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

READ THE WANT COLUMN. SWELL stock of blouses-SWIFT'S. MIVISION COURT in Watford next Fri-

BRING along your butter and eggs. We pay cash or trade—J. MATHEWS. THE Lawrence heading shed on Ont-erio street has been pulled down.

IT is not necessary to be able to speak the Indian language to get on the Indian A FORTION of the Allen Sharp block is being converted into a harness shop for W. J. Coupland.

HAVE you seen the new King hats for nen?-A. Brown & Co.

New designs and colorings in wall paper for spring.—P. Dodds & Son. No change in the date of the muncipal. elections will be made at the present session of the Legislature.

ANY quantity of Scranton coal on hand-egg, stove and nut. Prompt de-livery.-GEO. CHAMBERS. AN Ontario charter has been granted to the Inwood Rural Telephone Company, Limited, Inwood; capital \$25,000.

OLD COUNTRY rain coats at Glasgow

REV. W. J. FORD has been confined to the house during the past week and was unable to take his services on Sunday. \$200,000.00 of Company and private

monies to loan on mortgage at lowest rates of interest. Apply to Cowan & Towers, Watford. OUR triends, who from one reason or another have not paid up for 1910, will please do so, as we need the money— SWIFT BROS.

A SPECIAE meeting of the Daughters of the Empire will be held at the home of Mrs. N. B. Howden on Friday evening, Mar. 10th, at 7.30 o'clock sharp. All embers are requested to be present.

An expert from the Canada General Electric Co. of Toronto, was here this week conferring with Mr. Chambers in segard to the installing of the new ngsten system of lighting the town. SPRING SHOES arriving, latest American styles, at P. Dodds & Son's.

Ar the annual election of officers rec-

ently held among the students at Toronto University, C. S. Wynne was elected President of the 3rd year Faculty of Medicine, and Councillor on the Medical Society

engagement is announced of Helen M., youngest daughter of the late Dr. G. H. Pierson, Redlands, Cal., to Mr. William H. Thom, of Toronto. The wedding will take place in Des Moines, Ia., on Mar. 11th.

OUR HAT special at \$1.5 regular \$2.00 quality.—Swift's. \*Twas Saturday night, and six men

dashed For the Pole, each deep perplexed; Each one wanted to be the first there

When the barber shouted "Next!"

THE second of Rev. S. P. Irwin's course of sermons on "Old Types of Modern Sinners," will be given on Sunday evening next, March 12th. The subject will be 'joash, the Indolent

Two specials in black and white shep-herd's plaid 25c. and 50c.—A. Brown &

THE members of Peabody Lodge, I.O. Wednesday evening last to bid farewell to several of the brethren who leave for the West next week. Lunch was served and the evening passed quickly in speech and song.

REV. RURAL DEAN ROBINSON, of Strathroy, will preach in Trinity church on Wednesday evening next, March 15th. Service at 7.45. Rev. Mr. Robinson is a powerful speaker and a deep thinker and his discourse will no doubt be listened to by a large congregation. by a large congregation.

SPECIAL value in boy's bloomer suits, pair pants-Swift's.

OUR old and respected townpeople, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Laughlin, celebrated their golden wedding last Saturday. They were married March 4th 1861. Many congratulations were extended to them on the completion of their half century of married life.

THE blue print of the official Lambton County map has just been issued. The committee met in Petrolea on Tuesday and finally went over the matter and revised said blue print. Chairman W. E. Fitzgerald, who was present at said committee meeting expects that meny will soon be ready for distribution.

TRY J. Mathews for choice teas. Some excellent 30 cent tea he is now selling

At the last regular meeting of the Watford Chosen Friends it was decided to hold their meetings hereafter on the second Tuesday of each month instead of the second Wednesday. Therefore the next meeting wil be held next Tuesday evening, March 14th, at the usual place. Do not rail to hear the interesting debate at this meeting. at this meeting.

NEW HATS for young gents-Swift's. WE have received for publication a very interesting letter from Mrs. W. J. Thompson, who is visiting her daughter Mrs. (Rev.) Connolly, at Shidznoka, Japan. The letter was mailed on Jan. 27th and arrived in Watford Wednesday afternoon, March 8th. It will be pub-lished next week.

Our ten-dollar spring overcoats are

IRON ore has been found in Kent county on the shore of Lake Erie near Rondeau. The find was made by Archie Park, a prominent manufacturer, of Chatham. Samples of the ore have been examined and found to be rich in min-eral. The matter will be investigated.

SOME tapping of maple trees was done last week but weather conditions have been unfavorable as yet for a good run of sap. It is said that the yield will be short this year, owing to the recent sleet storm. The limbs of many maple trees were broken off under the weight of ice which will cause them to "bleed!" of ice, which will cause them to "bleed freely when the sugar time comes.

HIGHEST prices paid for butter and eggs, either cash or trade.—P. DODDS &

THE final game of hockey for the intermediate O.H.A. championship was played at Midland on Tuesday night, between Preston and Midland, resulting in the defeat of Preston by a score of 6-7. Preston, however, won the round by a score of 12-10, thus becoming champions. The Preston team only lost one game out of the 15 they played.

We understand that when the new

WE understand that when the new street lighting is installed the service will be extended to midnight. This is a step in the right direction and will no doubt cause electric lighting to become more popular and generally used in residences than at present. A town of the importance of Watford should have a service extending to 12.30 o'clock, and in the morning from 6 o'clock until daylight.

THE Quebec Chronicle of Feb. 13th THE Quebec Chronicle of Feb. 13th, says: "It is interesting to note that the three most successful Canadian authors are from the prairie provinces. Canada's three best sellers this year are by Western authors. They are "Janey Canuck in the West" by Emily Ferguson, (Mrs. Arthur Murphy of Edmonton); "The Trial of '93" by Robert W. Service, and "The Second Chance" by Mrs. Nellie McClung of Maniton. Man. McClung of Manitou, Man.

THE fine black and blue Belwarp suitings \$18.50 to \$24.00 a suit. Tailoring first class—Swift's.

The taking of the census will commence early in June and it is expected that it will be completed in about a week. The modus operandi of the commissioners will be to select enumerators, one for each polling sub-division, who will receive five cents for each name registered by them. In addition, they will be paid a further sum for other in-formation which they collect. The cen-sus commissioner is paid three cents a name and is also allowed a certain sum for other expenses. The are now being se'ected.

Cur prices in dinner sets, toilet sets, and lamps to clear.—P. Dodds & Son. BERJ. WARD, who was injured on the G. T. R. track on Wednesday night of last week, is improving nicely. It appears that he was returning from a trip to Michigan, and getting into Sarnia after the last local train had left, took passage on a light engine and when nearpassage on a light engine and when near ing Watford jumped, injuring his head crushing his foot. He was at one time employed as a fireman on the G. T. R. and thought he could make the jump

successfully, but miscalculated the speed at which the engine was going, THE March meeting of the Daughters of the Empire was held at the home of Mrs. Lamont. There were 13 members and 6 visitors present. It was decided to postpone the concert appointed for Mar. 17th. The program consisted of a humorous reading by Mrs. T. G. Mitchell; solo, Mrs. L. Millar; paper on "The Responsibility of Canadians to the Empire" by Mrs. Lawont cale. postpone the concert appointed for Mar pire' by Mrs. Lamont; solo, Mrs. R. G. Kelly; reading, Mrs. Brown. The pro-gram throughout was excellent and heartily enjoyed by all. After refreshneartily enjoyed by all. After refresh-ments were served, a very pleasant meet-ing was closed by singing the National Anthem. The April meeting was ap-pointed for the home of Mrs. Lawrence. THE real Bannockburn tweeds at

Swift's Our readers should keep their weather eye open for fakirs and swindlers as they are numerous and work every scheme to catch people. The latest swindle worked by a sharper in one of the cities recently, is an apt illustration of the ability of these dead beat fakirs to catch not only the ignorant but all others who are not the ignorant, but all others who are not constantly on their guard. This swindler walked into a jewelry store and selecting a \$125 watch left a check for \$600 drawn a \$125 watch left a check for \$5000 drawn on an out-of-town bank, with instructions that the watch be regulated and that he would come after it and his change a week later. On returning he was informed that his check was no good. "Well, that's strange," he said, "It's the second time the bank has done that on me. But here's the money tor your But here's the money for your watch." He counted out \$125 in currency and started for the door. "Oh yes, cy and started for the door. "Oh yes," he said, turning around, "you had better give me that check." It was willingly handed over to him. On the back was the jeweller's endorsement. With this the man went to the bank, got it cashed, and was never heard of afterwards.

Ask to see the Sultan rugs-Swift's. ASK to see the Sultan rugs—SWIFT'S.

THE Lambton Children's Ald Society received the following cash contributions last month: Court Huron, I. O. P., \$2.00; Alphs Encampment, I. O. O. P., \$5.00; Chosen Friends, \$2.00; Sarnia Tent, K. O T. M., \$5.00; Township of Moore, \$5.00; Township of Bosanquet, \$5.00; Township of Brooke, \$5.00; Township of Warwick, \$5.00; Town of Watford, \$10.00; Town of Petrolea, \$10.00; Frank Gutteridge, \$5.00. Gifts of clothing have been received from Mr. Newton of the Woollen Mills Store. Sarnia. of the Woollen Mills Store, Sarnia.

John Wilkinson, of Sarnia, is Secretary
of the Society and is grateful to any kind
friends who feel like contributing to this
worthy object. worthy object.

GRAND DISPLAY of whitewear and

THOSE unscrupulous persons who have been defrauding the province by collecting a bounty of \$15 on coyote skins will in future be unable to make such easy money. Hon. Col. Matheson, the Proyincial Treasurer, will introduce legislation making it compulsory for all people to forward the wolf skins to the Parliament Ruildings, without the correct the property. Buildings, when it becomes the property of the Crown and after the bounty is paid the skins will be sold. At present, when a man kills a wolf he takes it to the pays \$15 bounty. The skin then is the property of the hunter, who sells it for from \$5 to \$10. In future the hunter will get only the bounty and the province will get the money from the sale of the skins.

BEAVERS have become a nuisance in some places and a bill will be introduced to allow Government employes to destroy the animals. As it is unlawful to kill beaver, the farmers cannot do anything to stop their depredations. Changes in the open seasons are made in the bill. The open season for mink opens on the first of November in future, instead of the first of November. The instead of the first of December. open season for woodcock is to be extended fifteen days. Another bill amends the Fish and Game Act, and stipulates that no one shall shoot more than 25 wild duck of any kind in one day; nor wild duck of any kind in one day; nor more than 10 partridge; and not more than 150 ducks or 50 partridge in all during any one season, also to prohibit the use of automatic guns by game hunters.

WILTON, Brussels and tapestry rugs 21/2 by 3 to 41/2 by 41/2—Swift's.

#### PERSONAL,

Charlie Fitzgeraid has been on the Mr. John Restorick left tor the West

last week. Miss Eva Glass left for Saskatchewan

on Tuesday.

H. A. Cook was in Toronto last week

Mr. E. Lamont spent several days this week with Sarnia friends.

Mr. Rich. Roche, Winnipeg, was a Watford visitor this week. Miss Loretto Roche, Forest, spent the

veek end at her home here. Miss Hattie Cook, London, is spending tew days at her home here.

Mrs. H. Nash, London, spent the end at the home of her mother.

Mr. Joshua Thomas, Inwood, spent Sunday with Watford relatives. W. E. Fitzgerald, barrister, was in Toronto last Thursday and Friday on

legal business Mrs. (Dr.) J. F. James and son Arthur are spending a few days with Mrs. A Brown, Erie St.

Miss A. Hartley, head milliner with A. Brown & Co., has returned from the openings and resumed her position with that firm.

Mr. Jas. I. Hill, of the Dominion Bank, Tilbury, formerly of Watford, has recently moved to Calgary and opened up a real estate office in that city.

Mr. Paul E. Willonghby, of St. Johns, Michigan, called on his brother, W. G. Willoughby and other friends on Tuesday and Wednesday last. He says the farmers of that state are opposed to the reciprocity agreement, but under the impression that a great many Canadians are auxious for annexation. He was inform-ed that neither Grit nor Tory was in favor of other than commercial relations.

#### WATFORD COUNCIL.

Watford, March 6th, 1911. Regular meeting of Council. Members present:—Brown, Williams, Willoughby, Graham. Reeve coming in later on

Graham—Willoughby, that Mr. Brown take the chair until Reeve arrives.—Car-

Williams-Willoughby, that minutes as read be adopted.-Carried Graham—Willoughby, that communication of Hagersville Contracting Company, re crushed stone be received and considered at next regular meeting.—Car-

Brown-Williams, that Reeve take nec essary steps to protect the village re application of Mr. Lavid Ross, to withdraw lots from survey and the closing of King street.—Carried.

Brown—Willoughby, that By-law No. 3, re electric light contract be read first time.—Carried and by-law read.

Brown—Willoughby, that By-law No. 3 be read a second time.—Carried and by-law read and by-law read.

Brown—Willoughby, that By-law No. 3 be read a second time.—Carried and by-law No. 3 be read a second time.—Carried and by-law No. 3 be read a second time.—Carried and by-law No. 3 be read a second time.—Carried and by-law No. 3 be read a second time.—Carried and by-law No. 3 be read a second time.—Carried and by-law No. 3 by-

ing.—Motion lost.
Brown—Williams, that the appointing of a constable be left until next regular meeting and that council draft out the work required to be performed and sub-

hy-law read.

mit a by-law. - Carried. Graham - Willoughby, that request of Balsdon & Hawn, re meat inspection be considered at next regular meeting and Reeve consult with solicitor respecting same in meantime.—Carried.

Finance Committee examined accounts

Brown—Willoughby, that By-law No. 3 be read third time and passed.—Carried

and recommended payment. T. H. Clark, shovelling shovelling 

W. S. Fuller, to remit Municipal A. Brown & Co., coats and caps

Willougnby-Graham, that we adjourn.

W. S. FULLER, Clerk.

#### BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Minutes of the regular meeting of the Board of Education held in their board room, on Friday, March 3rd, 1911, at 7

Present, J. B. Wynne, John Jack, E. D. Swift, John McKercher, Dr. Hicks, John White, P. J. Dodds and J. W. McLaren. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed

HIGH SCHOOL BUSINESS

Jack—Wynne, and carried, that T. B. Taylor & Sons' account of \$7.80 and Switt Bros.' account of \$1.20 for High School be paid subject to the approval of

Principal Williams.
White-Swift, and carried, that Carman Burton be exempt from High School fees while absent through illness. Principal Williams addressed the

Board on some matters pertaining to the High School.

With reference to High School fees in

arrears the Board concluded that the treasurer collect the same when advised by the principal.

PUBLIC SCHOOL BUSINESS.

The principal's report for February was read. White-Hicks, and carried, that the Hicks-Wynne, and carried, that Miss Vaugh's salary be paid at the rate of Waugh's salary be paid at the rate of \$425.00 from the beginning of the year,

White-McLaren, and carried, that Thos. Dodds' account of 75 cents for

locks, etc., be paid.

White—Wynne, and carried, that we ask the municipal council for \$900 for Public School requirements, payable as specified for March, April, May and June. locks, etc., be paid. McLaren-Dodds, and carried, that we adjourn.

#### D. WATT, Secretary.

#### CURLING.

Two rinks of Petrolea curlers were in Watford Monday. They were defeated by the home players by 6 shots. The score was as follows:—

Petrolea. Luckham Draper Fraser Fuller Williams McKercher, sk 16 McKenzie, sk ..... 7 McKaig Simpson Iohnston Livingston Stapleford, sk.11 Falconer, sk ..... 14

#### WARWICK.

J. Huddleston, Warwick Village, left for Winnipeg this week.

Miss Eva Dunlop, Sarnia, spent couple of weeks with Birnam relatives. Rev. B. Simmons, Ebenezer, occupied the pulpit of Zion Congregational church last Sunday afternoon.

A. W. Westgate, of Regina, Sask., called on friends and relatives at Florence, Bothwell and Clachan this week. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nicholson, of

Sylvan, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson, 2nd line, this week Rich, Adams, Main Road, sold a fine gelding weighting about 1500 lbs. on Saturday last to Mr. S. Burchill, 4th line tor \$235.

Miss Jennie McPherson, Detroit, is spending a couple of months at the home of her father, Mr. Joseph McPherson, 6th

Elisha and Charles Clarke shipped a a car of settler's effects to Biggar, Sask., on Monday, and left on Tuesday for their home there.

Mrs. (Rev.) Willares, Rutherford, return-

ed home last Sunday.

Miss Mary McCormick, teacher in the Birnam school, purchased a handsome Nordheimer piano from Mr. I. P. Mar-latt, London, last week.

and by-law read and passed.

Stapleford — Graham, that Messrs.

Brown and Williams be appointed a committee to frame a list of the duties required to be performed by the constable and submit it at the next regular meeting.—Motion lost. A meeting will be held in the Warwick Methodist church on the evening of March 15th in the interest of the Laymen's Missionary Movement. Mr. W. C. Senior and other speakers will give addresses. This meeting is worthy of a good attendance and everybody is heartily invited.

The Albee correspondent of the Grant The Albee correspondent of the Grant Co., S. Dakota Review, gives a long account of the death of Mr. Daniel O'Leary, formerly of Warwick, which occurred at Albee on Friday, Feb. 3rd, after an illness with pneumonia of only 48 hours, in his 40th year. Deceased was the son of James and Johanna (Ring) O'Leary, of Warwick, When about 23, years old he moved to South Dakota, locating at Albee, where he resided until. cating at Albee, where he resided until his death. He was engaged in buying grain and also in the hardware trade-since he left Warwick and was successful. He was also postmaster of Albee. In 1896 Mr. O'Leary was married to Miss-Elizabeth Cohill, a sister of his business partner. A wife and four children, all boys, are left to mourn his early demise. The funeral took place the Tuesday after his death to the Catholic cemetery at Revillo, the Rev. Fr. O'Meara officiating. Mr. O'Leary was a man highly es'e med by the people of Albee, and his sudden death has caused a gloom to be cast over the community. 'The Review speaking of Mr. O'Leary's death says:—''He was a man of great value to the community, always a booster of everything that was good his character and habits heaved as ways a booster of everything that was good, his character and habits beyond reproach. That such a man in the very bloom of manhood would be thus suddens ly snatched away would be hard for us to understand, did we not know that "He that giveth reserveth the right to take away," and that He at all times does that which is for the best spiritual interests of His children. It is a great pleasure for us to be able to say, however, that this old world would be better, happier, more peaceful and that there would be less of suffering, misery, crime and heart-break-ing were there but more men of the same high character and with the same noble purposes in life as had Daniel O'Leary.

#### BROOKE.

Mr. C. Maddock is seriously ill. Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson, of Brandon Man., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs.

Thos. Sisson.

Miss Flossie Henderson, of London, is the guest of her friend, Miss Ada Mc-Gugan, Walnut. Miss Ada Ward, Oil Springs, who spent the week end with Violet Lucas, Sutor-

ville, returned to her home on Sunday.

Mr. Benj, Matre and sisters, and Mr. lex. Ward and sisters, spent Sunday Alex. Ward and sisters, spent swith Mrs. J. H. Lucas, Sutorville. Chas. Johnston and R. J. Lucas are in Barrie this week attending the provincial grand lodge of the L. O. Association.

Mr. W. H. Robarts, senior student of Huron College, London, conducted the services at Christ church, Sutorville, last

Sunday.

Mr. A. J. Davis, of the Sutorville store,

Mr. As glearing sale of his entire is making a clearing sale of his entire stock of wall paper. There are ten thousand rolls in the stock, most of it this season's goods, and as Mr. Davis is going out of the wall paper business the entire lot will be sold at a big reduction.

In the estate of Cameron Bissett, declared deceased, Mr. W. E. Fitzgerald last Friday obtained at Osgoode Hall, Toronto, in the High Court of Justice, an order allowing the administratrix, Margaret Bissett, to purchase the interest of said estate in the south half of the north half of lot one in the thirteenth concessions. sion of Brooke Township. The Hon. Mr. Justice Clute was the presiding judge. F. W. Harcourt, K. C., appeared for the other interested parties.

The death occurred at the family home Alvinston, on Thursday, of Martha L, beloved wife of Mr. Henry Holbrooke. Mrs. Holbrooke had resided here for three years, coming to town from the twelfth line of Brooke. She was highly respected and many friends will sympa-thize with the bereaved ones. Mrs. Hol-brooke had been all for a number of months suffering from cancer, and her death came as a glad release. She leaves besides her husband, the following children: Benjamin, of New Ontario; Leslie, of Australia; Ernest, of the Merchants Bank staff at Medicine Hat, Alta.; Mrs. Karn, of Vancouver; Mrs. A. B. Connor, of Alvinston, and Miss Laura, at home. Deceased was in her 64th year. The funeral took place from the home Sunday at I p.iu. Services were conducted at Mount Carmel Church and cemetery, where interment was made by Rev. John

#### WISBEACH.

The Y. P. M. A. of Wisbeach, met at Mr. Geo. Hawkin's on March 2nd. A program partly patriotic and partly missionary was much appreciated by those present. This meeting brought to a close the series of home meetings which have been held during the past winter. In connection an open meeting, in St. Paul's church, will be held on Fri lay evening, March 10th at 8 o'clock. The Rev. Howard, of Forest, will give a number of lime-light views on caurch work in Uganda, Africa. Everybody come. Admission 10 cts.

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If you want special advice

If you want special advice write for it to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. It is free and always helpful.

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WATFORD, MARCH 10, 1911.

Who Has the Money?

Times have been good the past year, farmers have got good prices for their products, and wages have been good. Nevertheless seldom has money been scarcer in business circles or accounts slower in being settled. What is the reason and who is to blame? Deposits in the banks have increased, so it can hardly be that the country is poorer. The same reason will not apply in every case but from personal experience and the experience of a number of business men we find that it is the man who has money in the bank drawing interest, who is the slowest pay. The business man extends a line circles or accounts slower in being pay. The business man extends a line of credit to his customers and at the same time pays seven or eight per cent. interest on his overdraft at the bank. The customer is drawing three per cent, on his money in the bank at the same time and the longer he can stave off payment of his account the more interest he re-

But is that a square deal? To get down to rock bottom, is it honest? He is actually robbing Mr. Business Man of the interest Mr. Business Man pays out on overdrafts which his credit accounts would pay off, he getting three cents out of seven or eight and the bank the balance. In these days of keen competition when profits are figured down to the narrowest possible margin it makes a serious hole in the year's earnings to have to pay a large sum of money out in interest for your own money that is in other folk's hands.

Perhaps this aspect of the case has never appealed to you, Mr. Man-with-money-in-the-bank. If not and you owe any poor beggar an account go and pay him at once, and keep your accounts paid up so that your reward in the world to come may be accordingly.

minister—"Mackintosh, why don't you come to church now?"

Mackintosh—"For three reasons, sir.

First, I dinua like yer theology; secondly, I dinua like your singin', and, thirdly, it was in your kirk I first met my

wite." Minister-"Mackintosh, why don't you



Fitzhugh Goldsborough assassinated David Graham Phillips because of a fancied insult he had discovered in one of Phillips' stories. When a man's sensitiveness is so keen as to drive him to crime we are accustomed to give him the benefit of the doubt by saying that he is insane. In a sense possibly this hair-trigger temperament is insanity, but it is an aberration not of nature but of cultivation. Take any young man of artistic tastes. See that his home training has been properly neglected. Praise unduly everything he does and you will soon impress him with the idea that he is a wonderful person. Let him be subject to no discipline either in youth or manhood so that he will have neither judgment nor common sense. send him out to battle with the world. Every cross current of difficulty, every head wind of opposition will be strange and cruel in his eyes. He will imagine that he is the victim of injustice, of envy. But he will never believe that his own personality is at fault, that his work is inferior, or that any adverse criti-

His self love will grow in apparent adversity into self-adulation and self-glorification. Every look, every glance, every chance remark by some one else will be cherished as a ewel or as a poisoned arrow. He will build up the most extravagant fabric of imaginary insults and when his ill-disciplined mind has been subjected to daily torture for months or years he will buy a pistol and set out to revenge wrongs that never existed. Then we say he is crazy. The alienists talk learnedly of the Exaggerated Ego, but they do not say that the first symptoms of that ccursed disease appear when the two year old boy lies on his back in the nursery kicking and screaming before mother or nurse gives him the marble clock as a plaything.

MOTHERS!

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The Old-time Fair.

A change that has come over all the country in the past generations is very evident at the fall fairs. The local artisan has practically disappeared. There are no more shoemakers to compete for the best calfskin boots, ladies' shoes, etc. There are no local carriage-makers to build prize buggies, as perfectly made as Deacon's "one horse shay," and wonderfully painted. All these things are done by factories, and although carriages, boots and shoes may be exhibited, it is purely for advertising purposes. The only artisan near to the life of the people who still plies his trade in the country is the tailor. Ready-made clothing has not completely conquered the country. The cloth used, however, is all factory made, and it would probably be hard to find anywhere a web of the good old "full cloth" from which they used to make trousers that would stand up on the floor even without a man inside of them.

Profits of the Middle-man.

The consumer in Ontario complains that he is paying too much for his produce, and the farmer complains that he is not getting enough for it, and both are largely right. The trouble is that it costs too much to sell farm produce. How long would the manufacturer of staples last who was paying sixty per cent. of the selling price to sell his goods?

Yet the farmer seems somehow to struggle along under this handicap. He seems the only producer who has nothing to say as to the price of his

The Exaggerated Ego. A German's First English Accent.

(Written to his wife.)

Dear Molyann :-I will now dake mine pen in mine hand to let you no dat I vos not get a letter from you waunst. Vot is all der trouble mit you. Is your sickness worst. Ven I cum ome I vill cum mit der 9.22 train dat get indo Watford at twenty 2 minutes past nine by der stashun klock in der evening, so if you like you can mit yourself cum and meat me waunst Der Boss he vos zorry I haf der shop to leaf, but I tell him dat I can not der shop away mit me dake, so I mus leafe it, he says ven I vant a shob I was a letter to him drop, and he will me a letter write letten me know if he has a shob open, so you zee dey is alright mit me waunst, I was mine work alraty done so goot. You have no need tue larf at this abistle kos it vos der noo langudge dey was getten oudt alraty. Dey youse it here, so I dink dey kan youse it in Watford. dis also vos a big letter alraty waunst. half you der Blum buddin yet made, hey. do not anuder letter egspect from your hony bunch, kos I a sore finger half, half you also mine pants yet fixed

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Poverty in New York.

Thirty years ago, less than onethird the people of the United States lived in cities, towns, and villages. About one-half the population of the Republic is so herded today. With this herding there has come, in the larger centres, a state of destitution among the submerged masses that is simply appalling. In New York according to an official report presented to the mayor of the city a few days ago, one person in nine is in receipt of relief at some period during the year, and \$35,000,000 are annually expended in charity.

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Zoroaster.

All classical antiquity, without a dissentient voice, speaks of Zoroaster as a historical person. But there is great diversity of opinion with regard to his time, the date of his birth being placed all the way from 5,000 B.C. to 800 B.C. He probably lived about 1400 B.C. From all accounts the father of the old Persian faith possessed a most beautiful character and gave the world many of its finest teachings. There is no doubt that in the Persian Scriptures, known as the Zend Avesta, we have the subthe Zend Avesta, we have the sub-stance of Zoroaster's teachings, though, of course, they have been greatly added to. In the present day Parsees of Bombay we have the his-torical descendants of Zoroaster and his religion.

Bravery and Poverty.

To be able to look cheerfully and hopefully through clouds of poverty and distress is an accomplishment bestowed upon every true and brave woman, and, no matter how poor or humble her home may be, the magic power of smiles can brighten its shadows and lighten its cares. Upon the troubled mind of a feeling husband dows and lighten its cares. Upon the troubled mind of a feeling husband a wife's smile falls like a sunbeam on a flower, and how much more beautiful it makes the face that wears it than a frown? When a wife and mother, forgetting sorrows and hardships, smiles away her tears, there is a loveliness in the act that speaks to a man's heart more eloquently than words.

Origin of Patents.

Patents (from patee, I lie open) originated with the so-called nobility of France. Lest their superiority to other folks should be in doubt, the nobles got out titles of nobility, so that the fact that they were better than the rest of the people might "lie open" to all the world. It was in connection with the printing of books that the first real patents were issued, about 1550. By 1625 it began to be customary to issue patents protecting the rights of inventors in the arts and manufactures. Since that time the people in the various "patent offices" of the world have had a steadily increasing business. steadily increasing business.

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Catarrh is an inflammation. Where there is inflammation there is always more or less offensive secretion. Inflammation may be of the very active sort, but it is often of the slow kind, and this is the particular form in which the breath is rendered offensive and the presence of the sufferer becomes an offence to every person of delicate sensibility.

Bad breath is in itself sufficient to urge you to correct it, because one dislikes to be unpleasant to their friends, but this form of catarrh is dangerous because it supplies a hotbed for the development of Consumption or other diseases of the throat and lungs.

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Bad breath is an evidence that the microbes have found a good resting place and are carrying on their evil inroads into the health of the body. Catarrhozone acts at once and destroys these minute organisms, but it does more—it heals the inflamed surfaces in which they found a nesting place and consequently removes both cause and effects of their action.

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ALL PACK MULES.

The Dull Street and the Load, Not the Green Pasture, Our Portion.

Never a spirit without its saddle, says a writer. It was not always so. We began life free. Like young colts frisking in the meadow, with nothing to do but kick up their heels, feed and frolic. Then we were caught, bridled, broken to the saddle and the shafts, and now the more consequence.

broken to the saddle and the shafts, and now no more open pasture days, but the dull street and the load and the driver's lash.

Since we are all destined to be pack mules there must be some design in it. What is nature's object? Does she want to break us down, plow wrinkles in our brows, dig crow's feet by our eyes, dry our skins and our hearts, hump our backs, and squeeze all the juice and sparkle of youth out of us? If this were all, nature were surely cruel.

There is another end she has in view in the carrying out of which our life forces are spent. And that end is—character. No man can reflect long upon the events and laws of life and avoid the conclusion that we were and avoid the conclusion that we were put here, not to be happy, but to become great. Nature sets a great deal more store by character than we. She does not care so much for getting things done, such as building cities and churches, establishing huge institutions, and carrying on wide reforms as she uses these things to train her children.

It is the burden that makes the

It is the burden that makes the soul fiber. No careless spirit ever became lofty and strong. Those who do not work have no muscles, and those who do not suffer have no spirit muscle.

Even when we dodge the unneces-cary burdens, much remains to be car-ried up the steeps of life. The one who cannot feel them is not to be enwho cannot feel them is not to be envied. There are butterflies and parasites who never tote anything. They flit or fasten themselves upon some worker. Every earnest soul that is drawing his cart of responsibilities has a number of these light-hearted gentry stealing rides. Why bother about them?

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A Terrible Threat.

An engineering operation uptown made it necessary a few days ago for one of the workmen to hold another on a rope halfway dawn a deep well.

A fall would probably have been fatal, and Patrick kept the rope tight and steady while Terence made the dangerous descent.

After a quarter of an hour Patrick's After a quarter of an hour Patrick's attention wandered to something else. Instinctively he kept hold of the rope, but he did not hear Terence calling to him that it was time to pull him up until his fellow worker raised his voice in angry protest.

"Pull me up," called Terence.
"Pull me up, I tell ye. If ye don't pull me up, drat ye, I'll cut the rope, and then where'll you be?"

Tree Don'ts.
A few "tree don'ts": Don't tie your horse to a tree. Don't carve your initials on it. Don't peel its bark. Don't cut a valuable hardwood sapling for cut a valuable hardwood sapling for a fishpole. Buy a bamboo pole for 20 cents instead. Don't start a forest fire. Don't let the electric light, tele-phone or trolley men hack or mutilate a tree. Don't cut down an old tree that is a landmark even if it is on your property. Such a tree, like the air and sunshine, belongs to the world, not to an individual, though the law may not say so.

Not a Bit Accommodating.

"Meanest folks I ever saw in the city," growled the man from the way back district. "Why, when you find a feller goin' right your way with one o' them big cars he won't give you a lift without chargin' you a might for lift without chargin' you a nickel for

"Maria," demanded Mr. Billus in a loud voice, "what have you been doing to my razor?"
"Nothing," said Mrs. Billus, "except sharpening it again after shaving Fido's tail with it. It's all right, isn't it?"

More Than Devotion. "Why are you pawning your dress

suit? "My wife wants to take a little

"There's a devotion for you!"
"Well, the more money I can give her the longer she can stay.

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Another Proposed Railway.

The People's Railway Co., with head office in Berlin, has made application for a Dominion charter for an electric railroad, which will cover the greater part of Western Ontario. According to the map the Company has sent out, one line will extend from Midland to Owen Sound. At Collingwood a branch will run south to Hopevillle, Grey County, where it will fork off into two branches, one running down through Lucan and down into London, the other to Guelph and on to Hespeler. Another branch will run south west to Tavistock, then north west to Stratford and on to Goderich. But the line the citizens of this section will be most interested in, will be the one that starts at Hamilton running to Woodstock London with terminal at Sarnia, From Loudon the proposed route is through the southern portion of Lobo township to Strathroy, through the south-eastern corner of Adelaide, through the centre of Metcalfe, and the southern portion of Brooke coming into Enniskillen township at the south-east corner up through Petrolea, and leaving the township at the north-west corner and then on to Sarnia. The Messrs. Bugg, who are the promoters of the road are now operating under a provincial charter, and it is understood have several miles of electric railway under operation in the vicinity of New Hamburg.

#### SCHOOL REPORTS.

Report of S. S. No. 5, Warwick, for February. Class V.—Melton Hall 77. Class IV.—C. Patterson 71, J. Hall 63, L. Hall 54, H. Taylor 52, B. Richardson 50. Class III.—C. Hall 64, G. Hall 41, D. Richardson 36. Class II.—E. Trim 76. Pt. II.—D. Richardson 60, A. Poore 32. Class I.—M. Hall 80.—N. McCHESNEY, Teacher.

Teacher.

The following is the report of S. S. No. 15, Warwick, for February:—Class IV.—H. Morris, W. Harper, R. Penner, M. Archer, S. McAusland, S. Ferguson, J. Archer, M. Barnes. B. Fenner, R. Hawkins. Class III.—E. Wilkinson, F. Pullen, G. Cox, C. Hooker, N. Cox, H. Young, M. Hawkins, C. Ferguson, E. Young. Class II.—W. Maw, O. McAusland, I. Falloon. Pt. II.—S. Barnes, M. Wilkinson, F. Moore.—W. D. Morris, Teacher.

RIS, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 13, Brooke. Names in order of merit.—Sr. IV. Cass—Eva Johnston. (Clarence Coke, Merriline Mc-Ilmurray), Gladys Lucas, Lewis Melton, Florence Fisher. Jr. IV. Class—Sadie McEachern, Maude Coke, Dollie Melton. Sr. III. Class—Garnet Johnston, Russell Fisher. Jr. III. Class—Blanche Higgins, (Edna Peaslee, Alma Watson) Effic Acton absent. Pt. II.—Bmerson Fisher Pt. I.—Leila Watson, Lizzie McCabe.—H. V. SHIRLEY, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 12, Warwick, for February. Those marked (\*) missed two examinations. Jr. Pt. II., Total 431. Willie Hollingsworth 264, Gordon Westgate 153. Sr. Pt. II., Total 565—Ola Routly 218, \*Mabel Pike 119. II. Class, Total 488.—Victor Westgate 222, Veleria Routly 139, Clarence Atchison 101. III. Class, Total 469.—Mima Hollingsworth 273, Carl McLean 228, Vellma Westgate 221, Amy Cameron 202, \*Reta Pike 165, Winfield Waltham 109. Jr. IV. Class, Total 470.—Ethel Hollingsworth 240, Lillian McLean 216. Sr. IV. Class, Total 470—Lillian Morgan 391, Mary Cameron 470—Lillian Morgan 391, Mary Cameron 366.—Laura McPhedran, Teacher.

The following is the report of examin The following is the report of examinations held in S. S. No. 4, Warwick. The names are in order of merit. Class V.—Macklin Hagle, Fred Graham, Leona Harper. Class IV. Sr.—Charlie Phelps, Willie Cable. Class IV. Jr.—Fred Phelps, Jean Smith, Albert Cable, Mabel Tanton. Class III,—Vera Richardson, Rhea Smith. Class II.—Freddie Cable. And Leohand Leohand. Cable, Amy Luckbam, Lily Perry. Part II.—Loyd Harper, Archie Luckbam, Edith Tanton and Freddie Tanton equal. Part I.—Willie Darch, Minnie Beach, Marian Beach.—M. McCormick, Teach

Report of S. S. No. 5, Brooke, for February. Names in order of merit. Number of school days in month 20. IV. Class—Nina Kelly 13 days, Stanley Higgins 17, James Steadman 14. III. Class—Alfred Bullou.4 20 days, Stella Higgins 19, Romelda Clark 17, Calvin Annett 20, Gordon Sutton 20. II. Class—Bertha Whitehead 14 days, Bert Sutton 20, Katie McLachlan 12, Archie Campbell 12. Sr. I. Class—Clifford Higgins 17 days, Margaret Watson 12, Leonard Annett 19. Jr. I. Class—Harold Sutton 19 days, Percy Harris 11.—G. M. Burton, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 6, Warwick, for

ron, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 6. Warwick, for February. IV. Class—W. Duncan, B. Saunders, R. Duncan, A. Morris, C. Mc. Naughton. III. Class—C. Kadey, R. McNaughton, H. McNaughton, V. McNaughton, M. Chambers, O. Saunders, Sr. II. Class—C. Manders, R. Miller, G. Manders, P. Caley, W. Kerr, M. Harrower. Jr. II. Class—B. Williamson, M. Kerr, G. Bryce. Part II.—M. Duncan, M. Bryce, G. Morris, M. Cleland, A. McNaughton, W. Cleland. Sr. I. Class—A. Miller, G. Manders, C. Manders, M. Manders, S. McNaughton. Jr. I. Class—H. Morris, N. Cleland, M. McNaughton. S. Mains, Teacher.

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S. Mains, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 3, Metcalle, for February. IV. Class Jr. and Sr.—Hibbert Denning 95, Gertrude Harrison 80, Ethel Field 40, Veta Harrison 35, Gordon Lightfoot 35, absent, Joan Beer, Vivian Beer. III. Class Sr.—Christopher Beer 69, Lena Smith 48, III. Class Jr.—Lizzie Harrison 84, John R Taylor 69, II. Class—Alvin Lightfoot 64, absent, Walter Beer. Sr. Pt. II.—Bessie Tompkins 64, Lulu Taylor 63, Sadie G. Bowie 59, Louis V. Carroll 45, Nina Gough 39, Richard Harrison, 38. Jr. Pt. II.—Win-

L. Kadrey, Teacher.

Report of S.S. No. 1 and 13, Brooke and Warwick. for February. IV. Class—Evelyn Cowan, Tom Stillwell, Annie Cran, Leander Foster, Lily Pearce. III. Class Sr.—Verna Laing, Mabel Logan, Sarah Cran, Maggie Foster. III. Class Jr.—Robert Cran, Clare Logan, Harold Laing, Jim Stillwell. II. Class—Henry Pearce, Fred Gilliand equal. Sr. Pt. II.—Harold Greer and Clayton Davidson equal, Flora Gilliand, Erma Davidson, T. Pt. II.—Norval Woods, Gordon Cran, Vaughn Stillwell, Willie Spalding.—I. Class—Don. Cameron, R. V. Davidson, Nettie Spalding.—MRS. Cowan, Teacher. Report of S. S. No. 9, Brooke, for the

Nettle Spalding.—MRS. CowAN, Teacher.
Report of S. S. No. 9, Brooke, for the month of February. Those marked with a star were absent from one or more examinations:—Sr Class IV., Total 300.—Dwight Zavitz 188, Hazel Moore 183, Pearl Maddock 157, Ethel Annett 145, Pallan Edgar 91. Jr. Class IV.—Hettie Zavitz 166, Florence Macdonald 162, Ward Zavitz 149, Florence McGugan 143, Sr. Class III., Total 210—Valerus Edgar 165, \*Blanche Lucas 115, Mabel Annett 111, Verna Edgar 85. Jr. Class III.—Ina Edgar 135, Myrtle Zavitz 134, Myrtle Moore 133, Chester Edgar 133. Pt. II. Sr., Total 160—Clare Edgar 134, George Edgar 129, Marguerite Annett 123, Velma Aunett 86, Velma Johnston 86. Jr. Pt. II., Total 100—Calvin Dolbear 92. Pt. I., Total 100—Calvin Dolbear 92. Pt. I., Total 100—Willie Macdonald 98, Ernest Dolbear 82, Jennie Edgar (absent). Number on roll 26. Average attendance 23.—P. K. SMITH, Teacher.

#### CHOP STUFF.

D, R. Luckham has resigned the posi-tion of sub-collector at the port of Am-

tion of sub-collector at the port of Amherstburg.

Mrs. Sinclair, Forest, mother of D. N. Sinclair, of Sarnia, celebrated her 90th birthday Friday.

John McCort, who has been in Borneo for the past three years, returned to Petrolea last week.

Rev. J. Philip, of Essex, is so ill with grip that he will not be able to take his services for several Sundays.

Mrs. Albert Cundick Sombre is in

Mrs. Albert Cundick, Sombra, is in Sarnia Hospital undergoing treatment. At latest reports she is improving.

Daniel Dawson, for many years in charge of the custom offices at Petrolea, died on Saturday last, aged 76 years. Arthur Davis, of Exeter, found an apple blossom on a limb of an apple tree in his orchard on Friday, Feb. 17th.

The nominations for mayor of Strath-roy to fill the vacancy caused by the retirement of Mayor Pope. will be held on March 14th.

The charge against Alexander Sims for alleged corrupt practices in connec-tion with the voting on local option at Rodney has been dismissed.

For furnishing liquor to an "Indian "lister" Cecil Elliott, of Wallaceburg, was fined \$50.00 and costs or 30 days in jail by a Wallaceburg magistrate.

John Jones, of Bosanquet, discovered thousands of wild geese and ducks on Friday 17th, in Lake Huron a quarter of a unile from the shore at his farm. Surely we are to have an early spring this

Chester Calcut, an employe of Ivor & Sons, produce merchants, Strathroy, was seized with a paralytic stroke while at work Friday, He was taken to his residence on Ellor street, where he lies in a precarious condition, Residents of the 6th and 8th conces-

sious of Bosanquet, are petitioning for a rural mail route. The route to be from Oliver's sideroad on the 4th to the War-wick townline, then west to the 8th con, down the townline to Oliver's and

The death occurred Thursday of Mor The death occurred Thursday of Mor-ley Cecil Gregory, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gregory, of Caradoc, aged 13 years. He attended the public school on Monday, and was ill only three days, the immediate cause of death being heart failure,

#### WHIPPED THE LEOPARD.

But It Took a Troop of Baboons to Kill the Big Cat.

A vivid pen picture of a fight be-tween a leopard and a troop of baboons is given in a German paper by P. Ritter, a sportsman and explorer in German West Africa. Leopards have a particular liking for baboon flesh, which is often used as bait to trap

"One afternoon," the hunter relates, "I was resting on the shady side of a big rock which formed the bank of a small stream. On the opposite side a troop of baboons came down chatter ing toward the water, a large male going cautiously in front, glancing and scenting around for danger. I remain-

"A deep grunt assured the herd that all was well, and down the steep slope they came, last of all a female with two young, which the mother tenderly nelped over the rough places. Sudden ly a big leopard shot out from behind a bowlder and with one blow of his

paw grabbed one of the young.
"The mother, with a roar of fury, threw herself upon the big cat. The others halted and with one accord clambered back to her assistance. The leopard had just settled the female and was about to make off with his prey when he found himself surrounded by the whole horde, which closed in upon

"He gave as good as he got, and two big baboons rolled down the slope apparently done for, but numbers told, and he was literally torn to pieces. It was a horribly fascinating sight, and I never regretted more having no camera with me than I did then."

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W. E. FITZGERALD has a large amount of private and other money to loan on mortgages. Call and see him before bor-rowing elsewhere.

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EGGS FOR HATCHING from S. C. White Leghorns, Select stock, well mated, easy prices and a good hatch guaranteed. Call, write or phone H. A. McKenzir, West ½ Lot 29, Con. 2, S. E. R., or box 126, Watford.

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#### THE SPRING TERM at the SARNIA

BUSINESS COLLEGE COMMENCES

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Transplanting the Englishman.

The average Canadian-born probably has not time to stop and consider how much it means to the Englishman of the middle class, or of any class, to pick up his "luggage" and strike for Canada. It is a difficult thing to contrast the life in an old English town—a cathedral town for instance, with the life that is led in a brand new Canadian town. Mr. Augustus Bridle succeeds, however, in doing this in his article on "A New Town for an Old One," in the March issue of MacLean's Magazine. The article is illustrated with photographs and etchings showing the old crumbling walls of England, side by side with the board shacks of a new prairie town. How Reginald Snippett, the imaginary son of an imaginary banker, living in the English Cathedral city of Highton—also imaginary, comes to Canada and learns to live and think and work like a Canadian, after being almost swamped, is indeed a story worth reading.

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n Alvinston, on Thursday, March 2nd, 1911, Martha Lett, beloved wife of Henry Holbrooke in her 64th year.

DIED.

In Sarnia, on Thursday, March 2nd, 1911, Annie R. Smith, widow of the late James A. Smith, aged 67 years. In Wilmington, Del., on Tuesday, Feb. 21st, 1911, Donald Bruce Wood, son of

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#### NOTICE TO CREDITORS. In the Estate of MARY WILLIAMS

late of the Village of Watford, in the County of Lambton, Widow, deceased. County of Lambton, Widow, deceased.

TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to the statute in that behalf all persons having claims against the estate of the above named Mary Williamson who died on or about the twentieth day of January, A.D., 1911, are required on or before the thirty-first day of March, A.D., 1911, to deliver or send to us the undersigned solicitors for Robert McNaughton, the Executor of the last will of the said deceased, their addresses, names and description and full statement of particulars of their claims against the said estate and the nature of the secutivity, if any, held by them.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that after the said thirty-first day of March, next, that said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims that he shall have received notice of, and will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims he shall not have received notice at the time of the distribution,

Dated at Watford this 17th day of February, A.D., 1911.

COWAN & TOWERS,
Solicitors for the Executor.

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Solicitors for the Executor,
Watford, Ont.

#### NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Estate of JOSEPH FENNER, late of the Township of Warwick, in the County of Lambton, Gentleman, Deceased.

TAKE NOTICE, that pursuant to the statute in that behalf, all persons having claims against the estate of the above named Joseph Fenner, who died no rabout the fifth day of November, A.D., 19to are required on or before the thirty-first day of March. A.D., 19to, to deliver or send to us the died of the above state of the above state of the send to the first of the send to the send the sen

the late William and Ann Wood, torm-erly of Bosanquet, in his 41st year. In Florence, Saturday, Feb. 25th, Eugene Walker, aged 53 years and 9 months.

Alfred and John Bell, of Forest, have taken a contract to put up about thirty-five miles of rural telephone lines in Brooke, from Iuwood north and north-

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Miss Lillian Thomas left last Saturday for Walkerville where she has secured a position with the Ford Motor Co.

Mr. Clark, our harness maker, moved into town last week into Mrs. R. George's house on North street.

Mr. J. F. Dickison and brother Broad, of Missenabie, called on Arkona friends last week.

Leave your order early for bee supplies at Brown Bros. Wm. Thomas is spending a few weeks with friends in Sarnia.

A skating party visited the Forest rink last Friday evening. A yery pleasant time was spent.

Arthur Butler and family, Main Road, moved into Chas, Cliff's house on Smith t last week. Mrs. A. Oakes, of Arkona, is visiting er uncle, M. Dunlap. Victoria street,

The members of the Baptist church

and congregation spent a pleasant evening at the home of Mr. Hez. Stoner last Friday. The feature of the evening was the presentation of a purse of gold to Miss Mabel Crawford for faithful service as organist of the church,

Geo. Fair leaves this week for Stettler, New styles in Astoria shoes for gentlemen at Brown Bros.

First maple syrup of the season was brought into the Ark last Wednesday.

Miss Elsie Pressey is spending a few

Mr. and Mrs, T. Riggs have returned from Sarnia. Mr. Wm. White, of Michigan, called on old friends here.

Mrs. A. E. Jackson, of Kingsville, is visiting relatives in Arkona.

Mrs. Cornell and Miss Cornell spent a few days at Mr. A. Richter.

Just arrived at Fuller Bros. another shipment of "Carharat" overalls and

Miss Anne Murray returned missionary from India, gave a very interesting address at the Epworth League Tuesday evening of last week. Miss Murray has had fourteen years experience in India. Her talk on Tuesday evening was greatly appreciated. appreciated.

Mr. Stanley Wilson left last week for

A first robin made his appearance in Mr. E. D. Morningstar's orchard last Monday morning.

Mr. Geo. Gott, of St. Catharines, called on Arkona friends on Tuesday.

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Mr. G. M. Everest has installed four mew machines in his basket factory. The factory is turning out about 13,000 baskets per day.

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I. White 53, C. Jackson 52, W. Evans 35, L. Aldridge 22. Class III., composition.—B. Baldwin 78, G. Smith 77, G. Fuller 72, S. Cornell 71, B. Copeland 70, L. Jackson 70, F. Thoman 69, E. Cooper 68, E. Smith 65, A. Teeple 65, J. Meadows 65, R. Edmunds 65, L. Richter 63, R. Smith 63, M. Cleland 60, F. Dowding 60, A. Baldwin 57, O. Thoman 56, L. Gilbert 53, C. White 52, N. Knisley 45, B. Rutter 45, G. Miller 41, M. Stephenson 32. Class II., composition.—E. Thompson S0, F. Smith 76, B. Oakes 60, B. Smith

57, Litta Smith 55.

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68, M. Copeland 67, L. Butler 64, E.

Baynes 23.
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Class I., Ir.—N, Crawford, C. Dunlop, M. Wilson, L. Edmunds, M. Smith, L. Thompson, R. Richter, B. Langan, Z. Connelly, J. Teeple.

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trouble.

Mrs. J. C. Adams, Norris Lake, Man., says: "I am writing to you at my husband's request to let you know the benefit Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been to him. He is a river driver and therefore exposed to all kinds of weather and wet-ting. As a result he had an attack of rheumatism, and then to add to his misting. As a result he had an attack of rfleumatism, and then to add to his misery a severe type of neuralgia set in, locating on the left side of the face, and causing him such terrible pain that it would drive him almost wild. He was treated by several doctors, and finally went to Winnipeg, where they blistered his head and applied hot plasters which really only added more to his misery, and he returned home still uncured. In this way he suffered for nearly six years, trying all sorts of medicine, but never finding a cure. One day while he was suffering I went to a store to get a liniment, but they did not have the kind I wanted, and the storekeeper asked me what I wanted it for. I told him about my husband and how he suffered, and he placed a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills on the counter, saying, "Take my advice, this is what your husband should take." I took the Pills home with me and my husband started taking them. I am not sure how many boxes he took, but one thing is certain they completely I am not sure how many boxes he took. I am not sure how many boxes he took, but one thing is certain, they complelely cured him, and he has never since had a touch of those torturing pains. You can tell how much he suffered when I say that the hair on the side of his head in which the pain was located turned quite gray. It looks odd, but he says it does not matter since the pain is gone. I believe he would not have been living now had Dr. Williams' Pink Pills not cured those terrible pains, and you may be sure we gratefully recommend them to all our friends and all suffering ones."

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 0 36 to 0 40

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Toronto Markets. Toronto, March 7.—Lower prices and a general lack of interest obtained this morning on the local live stock market. No export business was transacted, there

being no shipping cattle on offer and no buyers had there been—and only to a very limited extent was there any buying of butcher stocks. Practically no cattle has so far this week been shipped to Eastern points. Montreal buyers have withdrawn from Montreal buyers have withdrawn from the market on account of the effect Lent is having on the trade in that city, and they are not expected to return until after Easter. This leaves only Toronto, Hamilton and London as consuming centres, and even from these places there is so weak an enquiry that about 2000 head of cattle a week would be sufficient to meet all demands.

to meet all demands. The receipts to-day were 58 cars, containing 935 cattle, 720 sheep and lambs, 300 hogs and 70 calves. On the whole the quality of this offering was fair, and yet it was long after noon before anything was sold.

Not one sale of beeves was reported at restordaryle too level of \$6.00 cert. The

yesterday's top level of \$6 a cwt. The greater part of the offering was disposed of at prices ranging from \$5.35 to \$5.90, and only in a very few instances were the

latter price paid. Quotations to-day were :-Export choice. . . . . 5 85 to do., medium . . . . 5 65 to do., light . . . . 5 00 to Bulls . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 4 00 

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East Buffalo, March 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 200; active and steady; prime steers, \$6.50 to \$6.65. Veals—Receipts, 75; active and 25c lower at \$7 to \$10.50. Hogs—Receipts, 1,600; fairly active and 5c to 10c lower; heavy, \$7.40 to \$7.50; mixed, \$6.75 to \$7.80; Yorkers, \$7.75 to \$7.80; pigs, \$7.80 to \$7.85; roughs, \$6.40 to \$6 60; stags, \$5 to \$5.25; dairies, \$7.40 to \$7.80. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 4,000; active, steady and unchanged.

INWOOD.

Mrs. Sam Sutton, of Courtright, was

Mrs. Ellwood McLean, of Alvinston, visited here with her sister last week. Mrs. Wm. Munro and Miss Adeline Armstrong spent last Thursday in Flor-

Mr. A. H. Graves, station agent at the

M.C.R., is spending a two weeks' holiday on his father's farm near Windham. Mr. Thomas Mathews has purchased Mr. Ross Warner's farm just north of the village, also the house and lots adjoining it from Mr. Sam Sutton, of Courtright.

Miss Evans, ef Thamesville, has accept

Miss Evans, ef Thamesville, has accepted a position as dressmaker at W. R. Dawson's store. She comes highly recommended, having lately been with Smallman & Ingram, of London.

The Farmers' Institute demonstration train that passed through here on the M. C. R. last Friday morning brought out all the farmers and their families and made quite a stir in our village. The train was in charge of G. A. Putman, Superintendent of Farmers' Institutes. Three of the cars contained material for demonstration purposes, one car was in demonstration purposes, one car was in charge of P. W. Hodgetts, Secretary of the Ontario Fruit Growers' Association and was devoted to fruit interests; another was devoted to deirying and another to seed improvement. The train stopped for about an hour and a half so that the people had a good chance to see and hear everything. and hear everything.

F. D. Brookes, a resident of Strathroy for twenty-three years and late manager for the Carling Brewing and Malting Co., at Toronto, and will move shortly to that city.

#### THE STERLING BANK OF CANADA HEAD OFFICE, - TORONTO.

Fourth Yearly Financial Statement
APRIL, 30th, 1910.

ASSETS, \$7,258,480.67
DEPOSITS, \$5,083.667.84
NET PROPIT FOR YEAR, \$117,076.61.

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In Switzerland Rifle Shooting Is Fostered as a Spc \*.

Every man in the peaceful and democratic country of Switzerland is a soldier in a modest way. The ablebodied Swiss enters the army at twenty years of age and serves sixty-five days in his first year. For the next twelve years he trains for three weeks every alternate year. At thirty-two he enters the landwehr and has eight to ten days under arms every fourth. to ten days under arms every fourth year until, at fifty, he retires and is required to furnish no further service except in case of war.

It is not too much to call the Swiss

a nation of marksmen. The training periods are occupied only with drill and tactics; the all important matter of shooting is left to the individual soldier to carry out at other times, and he does it under the auspices of the shooting societies which are such a feature of Swiss life.

These societies, under Government control, are called Schutzengesell-schaften in the German and Societies de Tir in the French cantons. They are voluntary associations, varying in size and importance with the town or village they serve. Those in the larger towns possess completely fitted ranges and clubhouses; the small village their details of the server of lages do their shooting in any field backed by a suitable hill. Every peasant and townsman has easy facili-ties for shooting, and each man has his service rifle always in his posses-

Every man between the ages of 20 and 32 must fire thirty-two shots in four compulsory exercises every year, and the societies receive a grant of 2 francs for every soldier shooting this course on their ranges. The income derived from the grants generally suffices for the current expenses of the society, supply of targets and pay of marker. There is no entrance fee nor subscription, as a rule, and heavy ex-penditures, such as that incurred by the construction of new ranges, is met by a special grant from the Govern-ment.

ment.

In addition to these exercises, many competitions are held between different villages, towns and cantons. The whole system of Swiss shooting is a whole system of Swiss shooting is a good example of co-operation between Government and individual. Every Switzer has his army rifie; he can use it when and where he will, provided he does not endanger other lives; he is insured by his Government against all accidents on the ranges, and through his society he can secure the services of qualified military officers to organize and control his shooting. By treating rifle shooting as a sport, and it is as popular as baseball or football with us and far more generally practiced, the Swiss have removpracticed, the Swiss have remov ed it from its usual warlike associa-tions, but should occasion arise that which has been learned in sport would

Shiloh's Cure

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Banana Cocoa, In Switzerland there is a factory which turns out a "cocoa" preparation made from bananas. It is said that it is highly nutritious and has a fine

Market Days In Portugal. Wednesdays and Sundays are market days in Portugal. The natives travel hundreds of miles on mules to dispose of their goods. These consist chiefly of goats' milk, cheese, bread, live chickens and fruit. Shiploads of the small cheeses are exported annually to their countrymen in Brazil.

Mexico's Interior. Mexico's interior is a high tableland upon which are located nearly all the populous cities, and the climate is so cool that the Mexicans have not yet acquired the habit of drinking cold

Then They Talked In English.
A couple of Cleveland business men risited Mexico. In Mexico City their train was switched from one station to another. One of the Clevelanders went to the first station to make inquiries. Approaching a pair of dark visaged employees, he cudgeled his memory for the proper words from the phrase book.

"Donde esta?" he hesitatingly asked and paused. The two dark visaged persons listen-

ed attentively. "Gracias," stammered the Cleveland

man. "Donde estan?" Then one of the men looked at the other.

"Say, Bill," he growled, "what in merry blue blazes is this fellow talkin'

And after that it was easy.-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Donkey's Choice. The vexed question of the future life of animals has troubled the Mohammedan, as it has other religions. The question, it seems, was considered by Allah a long time ago, and all the animals were asked if they wished to enter paradise. They at once said yes, except the donkeys. These were cautious and asked if little boys went o heaven. they replied, "In that case we prefer to go to—the other place." S. H. Leeder vouches for the fable in "The

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There are three friendships which are advantageous and three which are in-jurious. Friendship with the upright, friendship with the sincere and friendship with the man of much information—these are advantageous. Friendship with the man of specious airs triendship with the insinuatingly soft, friendship with the glib tongued-these are injurious.-Confucius.

Cutting Down the Butcher's Bill. "Isn't there any way to cut down a butcher's bill?" asked Tightwad, sarcastically addressing his meat man.

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"Yesseh, yesseh," said the waiter, "yesseh, "bat's a paht of de desting broadly. "Dat's a paht of de desting seh!"

### The Bird Of Fortune

A County Fair Ended a Prolonged Wooing

By CLARISSA MACKIE

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The county fair was in full swing. Everywhere there was bustle and laughter and merrymaking as well as color and music and light. Today was the day of days. Prizes had been awarded, and such was the wisdom and tact of the judges that no exhibitor had gone unrewarded.

Benjamin Dibble had taken first orize for his fine Holsteins and second prize for the mountainous Chester hogs. These honors meant nothing to Benjamin, for they were conferred upon his stock every year and had been even in his father's generation.

The fact that Dorinda Weed had captured all the first prizes in house-wifely arts did not surprise Benjamin in the least, Everything Dorinda attempted was a pronounced success, excepting perhaps the capture of Benja-min Dibble, and that this had not happened was Benjamin's fault.

Dorinda Weed was sweet and fair and dainty. Her eyes were blue like the "ragged sailors" that bordered the dusty roadsides. Benjamin had worshiped Dorinda from his boyhood, but he had never dared address her beyond the merest commonplaces. There had never been but one thought behind his worship of her, and that was to ask her to marry him. Of the preliminary months of wooing he gave no thought. He knew he wanted Dorinda and he intended to ask her outright to marry him some day when his backbone fest a little more rigid and when his eam had ceased to redden at her approach. But no miracle had been performed, and Benjamin had lived wretchedly on, mentally cursing his shyness.

Now, Dorinda was thirty-two and Benjamin was forty. Their parents were dead, their lands adjoined, and their two houses, each one small and detached, might be moved to a new site on the apex of the dividing hill between the farms and thus become a large, comfortable farmhouse. This plan was Benjamin's sweetest dream, but there was no sign of its being realized.

Benjamin paused one instant in front of the domestic exhibit and furtively adored Dorinda's toothsome display.

From there he wandered out to the building where his cattle were quartered, and he arrived just in time to see Dorinda Weed timidly stroking the ose of one of his mild eyed Holsteins. From afar he watched her blissfully, and his heart rose exultantly when she passed on quite unobservant of the other exhibits.

Out in the open spaces where ve-hicles of every description were hud-dled in confusion, amid the cry of sideshow barkers, the conglomerate smell of quick lunch carts, the odor of fresh popcorn and steamed clams, Benjamin stumbled over the gypsy caravan. Here in a gayly festooned tent a gypsy crone

was telling fortunes. "Kind gentleman!" she hailed him eagerly. "For silver I will reveal the future! I reunite broken hearts! I make you successful in love!" She held back the tent flap invitingly, and under the spell of some sudden impulse Benjamin Dibble entered and sat down on a small three legged stool. The gypsy knelt before him and held out one brown hand, gay with silver

rings.
"Silver!" she wheedled softly. Blushingly Mr. Dibble extracted a silver quarter from his pocket and

dropped it in her palm, then, embar-rassed by her voluble thanks, he sub-mitted his own hand to her grasp. She bent her dark, disheveled head above its toil hardened surface for several moments and then scrutinized his

good looking face with piercing eyes. "You love," she said softly, "yet you are troubled. I see a fair woman—the one you love. A dark man comes be-tween. You will find happiness through a golden bird. Wait!" Still retaining his hand, a film seemed to drop over her sharp eyes and her head bent over his hand. Again she spoke, but her words were mumbled, yet Benjamin's eager ear caught every syllable:

"As surely as comes up the sun Two houses shall be made as one. A golden bird without a nest Shall lead the weary heart to rest." The gypsy lifted her head and glanc-

ed sharply at him. "What else?" demanded Benjamin

eagerly. The woman arose to her feet and looked toward the door, where a little crowd had gathered, waiting for an audience. "It is enough-the rest you must do-so it is written," she said

Benjamin thrust another quarter into her willing hand and pushed dizzily through the crowd, his heart beating riotously. The doggerel verse was emblazoned on his memory. He could have repeated it backward, forward —indeed, in almost any form. The reference to the houses to be made as one was as a direct prophecy from heaven itself. As for the mysterious "golden bird without a nest," Benja-min confessed himself perplexed.

Little River boasted golden birds of many varieties, from the Buff Cochins of the poultry yard to the yellow ham mers and goldfinches of the woods and the captive canaries in cages. But ame and all had nests of some sort, and the bird of Benjamin's fortune would appear to be as vagrant as the gypsy

The prophecy of the united houses was good fortune enough for one day, and, emboldened by this certainty that his dearest hopes would be fulfilled, Benjamin rushed hastily toward the building where Dorinda Weed might be found. She who was to be his future wife had stroked the nose of his prize Holsteins. After these won-derful happenings it would be an easy matter to invite Dorinda to partake of ice cream and cake. When one was eating ice cream it was not necessary to talk much, and after the ice cream he might invite her to other amuse ments in the grounds. There were a loop-the-loop and a merry-go-round

Benjamin Dibble stood stock still, while all exuberance of spirit dissolved

In the distance he saw Dorinda charming in her pale blue gown, but remote as ever from his approach, for she was talking earnestly to a tall, dark man, a dangerously handsome stranger, and together they were bending over some object on a table be tween them.

Then it was that Benjamin Dibble remembered the gypsy's prophecy that a dark man would come between Dorinda and him. And here was the dark man. The prophecy was fulfilling without delay.

Benjamin turned away and tried to satisfy the pangs of disappointed love with hot frankfurters, steamed clams and coffee. He drank ginger ale and pink lemonade to wash down huge segments of pie and sugary doughnuts. He spent money lavishly, buying everything that was offered. He pur-chased chances on all sorts of unknown articles and afterward found himself the embarrassed possessor of a pair of curling irons, a lady's work basket and a wax doll.

He bundled these treasures away in the back of his buggy with a certain elusive hope that they might prove useful some day. He stopped in the shed and stroked the noses of his cattle, as Dorinda had done, and derived a certain foolish satisfaction in the action. It was at that moment Benjamin received inspiration.

Back in the main building, Benjamin once more threaded the crowd in search of Dorinda. Although she was still talking to the

dark man, Benjamin pressed forward until he stood almost at her elbow. She saw him and smiled tremulously, her delicate face flushing a soft rose

"Will you give me your advice. Benjamin?" she asked gently. "This gentleman is selling weather vanes. I want one for the barn. Our old one was blown off, you know. Shall I choose a fish or an arrow?"

The delicious sense of intimacy conveyed by this question cannot be de-Benjamin Dibble threw off scribed. his old mantle of timidity forever and

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stepped boldly forward beside Dorin-

"Seems to me nothing looks so much like a weather vane as a crowing cock, Dorinda. Have you got anything else?" asked Benjamin of the dark man.

From the box of samples the man brought forth several weathercocks of different sizes. Each one was painted a dazzling gold, with crimson comb and wattles. He held forth the largest one, whirling it about the pivot as he did so.

"This is the handsomest one I've got, sir. I'd like to take your order for that-\$10 on delivery in ten days. You'd like to wake up in the morning pola of your barn-eh?" He smiled in-

gratiatingly.

Benjamin Dibble was staring intently at the gilded cock, a queer expres sion dawning in his eyes. A certain line was running through his head:

A golden bird without a nest Shall lead the weary heart to rest. "Dorinda," said Benjamin in a ringing voice, "do you like that weather-

"Yes, indeed," agreed Dorinda graciously.

"We'll take one of those," ordered Benjamin Dibble authoritatively. "You can make out the bill to Mr. and Mrs Benjamin Dibble-Dorinda, that's all right; you know, we're going to move the two houses up on the hill and make one, and we're going to build a new barn with a cupola and put this golden bird on it."

"Why-why, Benjamin-I've thought sometimes that was a lovely plan-only how do you know it will happen?" Dorinda's eyes were very bright with

sudden happiness. "I had my fortune told, and the gypsy said all those things. When I take you home in my buggy tonight I'll tell you about the golden bird and how all this has come true, just as the woman said," explained Benjamin, talking faster and more eloquently than he had ever done in his life.

"It's all perfectly wonderful," mur-mured Dorinda on that homeward ride after Benjamin had related the gypsy's prophecy. "I knew you liked me, Ben, but it seemed somehow as if you'd never get up courage to ask me. It's been a long time—and then to come all at once like a surprise."

"I've been an awful fool, I guess," murmured Benjamin, his arm protectingly about her slim waist, his eyes on the round globe of the full moon. "My life's been like traveling over level ground year after year till I never expected anything else, and then waking and falling right over into"- He paused and groped for the right simile. "Into what, Benjamin?" whispered

He looked down into her soft blue eyes and, bending over, kissed her lips. "Into heaven, I guess," he murmured.

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MARRIED.

At the home of the bride's parents, on Wednesday, Feb. 22nd, 1911, by the Rev. Mr. Hare, of Arkona, Mr. Claude Nelson, to Bertha Lillian daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Lithgoe, all of Bosanquet,

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Suits for Men and Young Men, \$7.50 to \$22.50. Spring Coats and Rain Coats, \$7.00 to \$18.00. Youth's Suits, \$4.50 to \$13.50. Boy's Suits, \$2.50 to \$8.50. Special in Boy's Bloomers, double seat and knee, 75c., \$1.00 and \$1.25.

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Bring us your roll butter, eggs and poultry. We can handle any quant-Our office will be open every day, during the regular hours, and special attention will be given to farmers bringing us their produce.

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ACRES, being the east half of lot 21, concession 10, in the Township of Brooke. About 80 acres cleared, balance good hardwood bush. On the premises are two barns, one 30x50 with stables, the other 36x56 and other out buildings, good house, trame front part, with brick kitchen and good cellar and acook house. I acreand a half orchard, good supply of water, two wells, with windmill on one, well tenced. For further particulars apply to

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#### -OF-FARM STOCK

IMPLEMENTS, ETC. The undersigned has received instructions from

J. D. MCPHEDRAN to offer for sale by public anction on the premises East Half Lot 27, Con. 3, Plympton Tp.,

Wednesday, March 15th, 1911

the following valuable stock, etc., viz:

1 dapple grey mare rising 5 years old, in foal to Sir Edmund, weighing 1500; 1 mare rising 4 years, weight 1475 pounds; 1 span show geldings, vising 3 year, 2000 pounds; 1 span show geldings, vising 3 year, 2000 pounds; 1 span show geldings, vising 3 year, 2000 pounds; 1 spen show for sing 1 year, ing 8 years, sire Silver Maple; 1 filly rising 1 year, ire Silver Maple; 1 shorthorn cow with bull calf at 600; 1 8. H. cow, due March 27; 18. H. cow, due June 10; 18. H. Cow, 4 years old; 1 bull oalf; 2 new milch cows, grade; 1 cow due in May; 1 cow due in Oet; 1 3 year old steer; 3 year old steers; 1 yearling helfer; 3 steer calves; 1 helier calf; 60 choice Barred Rock hens. These hens averaged 82 per hen in 1910; 2 tunkey hens; 1 gobbler, bronze; 1 7 ft. McCormick binder with sheef carrier and truck nearly new; 1 M.-H. 5 ft. mower; 1 set sleighs; 1 wagon; 1 light wagon; 1 democras; 2 top buggies, 1 nearly new; 1 cutter; 1 robe; 1 2 horse corn cultivator: 1 scuffler; 1 12 horse end rill; 1 dies; 1 set fron harrows; 1 huy and stock rack: 1 cutting box, 1 fanning mill, Chatham; 1 long plough; 1 gang plough; 1 garden seeder; 1 horse rake; 1 slush scraper; 1 corn sheller, hand or power; 1 set 2000 lb. scales; 1 root pulper; 1 set double harness; 1 set single harness; a quantity of hay; 100 bus, American Banner O. A.O. seed oat; 200 bus, feed oats; 50 bus. seed barley; 3 bus. timothy seed; 1 De Laval cream separator, new; 1 daisy barrel churn; 1 bedstead, matress and springs; numerous other articles. Also 21 fat steers for private sale.

No reserve as farm has been sold. Sale at 12,30 sharp.

TERMS OF SALE—\$10.00 and under, cash; over that; amount 10 months' credit will be given on turnishing approved joint notes, 6 per cent, per annum off for cash on credit sums, J. D. McPHEDRAN, Prop., GEO. E. BROWN, Auctioneer

### Notice to Contractors.

THE trustees of S. S. No. 13, Brooke, will receive sealed tenders (marked tenders) from 10 o'clock a, m, until 2 o'clock, p.m. on Saturday, March 18th for the erection and completion of a veneered brick school house. All the brick, gravel and sand will be furnished on the ground. The work to be commenced and completed during the school holidays Plans and specifications may be seen at my residence, lot 5, con. II, Brooke, at any reasonable hour. The lowest or any terder not necessarily accepted.

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First-class stand, good trade, enough to First-class stand, good trade, enough to

First-class stand, good trade, enough to keep two men busy most of the time. First-class opening for a good man.

This is the only blacksmith shop in the town. If not disposed of tools will be sold separately. sold separately,

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#### SALE REGISTER.

20 cows, at Roche House, on Saturday, March 11th, at 2 o'clock. 6 months' credit. Wm. Temple, proprietor, J. F. Elliot, auctioneer.

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Loans on Call and Bills
Discounted Notes in Circulation Discounted
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secure Circulation 100,000.00

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Toronto, 31st January, 1911.

Bank Premises
Other Assets

Dividends on paid up Capital-Twelve per cent. per ab GEO. P. SCHOLFIELD,

The Member for East Lambton in the Legislature.

(From the Globe, March 4.)

Torontonians have long imagined (fondly or otherwise) that there was but one Robert John; but they are mistaken, for the Ontario Legislature is the fortunate possessor of another of that ilk who is ate possessor or another of that his who is as notable in his way as the renowned manager of the Toronto railway. R. J. McCormick, M.P.P. for Rast Lambton, was one of the surprises of the election of 1908, for he entered the field at the last moment, following the tragic death by suicide of the Liberal candidate first selected and defeated the sitting Conservaected, and defeated the sitting Conservative member, Hugh Montgomery, by a majority of 200. Mr. McCormick's first speech in the Legislature is historic. "Mr. Chairman, ladies and gentlemen,— I am pleased to see you all here, and I need not say I am pleased to be here. I had a hard time getting here." Thus it began. After discussing rural schools, the County Councils Act and one or two other subjects dear to his heart, Mr. McCormick concluded: "Thanking you for your kind attention, with these few remarks I will take my seat," From that moment Mr. McCormick possessed the affection of the whole House. Not the least devoted of his admirers is the Prime Minister of the Province, for Mr. McCorected, and defeated the sitting Conserva-Minister of the Province, for Mr. McCor-mick's simple, homely words and quaint, lovable personality found their way direct to Sir James' heart where all the perfer-vid oratory of his supporters or his fol-lowers merely left him bored and indiffer-

ent. A few months ago, when Sir James was confined to his residence by a passing illness, Mr. McCormick happened to be in the city, and, hearing of the Premier's indisposition, he paid a special visit to the Parliament buildings to get the latest information about the distinguished patient. When Sir James returned to his office and heard that Mr. McCormick had displayed great concern about his condiomce and neard that Mr. McCormick had displayed great concern about his condition, he was genuinely touched by the Liberal member's solicitude. "Why, I must write him a letter," said Sir James. "Where's my secretary? No, on second thoughts, I'll write it myself." And the Premier with his own hand wrote a letter of thanks to the member for Feet. of thanks to the member for East Lamb

Mr. McCormick's constituents, it is whispered, lose nothing by the personal regard existing between their representa-tive and the head of the Government, for umor says that Mr. McCormick can obtain as many favors for his riding as he tives. The regard felt by the members for Mr. McCormick is fully shared by the boys of the Press Gallery, and he is always an honored guest at their annual dinner. Last session a little incident occurred, which shows that the Press Gallery, while impervious to bribery flettery or galaxy. which shows that the Press Gallery, while impervious to bribery, flattery or cajolery from any source, are not averse to obliging a friend. Mr. McCormick, after speaking on the Budget, discovered that he had forgotten to refer to the regrettable accident from which the Provincial Treasurer had suffered in breaking his arm by a fall. The gentle-souled old man feared that he would be deemed lacking in sympathy and he asked if the reporters could rectify the omission. They responded so handsomely to his appeal that in the published reports Mr. McCormick's tribute to the Provincial Treasurer was quite as eloquent and feel-Treasurer was quite as eloquent and feeling as any delivered on either side of the

#### AN INVALUABLE MEDICINE FOR ALL BABIES.

Mrs. R. McEwen, Thornloe, Ont., writes: I think Baby's Own Tablets an invaluable medicine for little ones. I used them for my own child when he was small them for my own child when he was small and last summer when I had a baby visitor whose food did not agree with him, I sent for another box of the Tablets and they quickly helped him." It is testimonials such as this that have made Baby's Own Tablets popular—that have shown them to be an invaluable medicine for little ones. The Tablets always do good—they can never do harm. Once a mother has tried them for her little one she will have nothing else. For with the Tablets she feels safe. They are sold under the guarantee of a government analyst to contain no harmful drugs, Baby's Own Tablets may be had at medicine dealers or at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

#### PLYMPTON COUNCIL.

Plympton Council met Feb. 25th, members all present. Minutes of last meeting read and adopted. Council resolved to try one of the Sarnia road drags or levellers next Saturday, weather permitting. They are built of iron and steel on the split log drag principle and cost \$2.50 the split log drag principle and cost \$3 50 each if satisfactory. Council may purchase six or eight. The collector's time

was extended till the first of May. The following accounts were passed:
D. Ferguson, gravel sup. Tp....\$19 66
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At I p.m. Council resumed Court of Revision on the Stewart assessment, M. A. Weir, Barrister of Sarnia, being present. Messrs. Scott, Eyans and Donglas presented more evidence in support of their appeal and a number of witnesses im defence were examined and testified to the contrary. At 5.30 the court adjourn-ed to March 4th to consider their verdict.

Council met March 4th at 10 a.m., to read and consider the report of the engineer on the Perche creek drain in Sarnia.

Township, lands in the first and second concessions of Plympton being assessed \$558 for this work.

J. K. CAIRNS, Clerk.

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