digestion are aided by never eating bread that is not at least 24 hours old. Ten per cent of the cost of bread would be saved by rightly adhering to this simple practice.

Fewer courses at dinner would not mean any wearing on the health, but less work and more saving.

Excessive expenditure on weddings and funerals should be avoided.

Presents and gifts might take the form of war-loan vouchers.

Much money might be saved by spending less on hobbies.

Economy to-day means riches in the future.

The Germans Were Angry

An old gardener told me how, after the chateaux retreated beyond the town, the Germans reduced over a thousand of their original number, by the activities of the day—swept over the barricades of the bridge and into the town. Yes, the old woman I had talked with was right about it. They were very angry. They were ferociously angry at being held eight hours at that bridge by a force so ridiculously small.

The first civilians they met they killed, and then they began to fire the houses. One young man, half-witted, came out of one of the houses near the bridge. They hanged him in the garden behind the house. Then they called his mother to see. A mob of soldiers came piling into the gun-wrecked chateau headed by four officers. All the furniture and valuables that were not destroyed they piled into a wagon and sent back to Lunenburg.

The gardener who was telling me the story they demanded the keys of the wine cellars. No, they did not injure him. They just held him by the arms while several dozen of the soldiers spat in his face.

Cincinnati washerwomen have a union. The empress of Russia is 45 years old. Women in China are not permitted to be photographed.

Two women have been nominated for parliament in Denmark.

Only four to six divorces are granted in Canada annually.

Paper dust exploded with fatal results when workmen carried lighted lanterns into a room filled with it in a paper-tube factory in France.

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LET THE CHILDREN DIG.

Nothing Pleases Small Ones Better Than a Garden Patch.

If you live out of town or spend your summers there, let your children study nature first hand in their own gardens. Nothing will teach them more quickly of trees, flowers, birds and vegetables than the planning and developing of a small garden.

Of course each child can personally manage only a very small garden. This can be in the form of a bed or in the form of certain possessions at various places in the big family garden. For instance, you might give into one child's keeping a climbing rose over a summer house, a dwarf evergreen in the far corner of the shrubbery border, a row of beans (a short one) in the vegetable garden and a little patch of flowers in the flower border. In this way the child has a chance unconsciously to study trees, flowers and vegetables.

If possible, make the child interested in all the details of garden growth. If the child can sketch let him sketch leaves and flowers and roots, seeds and seed pods and all the other parts of the plants he works with. Let him keep a little notebook for his sketches. Without doubt they will prove so interesting as he collects them that they will form the nucleus of an interesting lot of sketches, which he will refer to even when winter has made gardening impossible.

Buy a bird house or two for the child's garden. By watching the chance inhabitants who occupy it from year to year he will become familiar with birds, for his interest in one pair will lead to an interest in all birds.

Perhaps an interesting book or two will stimulate the child's desire to garden. There are children's bird books and gardening books and simple guides of all sorts. Then there are botany books, fascinating when mastered in the open, but rather dry work to most children indoors.

Let the child have possession of the fruits of his garden—vegetables, flowers or fruits, whatever they are. It is a mistake to give a child anything, even a raspberry bush, unless the gift is free and complete.

Collars Make Blouses.

Do you know how to "trim up" the plain blouse and make it become your individual style? Get a collar in white chiffon or sheerest organdie which in turning back covers the nape and the sides of the neck, runs flatly across the shoulders and straight down over the bust, forming a slender "V" opening below the throat. This collar is bordered with pin tucked self material, straight on its outer edge and widely scalloped along the fine, embroidery outlined inner edge. Another blouse dominating collar has a tapering, narrow turnover coming high against all

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save the front of the neck and widened by an extremely broad frilling of the plaited material a-four hemmed. In crepe de chine this second collar is extremely practical as well as dainty.

Toddler's Apron.

A charming little work or play apron is made of soft pink linen with a yoke, sleeve bands and hem of white. The little apron buttons at the back of the yoke and is cut with flaring lines, so that it spreads wide at the hem. There is a cross stitched design of Little Bo-peep and a couple of her wee lambs. The same apron could be made in blue and white, with any other Mother Goose character or animal or flower in the cross stitch.

American Chop Suey.

Two pounds of veal from the shoulder or leg will be required for the chop suey. Cut into cubes and fry lightly in a little butter. Add a tiny bit of onion, two bananas cut in cubes and a small can of button mushrooms sliced. Season highly with salt and pepper and add half a teaspoonful of curry powder. When the bananas and mushrooms are brown cover with cold water and simmer for twenty minutes; thicken slightly and serve. The bananas may be omitted and celery substituted if desired.

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Could Not Control It.

Husband—Do you see Dashaway over there? Wife—Yes. Husband—He has named his automobile after his wife. Wife—How funny! Husband—Funny! Not at all. When he got it he found he could not control it.

Building and Burning.

Bacon—You know Rome wasn't built in a day. Egbert—No. There seems to have been a lot of "fiddlin'" then too. —Yonkers Statesman.

There are no chagrins so venomous as the chagrin of the idle, no pangs so stinging as the satieties of pleasure.—Washin.

Prince as Chairman

The Prince of Wales made a speech some years ago at the laying of the foundation stone of a church in South London on the property of the Duchy of Cornwall. But his appearance as chairman of the Statutory Committee for Naval and Military Pensioners is a much more important stage in his career. His Royal Highness is expected to take his seat in the House of Lords some time this year, being of the same age as his grandfather, Edward VII., when he took his seat in the Lords for the first time.

Causes and Effects.

If man was to judge of causes by their effects there would be no small causes in the universe. In a nature where everything is connected, where everything acts and reacts, moves and changes, composes and decomposes, forms and destroys, there is not an atom which does not play an important and necessary part; there is not an imperceptible particle, however minute, which, placed in convenient circumstances, does not operate the most prodigious effects. If man was in a capacity to follow the eternal chain, to pursue the concatenated links that connect with their causes all the effects he witnesses * * * he would find that they are true atoms which nature employs to move the moral world.—Hobach.

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Agricultural Education

That the policy of the Federal Government in providing a subsidy of ten million dollars, spread over a period of ten years, towards furthering agricultural education in the different provinces, is bearing good fruit is abundantly proven by the second annual report of the Commissioner of Agriculture. This report is for the year ending March 31st, 1915, and tells in detail how the money has been applied. It shows that while much remains to be done before the work is perfected in rural schools a great deal has been achieved. Teachers have had to be trained and for this purpose, short courses have been held in connection with all the agricultural colleges, generally in the summer vacation, and the attendance has everywhere been satisfactory. Funds for this purpose came out of grants made by the Dominion under the Act. New buildings have been erected, old buildings enlarged, schools better equipped, higher salaried and more experienced instructors engaged, teachers specially trained, college extension work greatly extended, boys and girls' competitions encouraged, the district representative system widened and developed, demonstration methods increased in number and improved in scope and character, and women's

work at home and abroad aided institutionally and otherwise. In short, there is not a branch of agricultural education or of home economics in any of the provinces that has not been beneficially influenced by the operation of the act in providing more funds than would otherwise have been available for these activities. The provinces having been left free to use the grants, which have increased from \$700,000 in 1914 to \$900,000 in 1915, and will be \$1,000,000 each of the succeeding six years as they thought fit within the purposes intended, the applications have not always been identical, but in the Report every item in detail is set forth. The story of every province is told, furnishing interesting reading for every well-wisher of the agricultural industry and every member of the farming community. A letter to the Publications Branch of the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, will bring the Report free of all charge.

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CHOP STUFF

R. E. Germaine, an old resident of Petrolia, died last week.

The Forest Driving Club will hold a race meeting on Aug. 16th.

Monday's casualty list reports Pte. Van Sickle of Petrolia wounded.

Harry Gooderham, the well-known brick mason of Strathroy, died last week.

D. C. Jamieson of Sarnia, has sold his business in the Kelly block, Sarnia, to J. W. Robbins.

Miss Mabel Abel, 8th line of Plympton was thrown from a buggy, and had her right arm broken.

W. J. Cline, of the Strathroy Road, Adelaide, has moved to his new home on the 4th line, Warwick.

Sarnia is pushing ahead. For the first half of this year building permits to the amount of \$160,825 were issued.

The Wyoming Enterprise will not be published this and next week. Voters lists must be gotten out and help is scarce.

Jas. H. Lee has been appointed justice of peace for the village of Alvinston. He is manager of the canning factory there.

Four horse owners in the west of the county were summoned in the Sarnia police court for travelling stallions not registered.

The Central Methodist Church choir, Sarnia have been granted a two-months holiday. Why not give the congregation a holiday as well.

The death of James Easter occurred at the family residence, 12th line of Enniskillen, on Saturday evening, July 1st, at the age of 52 years after an illness extending over most of the winter.

Wellington Dingman, of Mount Bridges had two small bones of his foot broken. He was riding a mowing machine when the horses bolted, throwing him off. His foot went under the mower.

Wm. Robertson, of Bridgeton, who is in his 91st year, recently mounted to the top of the windmill derrick on his farm, a height of perhaps forty feet, and adjusted the machinery in connection with the mill.

Mr. R. Riddle of Parkhill, has been engaged as principal of the Wyoming Public School in place of Miss Ella Sutherland who has held the position for the past four years. Miss Sutherland goes to Fort Arthur.

Mrs. Jos. Richmond, 10th line Enniskillen, was thrown from a buggy on Sunday morning when the horse she was driving became unmanageable. Mrs. Richmond's injuries consist of a sprained knee and ankle.

Pte. Geo. C. Ellis, son of Mrs. Geo. E. Ellis, of Leamington, and a brother of Mrs. John Beer, of Bosanquet died in the hospital at Boulogne, France, on June 26th, from wounds received in battle. He was born at Ravenswood.

Delicacies in Cherry Season.

BAKED CHERRY DUMPLINGS

Sift together one pint of flour, one half teaspoonful salt and one teaspoonful of baking powder, rub in one tablespoonful of shortening, add sweet milk enough to make it soft. Roll out one-half inch squares, fill each square with as many cherries as it will contain and sprinkle generously with sugar. Fold the edges of the dumplings over and place them in a floured pan. Bake one-half hour and serve with hard sauce, or with cream and sugar.

CHERRY BREAD PUDDING

Butter slices of bread and place them in a pudding dish in layers with stewed cherries between. Bake for a half hour and before taking from the oven put over the top beaten whites of two eggs. Brown slightly and serve with plain custard sauce.

CHERRY VINEGAR

There are few drinks more refreshing than that made from half an inch of cherry vinegar in the bottom of a tumbler into which ice water is poured and stirred until the glass is full. To prepare this vinegar cover any sour red cherries with good cider vinegar in a wooden or earthen vessel. Bruise and stir at intervals for four days. To every pint of strained juice add one lb. of sugar. Boil 15 minutes; skim. Keep in well corked bottles.

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Choice heavy steers	9 50 to 9 75
Butcher steers, choice	9 45 to 9 50
do., good	9 30 to 9 40
do., medium	8 40 to 9 65
do., common	8 50 to 8 95
Heifers, good to choice	9 00 to 9 35
do., medium	7 50 to 8 00
Butcher cows, choice	7 00 to 7 25
do., good	5 75 to 6 50
Butcher bulls, choice	7 75 to 8 50
do., good	7 25 to 8 50
do., medium	6 75 to 7 00
Feeders	7 80 to 8 10
do., bulls	5 50 to 6 00
Stockers	7 00 to 7 50
do., medium	7 00 to 7 25
do., light	6 00 to 6 50
Canners	4 00 to 4 25
Cutters	4 50 to 4 75
Milkers, choice, each	60 00 to 85 00
Sheep, light, clipped	7 52 to 7 50
do., light, unclipped	7 50 to 8 25
do., heavy, clipped	5 00 to 5 50
Spring lambs	13 00 to 14 00
do., medium	6 00 to 9 50
Calves, veal, choice	9 00 to 12 00
Hogs, fed and watered	11 15 to
do., f. o. b.	10 65
do., weighed off cars	11 40 to 11 40

One of the many novelties at the Canadian National Exhibition in Federation Year will be the international Trap Shoot-Championships, lasting over a five day period, Aug. 29 to Sept. 2. About \$2,500 will be given in prizes and trophies, the greatest sum ever offered for a similar event in Canada. Traps have been constructed on the waterfront and already scores of the leading marksmen of the continent have signified their intention of going after the prizes.

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To Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Atchison, Town, line Plympton-Enniskillen on June 21st—a son.

MARRIED.

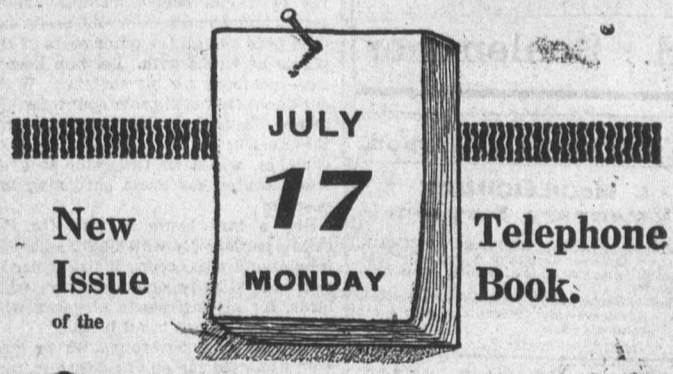
In Thedford, June 28th, Joseph Earl Aldridge, to Minnie Campbell, both of Thedford.

At Burns' Presbyterian Manse, on Wednesday, June 28th, 1916, by the Rev. Wm Moore, Mr. John Gilliaty McLean, of Plympton, to Amelia Adeline Coulter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew A. Coulter, of Moore.

At the home of the bride's parents on Wednesday, June 28th, 1916, by the Rev. J. A. Ross, Mr. James Bryson, to Jennie Belle, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Williamson, all of Plympton.

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In Enniskillen on Saturday, July 1st, James Easter, aged 52 years

In Brooke, on Thursday, June 29th, John Beattie, aged 73 years, 2 months and 29 days.

In Euphemia, on Wednesday, June 18, 1916, Mrs. James McCabe, aged 83 years, 9 months and 27 days.

In Watford, on Wednesday, July 12th,

1916, Alice Mae, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Pearce, aged 31 years and 7 days.

John J. Smith, contractor, Strathroy, had two ribs and his breast bone fractured when struck by a piece of scantling thrown from a saw at Oak's planing mill.

An Amherstburg man claims to have a Plymouth Rock hen that laid an egg 17 inches around the long way. Said egg, however, was only 1 1/2 inches in diameter. Some freak.

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The students who failed to hand in the required field work in science and the work in art have been valued according to their failure to meet requirements; a school must have but one standard—what is fair for one is fair for all. Anything short of this creates confusion, mars ideals and invites failure. Business is business. Mr. R. N. McKenzie, L. A. is a graduate of Toronto University and is a specialist with first class honors in mathematics. His valued services are secured for the Department of Mathematics for the coming year. Each member of the staff has a high scholastic standing in his or her respective department. The school is well manned and well equipped and the Board of Education are earnest and desirous to make the Watford High School a centre of high ethical and intellectual upliftment to the people of East Lambton in particular and Lambton county in general. We never rise above our ideals, hence it becomes necessary that our ideals be soundly sane, healthy and reasonably high. For the year 1915-1916 fifty-one students were registered in the II Form of the Lower School, and for reasons best known to the students themselves they had no command of the Form I work of 1914-1915 being the work of two years had to be crowded into one. A repetition of this kind of work would be intolerable hence all students must enter on the year 1916-1917 in the spirit of faithful work. The second Form of the Lower School in the "wending out" field of the Department and only such students who meet the requirements of the Department will be admitted to the Middle School in September. Form or no farm the Department will live up to the spirit and letter of circulars numbers 7, 11, 11A and 11B. Unless this is done justice is done to faithful girl students.

A. B. STEER, Principal, Watford, July 13, 1916.

SUMMER HEAT HARD ON BABY

No season of the year is so dangerous to the life of little ones as the summer. The excessive heat throbs the little stomach out of order so quickly that unless prompt aid is at hand the baby may be beyond all human help before the mother realizes he is ill. Summer is the season when diarrhoea, cholera infantum, dysentery and colic are most prevalent. Any one of these troubles may prove deadly if not promptly treated. During the summer the mother's best friend is Baby's Own Tablets. They regulate the bowels, sweeten the stomach and keep baby healthy. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

WATFORD PUBLIC SCHOOL

MIDSUMMER PROMOTIONS
The following is the result of the recent promotion examinations held in the Public School. Those pupils who were unable to write owing to illness will receive consideration on the opening of school in September.

Jr. IV to Sr. IV.—Required to pass 630. Nellie Kinnell 819, Mary Fowler 790, Lloyd Harper 767, Blanche Stapleford 766, Ernest McKecher 748, Elsie Weight 744, Eulalie Logan 738, Elsie Brown 722, Evelyn Dodds 710, Jesse Hayward 707, Florence Lambert 657.

Sr.—III to Jr.—IV.—Required to pass 450. Beatrice Cooke 572, Romaine Thorner 554, Aileen Wrinkle 546, Louise Dodds 529, Frank Roberts 510, Frank McGillicuddy 506, Evelyn Williamson 497, Arthur Wrinkle 487, Rebe Bruce 486, Robert McLeay 469, Gertrude Fulcher 454, Fred Edwards 451.

Jr.—III to Sr.—III.—Required to pass 450. Stanley Trenouth 607, Jack Davies 603, Elgin Kersey 578, Irene Graham 577, Margaret Irwin 569, Wesley Shepherd 565, Dorothy Fowler 549, Clinton Snell 542, Earl Roberts 541, Gwendolyn Cook 538, Ula Higgins 528, Douglas Weight 526, Harry Cooke 516, Stanley Mitchell 515, Family Graham 506, Mary Edwards 473, Sidney McNally 456, Jack McGillicuddy 450.

Sr.—II to Jr.—III.—Required to pass 330. Keith Spackman 445, Regine Logan 444, Florence Lovell 443, Elva Peart 414, Esther McKecher 411, Frank McCormick 404, George Willoughby 403, Donald McTavish 397, Iva Woods 396, Donald Vail 394, Jimmie Kinnell 390.

FRUIT BULLETIN

CHERRIES, The delicious White Oxheart Cherries are now arriving daily. The Red Sour Cherries for pie and preserving are about ready. Red Currants coming along next week. Ask your Grocer for the real Niagara Peninsula Grown Fruit. Don't take any without this label. IT IS YOUR GUARANTEE OF QUALITY. LOOK FOR MAP.

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COUNTY OF LAMBTON

Treasurer's Notice as to Lands Liable for Sale for Taxes, A. D., 1916.

Take notice that the list of lands in the County of Lambton liable for sale for 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 8th, 16th, 22nd and 29th days of July, 1916.

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 16th day of October, A. D., 1916, the said lands will be sold for 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 185, Sec. 149, Sub. Sec. 3.

Dated at Sarnia this 6th day of July, A. D., 1916.

H. INGRAM,
Treasurer of Lambton.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of George H. Wynne late of Watford, Ont. Retired Banker, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 56, Chap. 121, R.S.O. 1914, that all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said George H. Wynne, deceased, who died on the nineteenth day of May A. D. 1916, are required to send by post prepaid or deliver to the undersigned solicitor for James Wynne, Arthur Gilbert Kersey and Donald McGeachy the executors of the last Will and Testament of said deceased on or before the first day of August A. D. 1916, their claims and statements of their accounts fully verified and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the said first day of August A. D. 1916 the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice and the said executors will not be liable for said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons whose claim they shall not have received notice at the time of such distribution.

W. E. FITZGERALD,
Solicitor for said Executors,
Watford, Ont.

Dated July 5th, 1916.

\$200.00 REWARD

THE COUNCIL of the Township of Warwick offers a reward of \$200.00 for the arrest of the man who burglarized Thomas McLeay's house and criminally assaulted David Auld.

Description—Height about 5 ft. 10 in. Weight about 160 lbs. Age about 25 years. Wore a reddish brown suit and a hard felt hat. Was dark and bare faced. Had high cheek bones and wore soldier's shoes.

N. HERBERT, Clerk.

are told "that we have County Constables in our town who can do the work." Are the County Constables supposed to police Watford? I think not, and if they are "why are they not doing it?" Now, Mr. Editor I only write on this subject because I have the interests of our town at heart, and would like to see it prosper in every direction, which seems very improbable if there is no one to enforce the bylaws, or act as health officer, or to give the people protection against rowdism, and our streets and crossings become so unsafe, that women and children will fear to be on them. We had a good chief who was a credit to our town, who kept good order and was on the look out for fires and saw that our streets and crossings were kept clean, so that all were proud of our town and many of the citizens would like to see him back in his old position with a becoming uniform and his hands strengthened by all the support which can be given him. The fact that all the towns and villages around us of any size have a Chief of Police is evidence that the Watford policy of leaving the town without police protection is a bad one.

I remain, Yours Sincerely
F. G. ROBINSON,
July 11th, 1916.

Willie, the twelve year old son of John Wilson, a farmer living a mile south of Rodney, was badly bitten on the left hand last week by the family dog. The animal was killed and the head sent to Toronto. Word was received on Saturday by Dr. Dorland that the dog had rabies. The boy was taken to Toronto on Monday for the Pasteur treatment.

ARKONA

R. H. Wilson & Son sold a pair of their pure bred Shropshire lambs this week to the firm of Vanson & Rogers of North Battleford, Sask., for show purposes.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Herrington spent the week end in Sarnia.

Miss Freda Thoman is spending a month with her sister Mrs. P. A. Blackburn, Sarnia.

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Grey, of Chicago are visiting at I. Geo. Browns.

Rev. and Mrs. Moulé are spending a few weeks at Montreal.

Miss Marquerite Swan, of Mount Pleasant Mich., is spending the holidays at Mr. C. Cliffe's.

Miss Flossie Johnston spent a few days in Sarnia last week.

Miss Dilla Davidson is spending the holidays in Brown City.

The Misses Lida Lucas and Flossie Johnson spent the week end with friends in London.

Miss Maude Fuller is attending summer school held in Whitby.

Mrs. Dan Johnston and family of Ottawa, have returned after a trip up the lakes.

Miss Georgie Davidson B. A., of Melbourne, spent Sunday with Miss Bessie Brown.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist Church will hold their annual lawn social on Parsonage Lawn Wednesday evening July 19th. A splendid program is being prepared. Come and enjoy a good time.

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Lieut. Athol McLean, lately killed in action was a son of A. D. McLean, Manager of the Bank of Commerce at Sarnia.

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Report for June, 1916.

Aggregate 1300 marks. Pass 40 per cent. by subject, 60 per cent. aggregate.

Name	Total	Rank
Annett, Mabelle.....	611	26
Acton, Vera.....	864	7
Barnes, Alma.....	780	15
Cameron, Amy.....	328	43
Coke, Maud.....	828	11
Dowling, Grace.....	557	35
Edwards, Grace.....	440	42
Elliott, Kathleen.....	573	32
Fortune, Mildred.....	590	30
Forster, Bessie.....	825	12
Freer, Meryl.....	605	27
Freer, Keila.....	802	14
Gavigan, Josephine.....	688	22
Hobbs, Alma.....	744	17
Logan, Mabelle.....	716	18
Logan, Theresa.....	859	8
Minnelly, Ada.....	708	19
MacKenzie, Margaret.....	881	6
McCausland, Sarah.....	899	3
McEhran, Sa-lie.....	527	37
McGugan, Florence.....	830	21
McManus, Jean.....	884	2
Richardson, Freda.....	905	2
Smith, Esther.....	600	29
Spackman, Ada.....	514	38
Taylor, Hope.....	769	16
Waddell, Fern.....	1055	1
Wills, Leann.....	696	23
Wills, Pearl.....	655	23
Zavit, Hettie.....	838	10
Bruce, John.....	883	5
Cox, George (farm).....	701	20
Janes, Earnest (farm).....	617	25
Logan, Clare (farm).....	580	31
Lucas, Melvin (farm).....	537	36
Miller, Roger (farm).....	490	40
McLagan, Earl (farm).....	571	33
McGregor, Alex (farm).....	490	39
Richardson, Fred (farm).....	448	41
Restorick, Ross.....	846	9
Smith, Lee (farm).....	602	28
Waltham, Winfield (farm).....	564	34
Wright, Cyril (farm).....	628	24

ORDER OF MERIT

First Class Honors—Miss Fern Waddell, 1055 out of 1300. 975 or over certificate Honors.

All parents or guardians will receive detailed report. The above report speaks for itself and from this report the staff compiled their confidential report to the Educational Department early in June. Besides the examination marks throughout the second and third terms the staff considered prepared home work, required work in science and art.

For matriculation into the Universities and learned professions all the work of the Lower School is required, together with Latin, French, Chemistry and Physics as required options—that is two out of four. For the examinations into Normal or into the Faculty of Education the Lower School examination is compulsory and for the Faculty of Education Latin also is compulsory. Thus it will be seen that all parents or guardians who allowed their students to drop Latin or French or any part of the work in the Lower School which is not an examination subject they did a deep wrong to the student. The staff are the best judges of a student's needs so that when parents interfere with the course of study prescribed they hamper class work and injure the future needs of their children. The demands of the Department of Education are rightly being raised year by year to crush indolence in students and compel them to take some reasonable stand in vocational work. Boys or girls fifteen years of age ought to know what is in them, ought to possess fair habits of self control and ought to know what they can best do in life. We have too many misfits from forcing habits of parents and educationists. Boys and girls must be helped to discover themselves and then use their powers to the uttermost toward success. The recent examinations were not unreasonably hard for students who are

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GOING WEST
Accommodation, 75..... 8 44 a.m.
Chicago Express, 3..... 11 19 a.m.
Accommodation, 83..... 6 44 p.m.
GOING EAST
Accommodation, 80..... 7 48 a.m.
New York Express, 6..... 11 15 a.m.
New York Express, 2..... 3 02 p.m.
Accommodation, 112..... 5 16 p.m.
C. Vail, Agent, Watford

What's In A Name?

Sometimes There Is a Lot of Trouble

By F. A. MITCHEL

Caspar Kneibltz's great-great-grandfather was a German. He was not a Prussian nor a warrior, but a Hanoverian and a professor. Indeed, the old fellow was a bookworm, who, if a fly had attacked the tip of his nose, would have been too absorbed in his studies to have defended himself. And if the fly had succeeded in arresting his attention he would not have injured the intruder for the world. He would have opened a window and put it out.

His son, Caspar, was called to the chair of a university in France. Thenceforth the family became French. The men, of course, kept the German surname, but by the time the fourth Caspar Kneibltz came this was all the German there was about them. Not one of them could speak a word of German, and the third Kneibltz had given his life for France in the war of 1870.

When Germany advanced into Belgium to seize Paris, Caspar Kneibltz of the fourth generation, the hero of this story—if the word hero is a proper appellation—was twenty-one years old. He was only deterred from joining the colors by being so desperately in love with Hortense le Verrier that he was unable to tear himself away from her, though it must be admitted that if he had been able to master his own feelings sufficiently to leave her she would not have let him go.

For a Frenchman to have a German name accrued to his disadvantage as soon as the war broke out. Caspar Kneibltz was at last driven to part with his beloved Hortense on this account. When others had joined the colors and Caspar remained at home it was suspected that the reason he did not go to the war was because of German sympathies. When he came to know of this suspicion he was much pained. He told Hortense that he must not listen to the voice of love any longer and at once began to make preparations to go to the front.

Of course he met with great opposition. Hortense was sure that she would never see him again and that her life would be lighted. He tried to reassure her, but in vain. However, since the suspicions of his countrymen that he was loyal to a country he had never seen and of whose language he did not know a word had been aroused his resolution was taken.

In order to make the separation easier for his sweetheart he promised to write her a letter every day that it would be possible for him to write. Another thing she insisted on which would not likely be possible was that after every battle, if he came out alive, he telegraph her to that effect. Caspar fully realized the crowded conditions of the telegraph lines, especially immediately after a battle, and that they were under control of the government, but he had not the heart to make it known to the girl, thus denying her this crumb of comfort. However, not knowing what possibilities might arise, he drew up a cipher code by which he might add a few endearing words of information concerning himself.

It was decided by the lovers that they would be married before a separation that might last forever. The ceremony was performed privately with few persons present. Within a week after its conclusion Caspar departed for the front.

While Caspar's loyalty to France was not questioned by those who knew him personally, his name at once excited suspicion in strangers. He had scarcely broken away from the clinging Hortense and gained his regiment before he began to be looked upon as a possible German sympathizer, though why he should be in the French army if he was loyal to Germany was not explained. Truth is that many a man loyal to France or England who had German blood in his veins experienced a like suspicion.

Caspar joined the army as a private and would have been promoted had it not been for his German name. Several times he distinguished himself, and, officers immediately above him having been killed off, there were vacancies. But when it came to a question of filling them and Caspar was proposed his name caused his rejection.

"What! Lieutenant Caspar Kneibltz to command Frenchmen? Impossible!" Of course Caspar knew nothing of this; he only knew that when vacancies occurred he was not promoted. It did not trouble him, for his heart was with his dear Hortense, and all he desired was that the war should be ended and he might return to her.



AS luck would have it, Caspar found a friend, an operator in the military telegraph department. One day when he was feeling very homesick Caspar went to the office and asked his friend to send a dispatch for him. No fighting was going on at the time, and the telegraph was not very busy, so the friend told the lover that if he would leave his message with him he would endeavor to smuggle it through between messages for the government. Caspar left his message, which the operator put on file without looking at it and when a convenient time for sending it arrived took it up for the purpose.

He was surprised to see that it was in cipher. Not feeling at liberty to send a cipher message, the operator laid it aside. When Caspar came again to inquire if it had been sent and was told that it was held because it was in cipher Caspar looked so disappointed and begged so hard that it be put over the wires that his friend promised to do so, though he feared trouble would result. Caspar assured him that there was nothing in the dispatch that would be of the slightest injury to France, and this turned the scale.

M. Larrabee, deputed to examine telegrams received in Paris, was sitting at his desk when an operator handed him Caspar's dispatch. The moment he read the name of the person to whom it was addressed and noticed that the message was in cipher his face assumed the expression of one who had unearthed an announcement to German sympathizers that Paris was about to be attacked by a hundred Zeppelins.

"Mille tonnerres!" he exclaimed. "Has it come to this? Do the enemy send cipher messages to their spies in Paris over our telegraph lines? To Mme. Kneibltz, 21 Rue Pomponier. Could there be better evidence that this message is intended for one of the horde of German spies in our midst, who are watching our every act?"

Taking up a telephone receiver, he called up the officer in charge of the military telegraph and informed him of the message, stating that he did not doubt that it had been surreptitiously sent in the expectation that it would be delivered by some one in the telegraph department who was working secretly in the German interest. Colonel Bombardier, the officer telephoned, directed that the dispatch be sent to him and, after receiving and examining it, called a council of war to decide what to do in the premises.

When the council assembled experts in interpreting cipher telegrams were introduced and began the work of translating it. This was not easy to do, for it consisted in certain sentences which doubtless had a meaning for the receiver. However, the experts, not daring to acknowledge that they could make nothing of it, gave a possible translation, admitting that they could not vouch for its correctness. The meaning they placed upon it was that it announced a meeting of the German spies in Paris to receive one high in the German secret service.

Meanwhile Hortense was arrested and taken to Colonel Bombardier's office, where she was kept in an ante-room awaiting the result of the work of the experts. In time she was called in to face an array of men who looked ready to send her to the gallows.

"Frau Kneibltz," said the colonel. "do you speak French?"

"I don't speak any other language," was the meek reply.

"Do not try to deceive me. You are German, as your name indicates. A dispatch in cipher addressed to you has been intercepted. It is an announcement that an officer of high rank in the German secret service is coming to Paris to meet the spy corps in Paris."

This was said because if it were the true interpretation of the dispatch the young woman would likely collapse. She did no such thing. She simply looked at her accusers wondering.

"Who is Caspar?" asked the colonel severely.

"Monsieur, he is my husband. Has anything happened to him?" she asked, palling.

"You play your part well, but it will not serve."

"Have you a dispatch from him to me? Oh, give it to me!"

After a conference it was decided to read the dispatch aloud to her. The colonel began with the first sentence. "The weather is very fine," and asked her what it meant. She did not need the key to tell him; she knew it by heart.

"I am well," she replied.

The second sentence read was, "Yesterday it was hot."

Hortense, somewhat abashed, replied, "Sweetheart, I love you."

The members of the council looked at one another incredulously.

Again "We are expecting cooler

weather tomorrow."
"That means a thousand kisses," replied the bride, dropping her eyes to the floor.

"This climate is trying."
"I shall never see you again till France is victorious."

"The mud is very deep."
"Goodby, sweetheart. I shall love you forever."

Several of the men who had been impressed with Hortense's gentleness, honesty and, above all, that she was essentially French smiled. Colonel Bombardier's countenance assumed a shamefaced expression. He stood with the dispatch in his hand wondering what next to do.

"Colonel," said one of the council, "you've struck what they call in America a mare's nest."

"The case," said the colonel, maintaining an official tone, "will be better examined into by a woman. I shall send Mme. Kneibltz to Mme. Leblanc, head of our woman's detective bureau, and if she reports favorably the prisoner will be discharged."

Mme. Leblanc, instead of assuming the pomposity of the officers, began by soothing the poor little bride and soon discerned that she was wrapped up in her husband and had no other concern. Hortense produced the cipher code, and Mme. Leblanc saw that every sentence in it was nothing more than a love message. Then she reported to Colonel Bombardier, who pigeonholed the matter.

When Hortense wrote an account of the affair Caspar Kneibltz applied to his superior to be entered on the army roster as Charles Nightingale.

MORE MEN THAN WOMEN HAVE APPENDICITIS

Surgeons state men are slightly more subject to appendicitis than women. Watford people should know that a few doses of simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-ika, often relieve or prevent appendicitis. This mixture removes such surprising foul matter that ONE SPOONFUL relieves almost ANY CASE constipation, sour stomach or gas. The INSTANT, easy action of Adler-ika is surprising.—Taylor & Son, druggists 3

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Wrote a Famous Hymn.
The Rev. S. Baring-Gould, who has just entered his eighty-third year, is one of the most prolific of living authors. He has now well over a hundred volumes to his credit. It is at least probable, however, that he will go down to posterity as the author of one hymn. "Onward, Christian Soldiers" is known in all parts of the English-speaking world. The hymn was originally written for a school festival at a church in Yorkshire of which Mr. Baring-Gould was at that time the incumbent. Printed for the first time in the columns of The Church Times in 1865, it has since found its way into practically every hymnal.

Lord Derby and Pressmen.
Lord Derby makes a point of receiving some of the Press correspondents at the War Office from time to time, says London Opinion, and lets them fire questions at him with an entire absence of ceremony, though in the most good-natured fashion he does exactly as he likes about replying directly to their queries. The impression which Lord Derby leaves with his inquirers is one of extraordinary virility, coupled with quick-wittedness and bluff good humor. He gives them many a laugh for their pains, if they do not leave him overweighted with information.

What He Would Do.
A British officer inspecting sentries guarding the line in Flanders came across a raw-looking yeoman.
"What are you here for?" he asked.
"To report anything unusual, sir."
"What would you call unusual?"
"I dunno, exactly, sir."
"What would you do if you saw five battleships steaming across the field?"
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Passing of Colonel Watson Recalls a Famous Military Feat.

The death of Colonel Sir Charles Moore Watson, K.C.M.G., C.B., F.R.S., recalls that he was the friend and lieutenant of General Gordon, and that he was the daring captor of the Citadel of Cairo after the Battle of Tel-el-Keber. Sir Charles had warned the General and Colonel Herbert Stewart of the danger that Cairo might be burned, and pointed out the importance of the Citadel that evening. Accordingly, after the amazing scene at Abbasiya was over and 10,000 Egyptian troops had laid down their arms before 1,000 British cavalry, Colonel Stewart sent Sir Charles in command of scarcely 150 officers and men of the 4th Dragoon Guards and mounted infantry, to take the citadel which was known to be strongly garrisoned. They set out in the dark, and presented themselves by an unfrequented road at the Citadel gate. There Watson coolly ordered the officer of the guard to fetch the commandant and whom he came he was led to parade the garrison and march them out to Kasr-en-Nil Barracks. This audacious command was instantly obeyed. The keys were at once surrendered. Bugles were soon heard sounding the "Assembly" and while the few British troops were kept in the dark near the upper gate to conceal their scant numbers, 6,000 Egyptian soldiers marched out of the lower gate for more than two hours falling in by companies and "marching off as if they were quite accustomed to being roused up in the middle of the night and turned out by foreign troops."

India and Germans.

German trade, said a speaker at a recent meeting of the Bengal Chamber of Commerce, could not be prohibited without damaging Indian trade, but it should be transacted by British subjects, and all exports and imports should be carried in British steamers. If Germans were admitted into India after the war, said the speaker, they should be controlled and taxed specially. They should be registered and licensed, and should be prohibited from owning land and establishing or controlling banks, companies, or factories. They should be allowed to form clubs, associations, or societies. The chamber did not believe that the presence of German firms in India was essential to trade, and did not want them back. The president also urged that India should contribute substantially to the Imperial Navy.

King of England and France.

It is generally known that in the first year of the nineteenth century the King of England still bore the title of King of France? It was on November 5, 1800, that the privy council, in consequence of the Irish union, decided that the Royal style and title should be changed from "George III, by the grace of God, of Great Britain, France, and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith," to "George III, by the grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith." The abandonment of the title of "King of France" led to our foreign official correspondence being carried on in English instead of French.—London Chronicle.

BY-LAW NO. 6

A By-law to take the Vote of the Rate-payers of the Village of Watford, entitled to vote on Money By-laws on a question to be submitted, whether the said Rate-payers are in favor of a Supply of Electric Power from the Hydro Electric Power Commission of Ontario.

WHEREAS the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Village of Watford deems it advisable to submit to the rate-payers of the said Village of Watford, entitled to vote on money by-laws, a question as to whether the said rate-payers are in favour of a supply of Electric Power from the Hydro Electric Commission of Ontario.

THEREFORE THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CORPORATION OF THE VILLAGE OF WATFORD ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:—

1.—That the following question be submitted to the rate-payers of the Municipal Corporation of the Village of Watford, entitled to vote on money by-laws, "Are you in favour of obtaining from the Hydro Electric Power Commission of Ontario, a supply of Electric Power?"

2.—That the votes of the said rate-payers shall be taken on the question at the following time and places by the Deputy Returning Officers and Poll Clerks hereinafter mentioned, that is to say:—

On Tuesday, the first day of August, A. D., 1916, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon at the following places, and by the following Deputy Returning Officers and Poll Clerks, viz:—

Ward No. 1.—Basement of Public Library.

JACOB D. BROWN, Deputy Returning Officer.

WILLIAM H. SHRAPNELL, Poll Clerk.

Ward No. 2.—Council Chambers on North Ontario street.

WILLIAM WILLIAMSON, Deputy Returning Officer.

CHARLES F. ABBOTT, Poll Clerk.

3.—A true copy of this by-law shall be published in the Watford Guide newspaper, on the seventh and eighth and twenty-first days of July, 1916, and a copy of this bylaw shall be posted up at each of the following places, namely, "On the Fire Hall on north side of Ontario street."

At the Public Library on west side of Main street.

On the North side of Front street, between Main street and McGregor street.

On the North side of Front street, between Main street and Warwick street.

On the West side of Main street, between Gold street and Victoria street.

On the East side of Main street, and South side of Simcoe street.

4.—On the twenty-sixth day of July, 1916, at the Council Chambers in the Village of Watford at twelve o'clock noon, the Reeve will in writing signed by him, appoint two persons to attend at the final summing up of the votes by the Clerk of this Corporation, and one person to attend at each polling place on behalf of the persons interested in and desirous of the answering of the said question in the affirmative and a like number on behalf of the persons interested in and desirous of the answering of the said question in the negative respectively.

5.—The Third day of August, 1916, at the said Council Chambers at twelve o'clock noon is hereby appointed for the summing up by the Clerk of this Corporation of the number of votes given in the affirmative and in the negative respectively.

FINALLY PASSED AND ENACTED this Third day of July, A. D., 1916.

F. KENWARD, Reeve.

W. S. FULLER, Clerk.

NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that the above is a true copy of a by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the Village of Watford on the Third day of July, 1916.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that at the hour, day and places therein fixed for taking the votes of the Electors, the polls will be held.

First publication, the Seventh day of July, A. D., 1916.

W. S. FULLER, Village Clerk.

Council Chambers, Third day of July, A. D., 1916.

BY-LAW NO. 8

A By-law to Raise \$10,000.00 to be used in Providing a Distribution System for Electric Power at Watford.

WHEREAS it has become desirable to procure the supply of electric power from the Hydro Electric Power Commission of Ontario, and for utilizing the same, and providing a distribution system therefor, including distribution plant and equipment, it is necessary to raise the sum of \$10,000.

AND WHEREAS for the purpose of raising the said sum of \$10,000.00, it will be necessary to raise by the issue of debentures of the said village the said sum, and to do so the Municipal Council of the said Village intends by this Bylaw to create a debt on the Corporation of the Village of Watford of \$10,000.00 with interest thereon at the rate of five and one-half per cent. per annum, payable in twenty annual instalments by the issue of debentures to the extent of \$10,000.00.

AND WHEREAS it is desirable and

the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Village of Watford has determined to issue the said debentures at one time and to make the principal of the said debt to be repayable by yearly sums during the period of twenty years being the currency of the said debentures, said yearly sums being of such respective amounts that the aggregate amount payable in each year for principal and interest computed on the unpaid principal at the rate of five and one-half per cent. in respect of the said debt shall be as nearly as possible equal to the amount so payable in each of the other years of the said period as shown in the schedule hereinafter contained.

AND WHEREAS the whole rateable property of the Village of Watford according to the last revised assessment roll of the said Village of Watford is the sum of \$378,855.00.

AND WHEREAS the present existing debt of the said Village of Watford secured by debentures is the sum of \$28,968.76 and no part of the said sum is in arrears.

AND WHEREAS for paying off the said principal sum of \$10,000.00 and interest as aforesaid it will be necessary to raise in each of the said twenty years the following sums:

Table with 4 columns: Year, Interest, Principal, Total. Rows from 1916 to 1935.

\$6735.80 \$10,000.00 \$16,735.80 being the aggregate amount for principal and interest to be paid in each and every year according to the Statute in such case made and provided.

THEREFORE THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CORPORATION OF THE VILLAGE OF WATFORD ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:—

1.—That all necessary or desirable plant and equipment be procured for the utilizing of Hydro Electric Power in the Village of Watford, and for procuring a distribution system therefor.

2.—It shall be lawful for the Reeve of said Municipality for the purposes aforesaid to borrow the said sum of \$10,000.00 and to issue debentures of the said Municipality to that amount, with coupons attached for the payment of interest at the rate aforesaid, in sums of not less than one hundred dollars each.

3.—The debentures to be issued under this bylaw shall be issued at one time and shall be issued within two years after the passing of this bylaw.

4.—The said debentures shall be payable at the office of the Treasurer of the Village of Watford.

5.—It shall be lawful for the Reeve of the said Municipality and he is hereby authorized and instructed to sign and issue the debentures hereby authorized to be issued and to cause the same to be signed by the Treasurer of the said Municipality and the Clerk of the Municipality is hereby authorized to attach the seal of the said Municipality to the said debentures.

6.—The said debentures shall be payable on the Thirty-first day of December in each of the twenty years hereinbefore mentioned.

7.—There shall be raised and levied in each year by special rate on all the rateable property in the said Municipality a sum sufficient to discharge the several instalments of principal and interest accruing due on the said debentures as the same become respectively payable according to the provisions of this by-law.

8.—The said sum of \$10,000.00 shall be expended when raised for the purposes set forth in the recital hereto.

9.—The votes of the rate-payers of the said Municipality qualified to vote on money by-laws shall be taken on this bylaw at the several sub-divisions appointed in said Village for election purposes and for that purpose the following persons shall be the deputy returning officers and the following shall be the polling places for the taking of the votes:—

Ward Number One, Basement of Public Library, Jacob D. Brown Deputy Returning Officer, W. H. Shrapnell Poll Clerk.

Ward Number two, Council Chamber on North Ontario Street, William Williamson Deputy Returning Officer, Chas. F. Abbott Poll Clerk; and a copy of this by-law shall be posted up at each of the following places, namely,—"On the fire hall on North side of Ontario Street."

At the Public Library on West side of Main Street.

On the North side of Front Street, between Main Street and McGregor Street.

On the North side of Front Street, between Main Street and Warwick Street.

On the West side of Main Street, between Gold Street and Victoria Street.

On the East side of Main Street, and South side of Simcoe Street.

10.—All such votes shall be taken on the First day August, A. D., 1916, at the said several places named for the votes to be taken in said several Wards between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon, and the Clerk of the said Village shall on the Third day of August, A. D., 1916, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon in the Council Chamber in the said Village

sum up the number of votes for and against the said by-law, and on the Twenty-sixth day of July, A. D., 1916, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon at the place last named, the Reeve of the said Village shall appoint in writing signed by him two persons to attend at the final summing up of the votes and one person to attend at each polling place on behalf of the persons interested in and desirous of promoting the passing of the by-law, and a like number on behalf of the persons interested in and desirous of opposing the passing of the by-law.

11.—This by-law shall come into force and take effect immediately after the final passing thereof.

Passed provisionally and dated at the Village of Watford this Third day of July, A. D. 1916.

Finally passed the day of A. D. 1916.

NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that the foregoing is a true copy of a proposed By-law of the Corporation of the Village of Watford to be submitted to the votes of the Electors on the First day of August, A. D. 1916, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon, at the following places:—

Ward No. 1.—Basement of Public Library.

Ward No. 2.—Council Chambers on North Ontario Street.

And that the Third day of August, A. D. 1916, at twelve o'clock noon, at the Council Chamber in the said Municipality has been fixed for the appointment of persons to attend at the polling places, and at the final summing up of the votes by the Clerk.

And that if the assent of the Electors is obtained to the said proposed By-law it will be taken into consideration by the Municipal Council of the said corporation at a meeting thereof to be held after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice, and that such first publication was made on the 7th day of July, 1916.

TAKE NOTICE FURTHER that a tenant who desires to vote upon said proposed by-law must deliver to the Clerk not later than the tenth day before the day appointed for taking the vote a declaration under The Canada Evidence Act, that he is a tenant whose lease extends for the time for which the debt or liability is to be created, or in which the money to be raised by the proposed By-law is payable, or for at least twenty-one years, and that he has by the lease covenanted to pay all municipal taxes in respect of the property of which he is tenant other than local improvement rates.

W. S. FULLER, Clerk.

Honor Roll, C Company 149 Battalion

- Sergt. W. H. Smyth, Sergt. R. D. Swift, Sergt. W. D. Lamb, Sergt. M. W. Davies, Sergt. S. H. Hawkins, Sergt. E. A. Dods, Corp. W. C. McKinnon, Corp. W. M. Bruce, L. Corp. J. C. Anderson, L. Corp. H. Murphy, L. Corp. C. F. Roche, L. Corp. A. I. Smeal, L. Corp. J. Menzies, Pte. A. Banks, Pte. F. Collins, Pte. A. Dempsey, Pte. S. E. Dods, Pte. J. R. Garrett, Pte. H. Jamieson, Pte. G. Lawrence, Pte. R. J. Lawrence, Pte. C. F. Lang, Pte. W. C. Pearce, Pte. W. Restorick, Pte. T. E. Stilwell, Pte. R. Watson, Military police, Pte. A. H. Lewis, Bugler, Pte. G. A. Parker, Pte. A. W. Stilwell, Pte. W. J. Saunders, Pte. A. Armond, Pte. W. C. Aylesworth, Bugler, Pte. R. Clark, Bugler, Pte. T. Shaw, Pte. S. L. McClung, Pte. J. McClung, Pte. H. Cooper, Pte. C. Atchison, Pte. B. C. Culley, Pte. H. J. McFeely, Pte. H. B. Hubbard, Pte. G. Young, Pte. S. Yerks, Pte. T. A. Gilliland, Pte. D. Benne, Pte. F. J. Russell, Pte. Geo. Gibbs, Pte. E. Mayes, Pte. C. Haskett, Pte. S. Graham, Pte. C. McCormick, Pte. W. Palmer, Pte. H. Thomas, Pte. F. Thomas, Pte. B. Trenouth, Pte. E. A. Shaunessy, Pte. W. Zavitz, Pte. F. Trolley, Pte. W. J. Sayers, Pte. C. Skillen, Pte. Lot Nicholls, Pte. Bertan L. Verne Edwards, Pte. John Lamb, Pte. Eaton Fowler, Pte. E. Cooper, Pte. F. A. Connelly, Pte. F. Whitman, Pte. C. E. Sisson, Pte. Edgar Oke, Pte. White, Pte. McGarrity, Pte. Wilson.

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Who Will Get Highest Title of Nobility Out of the Conflict.

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The Dukedom of Somerset also had its course in a first-class fighting man, who led an army of invasion into Scotland in 1544, and after defeating the French a year later became Captain-General of Boulogne and Lieut.-General of the Army in France. His was probably the quickest elevation ever recorded, for from a simple knight he became Baron Seymour one day and Duke of Somerset the next. The first Duke of Manchester was perhaps more distinguished as a diplomatist than a soldier, yet, espousing the cause of the Prince of Orange, he took an active part in the campaign in Ireland and was present at the battle of the Boyne, thus carving with his sword the way to the highest honor of the peerage.

Remarkable Snuff-Box.

Mauchline, in Scotland, is the proud possessor of a remarkable snuff-box. It is shaped like a book. The boards are composed of small squares of wood with the most interesting histories. On one side there is "oak from a canoe found in the Doon, 1831"; "oak from Glasgow Cathedral"; "from Highland Mary's thorn"; "oak from the piles of London Bridge, built 1176"; "oak of the Royal George, sunk at Spithead, 29th August, 1789"; "oak from Elderlie"; "Queen Mary's yew"; "oak of House of Lords, built October, 1834"; "oak of H.M. ship, sunk 1545 near 1849"; "cedar of Lebanon"; "oak from H.M.S. Boyne." The other side of the box consists of interesting relics. "oak of St. George's, Bass Rock, 1670"; "oak of Tower of London, built 1077"; "oak of Royal Exchange, burnt January, 1839"; "oak of ship Temeraire, broken up 1839"; "oak of Knox's pulpit"; "Peden's thorn, from burying ground, Cumnock"; "oak of Alloway Kirk"; "oak of Lord Nelson's flagship Victory"; "Ehu from field of Waterloo"; "oak of Holyrood Palace"; "oak of ship which brought over King William III., 1688." There are thus eleven relic pieces of wood on each side of the box.

A Teetotal Story.

Those who intend to follow the King's example and to become teetotalers during the war will find themselves in very distinguished company, for many famous men never touch intoxicating liquor of any kind. One of the most notable of these is Lord Charles Beresford, apropos of which fact there is an amusing story. Speaking to an audience of sailors some time ago, Lord Charles said: "I advise you to go in for sport instead of hard drinking. In my maturer years I have become a teetotaler myself."

He Shed the Clothes.

A young Scotchman who was sent out to Canada some years ago with letters of introduction from various titled friends to the directors of the Canadian Pacific Railway was referred to Baron Shaughnessy, then general manager of the C. P. R. Wishing to make an impression, he put on frock coat and tall hat, and was indeed astonished to find the general manager working in his shirt-sleeves. However, he had good engineer's certificates and so was given a job. But before he left the room, "Young man," said Lord Shaughnessy, "if you mean to keep your job on the C. P. R. you'll have to shed those clothes." The young Scotchman was Randolph Bruce, now one of the best known men in the West.

Where They Were Shot.

Among the visitors to the Tower of London were two ladies whose sense of the realistic was more pronounced than a love of the historic. It mattered not to them that the passing centuries had endowed with an historic significance the various objects that claimed their attention. They passed from room to room with dwindling interest and curiosity. Presently they halted in consultation. Then one lady detached herself from her companion and sought the help of a beefeater. "Can you tell us," she asked with suave seriousness, "where the spies are shot?" The official, who had within him the instinct of censorship, replied, "In the chest, madam," and walked on.



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Voters' List—1916.

Municipality of the Village of Watford
County of Lambton.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in section 9 of "The Ontario Voters' List Act," the copies required by said section to be so transmitted 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 Watford on the 3rd day of July, 1916, 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 Watford this 3rd day of July, A. D., 1916.

W. S. FULLER,
Clerk of Watford.

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R. R. No. 2, Wyoming, Ont.
J 23-3 t.

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R. R. No. 5, Watford.
J 7-3 t.

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Wanted a fully qualified Teacher for Union School Section 7 Warwick and 2 Brooke. Duties to commence after the summer holidays. State salary and experience. Apply to
ALEX. BRYCE
Secretary-Treasurer
R. R. 3, Watford.
J 14-4 t.

How Hydro Works in Strathroy

A short time ago Mr. J. W. Bate, of the Andrews Wire Works called up a Strathroy business man asking for some particulars regarding the use of Hydro in that town. In reply he received a letter which we reproduce in part:—

Strathroy, July 11th, 1916.
Mr. J. W. Bate
In answer to your phone message to give you some facts as to the operation of Hydro in our town the following perhaps will be of benefit in the matter.

The cost of the pole line from London, the Substation here and the rewiring, changing transformers from the 60 to 25 cycle and meters was \$25,000 for which debentures were issued. Our system is capable of giving us 200 horse power. Our contract is for \$44 per horse power per year for a 24 hour service. We have not used up to the capacity of our installation as yet and have only paid in proportion to the amount we have used and as there is a profit in the use of the energy we have at the end of the first year's operation a net profit of \$1651.49 besides writing off 5% for depreciation. The 5% being considered enough when there is no moving machinery. Besides this the rates have been reduced, the old rate being for house lighting 15c per kw with 20% discount. This was reduced to 6c and 10% discount and then to 4c per kw and 10% discount. Commercial rate for stores and small motors up to 5 horse power 8c and 10% dis. It would be also interesting to know that we have now in operation fifteen power motors from half a horse up to 75 horse and all giving the best of satisfaction both in efficiency and low cost of operation. The town is also lighted up as a town should be and instead of the Hydro being a cost to the town we have better light all night and all day service, house lighting cut about a third, cheap enough so that all can have the benefits of it, and even those who were bitterly opposed to it now its most enthusiastic supporters because when they were talking against it they DID NOT KNOW WHAT THEY WERE TALKING ABOUT. Of course Watford would have to pay more per horse power than our town and not likely would use as much, but even so the uses that the energy can be put to is an incentive to hitch up. In the past few days a large number of fans have been installed and many more are going in. As there is an inducement to use current in the shape of a rate surprisingly small after the installed load is used a certain time, users will hitch on utilities so that the average will be a great deal less than

the low rates above indicate. This will perhaps be better understood by the enclosed meter bill. The street lighting cost at the present time is \$14 for 100 watt and \$24 for 250 watt lamps per year all night service. These are carbon filled lamps and are beautifully bright. There is a lot of information on the subject that is hard for the layman to understand as to the power rates and the best way is to just make it plain that for efficiency, comparative low cost, cleanliness and handiness, Hydro power is the pinnacle of the matter.
Yours truly
G. M. HALDANE.

Glenn Nichol to the Folks at Home

June 16, 1916.

Dear Ones at Home
This is the 14th day of the third battle of Ypres and we're still O. K. We have recaptured all the ground lost by the other division and are now out for a few days rest. We had a great old battle (that is the first Canadian division) and believe me I would like to give you full details of the affair but dare not do it, but at a later date will give particulars. We rushed them right off their feet. I could have had souvenirs galore in fact had a number but my equipment was blown by a shell later in the day and everything went. A shell hit near me at one time—blew me in the air, tore my bombing apron off and broke my rifle but left me unscathed. I was blown up twice and buried once in one morning but am still as right as ever. They can't bear the old boys I tell you. Will write more later. Love to all.
GLENN

Death of Mrs. Geo. Shirley

After an illness extending over two months, Mrs. Geo. Shirley passed away to her eternal reward on Sunday, July 2nd, 1916, at the early age of 56 years. Mrs. Chalmers of Toronto, Newell and Sawers of Watford, performed an operation for appendicitis which proved successful, but the physicians discovered that there were other complications which were the immediate cause of her death. The whole community was shocked to hear of her sudden demise. Mrs. Shirley possessed an amiable Christian character, adorned with those graces that make life beautiful. She was somewhat quiet after retiring in her disposition, yet she made many warm friends by her gentle words and kindly acts, and had the happy faculty of retaining those friends whom she had made.

Many will miss her smile, her friendly greeting, her sweet and gentle presence, which was the sympathy with her sorrowing husband and daughter and her two sisters Mrs. (Dr.) Chalmers and Mrs. Cowan. She was a true and devoted member of the Walnut Methodist Church, seldom being absent from the services on the Lord's Day.

The floral tributes, which were numerous and beautiful, testified to the esteem in which she was held in the community.

After an appropriate memorial service conducted by her pastor, Rev. J. A. Snell, on Tuesday, the 4th, the loved form was laid to rest in St. James Cemetery not far from the home of her childhood.

Truly it can be said:—"Blessed are the dead that die in the Lord."

Underdrainage and its Practical Results

The immediate purpose of drainage is to remove the surface water from the land. The reasons why this improvement results in better crops is not so obvious. All soil is permeated with moisture. All soil has water in it even when it appears to be quite dry. This water is of two kinds: Hydrostatic or ground water, which is free to move under gravitation, and capillary water, which is a thin film of water clinging to the particles and grains of solid matter, held there by what is known as surface tension. It is commonly spoken of as moisture and is moved by capillary attraction. This water is not affected by drains. It is this water that is used by the plants, the supply of it being replenished from the hydrostatic water. In an ideal soil or a soil in ideal condition for plant growth, the capillary water will be found surrounding all grains and masses of solid matter with the intervening spaces filled with air.

In clay soils the water does not drain readily after a storm. Puddles and mud holes form on the surface and only dry up by evaporation. The ground water level or (hydrostatic water) is then high being lowered gradually by the slight seepage through the soil and by evaporation from the surface. Before it is lowered sufficiently however another storm comes and raises the level again. In such soils the ground water is high except in seasons of drought. It is such soils that are benefited by drainage.

Any soil where natural drainage is poor so that the ground water level is less than about three feet below the surface at plowing time will be benefited by drainage.

All soils which are sandy or porous at the surface may not be well underdrained. There may be a clayey sub-soil close to the surface which is nearly as detrimental to good drainage as if it came entirely to the surface. Occasionally such lands cannot be underdrained successfully.

In other cases the surface soil may not be as porous as expected but the sub-soil may be very open and give a perfect drainage. It is not possible, therefore, to tell from mere inspection of the surface soil whether or not underdrainage is needed.

(To be continued)

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County Council Grants

At the June session of the Lambton County Council the following grants were made:—

Rural Schools	\$ 1,945.22
Fruit and Vegetable Show	100.00
Board of Agriculture	50.00
Grand & Petit Jurors	1,897.59
Teachers' Institutes (each)	25.00
Debentures falling due	14,369.81
War Tax	29,650.18
Poultry & Pet Stock Ass'n	50.00
Talford Creek Bridge	250.00
West Otter " "	650.00
Drummond " "	500.00
McDonald " "	300.00
Current Expenses	53,500.00
Corn Growers Association	150.00
School Fairs (each municipality)	25.00
Exam 5th class pupils (each)	1.00
Repair of County Bridge, Kent and Lambton	15.00
Ferry line, country boundary of Sombra	100.00

CONTINUATION CLASSES

Oil Springs	\$ 250.00
Alvinston	250.00
Courtright	100.00
Bridgen	125.00
Arkona	150.00
Florence	150.00
Wyoming	100.00

\$104,708.90

The Hanna Trophy

Owing to the late, backward and wet spring weather, corn planting in the County was very much later than usual. The prevailing fine weather of late has made most fields bring forth a good stand of promising corn. The reports from all quarters of the County report the corn crop a good stand of plants, demonstrating the advantages of proper selection, grading and germinating power of County home-grown seed. The entries for the Hanna Trophy Competition total nearly as large as previous years. To give everyone who is desirous of entering this competition an opportunity of doing so, the Corn Growers' Association call a attention that all entries must be in by Saturday, July 22nd, on which date entries will close. Entry forms can be had from any of the Directors of the Corn Growers' Association or from W. P. Macdonald, District Representative, Petrolia.

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Mr. Crittenden, 10th concession, Yarmouth, lost three valuable cows in a peculiar manner. The 1,500-volt power line on the L. & P. S. A. broke, and after the power had been shut off one of the cows pany's men tied the loose end of the wire to a wire fence. The power was turned on later, with the result that the fence was charged with electricity, and when the cows came in contact with it they were killed.

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