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LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

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

WHEAT is up to 88c.

POTATOES are scarce.

ONE mouth of 1912 gone.

WE are opening new goods.—SWIFT'S.

THE good sleighing has made business brisk.

LENT begins with Ash Wednesday on Feb. 21, and ends on Easter Sunday, April 7th.

A GIRL always thinks a headache is a more dignified excuse for non-appearance than a cold sore.

SUNRISE flour, give it a trial next time.

RALPH E. BINGHAM CONCERT, Saturday evening, Feb. 3rd, in the Lyceum, 50 and 35 cents.

THE February meeting of the Daughters of the Empire has been postponed for a week.

THE Bell Telephone Co. is making extensive improvements in the local central office and the wiring in this vicinity.

COMMENCING Feb. 1st, C. B. Matthews & Son's price for chopping and oat rolling will be five cents per cwt. See their change of ad. next week.

BIG TABLE of remnants half-price.—SWIFT'S.

It is said that the improvement to the Grigg House, London, will include a two-storey addition to the building, at a cost of about \$25,000.

A SESSION of the Sunday School Institute is being held in the Methodist church this (Thursday) afternoon and evening. You are invited.

RALPH E. BINGHAM delights his audience. He sings, plays and talks. You'll miss a treat if you miss Bingham.

THE first convention of the Boy Scouts of the Province will be held in Toronto, Feb. 23rd and 24th. Reduced fair on the railroads. Every officer should attend.

THE County Council last week appointed S. W. Louks, Dr. Jas. Newell and E. D. Swift as their high school representatives on the Board of Education here.

A DOMINION Temperance Congress will be held in conjunction with the Ontario Provincial Convention in Toronto on Tuesday, Feb. 13th to Friday, 16th inst.

WE have a twenty-five cent table with wonders on it.—SWIFT'S RUMMAGE SALE.

THE Andrews Wire Works people are shipping a lot of their wire goods specialties these days. They are consigned to all parts of the country from Vancouver to St. Johns.

W. T. COLWELL, of Centralia shipped from here this week 2 cars of hay to London, 2 cars to Merlin and one to Ruthven. Most of this was purchased from E. Auld, Main Road.

THE Watford Board of Health for 1912 is as follows:—Chairman, W. E. Fitzgerald; Secretary, W. S. Fuller; other members, Jacob D. Brown, John Wiley and J. S. Williams; medical health officer, Dr. R. G. C. Kelly.

WHY buy expensive, imported flours? Try SUNRISE high patent, made from No. 1 Manitoba wheat. 2-2t

Wife (complainingly)—"You're not like Mr. Knagg. They've been married twenty years and Mrs. Knagg says her husband is so tender." Husband—"Tender! Well, he ought to be, after being in hot water that long."

THE third annual bonspiel of the Petrosia Curling Club commences in that town on Wednesday next. There are three events on the program:—The Bank of Toronto trophy match, the Ferguson cup match and Dr. Fairbank's prizes.

THE Children's Aid Society wish to acknowledge the following sums for their work:—Watford, \$10; Petrosia, \$10; Arkona, \$5; Warwick, \$5; Brooke, \$5; Euniskillen, \$5; Dawn, \$5; Plympton \$5; Theford, \$5; Geo. S. Samis, \$5; Mrs. F. W. Kittermaster, \$25.

RUMMAGE SALE of after effects of stock-taking, five, ten and fifteen cents Goods ready Friday.—SWIFT'S.

THE holidays in sight during 1912 are as follows:—Good Friday, April the 5th; King's birthday, Monday, June 3rd; Dominion Day, Monday, July 1st; Labor Day, Monday, Sept. 7th; Christmas Day, Wednesday, December 25th. In addition to these there will be Thanksgiving Day.

MR. JOHN LIVINGSTONE received a telegram Wednesday announcing the death of Frances, the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Livingstone, of Dundurn, Sask. The little girl passed away on Monday, Jan. 29th in the Saskatoon Hospital. She was about three years old.

Did you ever think what a clergyman could do without the aid of his people? He is only one man and the onus of the work of any church or parish lies primarily with the people. You talk about a church getting on. You mean, that its people are taking an interest in parochial affairs and are not beset with the little demon of fault finding.

ASK C. B. Matthews & Son for SUNRISE flour. Best on the market. 2-2t

THIS is the day the bear comes out.

TOWN Council meets next Monday night.

MAKE your wants known through the Guide-Advocate Want Column.

THE ice harvest is drawing to a close. There'll be no shortage next summer.

C. B. MATTHEWS & SON shipped a carload of their celebrated Sunrise flower to London this week.

A RINK of curlers, skipped by P. E. Fuller, will go to Petrosia Tuesday to take part in the big bonspiel.

A MEAL of "potatoes and point" costs almost as much these days as a three course dinner did fifty years ago.

THE comic valentine is to the front. The leap year variety does not seem much of an improvement on the ordinary one.

DON'T forget about the closing of the stores on Saturday evening, at 8 p.m., on account of the Ralph E. Bingham Concert.

MR. JOHN FARRELL leaves shortly for England where he will spend four months as special emigration agent for the Ontario Government.

AFTER a girl sits up with her young man, she has a way of yawning next day that gives her away; it is different from a dancing party yawn.

In the C. B. Matthews & Son guessing contest the correct number of coins was 521. Dan Kelly 525, F. Logan 515, Dan Kelly got the sack of flour.

THE Canadian Order of Foresters, with its present death rate, could pay all death claims maturing during the next seven years without collecting a single dollar from its members.

AN act to provide for the inspection of barber shops and the issuance of licenses to barbers will be introduced in the legislature at the coming session.

SPECIAL display of new tweeds for early spring suits. See window.—SWIFT'S.

FOR a time Monday people walked across the river from Sarnia to Port Huron. Later in the day a tug broke the ice on the Port Huron side.

DIVISIONAL orders by Col. W. E. Hodgins contain the following announcement:—"27th Lambton Regt.—Capt. T. W. Nisbet is allowed to retire, retaining rank; November 22, 1911."

THERE will be morning as well as evening service in Trinity church next Sunday. The morning sermon will be specially for young people. Holy communion will be administered.

THERE will be a meeting of the County Orange Lodge of East Lambton in the Orange Hall, Watford, on Tuesday next, Feb. 6th, at one o'clock. A good attendance requested.

Now that the O.H.A. games are over there will likely be a boom in curling. Let the local "stone pushers" get to work and put on as many games as possible while the ice lasts.

F. D. BROOKS, formerly of Strathroy, manager of the Toronto agency of the Carling Brewing and Malting Co., of London, has resigned, and his fellow-employees took the occasion for showing the esteem and appreciation in which he is held by presenting him with a beautiful oak cabinet, suitably inscribed.

THE Junior Hockey Club will give an informal party in the Lyceum this (Friday) evening to which a large number of invitations have been issued. All the latest fashionable dances are on the program, including the Connaught lancers, the turkey trot, and the Princess Pat varsovienne.

MR. S. STAPLEFORD leaves for Ottawa on Tuesday as the town's representative to the Good Roads convention. While in Ottawa Mr. Stapleford will interview members of the Government regarding the prospect of getting a combined armory, post office and customs building for the town.

THE ferry service between Sarnia and Port Huron has been entirely discontinued by the Port Huron and Sarnia Ferry Company, since the accident to the Steamship Conger, much to the inconvenience of the public and despite the fact that there is a passageway across the river clear of ice.

WE have received a sample of the Nero apple from Harrison's Nurseries, Berlin, Md., U.S. It is a fine specimen in color, texture and taste. This Nursery has over 2000 acres in fruit trees and plants and the proprietors claim that these apples sell in the big cities at 10 cents to 25 cents each and they can be raised in this section from trees supplied by them. Write the Nurseries for particulars if you are interested.

THE report of averages for the first series of examinations at the High School for the current school year appears in to-day's issue. In Form I Gerie Harrower leads with an average of 88 per cent, being first in six out of fourteen subjects. In Form II, Harold Hanna is at the top, averaging also 88 per cent. He is first in four subjects out of thirteen. Meryol Logan, who is next in this form with an average of 87 per cent., leads in five subjects; so there is evidently a close contest in Form II. In Form III, Leila Fuller has the remarkable average of 98 per cent., a wonderful standing when we consider what pupils in this form require to know. Miss Fuller leads in five out of nine subjects. We congratulate these young people on the success that has attended their scholastic efforts thus far, and hope that it may long continue.

DON'T miss the rummage sale.—SWIFT'S.

LEAMINGTON POST-NEWS:—"The Watford Guide-Advocate was 37 years old last Friday. It is one of our brightest exchanges, and we congratulate the editor on making it such a newswy paper."

THE public are warned against bogus \$2 American silver certificates now in circulation on this side. The bill is made from a wood cut and is dark in color and should not pass readily. Careless handlers of money will be readily deceived, as the bill has an old worn appearance that is very deceptive.

THE County Council last week by a large majority decided not to build a Home for Incurables for this county near the House of Refuge and also refused to make a grant of \$5000 asked for by the Lambton Publicity Association to assist laborers to be brought from the Old Country to Lambton County. The latter is much to be regretted as the money would have been well expended.

IT is not expected that the Dominion Government will give any direct aid to villages and towns in its movement for good roads. What is required is good roads leading to the towns and if that is secured it will materially help all hustling places. The idea of a through auto road should receive no encouragement as it would not help the farmers one iota.

DIED in Watford, on Monday, Jan. 29th, 1912, at the home of Mrs. Geo. Mitchell, the infant daughter of Uria and Edith Williamson, of Toronto, aged 5 months and 17 days. Interment took place in St. John's cemetery, Toronto. Mr. Williamson is in Northern Ontario at present. Many friends extend to the parents their deepest sympathy in their sad bereavement.

A LARGE number of ladies attended the post-nuptial reception held by Mrs. Frank K. Matthews (nee Miss Olive Reade Davis, of Mitchell) on Friday afternoon last. Mrs. Matthews received her callers in her bridal gown of white liberty satin with pearl ornaments, and was assisted by Mrs. Peter J. Dodds, of Watford, and her sister, Miss Davis, of Mitchell. The floral decorations were pink carnations and smilax. Mrs. C. B. Matthews presided in the tea room assisted by Miss Bernice Dodds and Miss Vera Swift. The many callers wished the bride every happiness.

THE annual meeting of the Lambton Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co. was held here on Thursday last, the president, Mr. John Kingston, in the chair. The annual report was presented. It shows that the Company has had a very prosperous year in 1911, and commences the year 1912 with assets of over \$100,000, of which \$22,400.00 is cash in bank. Thos. Lithgow takes the place of Donald Sutherland on the Board of Directors and P. J. McEwen succeeds D. S. Robertson as auditor. The company is to be congratulated on its phenomenal success which shows what careful and shrewd management will do for a Mutual Company.

A CIRCULAR recently issued by the Department of Education gives the following dates for examination next summer:—For Senior High School Entrance, Senior Public School graduation and Entrance to model schools begins June 10th; for Lower School Entrance to Normal and Faculty of Education, begins June 11th; for Upper School Entrance to Faculty, begins June 12th; for Matriculation, begins June 13th; for Junior High School Entrance, begins June 19th; for Middle School Entrance to Normal begins June 24th; for Junior Public School Graduation, begins June 17th. Notice to write on Junior Public School Graduation and Junior High School Entrance must be filed with Inspector by the 19th of April; for High School Entrance, Senior Public School graduation and School Entrance, Lower School Entrance to Normal and the Faculty by April 30th, and for Middle School Entrance to Normal, Upper School Entrance to Faculty and Pass and Honor Matriculation by May 14th.

CURLING.

Two rinks of Petrosia curlers were here on Tuesday afternoon and a pleasant time was spent on the ice. The local rink skipped by P. E. Fuller made a good record, beating their opponents by points. The other local rink, skipped by J. Livingstone was not so successful, but managed to tie their opponents.

Watford. Petrosia.
J. H. Hume Pat Riley
J. McKercher T. Johnston
S. Stapleford J. McKenzie
F. Livingstone F. McDonald, skip.
F. Luchham skip.
Dr. Brandon J. Hall
J. Johnston J. Falkner
P. E. Fuller skip.
W. Dunlop skip.

From Old Subscribers.

Mrs. H. S. Prentis, Sarnia:—Enclosed find \$1.00 for the Guide-Advocate. We are always pleased to get the home paper.

J. W. Rogers, Bay City, Mich.:—Enclosed you will please find two dollars for subscription for your paper. We are always pleased to hear from the old home town and there is no better way to keep in touch with old friends and associations than a weekly visit from the Guide-Advocate.

NEW CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OPENED.

On April 4th, 1911, the Watford Congregational Church was reduced to ashes. On Sunday last, less than ten months afterwards, the new edifice was opened for service. The Congregationalists are not numerically strong in Watford and when the fire occurred doubt was expressed that they would rebuild, but the members went to work with a will and with commendable pluck, under the guidance of their energetic pastor, Rev. R. Stevenson, soon had a new building assured. The three opening services were well attended, the evening congregation being estimated at over 300. At the morning service the Rev. W. T. Gunn, M.A., of Toronto, preached an interesting discourse from Eph. 1, 22-23, and in the afternoon the pastor gave an excellent sermon, looking for his text I. Cor. 2, 2. Special music at these services was rendered by the choir assisted by a couple of members of other local choirs, and showed careful practice of the various anthems and solos. At the evening service the Rev. W. T. Gunn was again the preacher and the Zion church choir furnished the music, which was above the average church music heard here. The total collection at the three services amounted to \$75.00. The new building is a reproduction of the old one with some minor improvements. The interior presents a cozy and attractive appearance, having white walls and a brown fibre ceiling. The pulpit dais and choir alcove are raised and carpeted and on the aisles rubber matting is laid. The basement is fitted up for a school room. The total cost of the building and furnishings is \$3,200, nearly all of which has been raised by the congregation under their handsome building practically free of debt. The contractor was T. McCullough, Wm. Marwick did the brick and cement work, Hughes and Thorne the painting, D. Hamilton the plastering, and the furnace was put in by T. Dodds. The seats were made by Sedwick Bros. The building is a credit to the contractors and the congregation. On Monday evening a tea-meeting was held in the basement and was well patronized, and the excellent array of edibles furnished by the ladies was done full justice to by those who were present. Adjournment being made to the church Rev. Mr. Claris, of London, took the chair and introduced the program, which was lengthy, varied and exceedingly interesting and entertaining. Rev. M. Kelly, of Brantford, Rev. Watt, of Guelph, Rev. W. T. Gunn, of Toronto, the local minister, R. I. McCormick, M.P.F., supplied the oratorical part, and Mrs. McQueen, Petrosia, the Misses Richardson, Warwick, Rev. and Mrs. Mead, Miss Agnes Williams, Mr. F. Luchman, Watford, and the church choir gave a varied and plentiful supply of vocal and instrumental music. The proceeds of the tea-meeting were \$137.60.

PERSONAL.

D. G. Parker attend d the poultry show in Sarnia last week.

Miss Anna Carter, Petrosia, spent Sunday at Mr. T. Dodds'.

The Misses Kennedy, Port Perry, are the guests of Mrs. T. Dodds.

Mrs. Margaret Harrower, Sarnia, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. S. Kerfoot, here.

Mrs. (Rev.) C. M. Wyce, Merriton, is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. Bambridge.

Mrs. Robert Higgins spent last week at her daughter's, Mrs. Dobbin, Front street.

Mrs. David Gilliland and son, from Sask., spent a few days with John Dobbin, Front street.

Mrs. E. Dowding and son are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. Forbes, Kertch.

Miss S. C. McKenzie spent Sunday and Monday with friends and relatives in London, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes. Willoughby and family, Adelaide, spent Sunday with relatives in Watford.

Mr. A. R. Brown returned to Crystal City, Sask., on Wednesday after a few weeks' visit at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Thomas, Inwood, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McLeay over Sunday.

Mr. Ashel Bryson returned home last Saturday accompanied by his cousin, Miss Bryson, of Plympton.

William Saddler, of Saskatoon, and his brother, John Saddler, of Theford, called on Mr. R. Kel last week.

Conductor Moore, wife and son, of Sarnia, spent a few days this week with relatives in Watford and vicinity.

Mr. Geo. M. Baird, Regina, who is visiting relatives in Blenheim, spent Sunday with Mr. Albert Cook here.

Mrs. T. Hillyard Willoughby and daughter Ethyle are visiting Mrs. A. E. Chambers, Sarnia, this week.

Misses Lillian and Bessie McKay, of Petrosia, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hillyard Willoughby over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Len McWatters and family returned on Wednesday to their home in Yale, Mich., having spent the week end in London and Watford.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Laird returned to Petrosia last week after an extended absence in Sumatra where Mr. Laird was engaged in some extensive drilling operations. He left Petrosia six years ago.

HOCKEY.

Strathroy 11, Sarnia 1.

The group 10 Intermediate O. H. A. game between Strathroy and Sarnia played in Strathroy Friday night resulted as above. The half-time score was 3-1 in Strathroy's favor. The special train from the county town was patronized by about 200 people. This win makes Strathroy winners of group 10. S. Rankin refereed the game. The Sarnia club has since protested the game on the grounds that the rink was not properly boarded and that the ice was built up at the sides.

Later—Word has since been received that the officials have thrown out the protest and Strathroy has been ordered to play St. Marys, champions of group 7, this (Friday) evening.

Strathroy 6, Watford 4.

The final game in group 10, O. H. A. intermediate, was played on the local rink on Tuesday night between Strathroy and Watford. There was a large crowd present and the game was one of the best ever played on local ice, but the visitors managed to defeat the local team by two goals. There were some brilliant plays on both sides, and although the game got a little rough at times few penalties were given. At half time the score stood 3-2 in favor of Strathroy. In the last half both teams started with a rush, but with a tendency to roughness. For several minutes in this period the score stood four all, during which time Watford lost several shots which looked like sure goals. Just before full time Strathroy scored two goals, making the final 6-4 in favor of Strathroy.

The line up:—

Strathroy	Watford
McCullough.....goal	Brown
Urquhart.....point	Elliot
McCoy.....cover	Rogers
Wilson.....rover	Thorne
McCandless.....centre	Stapleford
Avery.....left	L. Dodds
Hubbeck.....right	Thompson
Referee—S. Rankin.	

CHOP STUFF.

Amherstburg has a Mutt and Jeff club. Amherstburg will banish slot machines from the town.

Middlesex county councillors have raised their pay to \$4 a day.

John Bogue, one of the pioneers of Westminister, died last week aged 85.

Glencoe will have a band this year under the leadership of Thos. Walker.

Glencoe fair board will get up a celebration for the King's birthday, June 3rd.

W. T. Blashill, of Springfield, will open a general store in Alvington next month.

The people of Florence are trying to influence the M.C.R. to extend their line to that town.

Richard Pincombe, a resident of Strathroy for fifty-two years, died last week aged 77 years.

McDonald's livery, Glencoe, has changed hands. Wm. Tomlinson, of McCready's, is the new proprietor.

Miss Charlotte Pearl Evans, eldest daughter of Samuel Evans, of Forest, was married on Christmas Day, at Rosetown, Sask., to Wesley D. Evans, of Rosetown.

Earnie Faulds, 2nd con. Bosanquet, had one of his arms broken on Saturday last, while hauling logs. His mother, Mrs. W. B. Faulds, Forest, has been with him since the accident.

James Mitchell, of Zone, had his left leg broken in two places. He was moving a building and while driving a team of horses fell and was crushed under the building.

Mr. G. S. Pitkin has been re-appointed to succeed himself by the London and Western Trusts Company, executors of the estate of the late Mrs. Englehart, as their representative on the Board of Governors of the Charlotte Eleanor Englehart Hospital. The appointment is a popular one in Petrosia.

Early Tuesday morning, sometime before four o'clock, the large barn and frame stable on the farm of Dan Gray, between the 7th and 8th concessions, Harwick, were burned to the ground. Nine head of cattle were burned to death, and a quantity of tobacco, hay and farm implements destroyed.

There died in Munsing, Mich., on Tuesday, Jan. 23rd, at the home of her son, Thos. Lennox, Mrs. Thos. Lennox, in her 75th year. The remains were taken to Theford for interment at the family burial ground on Thursday, Jan. 25th. Deceased was a sister of Mrs. R. G. McArthur and John Dalziel, county clerk of Lambton. Her husband was a well-known merchant of Theford.

Dr. James, who has been a prisoner on the island for nearly three weeks, arrived home at noon on Friday last, making the trip across on a bobbed-up with two of the islanders. The doctor reports the passage as being a rough one, huge piles of ice from 30 to 40 feet in height barring the way in many places. The trip was attempted earlier in the week by iceboat, but after journeying eight or ten miles, was given up. The party had to go as far west as Kingsville to get around the ice piles in order to reach Leamington.—Leamington Post.

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Genius, Fame, Poverty.

Charles Dickens made \$200,000 on one lecturing tour; but his descendants, it is said, are now in want. His eldest son, Alfred Tenyson, whose sudden death was recently recorded, had been travelling through the States delivering lectures in an endeavor to keep the family pot boiling. Tragic incidents of this kind are of daily occurrence, and yet they make as little impression upon us as the rain on the duck's back. One of our newspapers in commenting on the pathetic facts asked the significant question: "What is to become of us when we are old?" There is but one answer: A man must save in his youth if he will have a "nest egg" in the days when his looks are hoary and his earning powers have departed. But that is not all. He must adopt a system of saving which will not fail him in the hour of trial. This system has been provided under the Canadian Government Annuities Act, in regard to which you may obtain literature of your Postmaster, or on application to the Superintendent of Annuities, Ottawa.

Every Woman
is interested and should know about the wonderful **MARVEL Whirling Spray** The new Vaginal Syringe. Best—Most convenient. It cleans naturally. Ask your druggist for it.

If the cannot apply the MARVEL spray to others, but send stamp for illustrated book—sent. It gives full particulars and directions valuable to ladies.

WINDSOR SUPPLY CO.,
Windsor, Ont. General Agents for Canada.

Canadian Pulpwood in the United States.

In a pulpwood Forest-Press Bulletin shortly to be published by the Dominion Forestry Branch, statistics are given to the amount of pulpwood exported from Canada into the United States during 1910. Nine hundred and forty-three thousand cords of pulpwood (sixty per cent of the total Canadian pulp-log cut) worth six million, two hundred and ten thousand dollars, were shipped across the border in a raw state, without undergoing any form of manufacture. This pulpwood export was cut from the various provinces in the followings amounts and values: 779 cords worth \$5,090,000 from the timber limits of Quebec; 90,000 cords worth \$647,000 from New Brunswick, and 74,000 cords worth \$473,000 from Ontario. It is interesting to note to what extent provincial industry would have been increased if the pulpwood exported to the United States had been converted into pulpwood on Canadian soil. The seven hundred and seventy-nine thousand cords exported from Quebec would have supplied material for a year to fifty-six pulpmills of the average size operating in Quebec. In Ontario, five mills of the average size could have been kept running with the pulp logs exported from this province. The ninety thousand cords shipped from the ports of New Brunswick would have produced the most startling results if the amount had been domestically manufactured into pulp. The amount exported was sufficient to supply with wood twenty-four mills of the average size, with the result that five times the number of mills operating would have been at work if Canadians in New Brunswick had been far-seeing enough to manufacture their own raw products.

NOTE AND COMMENT.

Andrew Carnegie is having difficulty in collecting \$28.70, due him as witness fees. Everybody will sympathize with the poor multi-millionaire in his financial difficulties.

"The Detroit," the fast train running between Detroit and New York on the Michigan Central, beat all records for speed recently. It made the run from St. Thomas to Welland, a distance of 100 miles, in 79 minutes, breaking the last fast clip by six minutes.

The Sabbath is a day of rest, and one of the most interesting sights on a Sabbath is to watch the loafers, who haven't done an hour's work all the week, in their efforts to keep the day holy by abstaining from "all manual labor."

The other day we heard a man remark that he could not understand why his boy and other boys, could not apply the stormy weather, bad roads excuse for not attending church to twenty-five mile expeditions to dances and other festivities.

The astonishing growth and prosperity of the Dominion is indicated by the receipts of the Government through the Customs and Inland Revenue Departments. The aggregate Customs dues collected for the first eight months of the current fiscal year amount to \$56,336,789.63. The estimated Customs revenue for the fiscal year ending March 31st next, is \$85,000,000, a gain of \$13,000,000 over the returns of the last fiscal year. The inland revenue receipts for the first eight months ending December 31st, will amount to \$14,547,523, as against \$12,383,118 for the corresponding eight months of the past year. The revenue collected by this department for the fiscal year ending March 31st 1912, will considerably exceed \$19,000,000 as against \$17,225,000 for the year previous.

When a girl begins to boss a fellow around it's a pretty good sign she has made up her mind to marry him.

East Middlesex Conservatives have entered a protest against the election of Mr. Robert Sutherland, M.P.P.

"Archimedes," read the pupil, "leaped from his bath, shouting Eureka! Eureka!"

"One moment, James," says the teacher. "What is the meaning of 'Eureka'?" "Eureka means 'I have found it.'"

"Very well. What had Archimedes found?" James hesitated a moment, then ventured, hopefully: "The soap, mum."—Exchange.

BANK OF ENGLAND NOTES.

Always Fresh and Clean, as They Are Issued Only Once.

There is as great a difference between the systems of issuing and redeeming the notes of the Bank of England and of the banks of the United States as there is in the appearance of the notes themselves.

The English note is somewhat longer and much broader than ours, is of rough white paper, with ragged edges, and is printed on one side only, with a few words and with no pictures or designs, while ours are completely covered on both sides with vignette and lathe work.

Our notes are issued again and again until they become so worn that they are no longer serviceable. A Bank of England note is never issued more than once. Every note that comes in is canceled at once, and then it is stored away with other canceled notes to be preserved for a certain period, when it is destroyed by burning.

It takes many clerks to keep the record of notes issued and paid, and so accurately is this work done that the date when any note was issued, the person receiving it, the time when it was paid into the bank and by whom, can be ascertained from the books. If the time was within five years the note itself can be produced.

Many are the stories of attempts to counterfeit these notes, which have always been failures. As the average time between the issue and the payment of the notes is only five or six days the fact that a counterfeit is in circulation is known almost at once, and the system of English bankers and merchants of keeping the numbers of the notes received and paid gives the clew whereby the offender is quickly apprehended.—Exchange.

A TIP ON CHECKS.

Advice by a Woman Who Always Fills Out the Stub First.

The west side woman was paying with a check for some articles she had bought at a department store, and she was carefully filling in the stub of her check book first. "Oh, don't stop for that," urged her shopping companion, who was in a hurry. "You can do that when you get home."

Unmoved, the west side woman finished the stub with special care, then wrote the check, gave it to the salesman and said to her impatient friend: "Before I was married I took care of some of my father's accounts. The first time he ever asked me to fill out a set of blank checks for him so he could sign them he told me: 'One rule you must always observe—write the stub first. Make a vow to yourself, like unto the vow of Jephthah, that you will never write a check until the stub is filled. If for any reason you should fail later to write the check it would be a simple matter to cancel the stub, but if you write a check and leave the stub blank you open the door to a hundred chances of mistake. No one's memory can be trusted on that subject. Never try to trust yours. Let the law of 'the stub first' be to you as the law of the Medes and the Persians.' I have always found it perfectly easy to follow that rule, and that is one reason I have a bank account today. My husband is never afraid I will make him any trouble with it."—New York Press.

A Safe Proceeding.

Lord Lyons, English minister at Washington during the war between the states and afterward ambassador to France, was a diplomatist to the core. He was exceedingly tactful in action and had the rare art of keeping his own counsel. When Sir Edward Blount called upon him one day at the embassy in Paris he found that a well known journalist had preceded him. The visitor was laying down the law in a loud tone, and when, after his departure, Sir Edward was received he took the liberty of saying: "May I be allowed to ask if it is quite wise to discuss state secrets in such a loud tone? I heard every word that was said, my lord, as I sat in the anteroom."

"Ah!" said Lord Lyons. "But even then you could not hear what I said, for I said nothing."

Ancient Stone Workers.

Egyptian stone workers 4,000 years ago had a surprising knowledge of what are considered modern tools. These pyramid builders operated with solid and tubular drills and straight and circular saws. In handling the tubular drills, which were of superior quality, the skill of the artisan was so remarkable that the cutting marks in granite show no indication of wear of the tool, while a cut of a tenth of an inch was made in the hardest rock at each revolution. A hole through both hard and soft material was bored perfectly smooth and uniform.

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People do not seem to realize the danger in handling gasoline, as is evidenced by the loss of life and property each year and the serious burns to many who do not lose their lives. The instance is recorded of a Chicago woman, who, wishing to have a quick fire, poured gasoline on the fuel in the stove. Like a flash the gasoline in the can exploded and she was fatally burned. She evidently did not know that gasoline has to be handled more carefully than gunpowder, and that an unseen train of gasoline might lead from the match to the comparatively distant can.

Another case reported is that of a woman who poured a quart of gasoline in a marble basin in the toilet room and placed a silk waist in it. She closed the door and after ten minutes' absence returned and rubbed the silk between her hands. This generated sufficient electricity to make a spark, causing the gasoline to explode. The house was burned and the woman lost her life.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, LUCAS COUNTY. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

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A Misunderstanding.

Horatio P. Connors, the well-known Duluth inventor, was discussing with an amateur his latest invention—a glider. "No, no," he said, a little impatiently; "you misunderstand me. You fail to grasp my meaning. You have no knowledge, you see, of the technical terms of aeronautics."

Then with a laugh, the inventor added: "In fact, you misunderstand me as completely as the young lady passenger on a sailing ship who, lying in her bunk early one morning, misunderstood the

mate's shout:

"Hoist the top sheet and spanker!"

Too Much Imagination.

H. K. Adair, the detective, was talking in Chicago about one of the famous sleuths of fiction. "He's too imaginative, that chap," said Mr. Adair, with a smile. "He's like the Tribune compositor. "Horace Greeley, you know, left a big sheet of copy paper on his desk one summer day, and a fly, after a swim in the ink well took a stroll over it. "An editor noticed the paper lined and smudged and criss-crossed by the fly, and he sent it upstairs. They put it in a veteran compositor's hands. And the veteran, without any difficulty whatever, got a half-column editorial out of it."

Samuel Alex was fined a thousand dollars at Sault Ste. Marie for five violations of the liquor law. He is alleged to have sold a patent medicine for whiskey.

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Drawing the Credit Line.
Tailor—I must have cash down for your wedding suit, Mr. Parks.
Customer—But haven't I always paid my bills on the minute?
Tailor—Yes, Mr. Parks, but remember that after this you won't have the handling of your own money.—Boston Transcript.

In Demand.
Mike—Pat, there's only wan thing will cure malaria. That's whisky and quinine.
Pat (anxiously)—Where kin ye get it?
Mike—Th' whisky and quinine?
Pat—No; malaria.—Tit-Bits.

Realization.
First Hobo—Strange how few of our youthful dreams come true, ain't it?
Second Hobo—Oh, I don't know. I remember how I once yearned to wear long pants. Now I guess I wear them longer than most any man in the country.—Louisville Post.

Not Desirable.
"Don't you think it is mighty desirable to have hot and cold water in your house?"
"Not when your wife keeps you in the one and throws the other on all your plans."—Baltimore American.

Romantic.
She—But how did you make the acquaintance of your second husband?
Bertha—it was quite romantic. I was out walking with my first when my second landed on him with an aeroplane.—Milwaukee Daily News.

Couldn't Classify Her.
First Village Clubwoman—What sort of a person is this new Mrs. Hart?
Second Village Clubwoman—Well, the ladies can't just make out whether she's a nobody flying high or a somebody lying low.—Lippincott's.

She Was a Bird.
"Are you interested in ornithology, Mrs. Wutter?"
"Not at all now, although I once made a pipe rack for my husband."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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Mrs. Yellen, of Portland, says: "My hands were so sore and cracked that it was agony to put them near water. When I did so they would smart and burn as if I had scalded them. I seemed quite unable to get relief from anything I put on them until I tried Zam-Buk, and it succeeded when all else had failed. It closed the big cracks, gave me ease, soothed the inflammation, and in a very short time healed my hands."

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DESTROYING THE SPECIES.
Ridding a Country of a Certain Kind of Animal is Difficult.

When man sets about ridding himself of entire species of animals by systematic persecution he usually finds it a difficult job. Set a price on the head of a wolf or a woodchuck and the animal seems once to realize the importance of prolonging its life.

The case of the wolf in Europe is a historic one. A price has been set on the creature's head for centuries and yet there is only a small portion of the continent from which the animal has been exterminated. The Netherlands is free of wolves, owing to the character of the country. The whole land furnishes not a single rocky den suitable for a wolf's lair; neither is there a forest for the animal's shelter.

It is true the wolf has been exterminated from Great Britain and Ireland. This result has been reached, however, by indirect means rather than by a direct attack. The clearing off of the forest left the wolf no place in which to hide from pursuit. The islands were too far from the continent for their thinned ranks to be recruited from the mainland. In Spain and France the wolf has at no time been unknown, although a price has been set on its head for hundreds of years. The animal has developed cunning in proportion as the pursuit has become closer. Like the crow, it has learned to take care of itself.

On the other hand, species receive very little help toward their continuance from the well-meant efforts of man to that end. In proof of this we are told that there is an ancient act of Parliament still in force in England and Wales prohibiting the taking of eggs of certain birds of which six species have ceased to breed in those countries. The indirect ways in which such results are brought about are shown in the destruction of the quail in New Zealand. The birds once were numerous; no one wished to destroy them. But the land was burned over for other purposes at seasons when the eggs and young of the quail were exposed to destruction and a few years brought the species to an end.

Milk and Cheese From Beans.

We were taught at school or on the farm that the three necessary steps in the production of butter and cheese were, first, the cow; second, the cow's milk and, third, the manufacture of butter and cheese and other dairy products from the cow's milk. To-day the modest cow is being eliminated and a little soy bean is taking the cow's place. Milk is obtained from the beans by crushing them. From the bean milk, cheese and butter are being made; also condensed milk, milk flour and a form of casein which is said to contain essential elements of food. Before the soy beans are crushed they are soaked in cold water. Maceration results in the production of a thick milky liquid which can be filtered and drunk fresh or used for making butter and cheese just as in the case of cow's milk. Vegetable milk, butter and cheese are becoming popular in many parts of China, India and Japan where the cultivation of the soy bean is being encouraged. Beans cost less than cows.

Seed Commissioner's Report.

An interesting Government publication has just been issued in the report of the Seed Commissioner for the period from January, 1905, to March, 1911. The report contains an historical record of the work of the Seed Branch since its organization under a Seed Commissioner in 1905 and a brief review of the work in seed improvement done previous to that time by the Seed Division under the direction of the Commissioner of Agriculture and Dairying.

Since the Seed Branch was organized on its present basis its work has been prosecuted along two main lines commercial and educational. The commercial work entails the enforcement of the Seed Control Act, the inspection of seeds and seed crops, seed testing, seed grain investigation and the distribution of reference collections of economic seeds. Among the subjects investigated and reported upon are the vitality of field and garden seeds, weed seeds in feeding stuffs, the influence of age on the vitality of seeds, and the production of Canadian grown root and vegetable seeds. The educational work includes the various means adopted for stimulating interest in the production and use of better seeds. A vigorous propaganda has been maintained for that purpose through organizing and assisting in conducting local seed fairs, provincial seed exhibitions, field crop competitions, seed judging classes, giving assistance to the Canadian Seed Growers' Association. The report outlines what has been done along these various lines.

From the standpoint of the farmer the most valuable and interesting part of the report is the large section devoted to the evolution of the legislation respecting the inspection and sale of seeds in Canada up to the Seed Control Act of 1911 and the work connected with its enforcement. The regulations at present in force are clearly outlined and the standards of quality in respect to weed seed content for the four grades of timothy, red clover, alsiko and alfalfa seed are graphically illustrated. The weeds classed as noxious under the Act, numbering about 25, are illustrated and described as well as about 75 other weeds of minor importance. The illustrations of the plants and seeds and the descriptive seeds are largely taken from "Farm Weeds," the book with full page colored illustrations published by the Department and now sold at \$1 per copy. This report may be had on application to the Seed Commissioner, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

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A Maryland woman has a goose that was given her when she was twenty-one years old. Lots of women still have the goose they got on their wedding day.

Although Friday is held to be a bad day for beginning journeys, nevertheless a great many long ones are begun on that day, especially in states where they hang.

IT REACHES THE SPOT—There are few remedies before the public to-day as efficacious in removing pain and in allaying and preventing pulmonary disorders as Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil. It has demonstrated its powers in thousands of instances and a large number of testimonials as to its great value as a medicine could be got were there occasion for it. It is for sale everywhere.

Owen Sound hotel proprietors have decided to increase rates owing to the strict enforcement of the local option law.

A physician says that low neck gowns toughen the neck. Why say that when, as everybody knows, the toughest necks were never graced by such a gown?

A light-house-keeper in the Gulf of St. Lawrence claims to have twice seen a hundred-foot sea serpent.

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NOTE AND COMMENT.

This is the season when the storage egg comes out of hiding, looking as innocent as possible.

The price of champagne is going up, but most of us are not greatly concerned over this latest advance in the "cost of living."

Some persons foolishly imagine that the clothes make the man. Fine feathers do not make a fine bird, except some time a jail bird. The insane love for fine and fashionable clothing has been the beginning of a downward life of many a boy or girl.

With the bill for improvement of public highways now before the House of Commons clearing the way for federal assistance in the construction of provincial and interprovincial roads, the engineers of the Ontario good roads department are mapping out their plans for a main highway running from the extreme east of the province, connecting with the Quebec main road near Montreal, right through to Detroit river.

The death in Egypt, of the Duke of Fife, brother-in-law of King George, will be a sad blow to the royal family, and cause sincere regret throughout the British empire. The duke and his family, including his wife, the Princess Royal, and her two daughters, were on their way to Egypt for the benefit of the health of one of the young princesses, when the steamer they were on was wrecked off Cape Spartel at the entrance to the Straits of Gibraltar. They were taken ashore on a boat from a British war vessel that went to the assistance of the wrecked steamship, and narrowly escaped drowning by the capsizing of the boat in the breakers near the shore. Drenched to the skin the duke and the princesses had to travel some distance to the lighthouse at Cape Spartel. The pleurisy that caused the duke's death was no doubt due to the exposure to which he was subjected on that occasion. The news of his illness was followed so closely by the announcement of his death that it came as a great and sorrowful surprise.

G. E. Hicks, Acting Manager Sterling Bank, Port Burwell.

The Sterling Bank of Canada announces the appointment of Mr. G. E. Hicks as Acting Manager of the Port Burwell Branch, to succeed W. C. Gilfillan, who is promoted to the West Toronto branch. Mr. Hicks was formerly Acting Manager at Courtright, Ont.

January Zero Weather.

During January the weather man has apparently spared no pains, as the press agents say, to provide something out of the ordinary run of things. In a general way there seems to have been more weather than usual.

The outstanding feature was the fourteen days of zero weather, when the official thermometer registered anywhere from 32 degrees of frost downward. In January of last year there was about one day of the zero variety.

No less than 37 inches of snow fell, compared to 25 inches in the corresponding month last year. The rainfall was 1.04 and 1.06 inches respectively.

The highest temperature recorded this January was 37.5 on the 18th, and the lowest was 24.5 below, on the 13th. Last year the more moderate figures were 45.5 on the 27th, and 8 below on the 18th.

Mrs. James, an elderly lady residing in Warsaw, met with a serious accident. While bringing in a pail of coal she fell and was unable to rise, lying for two hours and a half, in the cold, before her invalid partner could rescue her.

Thomas McQuigge, for many years a well-known resident of Dummer township, was found dead on Saturday noon at his home on the ninth line. Deceased, who lived alone, was last seen on Thursday night when he had been at Mr. E. Hubbel's, a neighbor, who lives across the road from him. Apparently he died sometime during that night as he had in a supply of wood and had prepared the morning fire before retiring.

Perhaps for the first and last time in history, Wednesday, January 17th, a remarkable crossing was made by two Pelee Islanders across the ice 14 miles to the mainland at Kingsville. Not by ice-boat, sleigh, boat, or by any of the usual ways of ice travel, but in a common four-wheeled buggy. The two men drove down to the beach to look at the prospect for a crossing. Not having a sleigh they then thought they would drive out a few miles to see about the usual big channel crack; not finding any they came right through on wheels to Kingsville.

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FOR SALE—2 Shorthorn bull calves. Also a number of heifers. Show proposition, easy terms. Apply JAMES WILEY, Lot 30, Main Road, Warwick. f2-3t

CARD OF THANKS.—The relatives of the late Elizabeth Watson wish to thank the friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness and sympathy shown during her illness and at the time of her death.

LEHIGH VALLEY COAL will not burn free and clean like some coal, but it is harder, will last longer, and give more heat than any other coal on the market. Try a ton now. You can then judge for yourself re future supplies. R. C. McLEAY is the only dealer for Watford and vicinity. d2-1d

Dr. Warner Cornell, the well-known eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, of Port Huron, will resume his visits to Watford, and will be at the Roche Hotel on Friday afternoon, March 22nd, when he can be consulted on all diseases of those organs. Glasses properly fitted. tf

BROOKE.

Mr. Wm. Scott, Windsor, is visiting relatives in Watford and Brooke.

S. Stapleford & Son are in the market for eggs and butter. Highest cash price.

There will be afternoon and evening services in Christ church, Sutorville, on Sunday.

His Lordship the Bishop of Huron purposes holding a confirmation service in Christ church, Sutorville, on Tuesday next at 10.30 in the morning.

Mr. W. Taylor has received his final payment for the season from the Owasso Sugar Co. In all he has received \$440.00 clear from seven acres of sugar beets, after paying \$135.00 for labor, an average of \$57.00 per acre. If there is anyone in Brooke that can beat this he would like to hear from them.

The social evening given by the ladies of Christ church, Sutorville, at the home of Mr. Richard Lucas on Friday evening was a great success. Over one hundred were present. A good program consisting of recitations, songs and instrumental music and also John Davis' gramophone added much to the amusement of the evening. The collection amounted to over \$13.00. Everybody seemed to enjoy themselves and hoped there would be more to follow.

The funeral of the late Miss Elizabeth Watson took place from the home of her nephew, Mr. Wallace Watson, on Friday afternoon last and was largely attended. Interment was made in Mt. Carmel cemetery. Rev. R. C. Burton, the pastor, and Rev. H. E. Curry performing the last sad rites. The pall-bearers were six nephews, namely, Joseph Acton, Duncan Acton, John Acton, Frank Parker, Wesley Parker and Walter Holbrook.

BORN.

In Brooke, on Sunday, Jan. 28th, 1912, to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hair, a son.

In Brooke, on Friday, Jan. 19th, 1912, to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Douglas, a son.

In Alvinston, on Friday, Jan. 19th, 1912, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hutter, twins (boy and girl).

In Plympton, on Thursday, Jan. 18th, 1912, to Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Smith, a son.

In Plympton, on Sunday, Jan. 21st, 1912, the wife of Mr. Thos. Somerville, of a daughter.

In Bosanquet, on Monday, Jan. 22nd, 1912, to Mr. and Mrs. Moses Elliott, a son.

MARRIED.

At the Methodist parsonage, Forest, on Wednesday, Jan. 17th, 1912, by Rev. A. J. Thomas, Mr. Hugh M. Ridley to Eleanor R. Levitt, of Warwick.

DIED.

At House of Refuge, Strathroy, on Jan. 15th, Mary Ann Fry, aged 85 years.

In Biddulph, Wednesday, Jan. days, Mary Ann Hasket, aged 89 years.

In Sarnia, on Friday, January 26th, 1912, Ellen, relict of the late Henry Craig, aged 54 years, 11 months, 13 days.

In Strathroy, on Jan. 18th, Ronald Cowan, in his 85th year.

In Sarnia, on Thursday, Jan. 25th, 1912, Martha, relict of the late Michael McCoy, aged 77 years and 8 months.

In Warwick, on Saturday, January 27th, 1912, Patrick Maher, aged 54 years.

In Saskatoon Hospital, on Jan. 29th, Frances, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Livingstone, of Dundurn, Sask.

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Bosanquet Liberals.

Theford, Jan. 30.—At the annual meeting of the Bosanquet Liberal Association held here, the following officers were elected:

President—Wm. McDonald.
Vice-President—John Emerson.
Secretary—Treasury—Robt. Tidball.
Convenors—No. 1, John Morrison; No. 2, John Melville; No. 3, John Forbes; No. 4, Thomas Ross; No. 5, Wm. H. Tidball; No. 6, D. A. Taylor; No. 7, D. Stebbins.

Delaware will petition the county council for incorporation into a police village.

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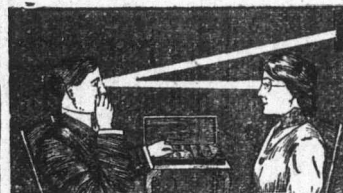
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WARWICK.

Mrs. Chas. Mansfield visited Wisbeach friends last week.

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The Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. D. R. Falloon, Feb. 8th, at 2.30 p.m. Subject, "A week's work with a busy housewife."

C. E. Buchanan, Blenheim, and Robt. Johnston, of Plenty, Sask., called on the latter's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis Westgate, Monday.

Mrs. J. H. McKay and daughters, Miss Alberta and Mrs. Chas. Minicely, have returned after an extended visit with friends in Williamston and Saginaw, Mich.

A. W. Westgate, of Regina, Sask., who is spending a couple of months at his home on the 4th line, spent Sunday in St. Thomas with his brother, Rev. H. P. Westgate.

Mrs. Fred Westgate returned from London on Saturday where she has spent the past two weeks waiting on her niece, Miss Irene Kerr, who has been very seriously ill. We are glad to hear that Miss Irene is recovering from her long illness.

Frank R. Shore, until recently a well-known stock raiser and dealer near London, who sold out and went west just before Christmas, died at Bowden, Alta. Deceased was in his 67th year and leaves six brothers, one Rev. W. M. Shore, Warwick, and another, Rev. Arthur Shore of Ridgetown.

The annual meeting of the Warwick Liberal Association will be held in the Town Hall, Warwick Village, on Friday evening, Feb. 2nd, at eight o'clock. Election of officers and general organization work. Some good speeches after the business meeting. A good representation is requested from each polling subdivision.

The first meeting of the W. A. for 1912 was held at Mrs. Clark's, Thursday, Jan. 25th. A resolution was passed in favor of forming a mission study class as recommended by the leaders of the study classes held at the mission conference in Forest last week. The first meeting will be held in St. Mary's church on Wednesday, Feb. 14th, commencing at 2 p.m. The subject to be discussed is "Missions in Egypt." All are invited to attend and unite in the discussion.

Mr. and Mrs. James Morgan, 4th line, were surprised last Friday when about seven o'clock the family relatives began to flock in, (not unknown to Mr. and Mrs. Fred, who had everything in readiness). It was Mr. Morgan's seventy-sixth birthday anniversary and an oyster supper which they all (twenty-eight in number) enjoyed together, after which games, music and social chat took up the time until about one o'clock when all left for home, wishing Mr. Morgan many happy returns of the day.

There died in Warwick on Saturday last, Jan. 27th, Patrick Maher, in his 55th year. Mr. Maher has been ill for a long time and his death was not unexpected. He was a native of the township and had lived here all his life. He leaves to mourn his loss an aged mother and one sister at home and one brother, John Maher, 4th line. The funeral took place Tuesday morning from the family residence, lot 10, con. 4, S.E.R., to the R. C. church, where mass was said by Rev. Father Quinlan, interment being made in the R. C. cemetery. The pall bearers were James McManus, E. J. Caughlin, T. Gavigan, Murray Williamson, F. Bryce and John Tulley.



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His Geography.
Ample explanation of the many attempts to construct a universal language lies enfolded in the reply of a small boy, given by Mrs. Hugh Fraser in "A Diplomatist's Wife in Many Lands."
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You Can't Shake Trouble.
"My wife had money, and when I married her I thought all my troubles were at an end."
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And when the mermaid's dressing she Is never so incensed In steel that she must ask some one To button up her waist. —Johnstown Democrat.
Another of the mermaid's traits— She never trets or blubbers When it has rained and things are damp Because she's lost her rubbers. —New York Globe.
The mermaid wields no powder rag For warts runs in a stack. She has no husband she can nag To hook her up the back. —Houston Post.
Oh, who would not a mermaid be! She never means nor walls, For, even though she takes on flesh, She's not afraid of scales. —Washington Post.
And when you bid her to the show She doesn't make you wait For hours and hours that she may know For sure her hat's on straight. —Nashville Tennessean.
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Oats, per bush.....	38 40
Barley, per bush.....	65 75
Peas, per bush.....	75 75
Beans, per bush.....	1 50 1 75
Timothy.....	4 50 7 00
Clover Seed.....	8 00 11 00
Alfalfa.....	8 00 10 00

PROVISIONS—

Butter, per pound.....	25 25
Eggs, per doz.....	30 30
Pork.....	8 00 8 00
Flour, per cwt.....	2 50 3 25

MISCELLANEOUS—

Wood.....	2 25 3 00
Tallow.....	6 6
Hides.....	8 10
Wool.....	18 20
Hay, per ton.....	14 00 14 00

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—

Potatoes, per bag.....	1 25 1 50
Dried apples per lb.....	06 06

POULTRY—

Turkeys, per lb.....	18 20
Chickens, per lb.....	18 10
Ducks, per lb.....	14 15
Geese, per lb.....	10 11

LONDON MARKETS.

Wheat.....	\$ 0 88 to \$ 0 88
Oats, cwt.....	1 40 to 1 45
Paas.....	1 00 to 1 10
Barley, cwt.....	1 35 to 1 35
Butter.....	0 29 to 0 30
Eggs.....	0 33 to 0 35
Pork.....	8 50 to 9 00

East Buffalo.

East Buffalo, Jan. 30th.—Cattle—Receipts, 200 head; fairly active and steady. Veals—Receipts, 200 head; slow and 25c. lower; \$5.50 to \$9.75. Hogs—Receipts, 5,500 head; fairly active and steady to 3c. higher; heavy, \$5.50 to \$5.55; mixed, \$5.45 to \$5.50; Yorkers, \$5 to \$5.50; pigs and roughs, \$5.75 to \$5.85; stags, \$4.50 to \$5.50; dairies, \$6 to \$6.40. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 6,000 head; steady, prime lambs, active; common lambs and sheep, slow; others unchanged; lambs, \$3.50 to \$7.30.

Toronto Markets.
Toronto, Jan. 30.—To-day's market is a

repetition of yesterday's at the Western Cattle Market, except that there are more common cattle. It is estimated that it would be difficult to secure two loads of good and choice cattle out of every 600 of the cattle offered to-day. Of the 1,240 offered about 1,000 to 1,100 were light and partially fattened butchers. The deluge of this class is attributed to the scarcity of feed. Sheep and lambs are very inactive, with a decidedly small run. The run of hogs is very light, there being only 300 feeding hogs here, and about 300 fat hogs. At the Union Yards there are 98 hogs. All hogs at both markets sold at \$5.50 fed and watered, and \$6.15 f. o. b. Receipts show 70 cars, with 1,240 cattle, 250 sheep and lambs, 600 hogs and 260 calves.

Export cattle, choice. \$ 6 40 to \$ 6 50
do, medium..... 5 90 to 6 20
do, bulls..... 4 75 to 5 75
Butcher cattle, choice. 6 00 to 6 50
do, medium..... 5 70 to 6 10
do, common..... 4 75 to 5 10
Butcher cows, choice. 5 25 to 5 40
do, medium..... 4 50 to 5 00
do, canners..... 2 00 to 2 50
do, bulls..... 4 25 to 5 00
Feeding steers. 4 75 to 5 10
Stockers, 800 to 900 lbs. 4 20 to 4 70
do, 550 to 600 lbs..... 3 00 to 3 90
Milkers, choice, each. 40 00 to 87 00
Springers 40 00 to 70 00
Sheep, ewes 3 75 to 4 00
Bucks and culls 3 00 to 3 20
Lambs 6 00 to 6 75
Hogs, fed and watered. 6 50 to 6 50
do, f. o. b..... 6 15
Calves 4 00 to 7 75

County Council Committees.

The standing committees as accepted by the council follow:

Finance—Stirrett, Colter, McCausland, Wilson, Holmes, Hillier, Montgomery.
Public Buildings—James, McLean, Wilson, Fairbank, Monroe, Kirby, Anderson, Darvill.
Roads and Bridges (formerly internal improvement)—McCallum, Evans, Russell, Darvill, Whitsett, Stevens, Park, Payne, Anderson, Stirrett, Mara, James, McLean, Morrison, Hillier, Grant, Woodhall, Hall, Fitzgerald, Wilson, McCausland.
Printing—Whitsett, Simpson, Manroe, McGuire, Stevens, McRae, Holmes.
Equalization—Darvill, Park, Morrison, Fairbank, James, McLean, Grant, Woodhall.
Education—Fairbank, Evans, Anderson, Stevens, McCallum, Simpson, Mont-

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By order of the Board,
Toronto, 21st December, 1911.
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A Case That Should Bring Hope to Other Sufferers.

Epilepsy is one of the most serious troubles that afflicts the human race. This trouble is also known as "falling sickness" or "fits". The patient suddenly loses consciousness and falls. The muscles become rigid and there is a twitching of the face and limbs, sometimes accompanied by frothing of the mouth. The convulsion is followed by a deep sleep varying in duration. In the early stages the attack may only occur at intervals of several months, but as the disease progresses they become more and more frequent, the patient becomes debilitated and the mind weakened. Epilepsy is generally regarded as incurable, but taken in its earliest stages has in many cases been cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which enrich the blood, strengthen the system, thus enabling it to resist the progress of the disease. The following case will be of interest to any who suffer from this terrible malady. Mrs. John Maher, Bancroft, Ont., says: "My little son, Clive, at the age of five was stricken with spasms or fits and despite all we did for him, for the next five years was afflicted with them, apparently growing worse. He was under the care, at various times, of five different doctors, but they did him no good. He was growing worse all the time, until he got so bad he would sometimes have twelve of these spasms in twenty-four hours. I sent him to the Sick Children's Hospital, where they pronounced the trouble epilepsy, but did not help him. Later he was treated by a specialist, but to no avail. I was almost in despair when my mother advised me to give him Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I got the pills and gave them to him, strictly following the directions as to diet. His continued taking the pills for several months, the spasms gradually coming less frequent, and with less severity, and finally they ceased altogether. It is now about two years since he took the last of the pills, and he has not had a fit in that time, and is now as well and strong as other boys of his age. I have great reason to be grateful for what the pills have done for him, and hope this may be of value to some other sufferer."

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History—M. Logan 97.
Geography—M. Logan 92.
Reading—H. Hanna 88.
Science—H. Hanna, C. Luckham, M. Logan 100.
Drawing—E. Hanna 88.
Latin—H. Hanna 95.
French—M. Logan 94.

FORM 3.

Chemistry—E. Ferguson 100.
Physics—E. Ferguson 88.
Algebra—L. Fuller 87.
Geometry—F. Edwards 96.
Literature—W. Galloway 77.
Composition—L. Fuller 71.
History—L. Fuller 90.
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I'll write a few lines if only I can, and tell you about my excellent plan. You'll find me out here on a west river plain, starving to death on a government claim. Hurrah for this country, the land of the free! Home of the grasshopper, chinch-bug and the flea. Oh! I tell of its joys and slag of its fame while starving to death on my government claim. My mansion is built of the natural soil. The walls not erected according to Hoyle. The roof has no pitch, but is level and plain, and I'll sure get wet on my government claim. Oh, how happy I feel on my government claim! There is nothing will make a man so hard and profane. I've nothing to eat and nothing to wear; the mosquitos possess both our water and air. It's here I am settled and here I must stay; my money's all gone and I can't get away. There's nothing to lose and there's nothing to gain, while starving to death on a government claim. Hurrah for this country where blizzards arise, where the sun never sets and the flea never dies. Come join in the chorus and sing of the fame of the "Honyock" who's stuck on a government claim.—O. S. Grant, Perkins Co., S. D.

HIGH SCHOOL EXAMS.

The average marks of the pupils of Forms 1, 2 and 3, in the first series of examinations are given below. For promotion, or for recommendation to write the departmental examinations, pupils require an average of 60 per cent. Latin marks count as a bonus. Those who have fallen below the required standing will have an opportunity to increase their percentage in the succeeding series.

FORM 1.

G. Harrower 88, J. McKecher 81, A. Hobbs 79, V. Auld 77, M. Holbrooke 72, C. Matthews 71, M. McManus 71, M. Roche 71, L. Harper 70, E. Hicks 69, F. deGex 67, M. Sayers 67, M. McLachlan 67, G. Lamb 66, E. Blain 64, T. Thompson 61, W. Harper 60, O. Dowling 57, D. Wright 51, T. Brunt 49, L. Blain 47, A. Smith 44.

FORM 2.

H. Hanna 88, M. Logan 87, C. Dolbear 84, M. Mansfield 79, C. Luckham 77, G. Mead 73, E. Hanna 71, E. Martin 68, R. Marwick 67, F. Hick 66, W. Bruce 64, E. McCormick 63, L. McPhedran 63, L. Kadey 58, M. Hagle 58, J. McManus 58, S. Smith 57, C. Drury 55, J. Rogers 51, R. Davis 46, B. Acton 45.

FORM 3.

L. Fuller 98, E. Anderson 89, M. Fuller 86, B. Currie 84, D. Tanner 84, E. Ferguson 76, B. Lucas 76, K. Kingston 72, A. Cowan 72, M. Davidson 71, L. Johnston 71, E. Showler 71, D. Wordsworth 70, J. McCormick 69, R. Trenouth 69, R. Woods 65, F. Johnston 65, C. Sullivan 64, J. McKecher 62, G. Lucas 63, W. Galloway 62, O. Oakes 59, H. Leach 56, F. Haskett 55, E. Copeley 53, R. Auld 51, A. Leggate 51, M. Taylor 53.

The following obtained the highest marks in the various subjects:—

FORM 1.

Science—V. Auld 92.
Arithmetic—J. McKecher 90.
Algebra—G. Harrower, L. Harper 87.
Literature—E. Hicks 76.
Composition—E. A. Hobbs 62.
History—G. Lamb 59.
Geography—G. Harrower 59.
Book-keeping—G. Harrower 59.
Drawing—A. Hobbs 82.
Writing—M. Holbrooke 85.
Reading—E. Hicks 80.
Spelling—F. deGex, G. Harrower, M. Holbrooke, G. Lamb 100.
Latin—G. Harrower 94.

FORM 2.

Arithmetic—C. Dolbear 87.
Algebra—M. Mansfield 96.
Geometry—H. Hanna 84.

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Mr. ALVIN in Trinity church preached an ex

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THE cabin wires in the to

improvement in the Main street.

THE Recv Council for a repairing the i June session.

On Feb. 16th can buy cedar lumber and coa 20 cents each.

ASK C. B. M RISK flour. Be

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REV. JOHN M be one of the sp son Institute i next Wednesday.

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FINEST stock men's ordered Hancockburns.

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WILL the pers Public Library b named. "I Will by other readers the Library a len

IT'S COOL for They are here.—

THE marriage manager of the for, to Miss Mir is announced to Church, Mitchel

AT THE speci Church Women Bennett's on Mon have a progress Feb. 14, Partic issue.

A GRANT of \$3 the County Coun of Main street, municipality dec of the same unde —Transcript.

SEEK the new wings.—SWIFT'S.

COLD weather due pneumonia shut up houses then, when mid the body is not a matter of fac amonia in compari severe weather out with lighter perature takes a pneumonia on.

WHO was or is all history? Tw recently answ with enthusia judges awarded t made this reply: er of moderate m cooking, washi brings up a far be useful memb time for intellec

ABOUT a dozen and half a dozen way.—SWIFT'S.

"A 'FARMER held in Chicago, "Please come farmer's clothe hadn't been near thought that the ex carts and wea ing clothes. To came in automob full of clothes show that it is a glays to be called