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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

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SUN rises 4:18, sets 7:44.

CARPET remnants at SWIFTS'

TAYLOR'S have values in hampocks.

STORVILLE garden party this (Friday) evening.

GUELPH will have an Old Home Week from July 28th to Aug. 2nd.

SOME people continue to call them "gettes," but the newest form is "suffs."

NOW is the refrigerator season. See our special at \$16.00.—THE HOWDEN EST.

If the price of hogs goes up much higher the ham sandwich season might as well be considered closed.

THE annual district meeting of the East Lambton Women's Institute is being held in the Congregational church this (Thursday) afternoon.

D. G. PARKER will sell his village property and some household goods by auction on Saturday next at 3.30 o'clock. See dodgers for particulars.

THIRTY Woodmen and others went to Sarnia on Sunday. The day was hot and the return train a little late, but all report a pleasant time at the lakeside.

PAY your bills at Swifts'. Short credits.

THE Cameron buildings on the corner of Main and Ontario streets, where the new postoffice is to be built, will be sold by auction on Saturday next at 3 o'clock.

AFTER all, women haven't so much to be vain about. If they had to wear awkward suits, short hair and stiff hats like the men, maybe they wouldn't be even as good looking as the men.

THERE is no way of improving a place so much as by encouraging good merchants, good schools and good people to settle among you, and this can not be done unless you spend your money at home.

FOREST CITY catsup, Dill pickles or Clubhouse olives will make your meal more inviting. Olives from ten cents up, Dill pickles 15c dozen, September cheese 15c lb.—THE HOWDEN EST.

COMPLAINT is made that vandals are at work in the cemetery pulling flowers from grave lots. A person who will steal flowers in a cemetery will stand a lot of watching when there is any loose change lying around.

WHILE returning from the social on the 4th line on Wednesday evening Manfred Thompson and John Joynt were thrown out of their buggy by the careless driving of some passing rigs. The boys got quite a shaking up.

NIFTY blouses every week.—SWIFTS'.

STRATHROY will have a big celebration on Tuesday, July 1st. During the morning there will be a calisthumpian parade; in the afternoon baseball, lacrosse and football games and band concert and in the evening a concert.

CLEARING prices on baby carriages at TAYLOR'S.

"Father," said little Herbert, "why doesn't mother travel with the circus?" "What could she do in a circus?" "She might be the strong woman." "I heard her tellin' grandma this morning that she could wind you around her little finger."

The first consignment of one-cent stamps in book form has been issued to the public by the Department. Two-cent stamps have been issued in books for some time, but this is the first time that one-cent stamps have been issued this way.

TRY a King Cutter razor, \$1.75 guaranteed by The Howden Est. Pocket knives from a dime to a dollar.

PARASOLS and sunshades.—SWIFTS'.

MR. ROBERT H. WILSON, 4th line, was in town Tuesday for the first time in 3 months. He feels very grateful to the friends, who, during the first three months of his illness, showed so many acts of kindness to him, and wishes them to accept his heartfelt thanks.

MONDAY was the hottest June day in Toronto in twelve years, and the second hottest June day on record. The mercury rose to 95 degrees between 2 and 3 o'clock. On June 27, 1901, it registered at 97.1 degrees. Watford thermometers registered 93.

MR. F. L. KADEY, for several years teller in the Merchants Bank at Stratford and who commenced his banking career in the Watford branch, has been transferred to the Chesley branch as accountant. His many Watford friends will be glad to hear of his promotion.

MEN'S Panama Hats, split sailors.—SWIFTS'.

SCREEN WINDOWS from 15 cents up. Screen doors in all sizes, one dollar and upwards.—THE N. B. HOWDEN EST.

The following composition by a little Public school girl on the subject of the human biped may be an evidence of where the suffragette movement got on air: Men are what women marry. They drink, smoke and swear, but don't go to church. Perhaps if they wore bonnets they would. They are more logical than women, also more zoological. Both men and women spring from monkeys, but the women spring further than the men.

SILK, lisle and lace hose.—SWIFTS'

A number of Watford people picnicked at Rock Glen on Wednesday.

WHEN you need talcum powder buy "Nyal's Red Rose" at TAYLOR'S, 25c.

ATTEND the sale of Cameron's buildings on Saturday afternoon. They must be sold and removed at once.

A DETAILED freight car between Watford and Wainstead delayed traffic for a short time on Tuesday morning.

THE first home-grown strawberries were brought into town on Wednesday by Mr. Geo. Sitter, Arkona, and sold at 17 cents.

A NICE shipment of English brass goods and fancy china suitable for wedding gifts just arrived at Howden's.

COLONEL KENWARD, manager of the Merchants Bank, took his staff to London in his auto on Wednesday afternoon to see the militia camp.

MISS WILLIAMS will have a clearing sale this Friday and Saturday of all Ladies' Fancy Neckwear, such as collars, jabots, ruchings, laces and ties.

DO your shopping early on Saturday. Watford merchants have agreed to close at ten o'clock, and not to deliver any goods ordered after nine o'clock.

PINK, sky and white silk lisle hose for children 2 to 14 years.—SWIFTS'.

DON'T let the fact that it costs more to live now than it did a hundred years ago discourage you. They'll be saying the same thing a hundred years from now.

R. WOR. BRO. BRODIE, D. D. G. M., St. Clair District No. 2, will install the officers of Havelock Lodge, Tuesday, June 24th. A banquet will follow the installation.

THE marriage of Miss Pearl Rose, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Rose, Petrolia, to Mr. Jack Reid, took place Monday evening at the home of the bride's parents.

WE have just received our binder twine and will have the old reliables, Deering and McCormick brands at lowest prices.—THE N. B. HOWDEN EST.

JUDGMENT reserved in the Fitzgerald-Stapleford case which was argued before Justice Riddell in chambers on Tuesday last. At the time of going to press, Thursday, no decision had been given.

MR. AND MRS. JACOB W. MOORE wish to announce the marriage of their daughter, Grace Estelle, to Mr. Thomas Richard Shepherd, at the Central Methodist church, Calgary, June 7th, 1913, by the Rev. Sanford E. Marshall, B.A., B.D.

SUNDAY next will be Children's Day in Watford Methodist church. At the morning service the sermon will be specially for the young people and a number of the children will take part in the singing.

TWO-PIECE SUITS \$6.50 to \$12.00, ordered \$12.50 to \$18.50.—SWIFTS'.

STRAWBERRIES, cherries, raspberries, etc., are going to be scarce this season, according to the reports coming in from the surrounding country.

FROSTS have done far more injury than was anticipated at the time, and the strawberry crop looks to be very poor, indeed.

MISS DEBORAH COLTER, daughter of Mrs. Wm. Colter, of the 12th line, Enniskillen, and sister of Harry Colter at one time on the staff of the Guide-Advocate, was one of the graduating class at the General Hospital Training School for Nurses at Regina. The graduation exercises took place in the City Hall on June 15th, and were of a very interesting nature.

FORREST FREE PRESS.—In response to inquiries about an excursion to Guelph this year, the Free Press communicated with E. F. Augustine, Secretary of the East Lambton Farmer's Institute, who states that a date was arranged but the Grand Trunk required so large a guarantee, that it was deemed unwise to accept, consequently the excursion was cancelled.

THE social given under the auspices of the ladies of the Methodist church on Tuesday evening on W. E. Doan's lawn, Simcoe street, was well attended and a very pleasant evening was spent by those present. Some excellent music was given by Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy, Warwick, and local talent and the Watford Concert Band did much to enliven the evening. Ice cream, strawberries, sandwiches, cake, etc., were supplied in abundance. Proceeds about \$75.00.

AN exchange says: A man may mortgage his house to buy an automobile but he can't mortgage his auto to buy a house. The worst thing about a buzz wagon is that when you have run it half a mile it ceases to be a marketable commodity. There is nothing on the earth or in the waters under the earth that loses value as fast as an automobile. The only man who seems to appraise it at its true value is the assessor.

YOU may have heard the expression, "an elephant stepped on my pocket book," but a stranger thing happened to Tommy Oakes Thursday at the big circus. While Tommy was caressing one of the big elephants and feeding it peanuts, the animal twined its trunk around Tommy's body and deftly extracted a \$15 roll of bills from his pocket and ate the money as a relish with the peanuts. Unfortunately no one but Tommy witnessed this unusual and unadvertised act.

LAQUERETTE is just what you need to brighten up that porch furniture, your money back if not satisfactory.—THE HOWDEN EST.

NEW Perfection Oil Stoves are the real satisfactory kind, \$8.00 to \$15.50, at HOWDEN'S. Will pay for themselves first season.

MISS MABEL GOVENLOCK, Seaford, Domestic Science Graduate, will give a lecture to the Watford Institute the 30th June in the afternoon. Everybody welcome. Particulars later as to place of meeting.—Sec'y.

SARNIA will have a big day on July 1st, Dominion Day. Arrangements are being made for all kinds of sports, including baseball, motor boat races, auto races, etc. An aeroplane will be one of the attractions. Further particulars next week.

THE regular meeting of the Watford Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. D. C. Parker on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, president presiding. There were 19 members and 3 visitors present. Meeting opened with singing the Maple Leaf. Roll call answered by an author. The program was as follows:—A paper was given by Miss Laws on "Strawberries and their uses." There was a good many useful hints given. Mrs. J. D. Brown also gave a reading and Mrs. Bryson a solo, which was good. A social hour was spent and lunch given as Mrs. Parker is about to move soon. Meeting closed by singing God Save the King.—Sec'y.

THE military church parade on Sunday evening to Trinity Church was not largely attended by the residents, the heavy rain preventing some of those from the north from being present. The sacred edifice was, however, crowded. The militia occupied the front seats, and their bright uniforms together with the flags which decorated the building and the vestments of the choir made an attractive picture. Lieut.-Col. Kenward, in full military dress, read the scripture lesson, and the Rector preached a sermon to the men containing sound advice and caution regarding their conduct and temptations while in camp. His text was "Be strong in the Lord, and in the power of His Might."

THE test well was shot on Monday afternoon without any indication of gas resulting, thus demonstrating that there is little or no chance of securing the coveted natural gas in Watford. The shooting was witnessed by about one hundred people who stood for half an hour in the broiling sunshine with the thermometer at 93 in the shade, to view the sight. Thirty quarts of nitro-glycerine were used. A fuse was started at 2.25 but it went out, and ten minutes later another was inserted, which brought an explosion in less than two minutes. A stream of water, small stones, etc., was thrown into the air to a height of about 150 feet, and presented a thrilling spectacle for a few seconds. The concussion could be plainly felt over a hundred yards away, and caused glassware to tremble on the shelves of some of the stores. The Watford Natural Gas Co. will now dissolve with several hundred dollars worth of experience as their principal asset.

THE death of a little child is always a sad occurrence, but that of John Stanley, the ten month's old child of George Henry S. Goodman and his wife, on Tuesday last, was particularly so. Mr. and Mrs. Goodman and children are immigrants to this country and were on their way from England to Watford, where Mr. Goodman has been engaged to work for Wesley Bryce. When at Hamilton the youngest child took convulsions. A physician was called but could do nothing, and instead of bringing a lively, healthy child in their arms to Watford, the stricken parents were obliged to bring the remains in a casket. The funeral was held from Harper Bros' undertaking rooms at ten o'clock Wednesday morning to the Watford cemetery, the Rev. H. E. Currie conducting the service. Much sympathy is felt for the parents in their affliction while strangers in a strange land.

YOUR money back at SWIFTS' if everything is not satisfactory.

PERSONAL

Mr. Norman Rivers returned from Regina Monday.

Mrs. C. Thomas is visiting relatives in Detroit this week.

Mrs. E. D. Swift and two daughters are in Toronto this week.

Mrs. Carter, Saskatoon, is visiting her brother, Mr. Cecil Butler.

Mr. Colin Campbell, Rockwood, is the guest of his cousin, Mr. B. Richardson.

W. E. Philips, assistant Scout Master, Sarnia, visited his friend, E. D. Martin, on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Black, Morden, Man., are the guests of Mrs. McLaren this week.

Mr. C. Cameron, Winnipeg, was the guest of his nephew, Mr. J. W. McLaren, last week.

Mrs. Cecil Butler returned home Saturday from a three-weeks' visit with relatives in Simcoe.

Mr. J. Mathers, manager of the Bank of Toronto, Kerwood, was in town on Friday last week.

Wm. Drury Hamilton, formerly proprietor of the Taylor House, was a Watford visitor this week.

Miss Pearl Saunders attended the marriage of her cousin, Miss Pearl Rose, in Petrolia, on Monday.

Miss Vivian Chambers, Oil Springs, and Miss Mary Coke, Sutorville, are visiting at Miss Coke's, Front street.

Mrs. Edith Gleason, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. W. W. Hagle, left last Friday for her home in Detroit.

Hon. J. R. Boyle, Minister of Education for Alberta, visited his old friend and schoolmate, Dr. R. G. Kelly, on Sunday last.

Mrs. W. E. Fitzgerald returned Tuesday evening after a ten days visit with her brother, W. L. Young, banker at Markdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore, of Sarnia, and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Speirs, of Detroit, spent a few days with Mrs. Cameron, St. Clair St., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Priestman, (nee Florence McTavish) of Toronto, are spending part of their honeymoon with the latter's mother, Mrs. D. A. McTavish.

Rev. S. P. Irwin left Monday for London to attend the session of the Synod of Huron. Dr. Jas. Newell is also there as lay delegate from Trinity Church.

Mrs. R. G. Kelly and children visited Chatham this week and attended the Graduation Exercises of Chatham Hospital Training School for nurses. Miss Grace Kelly, of this place, was one of the graduate nurses, taking a very high stand in her class.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Richardson and family, of Vulcan, Alta., returned Monday after having spent a very pleasant visit with friends and relatives. Miss Anabel McKenzie, of Warwick, accompanied them as far Winnipeg where she will visit her sisters.

Miss Geraldine Tanner, student at Alma College, St. Thomas, is visiting relatives in town this week en route for her home in Regina. She was successful in obtaining her diploma, the gold medal and the first proficiency prize in choral music, and is now receiving the congratulations of her Watford friends.

WARWICK

Dr. Brandon, Hamilton, is visiting his sister, Mrs. A. Baird.

Mr. Johnathan Hagle, Michigan, visited relatives here last week.

A number of Biranimites attended the Barnum & Bailey circus in London last week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Henry, Shelbourne, are the guests of their cousin, Mrs. Robt. Wynne.

Mrs. William Smith, Sarnia, is visiting her daughter Mrs. Wellington Smith, Birnam.

Mr. Ross Smith, London, motored here last week and spent a few days with relatives.

Mrs. R. Richards, Baysville, Muskoka, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. M. A. Bryce, 2nd line, S. J. R.

Dr. Baird, wife and family, Mt. Brydges, are visiting at Mrs. A. Baird's, prior to going to the coast.

Roy, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cable, is suffering from an attack of congestion of the lungs.

Mrs. (Dr.) Belcher and son, Pleasant Hill, Mo., are spending the summer with Mrs. Belcher's mother, Mrs. A. Baird.

Rev. W. Vance and Mrs. Vance, Merlin, motored to his old home here one day last week, where he spent a couple of days.

Mr. William Richardson underwent an operation last Thursday at the home of his son George when a small cancer was removed from his breast.

Township Clerk N. Herbert, has been granted a month's leave of absence by the Council, and is now enjoying an extended trip through the West.

Mrs. Miles Hagle, who has been visiting friends in this neighborhood for some time, was taken suddenly ill with pneumonia at the home of Mr. John Cable on Monday of this week.

The Queen City Oil Co's tank wagon was overturned into the ditch on 18 sideroad on Monday. It was quite a job getting it back on the wheels, but J. Sharp, of Watford successfully engineered the job.

At a special convocation of Western University, held Tuesday, degrees of Doctor of Divinity, Honoris Causa, were conferred on Rev. T. B. R. Westgate, the well-known missionary of German East Africa.

The Grace church garden party on Wednesday evening of last week, was, as usual, a big success. There was a large crowd, a good program, a tasty lunch and receipts amounting to \$131.68. What more could one desire.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Westgate, who have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis Westgate and other relatives in this district, left on Monday for Toronto, where they will spend a few days before returning to their home in Regina.

The Knox Literary Society purpose holding a lawn social at the home of Mr. W. D. Mackenzie, S.E.R., on Wednesday June 20th. A good program is being provided. Mr. J. E. Armstrong, M.P., Mr. R. J. McCormick, M.P.P., will be in attendance, also the Watford Concert Band. Admission 25c and 10c.

The fourth line patmasters should endeavor to widen the road and thus prevent the necessity of autos from a neighboring town taking the ditch when returning home after a pleasant social evening in Watford, as was the case Wednesday night of last week. The balmy air of Watford seems to exhilarate

the drivers of motor cars to such an extent that steering on a narrow road becomes exceedingly difficult.

The monthly meeting of the Warwick Women's Institute was held in the Forrester's Hall on June 12th. The attendance was thirty. The program for the ensuing year was prepared. The subject of debate for the afternoon was "Resolved that people were more sociable fifty years ago than they are now." The affirmative was led by Mrs. A. N. Cox, and the negative by Mrs. W. A. Minnelly. These ladies were ably assisted by other members. The negative side won by one point. Arrangements were made for the summer meeting when Miss Govenlock, of Seaford, will address the Institute. Her practical and carefully thought-out addresses are delivered in a pleasing manner and we hope the ladies of the community will be present to hear her speak. This meeting will be more fully announced later.

BROOKE

Mr. B. Coristine, Detroit, is spending a couple of months with relatives here.

J. W. Bryce, 12th line, who had his arm broken by a kick from a horse some time ago, is improving nicely.

Remember the social in connection with Christ Church, Sutorville, this (Friday) evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rich. Williamson, 12th con.

During the thunder storm on Sunday afternoon, James Griffith, 12th line, had two valuable horses killed by lightning in the field. Insured for a small amount in the Lambton Farmer's Insurance Co.

Mr. Dan Kelly is in London this week attending the session of the Synod of Huron as lay delegate from St. James' church. Mr. John Saunders is also there as representative of Christ Church, Sutorville.

The annual garden party in connection with Bethesda church will be held on Mrs. Moffat's lawn on Friday evening, June 27th. Strawberries, cream, cake, etc., from 6 to 8 o'clock. An excellent program will be presented, including vocal music by Rev. and Mrs. Kennedy, of Warwick Village, and readings by Miss Flecker, of Sarnia, elocutionist. Rev. H. Moyer, of Petrolia, chairman. The Watford Band will be present. Admission 25c and 15c.

The summer meeting of the Brooke Women's Institute will be held on Friday afternoon June 27th, at half past one o'clock, at the home of the Misses McGugan, Walnut. Miss Mable Govenlock of Seaford, graduate in Domestic Science, will be present at this meeting and will address the ladies. Miss Govenlock has had considerable experience in teaching Domestic Science. All ladies are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

The angel of death visited the home of Mrs. Leila Moore on Thursday last and removed from her home her youngest daughter Myrtle May whose age was 13 years, 3 months and 5 days. The deceased, who had been ailing for some time, leaves behind her a host of friends. She is survived by her mother and two sisters. The funeral which was held from the family residence lot 12, con. 11, Brooke, on Saturday afternoon was very largely attended, interment taking place at Alvinston Cemetery.

It was predicted that Friday, June 13th, 1913, would be a very unlucky day to undertake any important business transaction, but it did not prove so for the promoters of the garden party under the auspices of the ladies of St. James' church, as the entertainment was one of the most successful ever held in these parts, the receipts amounting to \$222.00. The gathering was held on the beautiful and commodious lawn at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Lucas, 12th sideroad, and it is estimated that nearly one thousand people were present, a large number driving from Watford to enjoy the evening in the country. Mr. and Mrs. Lucas, in their whole-souled and hearty manner, welcomed all individually and were untiring in their efforts to make their guests comfortable and happy. There was an excellent lunch with delicious strawberries, imported for the occasion. The Watford Band was present and played a number of new pieces, and a good program of instrumental music, readings, etc., was given. The Misses Cowan and Mitchell gave an instrumental duet, and Miss Kingston an instrumental solo. Cyril Hayes, elocutionist, and Floyd McPhail, comedian, also gave several numbers which were well received. Col. Kenward was the chairman. Mr. and Mrs. Lucas and all those who so willingly helped them are to be congratulated on making the social such a great success, and wish to return thanks to the public for the generous patronage received.

On Friday night about eleven o'clock, during the violent rain storm, a barn belonging to Harold Currie, 4th line, Adelaide, was struck by lightning and totally destroyed, together with an adjoining barn, and it was only by the well directed efforts of neighbors that a drive shed was saved. Both barns had steel roofs, and lightning rods in perfect condition. Besides the barns, Mr. Currie lost 25 tons of hay, 25 bushels of oats, 150 chickens and 2 calves, besides a hay fork, fanning mill and other articles. Mr. Currie carried insurance on all his buildings, including residence, amounting to \$5,000, and puts his loss over the insurance at \$2,000. Mr. Currie returns his thanks to those who rendered assistance in saving his drive shed and other property.

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Wants Other Women to Know How She was Finally Restored to Health.

Hammond, Ont. — "I am passing through the Change of Life and for two years had hot flushes very bad, headaches, soreness in the back of head, was constipated, and had weak, nervous feelings. The doctor who attended me for a number of years did not help me, but I have been entirely relieved of the above symptoms by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, Blood Purifier and Liver Pills, and give you permission to publish my testimonial." — Mrs. LOUIS BEAUCAGE, Sr., Hammond, Ont., Canada.

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Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, contains no narcotic or harmful drugs, and to-day holds the record of being the most successful remedy for female ills we know of, and thousands of voluntary testimonials on file in the Pinkham laboratory at Lynn, Mass., seem to prove this fact. Every suffering woman owes it to herself to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

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NOTE AND COMMENT.

Bad air is directly or indirectly the cause of most of our diseases.

You can live six days without water, forty days without food, and 100 years without booze; but only four minutes without air. Get all the fresh air you can hold. It is cheap and leaves no headaches.—Greenwood, B.C., Ledger.

Have a kind word and a pleasant smile for everyone. It doesn't cost anything and we never know the good it may do. It is really one's duty to treat everyone well, and more than that, to seek occasions for doing little kindnesses, to make a bright spot for someone every day of our lives. We have no right to live selfishly; we owe something to the world at large.

The very worst calamity, I should say, which could befall any human being would be this—to have his own way from his cradle to his grave; to have everything he liked for the asking or even for the buying; never forced to say: "I should like that, but I cannot afford it; I should like this, but I must not do it."

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There are hundreds of thousands of men with their thoughts fixed absolutely on money making. They hate what threatens money. They love those that sympathize with money. They live, work, vote, talk, marry and cheat their friends for money. If they fail—as most of them do—they die unhappy. If they succeed money cheats them, and for all their devotion gives them nothing. "For what shall it profit a man if he shall gain the whole world and lose his own soul?" The man wastes his soul who devotes its forces only to accumulating wealth.

Since the Ontario Bank was wrecked \$10,000,000 has been realized from the salvage, and the shareholders who reluctantly paid up under the double liability requirement of the bank act will shortly receive a dividend of twenty per cent, which involves a disbursement of \$200,000. The dividend will probably be paid in July, and it is said, a second dividend will follow soon after. Some of the assets of the defunct bank have been disposed of at a much better figure than was ever hoped for.

The boy who has the freedom of the street after nightfall without business or permission is cultivating a dangerous habit. Any place where a body has no business is no place for him, be it on the street, in stores or in the livery barn. A boy that is all right will prefer his home, friends, books or newspapers to the class found on the street. Business men of all kinds look upon the boy loafers as the "dead beats" of the future. Boys, if you will adopt the right habits while boys, you will, in manhood, be useful to the world, and a source of comfort to your parents and friends, and then you will have the satisfaction of looking back upon a well-spent past.

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Woman to the Front

Woman is making her way to her right place in civilization step by step. She is doing this by wisdom and not by folly—by showing herself a necessary factor in the body politic. A lady who is chairman of a London borough board of guardians has been accorded such of the functions of a magistrate as pertain to that office. Another lady who was chairman of an urban council had been refused the right to act as a full magistrate because she was a woman. Miss Duncan, chairman of the East Ham Board of Guardians would not thereby be a magistrate, had she been a man; so it seems that all the magisterial powers have been granted her that pertain to her office.

Inconsistency

When winter held us in its crutches and froze us to the marrow-bones with many oburgative touches we stated in most earnest tones that we disliked the brand of weather which chilled our vitals to the core, and kept them so for months together; we longed for summer warmth once more as in our beds we lay half frozen, wrapped tightly in an icy sheet which sleeted around as we were dozing and let the frost attack our feet. Then through the dreary hours we shivered and for the summer's warmth we pined, so we could leave our toes unknived in peace and quietness of mind. But when the mercury is crawling to dizzy

heights, and we perspire, we start a grievous caterwauling about the heat as we retire. Oft of a stilly night there rises a weird and melancholy chant from people of all sorts and sizes who want to get to sleep and can't. "This heat," they wail, has snapped our reason and melted us to spots of grease; oh, would that it were down to freezing! and then we could repose in peace! Yet if J. Probs took our opinion on matters touching heat and cold supplied to this our great Dominion, we still would paw the air and scold.

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Sell-Reliance

It is not in the sheltered garden or in the hot house, but on the rugged Alpine cliffs where the storms beat most violently, that the toughest plants are reared. The oak that stands alone to contend with the tempest's blasts only takes deeper root and stands the firmer for ensuing conflicts; while the forest tree, when the woodman's axe has spoiled its surroundings, sags and bends and trembles and perchance is uprooted. So it is with men. Those who are trained for self-reliance are ready to go out and contend in the sternest conflicts of life; while men who have always leaned for support on those around them, are never prepared to breast the storms of adversity that arise. Many a young man, and for that matter, many of those who are older—halts at his outset upon life's battlefield and falters and faints for what he conceived to be the necessary capital for a start. A few thousand dollars or hundreds, or something handsome in the way of money in his purse, he fancies to be about the only thing necessary to procure his fortune.

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of the repressed henpecked type. He was alone.

"I go one better. Twenty-five's the limit," boomed a big man, who had been enjoying the auction sale over the top of his newspaper. And before any one else could say a word he had dropped the quarter into the bewildered hand of the conductor and extracted the coveted nickel from between his finger and thumb.

She of the bundles had not missed any of the bidding. A wise look came into her eyes. Here was a lucky penny for sure. Well, she would profit by it. She reached up and grabbed the quarter out of the conductor's hand.

"I'll now be takin' my change," she calmly announced as she snapped the coin into her bag.

"No, you don't, lady! That's my quarter. Here's your change," he protested, holding her a good old fashioned nickel of the 1896 variety.

"I got my change, thanks!" She hugged the bag close to her breast and looked up at him defiantly.

"Well, I'll be blowed! How's that for nerve!" ejaculated the now awakened conductor.

"You didn't give me no other change in place of that tin penny they're makin' such a fuss about," she snapped.

"The game's on you, conductor," grinned an onlooker.

The opinion of the other passengers confirmed this judgment, and the conductor went out on the platform to cool off.

Wasn't the whole incident too amusing? And I, who have been perfectly wild to get one of the new coins, was obliged to be "a looker on in Vienna."

Now for the information you asked for concerning the treatment of gray hair. If you want your mother's silvery hair to look always at its best be sure that she keeps it absolutely free from dust. This is easier said than done, but if she will make a friend of rice powder her hair will always be in beautiful condition.

Every evening your mother before going to bed should fill her hair with rice powder and then tie her head up in a strip of heavy cotton cloth.

Thus oddly shaped as to head madam can retire to sleep soundly until the rising hour. Once up she must seize upon a stiff bristled hairbrush and subject her powdered locks to a most thorough brushing. All the dust and grime will come out with the powder, and the elderly beauty will find herself possessed of hair that looks brand new. At least every four or five weeks the gray haired woman should give her silvery tresses a careful shampoo. A most excellent soap jelly can be made by shaving one-half cake of white toilet soap into a kettle containing three cupsful of hot water. This mixture must be allowed to simmer over a low flame until the soap has dissolved, then set away until it thickens, when a half teaspoonful of the best ammonia should be beaten in.

When you are ready for your shampoo comb and brush your hair until not a tangle remains; then dampen locks and apply the soap jelly, massaging it well into the scalp and smearing it thickly over the ends of the hair. As soon as your head locks like a fluffy snowball begin to rinse. Use at least nine waters; then fill a kettle with warm water to which you have added a very little indigo and dash the liquid over the hair. Use only enough indigo to give the water the faintest tinge, as too much bluing is worse than none. When silver tresses are inclined to turn yellow slightly blued water proves a friend in need.

The bell has just rung, and my inner consciousness tells me that it's the hairdressing woman to give me a scalp massage, so goodbye for this time. **LOVINGLY, MABEL**

Ways to Save.

A cloth dipped in ammonia will often remove the stains from the collar of an overcoat.

Whip cream in a pitcher instead of a bowl to do it in half the time and without spattering.

Paraffin rubbed on the heels of stockings will cause them to last much longer without wearing out.

To clean plaster ornaments, busts, vases, etc., dip in clear starch mixed with water. When dry brush off.

Stick a pin through the cork of every bottle that contains poison, and this may save tragic mistakes when seeking medicines in the dark.

Japanese Wall Paper.

It is said that minkado wall papers with the dainty Japanese treatment will be popular this season, when the new attractions in wall papers have been launched, which is generally in the early spring. The black background papers are very decorative and are rapidly gaining favor here. Following this come the beautiful tapestry effects in wall paper.

Stiffening Old Hairbrushes.

Old hairbrushes which have become soft can be made quite hard and firm by dipping them in a strong solution of alum.

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BANANA DESSERTS.

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Banana Charlotte.—Line the bottom of a plain mould with a layer of lemon jelly and decorate with strips of neatly cut angelica and candied cherries. Trim the required number of lady fingers and line the sides of the mould so that they fit closely. Beat up three eggs in a basin and stir in two cupsful of boiling milk, sweetened with three tablespoonfuls of sugar. Return this to the saucepan, add one heaping tablespoonful of powdered gelatin which has been dissolved in half a cupful of boiling water, one teaspoonful of vanilla extract and stir over the fire with a wooden spoon until it thickens. Remove from the fire, add the pulp of four ripe bananas and when cool fold in one cupful of whipped cream. Just before the mixture sets pour it into the prepared mold and place it on ice to form. Unmould the shape carefully on a cold dish and serve.

Banana Tartlets.—Soak eight tablespoonfuls of chopped coconut in sufficient milk to cover, beat up till smooth and the thickness of batter, then add three tablespoonfuls of melted butter, four beaten yolks of eggs, half a cupful of whipped cream, one teaspoonful of vanilla extract and the stiffly beaten whites of two eggs. Peel twelve bananas and rub them through a sieve, then add to the mixture. Line gem pans with pastry and fill with the mixture; bake in a hot oven for ten minutes. Beat up the whites of two eggs until stiff, then add half a pound of confectioner's sugar and one tablespoonful of cornstarch and mix well together. Put a thin layer over the tartlets and put them in the oven to dry.

Banana Custard.—Peel six bananas and pass through a sieve; add two tablespoonfuls of sugar, four well beaten eggs, two cupsful of milk and one teaspoonful of lemon extract; pour into a buttered fireproof dish and bake till set in a moderate oven. When cold ornament with cherries cut in halves.

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effective note, the rich blue color harmonizing well also with the delicate shrimp pink of the brocade.

Short wraps of this sort are the craze just now, and the drapery of this garment at the hip is decidedly modish.

Fall Fair Dates

The Western District Fair Association have fixed the following dates for the fairs of that circuit:

Strathroy	Sept. 15-17
Petrolia	Sept. 18-20
Forest	Sept. 24-25
Parkhill	Sept. 25-28
Wyoming	Sept. 26-27
Brigden	Sept. 30
Alvinston	Oct. 2-3
WATFORD	OCT. 7-8

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CHOP STUFF.

Glencoe will have a band this summer. Sarnia retail merchants have formed an Association.

Sarnia's debenture debt is \$4,926,741, and Petrolia's \$1,227,763.

Roy Hodgson, Petrolia, has purchased Mr. Kemp's interests in the automobile business in that town.

Wm. Beattie, of the Ridge, sold to the Ojibway Steel Co., 47 acres of his gravel ridge land for \$30,000.

Windsor druggists and confectioners increased the price of ice cream sodas on Monday from 5 to 10 cents.

Harris & Pike, coal dealers, Strathroy, have dissolved partnership. The business will be continued by Mr. Pike.

Miss E. C. Henry, B. A., has been appointed to the department of modern languages in the Strathroy Collegiate Institute.

G. A. Hadden, photographer, Alvinston, has again been appointed official photographer at the camp in London this week.

L. H. Robinson, a grower of early melons at Amherstburg, will probably lose two-thirds of his crop as a result of the late frosts.

Mrs. J. E. Armstrong is in Chicago with her daughter Genevieve, where the latter will be under medical treatment for three months.

The tooth of a mastodon was found by Duncan Campbell on lot 2, concession 3, Aldborough. It is ten inches long, six deep and four wide.

Mr. Guy B. Watson, Strathroy, has commenced his duties as head traveling salesman for steel barns for the Metal Shingle and Siding Co., Preston.

The street sprinkling at Forest which is being done under a special by-law on a frontage assessment, will cost those interested about twelve cents per foot.

In the death of the late Mr. Robert McPadden, which occurred last Sunday, Oil Springs loses one of its oldest citizens, he having lived here for over forty years.

A half dozen lads at Amherstburg were charged with disturbing services in the First Baptist church. They each paid fine and costs amounting to \$1, and promised good behavior.

Miss Mary I. Armstrong, neice of Reeve Strirret, Petrolia, was married to John W. Patterson on Tuesday, by the Rev. Dr. McNair. The wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Strirret.

A meeting of the liquor men in Essex county was held in Windsor last week to formulate plans for an effective defensive fight to offset the general local option campaign which has been projected by the "drys."

Henry Boshaw had a narrow escape the other day while working at W. Hilborn's on the 4th con., Bosanquet. He was digging a well when a heavy bucket, used for drawing up clay, fell from the top of the hole and struck him on the forehead, making a nasty gash.

Friday last a thief entered the back room of R. Fairful's bakery, Leamington, and stole a pocketbook containing over \$500. The money was in the pocket of a coat hanging on a partition between the front and back rooms. No clue to the identity of the thief has been discovered.

The Government gas inspector has notified the Petrolia Utilities company that it must discontinue supplying natural gas to its customers after June 30th unless purified. The order comes as a result of a test which disclosed the presence of sulphuretted hydrogen in large quantities.

On Wednesday evening, June 19th, at the home of the bride's father, Moore Twp., Miss Ida May Windover, daughter of Mr. Wm. Windover, was married to Mr. Wesley Clinton Marriott, of the 8th concession of Enniskillen. The wedding took place in the presence of the immediate relatives of the contracting parties. Rev. H. D. Moyer, Petrolia, officiated.

Middlesex County Council will ask the Legislature to allow the expenditure of a sum not to exceed \$35,000 on the roads of the county this year, pending a decision of the Government commissioner, which is now working on a good roads scheme for the province. The Government will also be asked to guarantee a third of the expenditure.

Another highly respected farmer of Plympton township was laid away, in the name of Nicholas Davis, in his 82nd year. The deceased was a resident of Plympton for many years, and was well known throughout the township. The funeral took place from the family residence, lot 27, con. 1, on Monday, June 19th, to Wyoming cemetery.

A mare belonging to Mr. Neil McLachlan, Ailsa Craig, gave birth to twin colts. One was so weak Mr. McLachlan thought it was dead and got a spade to bury it, but, observing slight signs of life, he took it into the house and warmed it up and it became quite lively. Both are bays and Mr. McLachlan is making every effort to keep them both alive and raise them, as twin colts are so rare.

Petrolia Advertiser:—Mr. J. E. Armstrong, M. P., has received from the Hon. Col. Sam Hughes, Minister of Militia, a letter regarding the proposed armory, in which he says "I am building one (an armory) at Watford this year, and if at all possible we will give you one at Petrolia, but if I cannot manage it this year I shall be very pleased to give Petrolia one next year. Am doing my best to meet your wishes."

On Thursday, the 14th inst., Mr. Herbert Welsh, eldest son of Mr. Wm. Welsh, of the 4th hue, Enniskillen, had a very narrow escape from death. He was at

work in the field when the team he was driving, which was hitched to a seed drill, ran away, knocking him down. He was severely bruised, besides having the side of his head cut so badly, either by being struck by the drill or else trampled on by the horses, that the doctor, who was immediately called, had to put nine stitches in the wound. The horses were stopped before they had done any damage to themselves. The young man's escape from death was a miraculous one.

A Review of the Work of the Experimental Farms

For more than a quarter of a century the Dominion Experimental Farms have been carrying on experiments to find out the best kinds of crops and animals, and the best ways of handling them for profit. This has been going on not only at the Central Farm at Ottawa, but also in the Maritime provinces, the Prairie provinces and in British Columbia. The benefits that have resulted to the Canadian farmer from this work are undoubtedly very great, but still thousands of earnest men are not receiving the full advantage of what is being done for them. Perhaps many do not receive the reports and bulletins containing the information, while others receive these publications regularly but do not find the time to study out the lessons from them. In order to help especially this class of busy men and women there has been issued by direction of the Hon. Martin Burrell, Minister of Agriculture, a special bulletin containing the outstanding conclusions that have been reached during the 25 years that the Experimental Farms were under the directorship of Dr. Wm. Saunders recently retired.

This review which has been prepared by Mr. J. B. Spencer, B. S. A., Editor of the Publications Branch, tells of lessons that have been learned concerning fertilizers, cereals, fodder, crops, farm field work, live stock, horticulture, arboriculture, chemistry, poultry, weeds and plant pests. In addition many of the recent developments of the farm system are enumerated. It is shown that not only have the farms and stations been increased in recent years to fourteen, but great advancement is being made in all the older farms. This review which is tastefully gotten up has been issued for free distribution by the Publications Branch of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa.

Innes-Collier

(Sofris Plaindealer)

On Wednesday, June 19th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Collier, Third Ave., west, a quiet wedding was solemnized when Rev. H. A. Goodwin united their fourth daughter, Florence Mabel, to William George Innes, of Weyburn. The bride was given away by her father, and wore a grey tailored suit and was attended by Miss Gladys Johnston, while the groom was supported by Mr. E. F. Collier, brother of the bride. The groom's gift to the bride was a lovely gold necklace with cameo and pearl pendant, to the bridesmaid a bar of pearls, to the groomsmen gold cuff links initialed. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful and useful presents showing the high esteem in which she was held by her many friends. The happy couple left for Regina, Moose Jaw and other western cities amid showers of rice. The young folk's many friends here join with the Plaindealer in wishing them a prosperous and happy journey through life. They will reside in Weyburn, Sask.

WANT COLUMN.

Five lines and under 25 cents. Over five lines five cents per line.

If you trade in Watford you go home satisfied.

FOR SALE—Two young cows due to calve the end of June.—ANDREW HAY, Lot 14, Con. 1, S.E.R.

ALL accounts due W. D. Cameron must be paid by July 1st as he is now out of business and must have his books closed.

MAN WANTED to work on farm for summer or by the year. Good wages paid. Apply to JOHN W. SMITH, Birnam.

Mrs. JOHN McILLMURRAY wishes to sincerely thank her many friends and neighbors for their kind sympathy during her late bereavement.

LOST—On Tuesday, in Watford or north or west of Watford, a gold bracelet. Finder will be rewarded on leaving it with T. G. MITCHELL, grain dealer.

HOUSEHOLD furniture for sale at Cameron's stable, Saturday next at 3 o'clock. No reserve. Terms cash. John Collins, proprietor, J. F. Elliot, auctioneer.

A 50 ACRE FARM and also a 100 acre farm in Warwick Township, and several good dwellings including a brick house nearly new, all in Watford, for sale. Apply to W. E. FITZGERALD, Barrister, etc., Watford.

LADIES, ATTENTION! Harmless permanent hair restorer, one application restores grey hair natural color. Trial package one dollar postpaid.—MRS. LAWRENCE, corner Lochiel and Vidal streets, Sarnia.

To the L.O.L. No. 2336, Arkona: We, the relatives and friends of the late John McIlmurray, kindly wish to thank you for the way you offered your services before the death and also the able manner you conducted the service. On their behalf—R. H. WILSON, Secretary.

There is nothing repulsive in Miller's Worm Powders, and they are as pleasant to take as sugar, so that few children will refuse them. In some cases they cause vomiting through their action in an unobscured stomach, but this is only a manifestation of their cleansing power, no indication that they are harmful. They can be thoroughly depended upon to clear all worms from the system.

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- Princess Slips, sizes 32 to 38, nifty styles..... 98c, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75
- Children's Dresses, from 2 to 12, in white lawn, lace trimmed. 65c to \$2.75
- Men's Knit Vests and Combinations.

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Many persons suffer with weak sight that glasses will cure. Glasses to cure weak sight should be made right. We make glasses right for the eyes, and frames right for the face. Then you have satisfaction and relief from annoying weak vision. If your eyes are weak and need help come here and we promise you our very best attention.

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FOR S.S. NO. 10, BROOKE, FIRST OR second class. Duties to commence after summer holidays. Apply stating salary and experience to WM. MILLER, Sec.-Treas., 10-20-4 Box 470, Watford.

TEACHER WANTED

FOR SCHOOL SECTION NO. 1, WARWICK. Duties to commence after the holidays. Fully qualified teacher, male or female. Applicants to state salary expected and experience. Apply to W. A. MINNIELLY, Secretary-Treasurer, Warwick P. O.

TEACHER WANTED

TEACHER WANTED FOR S.S. NO. 21, BROOKE. Apply stating qualifications and salary to A. C. WALKER, Secretary, R. F. D. No. 2, Alvinston, Ont.

TEACHER WANTED

FOR S.S. NO. 10, WARWICK, DUTIES TO commence after the summer holidays. Apply stating salary and qualification to R. K. McILLICUDDY, R.R. No. 1, Watford, Ont.

TEACHER WANTED

FOR S.S. NO. 12, WARWICK, A FULLY qualified teacher, male or female. Duties to commence after the summer holidays. State salary expected and experience. Applications received up to July 1st, 1913. SIDNEY ROUTLEY, Secretary-Treasurer, Watford P.O. 64

FARM FOR SALE

LOT 17, CON. 2, WARWICK, S.E.R., 100 acres, about 5 acres bush, balance seeded down to timothy, small orchard, 1/2 storey frame house, a good barn, plenty hard and soft water, pump and new steel windmill, 3/4 mile from school, 2 1/2 miles to Watford Churches and P.O. on good gravel road. Further particulars apply to JAMES McCLURE, Hartsboro, Alberta.

Robert Carr, of Florence, Ohio, is dead. Mr. Carr lived in Plympton and Caradoc for a number of years, and has in that vicinity, three sisters, Mrs. George O'Dell, of Oil Springs, Mrs. Mattie Stephens, of Inwood, Mrs. Wesley Seaborn, of Melbourne, and one brother, Seymour Soper, of Brooke.

Petrolia Council will be asked to have a milk by-law drawn up to govern the sale of milk. It is proposed to tax persons delivering milk by horse, \$3 a year. A minimum tax of fifty cents will be charged others. All milk will be tested regularly and results published.

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JUST examine the style and quality of the leather and the elegance of the shape. That's the kind we sell every time. We understand your needs and look for your trade more than once. Here you find that satisfaction you have long looked for, here.

Come in to-day and try on a few pairs. If you don't like them walk out again. It won't cost you a cent. That's fair, isn't it?

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- White Buck Pumps \$2.50
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SARNIA, ONT.

DIVIDEND NO. 46

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of **SEVEN PER CENT.**

per annum has been declared on the Paid-up Capital of the Company for the six months ending June 30th, 1913. The same will be payable on and after July 2nd next. The transfer books will be closed from the 15th to the 30th of June, both days inclusive.

D. N. SINCLAIR, MANAGER

ARKONA

Mr. and Mrs. Fraser, of spent Sunday with Mr. G. M. Mrs. R. Wilson, is visiting St. Mary's this week.

Mr. Crouse, of London, is few days with his daug (Dr.) Copeland.

Mrs. W. H. Sittlington who the past two months in T returned home, her sister Barnes, and family accompany Ladies' white canvas shoes ing styles.—Brown Bros.

Mrs. Jack McKenzie, and s of Brands Grove, near Forest, at R. Ott's.

Arkona general stores c o'clock, noon, on Wednes June, July and August.

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Panama hats in leading Brown Bros.

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All kinds picnic supplies Bros.

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ARKONA

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Mrs. R. Wilson, is visiting relatives in St. Marys this week.

Mr. Crouse, of London, is spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Copeland.

Mrs. W. H. Sittlington who has spent the past two months in Toronto, has returned home, her sister, Mrs. C. Barnes, and family accompanying her.

Ladies' white canvas shoes in all leading styles.—Brown Bros.

Mrs. Jack McKenzie, and son Wilfred of Brands Grove, near Forest, are visiting at R. Ott's.

Arkona general stores close at 12 o'clock, noon, on Wednesdays during June, July and August.

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The first strawberries of the season arrived in town on Monday.

The Warwick young people intend picnicking at the Glen on Saturday.

Lemons, oranges and bananas and all kinds of dried fruits at Fuller Bros.

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No symptoms that indicate any of the ailments of childhood should be allowed to pass without prompt attention. The little ailment may soon become a serious one and perhaps a little life passes out. If Baby's Own Tablets are kept in the house minor troubles can be promptly cured and the serious ones averted. The Tablets are guaranteed absolutely safe and can be given to the new born babe as well as the growing child. Thousands of mothers use no other medicine for their little ones. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

KERWOOD.

A number of ladies are taking in the District Meeting at Appin.

Mrs. Dr. Demary and children, Toronto, are visiting Mrs. R. Demary.

Miss Mae Carmody is visiting her sister, Mrs. Longworth, London.

We are pleased to report that Miss Ella Waddell is recovering from her severe illness.

A team owned by Richard Demary ran from the village, home, causing great excitement but no one was injured.

A number of young ladies spent a pleasant afternoon at Mrs. Arthur Morgan's, the guest of honor being Miss Gal-lowsay of Sarnia.

The W. M. S. held a very successful meeting at Mrs. Eyoys. About fifty ladies enjoyed a very profitable afternoon listening to the splendid report of Chatham convention given by Mrs. Wilson.

Solos and duets were given and a dainty lunch was served.

The Women's Institute held their June meeting at Mrs. A. Woods' last Wednesday, Mrs. R. Woods, president, presiding. Miss Powell, graduate from McDonald Institute, addressed about 110 ladies. Her subject, "Character Building," was very interesting and the way Miss Powell handled it proved she was a speaker of no mean ability. She also exhibited a great number of pieces of beautiful needlework, and kindly offered to teach any stitch to the ladies if they so desired. A solo given by Mrs. Geo. Denning was much appreciated, and Miss Edyth Hughes delighted the audience with her instrumentals. After the meeting a delightful lunch was served by the members. Visitors were present from Napier and Strathroy.

A gospel tent is being erected in Kerwood this week. On Sunday, June 22nd, at 7.30 p. m., a series of special evangelistic services will commence and continue each evening during the week at 8 o'clock (Saturday excepted). Song service at 7.45. Evangelist, W. J. Donnelly, of Hamilton, and K. J. Devine, of same city, will conduct the services. The object of the special meetings is to exalt the Person and work of the Lord Jesus Christ and to present to the people the Sweet Story of Salvation from the penalty, power and presence of sin, through the finished work of Christ. People attending these services will hear the old truths of redemption through the "Blood of Jesus" and kindred truths told out in a way easily to be understood and hard to be forgotten. A hearty welcome is extended to all to attend the service Sunday evening and the succeeding ones during the week. No collection. Come and bring a friend.

MARKETS

WATFORD	
GRAIN AND SEEDS—	
Wheat, fall, per bush...	\$ 85 @ \$ 90
Oats, per bush.....	30 32
Barley, per bush.....	45 50
Peas, per bush.....	75 75
Beans, per bush.....	1 25 2 00
Timothy.....	2 00 3 00
Clover Seed.....	7 00 12 00
Alsike.....	8 00 13 00
PROVISIONS—	
Butter, per pound.....	20 20
Lard, ".....	18 18
Eggs, per doz.....	20 20
Pork.....	13 00 13 50
Flour, per cwt.....	2 25 3 00
Bran, per ton.....	18 00 20 00
Shorts, per ton.....	25 00 25 00
MISCELLANEOUS—	
Wood.....	2 25 3 00
Tallow.....	6 6
Hides.....	8 10
Wool.....	13 20
Hay, per ton.....	9 00 10 00
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—	
Potatoes, per bag.....	1 50 1 50
POULTRY—	
Turkeys, per lb.....	17 20
Chickens, per lb.....	9 14
Fowl.....	6 9
Ducks.....	12 14
Geese.....	10 12
London.	
Wheat, cwt.....	\$ 95 to \$ 95
Oats, cwt.....	1 10 to 1 10
Peas, cwt.....	1 00 to 1 10
Barley, cwt.....	1 05 to 1 10
Butter.....	24 to 25
Eggs.....	20 to 21
Pork.....	13 00 to 13 50
East Buffalo.	
East Buffalo, June 17.—Cattle—Re-	ceipts, 100 head; steady. Calves—Re-
ceipts, 75 head; active and steady;	\$6.00 to \$10.50. Hogs—Receipts, 3,500
head; slow and 5c to 10c lower; heavy	and mixed, \$9.05 to \$9.10; yorkers \$9.05
to \$9.15; pigs \$9.10 to \$9.15; roughs,	\$7.85 to \$8.00; stags \$6.50 to \$7.25;
dairies, \$8.90 to \$9.10. Sheep and lambs	—Receipts, 800 head; slow; lambs and
yearlings 50c to 60c lower; others 15c	to 25c lower; lambs \$5.50 to \$8.50;
yearlings, \$4.50 to \$7.00; wethers \$5.65	to \$5.85; ewes, \$3.00 to \$5.00; sheep,
mixed \$5.25 to \$5.60.	
Toronto.	
Toronto, June 17.—Union stockyards	receipts for to-day were 201 loads, with
3,782 cattle, 422 calves, 1,028 hogs and	630 sheep, and 1,000 pigs.
There was a big run of cattle at the	market to-day, the dry weather evidently
inducing farmers to get rid of their sur-	

plus stock. Trade opened fairly brisk, but soon slackened under a quiet demand and the larger buyers began to hold off in anticipation that prices would be lower before the day was over. The result was a very slow, draggy market and prices towards noon were off about 20c on all kinds of cattle.

There was a fair demand for small stuff and sheep, lambs and calves held steady to firm at last week's prices.

Hogs were steady at \$9.85, fed and watered, with 50c less for hogs over 240 pounds. One buyer paid for hogs \$9.65, f. o. b., and \$10.15 off cars.

To-day's quotations.

Export cattle, choice...	\$ 6 85 to \$ 7 05
Butcher cattle, choice...	6 65 to 7 05
do., medium.....	6 25 to 6 40
do., common.....	5 25 to 5 50
do., cows, choice.....	5 25 to 5 50
do., good cows.....	4 75 to 5 00
do., medium.....	4 50 to 4 75
do., common.....	3 40 to 4 25
do., bulls, choice.....	5 25 to 6 25
do., good bulls.....	4 00 to 4 25
do., roughs.....	3 00 to 3 25
do., feeders, 950 lbs.....	5 00 to 6 00
Feeding bulls.....	3 70 to 4 25
Stockers, choice.....	5 00 to 6 00
do., medium.....	3 00 to 3 50
do., light.....	2 75 to 3 00
do., medium cutters.....	2 00 to 2 50
Milkers, choice, each.....	50 00 to 70 00
do., com. and med.....	30 00 to 40 00
Springers.....	40 00 to 65 00
Calves.....	5 00 to 9 00
Lambs.....	7 50 to 8 00
Sheep, ewes, light.....	5 75 to 6 25
do., heavy.....	4 50 to 5 00
Bucks and culls.....	4 50 to 5 00
Hogs, fed and watered.....	9 85
do., f. o. b.....	9 50
do., off cars.....	10 10 to 10 15
Spring lambs.....	9 00 to 10 50

HIGH SCHOOL EXAMS

Form I Examination, Promotion to Form II.

Requisites to pass, 40% on each subject and 60% of the aggregate marks. Total number of marks without Latin 1150, marks required to pass 690.

Nina Kelly 963, Franklin Smith 909, Jean Fitzgerald 871, Barrett Forbes 847, Stella Williamson 844, Ross Luckham 844, Jean Cameron 830, Allie Harper 826, Earle Reid 825, Millie Barnes 817, George Mead 817, Burton Cook 802, Lillian Blain 790, Gladys Callahan 785, Celestine McManus 772, Winnifred Swift 772, Evelyn MacDougall 766, Alex McPhedran 763, Thelma Brunt 761, Alma Barnes 750, James McPhedran 749, Florence MacDonald 747, Sarah McCausland 736, Gladys Ramsay 734, Clarence Leach 731, Vera Tully 730, Edgar Prentiss 724, Clarence Cook 714, Thomas McCormick 707, Michael O'Meara 690.

Mary Currie, through illness, was unable to write on the promotion examination, but on account of her excellent standing in all the subjects throughout the entire academic year, is entitled to enter Form II. Edith Annett, Josephine Gavigan and Minnie Tully were a few marks behind the total, but will be admitted to Form II.

Latin, although not compulsory, is a most important subject. The following students obtained 50% and above.

Stella Williamson 91, Jean Fitzgerald 88, Nina Kelly 87, Lillian Blain 85, Gladys Ramsay 84, Earle Reid 84, Minnie Tully 80, Jas. McPhedran 79, Franklin Smith 79, Thelma Brunt 78, Thos. McCormick 74, Millie Barnes 70, Florence MacDonald 67, Evelyn MacDougall 62, Clarence Leach 61, Vera Tully 60, Alex McPhedran 59, Winnifred Swift 59, Celestine McManus 57, Michael O'Meara 56, George Mead 56, Gladys Callahan 54, Barrett Forbes 52, Ross Luckham 51, Alma Barnes 50.

Additional reports of standing of Form I students will appear in next issue.

BORN.

In Watford, on Saturday, June 14th, to Mr. and Mrs. John Sharp, a daughter, —Margaret, Naomi.

In Plympton, on Friday, June 6th, to Mr. and Mrs. Robt. W. Minihilly, London Road, a son.

In Plympton, on Monday, June 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Donald, a son.

In Petrolia, on Saturday, June 7, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Previtt, a son.

In Enniskillen, on Saturday, June 7, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kelly, a daughter.

In Watford, on Monday, June 16th to Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Stapleford, a son.

MARRIED.

On Saturday, June 7, in Walmer Road Baptist church by the Rev. Dr. E. Hooper, Jean Irene, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Prentice, of Petrolia, to Carl White, only son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Austin, of Toronto.

At the Parsonage of the Methodist Church, Parkhill, by Rev. H. J. Uren, on Wednesday, June 11th, Mr. David Noble McLeod, of West Williams, to Miss Isabella Scott, daughter of Mrs. Adam Scott, of Parkhill.

At St. John's Church, Strathroy, on Monday morning, June 9, 1913, Oliver C. Stoner, V. S., to Ethel R., youngest daughter of Dr. J. P. Whitehead, all of Strathroy.

DIED.

In Sarnia township, on Thursday, June 12th, 1913, James McFerran, aged 63 years and 3 months.

In Enniskillen, on Friday, June 6th, Wm. H. Saunders, aged 61 years, 5 months and 11 days.

In Petrolia, on Monday, June 9th, 1913, Jennie Duncan, beloved wife of Chas. Wilson.

In Theford, on Friday, June 6th, 1913, Mrs. D. Bartlett, aged 63 years.

At Pt. Franks, Bosanquet, on Monday, June 9th, 1913, Maria Clark, wife of Mr. Samuel Burley, aged 68 years.

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Assets Nov. 30, 1911.....81,928,960

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Wyoming, June 16.—A wild red fox, with her family of little ones, domiciled in Mr. Alex. Wark's woods for some weeks, caused much anxiety to the nearby farmers, as Mrs. Reynard feasted royally upon the farm poultry. Many traps were laid, and schemes planned by the boys of the neighborhood to capture the outlaws, but all were futile until Mr.

Sam Lucas, who is skilled in such work, arrived with a couple of hounds, when the foxes were readily secured and carried off by Mr. Lucas, who added them to his variety of furred animals.

The old question as to whether lightning rods are as great a protection to farm buildings during electrical storms as they are claimed, has been revived by the destruction last week of a fine large barn in Adelaide Township, which was properly protected by such means.

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THE
Bad Man

Did He Deserve
the Name?

By CLARISSA MACKIE

He rode past Fancher's place in a cloud of dust from the sun baked prairie. Nan Fancher, standing in the shade of the wide veranda, met his fierce, dark glance with frightened, timid eyes, and instantly the savage fire died out of his eyes and was replaced by a wonderful softness.

"The bad man?" shrieked little Peter Fancher from his post near the gate.

"Hush, Peter!" admonished his aunt severely. "You mustn't say such naughty things."

"But he is bad," whimpered Peter as the horse and rider disappeared in the dust. "He lives all alone in a little hut over near the big mountain, and he bites little boys, Manuel has told me."

Nan related the incident to her brother and his wife at the noonday dinner. "Who is the man? He has an interesting face," she added.

"It's Gay Ransom; that's all we know about him. He's a sheep herder for Bleck beyond the mountain. The boys give him a bad reputation, and his appearance certainly bears them out."

Mrs. Fancher sent the Chinese cook into the kitchen on some errand and spoke in a low tone. "Loo Sing has told me that he lost fifteen chickens last night, Dick, and he is positive that Ransom is responsible for their disappearance."

"Aunt, dear," expostulated Nan, "that man didn't look like a chicken thief, somehow."

"He's a terror of the plains, such as I used to read about in the nickel novels hidden away in the garret years ago," Dick arose from the table and passed a large bronzed hand over his sister's sunny hair. "It's mighty nice to see you out here, Nan. I wish you'd shake that old school in the east and settle down here in Texas."

"I'd love to, Dick, now that there are just the two of us left," said Nan a little sadly. "Perhaps I may buy the next ranch to yours and become your neighbor."

"The next ranch is in the next county," grinned Dick teasingly. "You wouldn't be a very near neighbor in that case. There's plenty of room for you here for a long time to come," and Anne added such an urgent plea that Nan was sorely tempted to extend her summer vacation into a permanent stay.

"I believe I'll ride over to the herd," but and see if I find any chickens," remarked Dick as he left the room. "Good time to investigate while the chap's away. Want to come, Nan?"

"Yes," said the girl soberly, for the errand was not exactly to her liking. She would have preferred that her first ride across the brown prairie had a more agreeable object than the ferretting out of a chicken thief, but she said nothing as she tossed on a wide gray felt hat and drew on soft leather gauntlets over her white hands.

As they rode along enveloped in the dust raised by their own progress Dick Fancher gave his sister brief sketches of the neighboring ranches and their owners.

"And, last of all, there's Bleck's place over the mountain. Bleck is an easterner with notions who came out here a year ago, bought the ranch, placed a foreman in charge and then went home to raise sheep from the office of a New York skyscraper."

"And this Gay Ransom is one of his herders?" asked Nan.

"Yes; dropped on the country one day from nobody knows where, with a ready made reputation which was chinned far and wide by Bleck's foreman, Peterson. He says Ransom is a fire eater—shoots first and argues afterward."

"How dreadful!" murmured Nan.

"And to think he would steal chickens too!"

"See any feathers?" asked Dick as they approached the door of the hut.

"Nary," sang Nan in the vernacular. Dick rode close to the hut, suddenly swooped from his saddle and picked up the limp and yellow foot of a chicken.

"Not so far wrong there, my girl," he said to his sister, dangling the foot before her averted face.

The door of the hut opened suddenly and the bad man stood before them. He plucked off his hat and held it in his hand, revealing a white forehead between the thatch of his unkempt dark hair and the tan of his face.

"Howdy?" he said amiably. "Will you come in?"

"No, thanks," drawled Dick, with all the insulting emphasis he could summon. "I'm just collecting chicken feet;

that's all. I've found two familiar ones right here. Maybe the rest of 'em are still holding up the chickens, eh?"

"If it's a joke I've missed it," said the other quietly. "Why see you looking for chickens around here? This isn't a chicken ranch."

"See here, Ransom, joking aside," said Dick, with an entire change of manner. "I've found a pair of my feet—my chickens' feet, I mean—here in your yard. How the dickens did they come there?" He dangled the feet unpleasantly close to Gay Ransom's face.

"I'm not surprised they came from your place," said Ransom slowly, "because, you see, I bought them from your cook, Loo Sing. There's one more around somewhere. I was counting on having him for my dinner, but I don't receive stolen goods, of course. Want to take him home?"

"If you've paid for him he's yours, of course," said Dick in a disabelling tone, for which Nan could have shaken him. "I'll take the matter up with Loo Sing."

"Stop awhile, you and the lady, and I'll give you a broiled chicken dinner. I'm aiming to cook him right away."

"Not to worry, thank you," said Dick, with scant courtesy, and the bad man flushed under his tan at the implied insult. Nan looked down at him and met his embarrassed glance. She smiled reassuringly into his startled eyes, and there came a surprised look into her own. As she rode away she looked back more than once at the lone figure standing in the sheep herder's hut, and the last time she looked he waved his hat in friendly farewell. After that she kept her face straight ahead, her eyes fixed on the triangular space between her horse's ears. A little smile played about her lips, and now and then dimples came and went in her pink cheeks.

At the ranch Loo Sing was closely questioned and strongly denied stealing his master's chickens. The matter was talked over at the supper table, and Dick threatened to make trouble for Gay Ransom, the bad man.

"The country is well rid of such vermin," he muttered as he went to bed.

Two hours later, at midnight, there came the thunder of running hoofs on the ground without and the pounding of a revolver butt on the front door.

Dick Fancher threw up his window, to find the glare of a grass fire reddening the sky with lurid flickering light and outlining the tall, graceful form of the bad man on his brown horse.

"Well, what is it?" he demanded sharply.

"Fire! See it coming? I've come to help you ditch it around the house or else get the women away. What do you want to do?" He asked the question impudently, and indeed there was little time to be lost for the long red wall of flame was approaching rapidly.

The ranch house was of adobe and would stand the fierce encircling flames if they could manage the ditch. They could turn the contents of the water tank into the ditch. Dick was thinking while he rapidly dressed and ordered his family from their beds, and Loo Sing had quite disappeared, and the three Mexicans, who were all the help Dick had on the farm at this season, were doubtless gambling down at Gunning's saloon, eight miles away. There was nobody here but the bad man and Dick Fancher.

First they drove the frightened horses to the shed near the house. Then they turned loose the restless cattle and saw them flee instinctively to the refuge of the hills to the east. It would take days to gather them in again. The two men fell to work with shovels and made a wide ditch all around the little lonely adobe house, waiting there in the middle of the crisp, parched plain to know what her fate would be. Would the heat of the flames crack her walls beyond endurance of the women within, or would the two be able to complete the ditch and fill it with water, thus frustrating the cruel tongues of devastating fire?

The ditch was finished while the hot breath of flame fanned their cheeks. They turned the water, an all too slender stream, into the ditch, saw the earth drink it up, drink and drink, and then when it could absorb no more saw the ditch slowly fill to half its depth. Then Gay Ransom, hatless, coatless, single by him and scorched beyond recognition, threw pall after pall of water against the walls of the house, even while the heated surface hissed under the contact and the steam rose in a white drift. Dick Fancher was everywhere at once, beating back little incursions of flame, tossing a bucket of water on a flaming shrub, chasing bearded chickens into the house, soothing first his family and then his horses until the morning dawned and found them safe.

Black and grimy beyond recognition, they stared at each other while the smoke clouds billowed away to the northeast. Then it was that Loo Sing emerged from the adobe chicken house, wild with fright and dragging after him the evidences of his own guilt in the shape of a bag of muffled chickens.

"I owe you the sincerest apology,

Ransom," said Dick Fancher frankly as he grasped the other's hand, "and I owe you more than I can say for the help you've given me tonight."

"I think you've made a mistake, Dick, dear," said Nan's soft voice, with a hint of laughter in its tone. "This is not Gay Ransom, the desperado. I am sure it is Mr. Bleck himself, for I met him last summer at the Teteleys'."

"Of course, of course!" cried Bleck excitedly. "I knew I'd seen you before. I took you in to dinner, you know."

"Please explain," said Dick with what patience he could muster. "Why are you not Gay Ransom? Why are you Mr. Bleck? Why are you posing as a bad man and a sheep herder?"

Bleck laughed heartily. "I'm Bleck because I can't help it. I came out here to learn the business on my ranch from the bottom up, and the bottom seems to be herding. I told my foreman I'd be in for a while, and the rascal planted on me the name and reputation of a well known bad man hereabouts. I've just discovered the fact, and I marvel that I've not been lynched before this."

This is the story of how the bad man came to be Dick Fancher's warmest friend and finally his brother-in-law and how Nan became her brother's nearest neighbor and yet lived in the next county.

WHY A BASEBALL CURVES.

For the Same Reason that an Open Door Slams in a Draft.

All have wondered at some time or other why a door opened nearly to the limit will close when there is a draft or wind going through the opening. Certainly the wind does not get in behind the door and shove it, for the draft is through the opening.

The explanation of this fact lies in a fundamental principle of moving fluids and is the same principle that makes a baseball curve. Whenever there is a current in the air sidewise pressure is least in that current, so when the draft blows through the opening to the door the pressure on that side of the door is decreased, and consequently the pressure on the other side will start slowly to move the door, making it go faster and faster till the door swings into the draft itself and starts going in the direction of the draft. When it does so in this direction of course the draft helps it along, because it is now not the sidewise motion that counts, but the forward motion.

When a ball is rotated in the air it carries around with it a good deal of air sticking to the sides. This, then, is the same thing as saying that a current of air is flowing round the rotating ball in the direction of rotation. Now, if a wind blows against that ball it is easy to see that the little rotating current will be with the wind on one side and against it on the other, so that on one side the velocity of the air will be increased and on the other diminished. So the greater pressure on the slow side will shove the ball against the low pressure on the fast side. Now, throwing a ball in the air is the same as making a wind blow against it, so if a ball be thrown and rotated at the same time it will necessarily curve.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Grammatical Oversight.

A correspondent has complained that in a story the other day we used "scissors" in the singular number. If we did so it was an oversight. But this kick just goes to show another one of the foolishnesses of our beloved tongue. If there were any logic in it a three tined fork is a triplet and should always be called "they." Why isn't a glove plural if a scissors are? If a shears is two, what are a sawbuck?—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Disappointed in Love.

"What's wrong with that melancholy man you were talking to just now?"

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SOME THINGS THAT HELP.

Work Made Easy if Gone About Systematically—Kitchen Closets and Pantry Require First Attention. Sweep Carpets With the Pile.

Begin the work of thoroughly cleaning a room by dusting and rubbing up all the articles of furniture which may easily be removed from the room. Pictures and ornaments should be taken down and dusted and put aside. If the curtains and draperies are not easily removable they should be looped aside or else be covered as well as possible with large squares of muslin, which are kept for this purpose. The heavier pieces of furniture also should be covered.

Where there is no vacuum cleaner the ordinary corn broom will answer very well.

Always sweep with the pile of the carpet, never across or against it. After the room has been thoroughly swept slip a clean flannel cover over the broom and proceed to brush ceiling and walls. The rule is to work from above downward.

After the walls are brushed the wood-work should be gone over with dusters. If there are any finger marks they should be removed first. This may be done very effectively with a cloth dipped in kerosene and then wiped dry. Never use this near fire.

The curtains may be brushed or shaken, and then the windows should be cleaned. Wipe the shades, using a very clean cloth for this work.

The sheets which cover the furniture remaining in the room should now be removed completely and the furniture dusted and rubbed up where necessary. It should not require polishing—that is, if average care is taken of it—oftener than twice during a season. Clean mirrors and the glass doors of book-cases. The chandeliers must not be overlooked. The metal parts may be wiped with a cloth dipped in cottonseed oil and then wiped dry.

The pictures and ornaments may now be replaced, and then turn your attention to the floor. If this requires a thorough polishing, which is hardly likely, wipe over with a cloth dipped in the crude oil and alcohol mixture, taking precautions, of course, not to run any risk from fire, and then follow this up with a clean, dry cloth, rubbing vigorously. A weighted polisher may be used for this work. This may easily be made at home, using a brick or an old station with a flannel covering. Never use water on a hardwood polished floor. The result will be most disastrous to the finish.

Before cleaning a bedroom remove the bedding and if it is possible put it out to air. After straightening closets and drawers cover the large pieces of furniture as was done in the library. Remove the mattress cover and spread a sheet of muslin over the bed. Take up the small rugs. With a light stick or a rattan carpet beater beat the mattress. The sheet which covers it should be moistened to hold down the dust. Both sides must be beaten. If the mattress can be beaten out of doors it should be done.

In the kitchen the closets and pantry will require first attention. The shelves should be thoroughly washed and allowed to dry before the utensils are replaced. This is a good time to take note of the contents of jars and boxes making a list of those supplies which are running low.

The walls around sink and range may require washing, as they are more apt to become soiled than the other parts of the room.

The range should be given a thorough polishing once in two weeks. This will be found quite often enough, provided a little care is taken of it day by day.

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For Hanging Pictures. When a wall is so soft that it will not hold a picture nail mix a little plaster of paris in a taceup, enlarge the hole to a fair size and insert the plaster and, a minute after, the nail and let it dry. The nail will be perfectly secure after it has dried.

Cleaning Windows. If windows are cleaned with vinegar and water they will be brighter and stay clean longer than if cleaned with water alone. Polish in the usual way with soft linen cloth.

THE INTERNATIONAL GAME.

Tennis Is Played Practically All Over the Earth.

If baseball is Uncle Sam's national game and cricket is John Bull's, tennis is certainly the international game. It is played everywhere on the face of the globe, almost from pole to pole and from far east to near west.

The United States and Canada are dotted with tennis clubs from ocean to ocean and honeycombed with courts. Every country in Europe has its host of tennis players, from Russia down to the tip of Italy. Every sport loving foreigner in India is a tennis devotee and many of the natives. At the last tournament in Singapore there were 500 entries, and the standard of play was very high. Tennis is played in the Malay states, in the Straits Settlements, in Siam, in Indo-China, all over Australia, New Zealand and Tasmania, as well as in many of the tiny islands of Polynesia, in the principal cities of China and Japan and their suburbs and in Egypt, under the shadow of the pyramids.

There are plenty of places in the world where an athletic American couldn't get up a nine to play baseball or a patriotic Britisher couldn't find a cricket crease or bat, but if there is another lover of sport within halting distance and the place is at all civilized he can be pretty sure of finding a tennis court and an opponent worthy of his racket. —New York World.

METALS AND MICROBES.

In Some Instances Contact Means Death to the Germs.

Experiment seems to show that there are certain metals which are capable of destroying microbes that come in contact with them.

The microbes experimented with were cultivated for the purpose in jelly spread on a plate, and pieces of metal were dropped upon the jelly while it was still moist.

Any metal that had the property of arresting the development of the microbes destroyed them, not only just under the place where it lay, but for a narrow space around it. The width of this space varied both with the kind of metal and the kind of microbes.

Pure gold, when freshly cleaned and burnished, had no effect upon the microbes. Pure nickel and platinum and a few other metals also failed to affect the organisms. But cadmium, copper, brass, zinc and silver destroyed them, the first named metal especially acting quickly and effectively.

It has been observed that the metals that affected the microbes were those that are readily attacked by chemical reagents, while those that resist such reagents, like gold, had no effect. From this fact it has been concluded that the action upon the organisms is due to a solution of the metals taking place in the jelly.—Barner's Weekly.

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An Insect Injurious to Cattle Raising

Cattle raisers in almost all parts of Canada are familiar with the small lumps that appear on the backs of their animals during the winter months and from which white grubs or maggots emerge at later date. Many theories exist as to the exact life history of the insect, known as the warble fly, of which the white grub is the larva. The opinion generally held that the eggs are laid on the backs of the cattle, and when hatched work their way beneath the skin, is proved by careful investigation to be incorrect. Dr. Seymour Hadwin, 1st Assistant Pathologist of the Health of Animals Branch of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, who has studied the subject, claims that the eggs are not laid on the back but on the legs of the cattle. This appears to bear out the theory that the newly hatched insects are licked by the animals and thus taken into the system and ultimately find their way to the backs where they develop beneath the skin.

The matter of chief importance to the cattle raiser is not the exact course taken by the insect within the body of the cattle beast but rather the economic effect of the grubs upon the business of cattle raising. To throw light on this phase of the subject Dr. Hadwin has written a bulletin, which is numbered 16 of the Health of Animals Branch, dealing with the economic aspect of warble flies. In this it is shown that enormous losses occur each year through damage to hides caused by these insects. Tanners consulted on the subject claim that during the "grubby season" extending from January to July, from 25 to 75 per cent. of hides are warbled and that about 20 per cent. of Canadian hides are more or less damaged. The extent of damage is variously estimated by 16 large tanners to be from about 50 cents to \$1.00 per hide; the estimate of one Ontario tanner was 10 per cent. which is equal to \$180,000 per annum. The author observes that the man who undoubtedly loses is the farmer; the tanner does not want warbled hides at any price and several of them testify that they buy hides only during the season when hides are not grubby. He estimates the annual loss to be between 25 and 30 per cent. This bulletin of twenty pages, which is the first to have been issued on the subject in Canada, is helpfully illustrated. Copies will be mailed in response to applications made for it to Publications Branch of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa.

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R. G. KELLY, M. D.
Watford, Ont.

OFFICE—MAIN STREET, formerly occupied by Dr. McLeay, Residence Front St. East.

THOS. A. BRANDON, M. D.,
WATFORD, ONT.

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OFFICE—Main Street, in office formerly occupied by Dr. Gilbeon.

...CLEARING SALE... OF MILLINERY

On FRIDAY we begin our Semi-Annual Clearing Sale of All Millinery—trimmed and untrimmed hats, flowers, straws, braids, etc., etc.

These half yearly events are looked forward to with great interest by the ladies of this vicinity, as an opportunity to procure the choicest of millinery at money saving prices. This year we are offering greater inducements than ever, having no regard to cost or profits, our only object being to make a complete clearance during the next four weeks.

All \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$6.00 Hats clearing at.....	\$2.98
All \$6.50, \$7.00, \$8.00 and \$9.00 Hats clearing at.....	\$3.95
All \$9.00, \$10.00 and \$12.00 Hats clearing at.....	\$5.95
Children's Hats ranging in prices from 50c to \$2.25.....	At Half Price
All Flowers ranging in prices from 50c to \$3.00.....	At Half Price
All Untrimmed Hats.....	At Half Price

A. BROWN & CO.

Plumbing and Heating

If you are building this year we will be glad to estimate the cost of a bath room for you. Our man has city experience and will guarantee work to pass any inspector.

Bucks Reliance, Pease Economy and Kelsey Furnaces are leaders that require no description. Our prices are low and work guaranteed.

The N. B. Howden Est.

EAVETROUGHING AND REPAIRING ON SHORT NOTICE

"Father grows younger every day." And his new photograph hits him to a "T".

The old portrait taken twenty years ago, made him look so serious and old-fashioned—not a bit like he really is.

We wouldn't part with it of course. But isn't it splendid to have a picture of him as we know him—just as he looks to-day.

And father says that he's glad he gave in and had it made—that having your picture taken is far from an unpleasant experience now-a-days.

MAKE THE APPOINTMENT NOW.

Halesworth's Art Studio.
WATFORD.

MAIL CONTRACT

QUALIFIED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until Noon on Friday, the 25th day of July, 1913, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails on a proposed Contract for four years six times per week over RURAL MAIL ROUTE FROM PEKOLKA (SOUTH WEST) LAMPTON E. R., ONT., from the Postmaster General's Pleasure. Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be obtained at the Postoffice of Petrolia, Ontario, and at the Office of the Post Office Inspector at London.

G. C. ANDERSON, Superintendent.
Post Office Department, Mail Service Branch, Ottawa, May 20th, 1913. J23-31

S. B. HOWDEN

wishes to inform the public that he has RECEIVED THIS WEEK a few lines of :

AMERICAN GOODS and invites you to call and inspect before purchasing elsewhere.

Also a few lines of HARVEST SHOES CHEAPER THAN THE CHEAPEST

TRUNKS, SUIT CASES, TELESCOPES and CLUB BAGS at the lowest prices.

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Breed Your Mares to the Leading

Horse of the Day

JARDINIER

NO. 47,511, IMPORTED.

JARDINIER is pronounced by first-class judges to be the best Percheron horse ever brought to Canada. Color—black, with star on forehead, 17 hands high, weighs 1900 lbs.

ROUTE FOR 1913.

Monday and Tuesday—Roche House, Watford.

Wednesday noon—John McIntosh, Adelaide. Night—Reub. Upton's, London Road, Adelaide.

Thursday noon—James McIntosh, London Road, Watford, till the following Monday.

TERMS—To insure \$13.00; two foals \$25.00; Standing colt \$45, payable Feb. 1st, 1914. Usual conditions.

Hartman & McManus,

Proprietors, Watford.

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CHAMPION WINNERS

The pure-bred hackney stallion

Guelph Performer

NO. 89.

Foaled May 27th, 1899, bred by D. & O. Sorby, Guelph, Ont.

GUELPH PERFORMER, when shown, won 1st Toronto, 1st at London, 1st at the following prizes at the Western Fair, 1912; Class A, Hackneys Registered.

For Stallion, 4 years old and upwards; Stallion, any age, sweepstake; Stallion and three of his get (any age), Sweepstake; also first at Winter Fair, Ottawa, 1913.

His dam also won 1st in harness and Sweepstakes at Toronto, 1st at Berlin, also 1st for brood mare, 1st for hackney, silver medal for best mare registered in the English Hackney Stud Book; 1st and diploma in London; 1st and diploma in Ottawa; 1st for brood mare and sweepstakes in Toronto; 1st and diploma in London; 1st and gold medal in Ottawa.

ROUTE

Monday noon—Roche's Hotel; Thos. Sisson, from 4 to 6 p.m., thence home until Wednesday morning.

Resident Stable at D. A. Graham's, 2nd Line, Plympton, near Wanstead.

TERMS—\$15 to insure a foal. Mares must be returned regularly to the horse or they will be charged for whether in foal or not. Accidents at owner's risk.

Graham, Watson & Son, D.A. Graham Props., St. Thomas. Mgr., Wanstead J6-4

White—Dunlop

A very pretty wedding took place on Thursday, May 29th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Dunlop, Kinglake, when their eldest daughter, Meryl, was united in marriage to Mr. Oliver White, of Mabec. The ceremony took place at 1 o'clock and was performed by the Rev. P. L. Harburn, pastor of the Methodist Church, in the presence of a few near relatives and friends. The bride, who was unattended, wore a cream voile dress with trimmings of lace and carried a bouquet of pink and white carnations. The wedding music was played by Miss Nora Murray. After congratulations were given the company repaired to the dining room to partake of a bounteous repast. The bride was the recipient of a number of beautiful presents. About 3 p. m., amid showers of rice, the happy couple took their leave for London and points West. On their return they will reside at Mabec.

The bride was formerly a resident of the second line, Warwick.

THE SECRET OF GOOD HEALTH

Keep the Blood Rich and Pure With Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

The condition of the blood makes all the difference between health and sickness. Impure blood and strong healthy nerves and muscles never go together. If the blood is thin every part of the body becomes weak. The stomach fails in strength and the appetite becomes poor. The body does not obtain enough nourishment from the food, and soon the nerves begin to complain and the person becomes irritable, despondent, worn out and nervous. For a time there may be no actual sickness, only a run-down, weak condition, but there is no defence against disease and from such a condition springing disorders such as anaemia, rheumatism, indigestion, neuralgia, and even paralysis itself.

People with impure, thin blood should take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Every dose helps to make new, rich blood, and new blood means health and strength. They stop the progress of disease, and red cheeks, good appetite, new strength, declare the general improvement in the health. Here is an example. Miss Ellen Maude McQuodale, Harriston, Ont., says: "I feel it my duty to add my voice to the many now recommending Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. For years I was a sufferer with backaches, rheumatism and nervousness. I was so bad at times that I was confined to my bed. I felt sleepy and heavy after my meals, and flashes of light before my eyes, and a difficulty in collecting my thoughts. After using several remedies without benefit I began using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and used ten or twelve boxes in all. They gave me the best health I have enjoyed for years, and I have not since had the least return of the trouble."

You can get these Pills from any dealer in medicine or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

WARWICK COUNCIL

Warwick, June 9th, 1913.

The council met today as per adjournment. Members all present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Hobbs—Laird, that we go into a court of revision on the assessment roll.—Carried.

An appeal was heard from the People's Telephone Co., when it was moved by Mr. Dann, seconded by Mr. Leach that we adjourn the court of revision till Monday, July 14th.—Carried.

The following accounts were passed:—

Jno. King, removing fence 18 S R \$18 00

Meredith & Fisher, Dillon claim 2500 00

" " costs Dillon suit... 212 50

Reeve, West Williams, Warwick's share witness fees Dillon suit... 65 00

L. Kenzie, timber, gravel for 21 S R bridge... 8 00

F. Kimball, bal. salary as assessor and postage... 11 00

Thos. Sisson, assistance on survey McGill drain... 2 00

H.P. McDougall, assistance survey McGill drain... 6 00

E. Moffat, assist. survey McGill drain... 2 00

G. Prince, work on Cook drain... 25 00

N. Herbert, insur. hall, exp. grader blade... 8 00

Issac Cowan, sheep inspector... 1 00

Chas. Kelly, sheep killed by dogs... 6 00

Jas. Cooper, gravel, pick handles... 4 10

M. Kilmer, statute labor returned undone in 1912... 4 00

A. Les, gravels furnished in 1913 15 00

Walter Annett, for portion land on lot 22... 25 00

Frank Ward, rep. bridge 21 S R 15 00

D. Skillen, right of way gravel pit... 5 00

The following resolutions were passed:—

Leach—Hobbs, that we authorize the clerk to prepare a by-law to enable the trustees of S.S. No. 11 to raise \$2500.00 for new school house.—Carried.

Dann—Hobbs, that we authorize the clerk to prepare a by-law for the McGill drain for the next meeting of the council (the report having been read).—Carried.

Leach—Hobbs, that the Reeve and Treasurer issue debentures for the Cook local drain.—Carried.

Laird—Leach, that we now adjourn to meet on Monday, July 14th, at one o'clock as a court of revision on the assessment roll and for general business.—Carried.

N. HERBERT, Clerk.

Lucas—Cutler

A very pretty home wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. McEachern on the Tenth concession, Brooke, on Wednesday, June 11th, 1913, when their daughter, Flossie Cutler, became the bride of Mr. Frank Lucas, a talented young farmer of North Brooke. The bride was beautifully gowned in white embroidered voile over satin with trimming of shadow lace and rhinestones, and carried a bouquet of bride's roses. The marriage ceremony was read by Rev. N. A. Campbell, pastor of St. Andrew's, in the presence of the immediate relatives of the bride and groom. A dainty wedding dinner was served, the dining-room being tastefully decorated in pink and white. The bride's

going away gown was a most charming brown Balkan suit with Tuscan hat to match. The young couple left in the evening for a trip to points in Michigan and on their return will settle in their home on the Twelfth concession Brooke. Many beautiful and costly presents testified to the esteem in which Mr. and Mrs. Lucas are held, among them being gold pieces, a cheque and dainty silverware. Guests were present from Port Huron, Watford, Napier, Inwood and Michigan. Mr. and Mrs. Lucas are extended best wishes by their many friends.

Death of Neil McLachlan

After a lingering illness of two years, Neil McLachlan, an esteemed resident of Moss township, passed away on Tuesday, June 3rd, aged 38 years.

Besides his wife and two little daughters he leaves to mourn his loss, his father, Hugh McLachlan, of Moss, and three sisters and five brothers—Mrs. Dan McDougald, of Alvinston; Mrs. Neil McKellar, of Kilmartin; Miss Julia at home; Hugh, Archie, Duncan and Dan, of Moss; and Dougald, of Brooke.

The funeral was held from his late residence, lot 1, con. 8, Moss, Thursday afternoon. Service was held at Burn's church, Moss, and interment at Kilmartin cemetery.

Dispute Over Insurance

Mrs. Elizabeth Brown, widow of Wm. Brown, of Petrolia, Ont., and his divorced wife both claim the insurance money occasioned by his death. When he was first married he insured himself for \$2000 with the Knights of the Maccabees of the World making his wife, Mrs. City Brown, the beneficiary. Later Mrs. Brown divorced him and he married Elizabeth Brown. Mrs. City Brown then re-opened the case in court so as to obtain more alimony, but nothing had been done when Brown died.

At the present time both of the wives are claiming the insurance, and the insurance order has appealed to the circuit court to determine who is entitled to the money, and to have them restrained from bringing suit. Judge Murphy issued a temporary restraining order.—Detroit News.

Mr. Fred Emmons, of Strathroy, received damages to the extent of \$525 from the Dymond Colonial Company of Strathroy, without costs, at the sitting of the county court before Judge Talbot-Macbeth. The plaintiff brought forward evidence to show that while employed in the defendants' factory a drill used in dovetailing boards for drawers, was driven through his hand. He claimed that the pulleys by which the drill was driven had become so defective that the machinery would often start suddenly in motion. At the time of the accident he had stopped the machine to tighten the drill.

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SEE OUR SAMPLES BEFORE MAKING YOUR SELECTION

Many of our patterns which are getting low are reduced in price to clear out in short order.

If it's not convenient for you to come down phone or send for one of our sample books.

J. W. McLAREN
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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

THE GUIDE-ADVOCATE WOULD BE GLAD TO RECEIVE FROM YOU THE NAME OF ANY PERSON WHOSE NAME IS IN THE LOCAL HAPPENINGS COLUMN.

SARNIA'S civic holiday.

DUST, sun and rain costs—THE Oil Springs newspaper closed for sale.

No Wednesday half holiday Stores open all day.

THE brick work of the new library was finished on Tues.

WHEN you need talcum "Nyal's Red Rose" at 25c.

THE Port Huron Banner will be held at the Driving Park on July 8, 9, 10 and 11.

CHILDREN'S dress and doz. more to clear at 25c.—A Co.

SVLVIA PANKHURST will be history as the person who was her mouth while in jail at about it while at large.

OXFORDS for summer wear women's and children's, thing at a right price. See o—P. DODDS & SON.

FANCY dress silks in shades and Helio, clearing at 32 cent.

THE Provincial Department has decreed that a uniform \$1800 shall be paid to the principal schools throughout Ont.

THE Children's Aid Society adopted two fine bright 16 months old and one 4 years of to the agent, JOHN WILKIN, Hall, Sarnia.

THE middle and upper set are in progress at the High School, with 17 candidates written former and 12 for the latter. Clyde, Petrolia, and Mr. W. Neil are the presiding examiners.

DON'T be a knocker. Hide hammer. What is to hinder speaking well on such occasions? It is just as easy to visitors that our town is compared good people as inhabit the earth will break none of the ten commandments in saying this.

ALL the new shapes in Dominion Day.—SWIFTS.

A RECENT change in the Courts Act provides that in where fees and emoluments \$500, the municipal trustees, after every sitting of the Division both Clerk and Bailiff, and in this, the county must not out their books as heretofore, but the necessary forms required.

SAMMY was not prone to over in the class room; therefore he was both surprised and delight he came home one noon with announcement: "I got one hundred knock-down to John Dol Corestone bought the barn and R. Auld the stable. They moved shortly to make room for postoffice.

BOYS who smoke cigarettes worry apples. They drop them the harvest time. They are failures in after life because they have after life. The boy who smokes before his fifteenth year reaches the life of the world. Whether boys are taking hold of the work he is concerned with the and the undertaker.

SHORT ends of curtain material clear this week at bargain.—SWIFTS.

MR. CORK, the Ontario Gov Inspector of Mutual Insurance (ies, was in town last Friday in the books of the Hamilton Mutual Fire Insurance Co. M called at the Guide-Advocate of informed us that he found the I Company in a very prosperous at the books of the Secretary, Mr. Willoughby, exceedingly neat, and satisfactory in every way.

GREAT display of Dominion Day in our gents' furnishing department.

SOME towns have contraband smoking habit to such extent drawbacks of the locality are as attractions. For instance, Leamington Post speaks of its in crease but only the finest harvest in several years, and the heriburg Echo boasts that its made dandelion wine is "second the product of the grape on Pelee on the grape.

TABLE cloth seconds almost per sizes 2 by 24, 2 by 24, 2 by 3. This is your way.—SWIFTS.