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THE Department of Agriculture.

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MARKETING—The Farmer's Problem.

To the mind of the writer the advancement of agriculture in this county, at least, depends mainly on the solving of three great problems, namely: Labor and capital; a change in the methods and forms of production, and lastly the application of methodical and business methods to the preparation for and in the marketing of the goods produced on the farm.

One only has to look around a little, to realize that much land in Lambton is begging for capital and labor and the farmer insists that he is doing his best with the labor available. The attention that the new move toward intensive farming and better methods backed by our splendid soil and climate is receiving at the hands of the press and public generally shows evidence that there will soon be both capital and labor to develop our lands. The Publicity Association is also hoping to do much to answer this problem.

The introduction on a large scale of such crops as corn, sugar beets,

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quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs. . . . 25 cents.

canning crops, vegetable gardening, fruit growing, along with the steady increase of the horse, dairy and poultry industries, all indicate that farmers are learning the lessons that experience is teaching i. e., that specially favored localities should adopt special lines of production. In this work the writer hopes to aid by teaching experiment and demonstration in every way possible.

The evidences are that an intelligent beginning is being made in the solving of the first two problems. How about the third. Is not this one the keystone of the arch? Of what avail will be the filling of the county with labor and capital, what use will there be in specializing and increasing production, if the question of preparing and marketing our product is neglected?

Of all the questions of the farm, marketing is the most intricate and difficult with which to deal. It involves efficient production, manufacture and preparation, and business methods in distribution. Here are three distinct divisions of the industry, yet they all have their bearings on prices to the producer on the one hand and to the consumer on the other. Moreover, each of these divisions so react on one another that it is becoming impossible for the farmer to longer take the advice of a certain class of people who tell him to stick to production and someone else will see to the other acts. The inexorable laws of economics are steadily forcing more and more farmers to the conviction that they must control the means of manufacture and distribution of their products. These same facts are being brought home to the worker in scientific lines of production and also to the intelligent consumer. Last year Canada threw two-million dozens of eggs into the dump heap while she imported one and one quarter million to supply her needs. The blame for this condition rests in part on all of the parties concerned in their production beginning with the farmer, through the country store-keeper to the cold-storage companies and retail dealers. The cure for this condition lies in a discriminating market. We have ample evidence that consumers are ready to pay a good price for fresh eggs, the trouble evidently lies with the dealer. But the dealer finds he cannot discriminate in price. This is evidently a problem for the producer. Likewise the bacon industry has suffered terribly by the fact that the manufacturer has found himself unable to discriminate in price to the farmer between a good and poor type of hog. Experience in this and other countries has shown plainly that the farmer must become the owner of the factory and the means of distribution if quality is to be secured in his goods and he is to get a fair price for his labor and capital invested.

In these days of high prices the consumer asks himself is not the farmer getting too much already for his products. This is a serious and proper question and the farmer must justify himself to the consumer before he can expect the over-charged dwellers of the town to look with favor on him receiving better prices for his goods. The report of the Secretary of Agriculture for the United States throws some much needed light on this question. The following quoted from "The Market Growers' Journal" is instructive both to producer and consumer:—
"The annual report of the Secretary of Agriculture for 1910 is important not so much for the statement that nothing short of omniscience can grasp the value of the farm products of this year, as for the array of figures showing what part of the consumer's dollar the farmer gets. The tiller of the soil is set right before the great consuming public. Heretofore Secretary Wilson has simply set forth the tremendous value of farm products year by year, and the impression has been created that the farmer is becoming fabulously rich. The figures secured by careful investigation, and which are given in the report for 1910, will serve to convince the consuming public that the farmer is not responsible for the high cost of living.
In the case of milk in seventy-eight cases distributed throughout the United States, where the subject was investigated by the Department the farmer receives a scant 50 per cent., or one half the price paid by the consumer. The railroads get about 7 per cent., so that the remaining 43 per cent. of the consumer's

price is received mostly by the retailer.

The farmer receives hardly more than half of the consumer's price in the case of poultry, 69 per cent, in the case of eggs; cabbage 48 per cent. when bought by the head and 65 per cent. when bought by the pound; celery 60 per cent. when bought by the bunch.

"The apple grower receives 56 per cent. of the consumer's price when the purchase is by the bushel and 66 per cent. when by the barrel; the strawberry growers get 49 per cent. of the consumer's price in purchases by the quart and 76 per cent. when by the crate. When the consumer buys a peck of onions at a time the farmer receives 28 per cent. of the retail price; when he buys a barrel the farmer receives 58 per cent. So, in the case of oranges, when the purchase is by the dozen the grower receives 20 per cent. of the consumer's price, whereas, when the purchase is by the box the grower receives 59 per cent. The rule seems to be the smaller the retail quantity, the smaller the farmer's share of the consumer's price.

"Among the many other products represented in the list are oats, with 74 per cent. of the consumer's price going to the farmer when bought by the bushel; melons, 50 per cent. when bought by the pound; parsnips, 60 per cent. when bought by the bunch; potatoes, 69 per cent. when bought by the barrel; string beans, 80 per cent. when bought by the barrel; sweet potatoes, 21 per cent. when bought by the barrel; turnips, 60 per cent. in purchases by the bunch; water melons, 34 per cent. when bought singly.

"After presenting many details with regard to the increase of prices on farm products between farmer and consumer, the Secretary of Agriculture declares that "The conclusion is inevitable that the consumer has no well-grounded complaint against the farmer for the prices he pays. The farmer supplies the capital for production and takes the risk of losses; his crops are at the mercy of drought and flood, heat and frost, to say nothing of noxious insects and blighting diseases. He supplies hard, exacting, unremitting labor. A degree and range of information and intelligence are demanded by agriculturist which are hardly equalled in any other occupation. Then there is the risk of over production and disastrously low prices. From beginning to end the farmer must steer dexterously to escape perils to his profits and indeed to his capital, on every hand. At least the products are started on their way to the consumer. The railroad, generally speaking, adds a percentage of increase to the farmer's price that is not large. After delivery by the railroad the products are stored a short time, are measured into the various retail quantities, more or less small, and the dealers are rid of them as soon as possible. The dealers have risks that are practically small, except credit sales, and such risks as grow out of their trying to do an amount of business which is small as compared with their number.
"In continuation of this subject the Secretary of Agriculture suggests that the problem of high prices is one for treatment by the consumer. 'Why do not consumers buy directly from the farmers?' he asks.
"But the problem is not completely one for the consumer; the producer, the farmer, must do his share towards its solution. He must study his markets and determine the best method of reaching the consumer. The shortest road will be the best nine times out of ten. It is the grower's business to see to it not only that he gets more of the consumer's dollars, but also that the consumer gets more for his dollars."
(Continued next week.)
S. E. T.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the system and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.
Address F. J. CHERNEY & CO., Toledo, O.

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—the best known to modern medicine —is the active principle which makes
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so much better than ordinary physics. While thoroughly effective, they never gripe, purge or cause nausea, and never lose their effectiveness. One of the best of the NA-DRU-CO line.
25c. a box. If your druggist has not yet stocked them, send 25c. and we will mail them.
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OUR FLOURS:
Ladies' Choice, Silver Leaf and Scotch Thistle.

The Best on the Market. All Tried and Proven.

FEED OF ALL KINDS.

Including a Big Shipment of Corn Just Arrived.

Best Attention Given to Gristing and Chopping
HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR WHEAT.

Thanks for past favors, and we solicit further orders which will receive our prompt and careful attention.

G. A. DUNLOP, Proprietor.

THE FARMER'S MILL.

Chopping, 5 Cents per Cwt.

Give us a trial in grinding your grain and be convinced we have the best chopping mill and as our expense is small, we give the farmers the benefit as we chop at 5 cents per cwt. Call and see us.

Having retired from the retail Flour and Feed Business owing to the increased demand on our time in the wholesale department, we take this manner in thanking the citizens of Watford and surrounding country for the patronage you have given us in the building up the large trade that we enjoyed. In transferring the business over to our successors, Trenouth & Co., we can recommend you to a firm who will always treat you right and cater to your wants and we trust that you will give them the same support and confidence you have given us. You will always find a full line of the best stock that is kept in a first-class flour and feed store.

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SCHOOL REPORTS.

Report of S. S. No. 11, Brooke, for the month of December. Percentage is given. IV. Class—Gertie Brown 76, Ella Clothier 66, Willie Lett 55, Alex. Fisher 50. III. Class—Eddie Brown 57, Alex. McGregor 54, Lizzie Doan 13. II. Class—Pearl McGregor 79. Pt. II. Class—Gladys Clothier 54, Kenneth Clothier 34. Sr. I.—Mercie Doan 52. Jr. I.—George Brown 60, Gladys Duffy 21. I. to Pt. II.—Mercie Doan. II. to III.—Pearl McGregor. —S. M. LOGAN, Teacher.

Report of Promotion Examinations of S. S. No. 16, Warwick, in December. Names in order of merit. III. to IV. Class—Rheta Bryce, Chester Williams, Melville Buchner, Olive Tully, Elwood Jones. II. to III. Class—Edna Williams. —LINA MCALPINE, Teacher.

Mother Grave's Worm Exterminator has the largest sale of any similar preparation sold in Canada. It always gives satisfaction by restoring health to the little folks.

Fifteen persons had a close call from being burned to death in their beds in a fire which early Monday morning completely destroyed the big three-story frame hotel in Parkhill, known as the Hastings House. The fire was discovered at a quarter to two by Tom Bloomfield, the night porter, and within twenty minutes the building was a seething furnace, with flames shooting from every window in the place. Within three quarters of an hour, so furiously did the building burn, that the roof crashed in.

Shiloh's Cure
quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs. . . . 25 cents.

Are You One?

The Owen Sound Sun gives the following straight talk to its readers, on the mail order question:

Are you a mail order fiend? Are you one of those misguided mortals who think you can't get what you want unless you send "to the city?" Or are you tempted by the glittering bait of "close" prices—68 cents, or 59 cents, or \$1.68—figures that are made to look as if they were clipped to the smallest margin? Don't be a sucker any longer! Look about you; visit the Owen Sound stores, and see how their goods and prices compare with those of the big stores. You will find, in nine cases out of ten, that you can buy the self-same goods from the local merchants just as cheap as, or cheaper than, from the mail order house. In the tenth case you may have to pay a shade more but you know what you are paying for. The home merchant lets you see the goods before you pay for them, the mail-order house makes you pay before you see. It's "Cash with order" every time with them. How often have you had to pay for and keep goods that you never have thought of buying had you seen them first? Yet some of you will walk right into the trap again, first chance you get.

SUFFER NO MORE.—There are thousands who live miserable lives because dyspepsia dulls the faculties and shadows existence with the cloud of depression. One way to dispel the vapors that beset the victims of this disorder is to order them a course of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, which are among the best vegetable pills known, being easy to take and are most efficacious in their action. A trial of them will prove this.

Wm. H. Barrett, for many years a prominent figure in West Williams, died on New Year's Day. He is survived by one son and two daughters, his wife having predeceased him two years ago.

MEDICAL. JAMES NEWELL, PH. B., M. D. L. B. O. P., M. R. M. A., England. Watford, Ont.

R. G. KELLY, M. D. Watford, Ont. OFFICE—MAIN STREET, formerly occupied by Dr. McLeer. Residence Front St. East.

CIVIL ENGINEER. W. M. MANIGAUPT, ONTARIO LAND SURVEYOR AND CIVIL ENGINEER. Box 200. STRATHROY, ONTARIO

DENTAL. GEORGE HICKS, D.D.S. TRINITY UNIVERSITY, L.D.S., ROYAL College of Dental Surgeons, Post graduate in Bridge and Crown work. Orthodontia and Porcelain work.

G. N. HOWDEN, D.D.S. L.D.S. GRADUATE of the Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario, and of the University of Toronto.

Veterinary Surgeon. J. MCGILLIQUDDY, Veterinary Surgeon. HONOR GRADUATE ONTARIO VETERINARY College. Dentistry a Speciality.

F. D. MATHEWS, Veterinary Surgeon. HONOR GRADUATE AND PRIZE MAN ON TARIO Veterinary College. Member of the O. V. Medical Association.

Auctioneer. J. F. ELLIOT, Licensed Auctioneer. For the County of Lambton.

T. V. RIDLEY, Licensed Auctioneer. For the County of Lambton. SALES attended in any part of the county. Terms reasonable, satisfaction guaranteed.

SMALL & JOHNSTON, Auctioneers and Valuers. SALES can be arranged at R. E. Johnston's office, Watford, where orders will receive prompt attention.

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GEORGE HAMMOND, GENERAL MERCHANT, Kingscourt. HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR ALL KINDS OF FOWL. TRADE OR CASH.

HAMMOND & WILLIAMS, Licensed Auctioneers. For the County of Lambton. STOCK, Farm and Real Estate sales conducted on reasonable terms.

CHANTRY FARM, KERWOOD. SHORTHORN CATTLE AND LINCOLN SHEEP. Can spare a few young cows and heifers; also some shearing ewes and ewe lambs.

ED. DE GEX, KERWOOD P. O. quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs. 25 cents.



At a cost of only two-thirds of a cent a day per Animal, Royal Purple Stock Specific makes each Animal worth 25 per cent. more. You never heard of any other Specific, or "Stock Food," doing likewise.

Royal Purple will permanently cure the Bots, Colic, Worms, Skin Diseases and Debility, and restore run-down Animals to plumpness and vigor.

MR. ANDREW WEGRICH, of Wainfleet, Ont., says: "This is to certify that I have tried your Royal Purple Stock Specific for two weeks, on one cow.

"Stock Food" will not do this. Because "Stock Food" is nothing more or less than a mixture of the very things which you, yourself, grow on your own farm.

No other Specific known adds flesh so quickly as Royal Purple. It makes 6-week-old Calves as large as ordinary-fed Calves are at 10 weeks.

Royal Purple makes naturally-fat Animals fat and heavy. And it builds up the health and restores the former plumpness and vigor of run-down stock, in little or no time.

Apartment House Names. We lived once in the Gwendolyn, A house that wasn't bad. The Ethelhurst, the Wienerwurst, Were other homes we've had.

The Man With the Grouch. "Well," sighed the man with the wash ties, "now that the aeroplane is becoming popular the women won't spend so much money for automobile hats and veils."

All American Aviation. [Hamilton's feats justify calling him the American Paulhan.—News Item.] Why call him the American Paulhan?

Wrong Kind of Discipline. "No," said the baseball manager, "I will not recommend a married man for the position of umpire."

"Mornin' to you all." Good times now no more delayin', Thicker the blessings fall, And the happy days are sayin', "Mornin' to you all!"

In the golden country stayin', Joy's glad voices call, "Even in winter we'll go Mayin'— "Mornin' to you all!"

Shiloh's Cure quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs. 25 cents.

Free to Stock and Poultry Raisers

We will send, absolutely free, for the asking, postpaid, one of our large thirty-two-page booklets on the common diseases of stock and poultry. Tells you how to feed all kinds of heavy and light horses, colts and mares, milch cows, calves and fattening steers, also how to keep and feed poultry so that they will lay just as well in winter as in summer. No farmer should be without it.



50 per cent. Cheaper. One 50-cent Package of Royal Purple will last one Animal 70 days. This figures a little over two-thirds of a cent per day.

So, you see, it is only necessary to give Royal Purple Specific once each day. Just think of making each Animal worth 25 per cent. over its cost! What will that mean to you, Mr. Stock Owner!

Royal Purple STOCK AND POULTRY SPECIFICS

Royal Purple creates an appetite for food, and helps nature to digest and turn it into flesh and muscle.

Never Off Feed. Dan McEwen, the horseman, says: "I have used Royal Purple Stock Specific persistently in feeding 'The Eel,' 2,024, largest winner of any pacer on Grand Circuit in 1908 and 1909, and 'Henry Winters,' 2,104, brother of 'Allen Winters,' winner of \$38,000 in trotting stakes in 1908.

For Poultry. Royal Purple Poultry Specific is our other Specific. It is for Poultry—not for stock.

It makes the Hens lay Eggs in Winter as well as in the Summer.

MRS. WM. BURNHAM, Sanford, Ont., says: "Dear Sirs,—This is to certify that I have used two boxes of your Poultry Specific for my hens. They laid so well while feeding it to them, I wondered if you would mind sending me word how or where I could get some this winter.

Royal Purple Poultry Specific prevents Fowls losing flesh at moulting time, and permanently cures every poultry disease. It makes their plumage bright and keeps it always in prime condition.

Yet one 50-cent Package will last 25 Hens 70 days. Or a \$1.50 Pail will do 25 Hens 280 days. This is four times more material at only three times the cost.

Centralia, Ont., Feb. 7, '10. The W. A. Jenkins Mfg. Co., London, Ont.: Gentlemen,—We have been using Royal Purple Poultry and Stock Specific for the last three weeks, and must say that results are remarkable. Am feeding the Stock Specific to two milking cows, and they have increased 80 per cent. in their milk. The Poultry results are even more marked than this.

W. A. Jenkins Mfg. Co., London, Ont.: Gentlemen,—Last Fall we had in our stables a young mare belonging to Miss Clouston, of Montreal. We could not feed her any bran on account of causing violent scouring, consequently causing her to become weak and thin.

Royal Purple Lice Killer..... 25c. Royal Purple Gall Cure..... 25c. Royal Purple Sweet Lintiment..... 50c. Royal Purple Cough Cure..... 50c. Our Cough Cure will cure any ordinary cough in four days, and will break up and cure distemper in ten to twelve days.

Stoves and Ranges.

If you are thinking of a new stove or range, call. Let us have a talk with you. No need to throw away money. We handle the best and a guarantee goes with every sale.

GRANITEWARE. We have a large and well assorted stock of first quality Granite-ware at right prices.

SHELF CUTLERY. We carry everything in this line, also Belting, Lace Leather, Oils and Varnishes, Paints, Rope, Packing, Etc.

TABLE CUTLERY. We carry a large stock of Table Cutlery and are offering some attractive bargains. All goods guaranteed and prices the lowest.

Our Tinsmithing and Plumbing is giving our customers complete satisfaction.

T. DODDS. Stoves Hardware Furnaces

ELECTRIC LIGHT PRICES REDUCED

GEORGE CHAMBERS wishes to notify all Electric Light users on Meter that the price has been reduced to

10 Cents per Kilowatt Hour. Put in a Meter and pay only for what you use.

GEORGE CHAMBERS, Coal Light Lumber

WARWICK.

Miss Maggie Cooper is spending a week visiting her aunt, Mrs. D. A. Fraser, West Williams.

Mrs. P. Williams, Kingscourt, was the guest of Mrs. Geo. Lester, Warwick, for a few days this week.

A jolly sleigh load spent Tuesday evening of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williamson, 4th line east.

Miss Myrtle Williamson left on Monday for Woodstock where she intends spending a couple of months with friends.

Mr. Robert Thompson has sold the northwest corner of lot 16, con. 4, S. E. R., 70 acres, to Mr. John Saunders at a good price. This property adjoins Mr. Saunders' 150 acres.

Miss Reta Clark, who has been organist of St. Mary's church for some time, has resigned her position and gone to Toronto for a visit, accompanied by her sister, Miss Leah.

Farmers are requested to take notice that the stores of Watford will be closed from 8 to 10 o'clock on Saturday evening, Feb. 4th, so as to allow all parties to attend the Welsh Choir concert.

In connection with St. Mary's church, Warwick, an At Home and Concert will be held in the Orange Hall, on Tuesday evening, Jan. 24th. Two quilts will be sold during the evening. Lunch provided at 7 o'clock. All welcome.

The monthly meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of St. Mary's church, Warwick, will be held at the home of Mrs. C. Hawkins on Thursday, Jan. 26th, from 2 to 4 o'clock. The subject for discussion will be "Our ideals and work for a new year."

The congregation of St. Paul's church, W. beach, sent last week by the church wardens, Mr. Geo. Brison and Mr. O. Tanner, a bountiful supply of oats and potatoes to the Rectory. Mr. Shore wishes to express his hearty appreciation and sincere thanks.

The first meeting of the Women's Institute for 1911 was held on Jan. 12th at the home of Mrs. H. M. Morningstar. Two interesting papers were given by Miss Grace Auld and Mrs. Morningstar, on "How to Treat our Teachers" and "The Evils of Fault-finding," respectively. After a short discussion the meeting closed with singing the National Anthem. There seems to be a muddle in municipal matters in the township. According to the statutes a township requires one thousand voters on the list before it is entitled to a Deputy Reeve. By the 1910 voters list there is a shortage of 52 of the required number. On the other hand the returning officer of the township issued nomination notices and took nominations for a deputy reeve and one was elected. The question now arises whether Mr. Hall, the elected Deputy Reeve, will be entitled to act as a member of the County Council or not.

Lambton County Council.

The members-elect of the Lambton County Council for 1911 are as follows:—
 Dossanquet—A. H. Spearman.
 Brocke—A. Darvill, H. Munro.
 Dawn—F. Brock, A. McGuire.
 Enniskillen—W. A. Brock, R. J. Park, E. Phipps—S. Clements.
 Moore—Jos. Payne, T. H. Holmes.
 Plympton—J. F. Donald, Robt. Hart.
 Sarnia Tp.—R. Beatty.
 Sombra—Neil McGugan, Alex. McRae.
 Warwick—W. James, W. Hall.
 Arkona—J. C. James.
 Alvinston—J. McCallum.
 Courtright—J. T. Whitsitt.
 Point Edward—John Mara.
 Theford—J. Woodhall.
 Watford—S. Stapleford.
 Wainning—Jas. Wilson.
 Forest—C. McLean.
 Petrolia—R. Stirtrett, C. O. Fairbank.
 Sarnia—J. Goodison, J. M. Diver, J. McGibbon, Dr. Merrison.

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 BABY'S OWN TABLETS.**

Because they are the only medicine which gives the guarantee of a Government analyst to contain no opium, morphine or other harmful narcotic. This means the mother can give this medicine to her youngest baby with absolute safety. Thousands of mothers know this and will give no other medicine to their little ones. The tablets cannot do harm—they always do good. When the little one has a cold, indigestion, or colic; when he has worms or his teeth are troubling him, Baby's Own Tablets will prove their worth. Concerning them, Mrs. E. Merriam, Sutherland, Ont., writes:—"I use Baby's Own Tablets for my three little ones and consider them the very best medicine during the teething period. The Tablets are sold at 25 cents a box by all medicine dealers or direct from the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont."

IN WOOD.

Mrs. A. Munro and two children were in London last week on business.

Miss Maude Thompson is spending a month with friends in Orangeville.

Mr. John Lowry attended the funeral of his father-in-law, Mr. McMullan in Plympton, last week.

Mrs. J. P. Elliot, of Watford, spent the past few days here with her sister, Mrs. Joshua Thomas.

Miss Jo Lindsay, who has been in the West for some time, is visiting her sister, Mrs. (Dr.) C. L. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Leander Griffith, of Watford, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Aylesworth on Monday of this week.

Mr. H. F. Aylesworth received word last week of the death of his uncle, Mr. Noxon Morden, of Deseronto, which occurred at the home of Mrs. John Dykes in Hamilton.

Rural telephones are being placed in

nearly all places of business and in a number of private residences in the village and they will soon be in working order. Outside lines will be erected as soon as possible.

E. L. Agricultural Society.

The annual meeting of the above society was held in the Council Chamber on Wednesday afternoon, when the following officers were elected:—

President—John Farrell.
 1st Vice—S. Bailey.
 2nd Vice—E. A. Brown.
 Directors—J. P. Elliot, J. S. Williams, D. Cameron, G. Munro, W. A. Annett, F. Kenward, R. Johnston, Dr. McGillicuddy, H. A. Cook.
 Hon. Directors—M. Perry, H. McLachlan, D. A. Ross, W. James.
 Auditors—W. McLean and Dr. Auld.
 Secretary-Treasurer—F. Kenward.

It was decided to again hold the Spring Show in Watford, date to be decided later.

The financial statement was presented as follows:—

DR.	
Members' Fees	\$ 178 00
Government Grant	370 00
County Grant	40 00
Booths	37 50
Cash Subscriptions	35 50
Space in Hall	14 50
Gate Receipts	669 10
Members Retained, 1911	86 00
	\$1430 60
CR.	
Balance due Treasurer	\$ 8 41
Prizes paid 1909	12 25
Prizes paid 1910	859 43
Salaries	40 00
Assistance at Show	17 75
Meals	84 00
Attractions	84 00
Work on Park	37 03
Judges Expenses	24 00
Printing and postage	66 12
Sundry Expenses	23 09
Balance	228 77
	\$1430 60

BORN.

In Brooke, on Sunday, Jan. 11th, 1911, to Mr. and Mrs. John Hoskin, a daughter.

In Metcalfe, on Jan. 11th, 1911, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Bowly, Watertown, Sask., a son.

In Warwick, on Wednesday, January 11th, 1911, to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lester, a son.

DIED.

In Seattle, Wash., on Jan. 11th, 1911, Meryl Dodds, only daughter of Mrs. And. Auld, of Warwick, aged 17 years, 1 month, 8 days.

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ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual meeting of The Lambton Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co. will be held in The Council Chamber, Petrolia,

Thursday, January 26th, 1911.

At the hour of 1.30, p.m., for the purpose of receiving the reports of the transactions of the Company; the election of Three Directors, and hearing and deciding upon any other business that may properly come before it. All parties interested in Mutual Fire Insurance are cordially invited to attend. All members not in arrears are entitled to one or more votes.

W. G. WILLOUGHBY, Sec.-Treas. Walnut, Jan. 6th, 1911.

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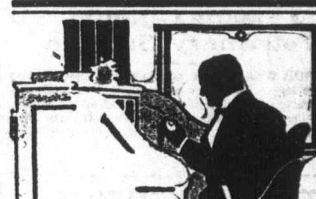
WINTER POULTRY SHOW.

Lambton Poultry Association Meets in Petrolia Jan. 25, 26 and 27.

The important event of the year to all county poultry-fanciers takes place next week when the Lambton Poultry Association holds its ninth annual exhibition on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday in the Town Hall, Petrolia. This year's show will be bigger and better than ever, and the whole three days from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. will be open to the public and the admission fee is only 10 cents for adults and 5 cents for children. Exhibitors should make their entries with the Secretary,

W. R. McDonald, Petrolia, early. All varieties of pure bred poultry will be on hand as well as a splendid display of dressed poultry. A government lecturer will give an address on poultry Thursday afternoon, Jan. 26th at 3 o'clock and in the evening at 8. The annual meeting of the Lambton Poultry Association will be held Friday, Jan. 27th at 2 p.m., when all members are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Austin, Glencoe, were presented with a couple of hand some chairs by the members of the Presbyterian choir. Mr. Austin has been choir leader for some years and has brought the choir into a high state of efficiency.



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Mrs. John Murray, Petrolia, died Friday of last week, aged 73 years.

1910.

Condensed List of Local Happenings of the Year.

Compiled From the Files of the Guide-Advocate.

JANUARY.

Jan. 7—Hockey club beat Strathroy 5-4. Curlers beat Strathroy 4 up. Death of Wm. G. Anderson, of Brooke. Miss Flora Jean Ross married to Robt. I. A. Warwick. F. L. Kadey of Merchants Bank staff transferred to Stratford. Miss Mina Louise McKorie married to Joseph S. Wynne, of Warwick. Miss Susanna Cline married to Jas. Dunkeld, of Pickering. Miss Hannah Swan becomes Mrs. R. J. G. Edgar. Municipal elections.

FEBRUARY.

Feb. 4—Hockey—Petrola 2, Watford 3 at Petrola, Watford Jr. lose to Alvinston at Watford. Address and presentation to Mr. E. D. Swift by employees. Miss Laura Cadwell, Brooke, married to Mr. Samuel L. James, Warwick. Death of Mr. Thomas McWatters in Sparta.

MARCH.

March 4—The Lord Bishop of Huron conducted confirmation services in Trinity church. Address and presentation to Mr. and Mrs. Doan, Warwick. Miss Mabel Coupland married to David C. Patterson, Lethbridge. Death of Hugh McColl, of Strathroy. Marriage of Howard Shirley and Miss Louisa Powell, both of Brooke. District meeting of K.O.T.M. in Petrola.

APRIL.

April 1—The choir of the Congregational church give a concert in the Lyceum. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Elliott give a dinner in honor of H. F. Williams. Special Easter music in all the churches. Henderson found guilty, to hang June 23rd. Halley's comet visible to the naked eye. Death of Ben. Gott of Strathroy. A big crowd leave for the West.

Woolley, Strathroy. April 15—P. Dadds & Son's store remodelled. Forest Choral Society give concert in Congregational church. Letter box placed at G. T. R. station. Clarence Drury met with a bad accident. Howling club elect officers. Death of Jordan McGillicuddy, of Warwick. Death of Wm. Minielly, of Plympton. License Commissioners met at Watford. Hastings Wagon Co. made big shipment to B. C. Miss Ethel Wilson and Bert Herrington married at Arkona. Death of John Taylor of Bosanquet. Oil soaked pillows found in home of Archie McLaughlin. Wesley Clark sells his residence to J. F. Elliott.

April 22—Havelock Lodge dedicated by R. W. Bro. J. H. Argue. Baseball club organized. Shredded Wheat Banquet in Taylor's Lyceum. Mrs. George Bambridge died in Toronto. Death of James Sands of Inwood. Death of Mrs. McKellar of Plympton. Mrs. James McGillicuddy of Warwick, broke her arm. Death of John S. Duncan, formerly of Warwick, at Ogilvie. Marriage of Miss Leila May Wilson, Wisbeach, to E. Eastman, Sarnia. Death of Mrs. Spearman, Forest. W. G. Willoughby tenders his resignation as clerk of Brooke, after forty years' service, but council will not accept same.

April 29—Death of Mr. S. D. Barnes. Banks start to close Wednesday afternoon. Miss Warwick given a shower by the Congregational church choir. Miss Doty gives entertainment in aid of Methodist church. Mrs. Lawrence disposed of her lumber business to Geo. Chambers. Rev. C. A. Parsons decides to leave Watford. Accountant James of the Merchants Bank transferred to Alvinston. Miss Vina Johnston of Brooke, becomes Mrs. Edward Totten. Description of a trip across the continent by Dad. Arthur R. Brown goes on the Montreal Herald staff.

MAY.

May 6—G. H. Cowan, M.P. for Vancouver, and J. E. Armstrong, M.P. for Lambton, give rousing political speeches in the music hall. Spring horse show held. Miss Pearl Down marries R. C. Tapp, at Biggar, Sask. Marriage of Miss Hazel Marwick to Edward A. Kidd of Brooke. Watford Oddfellows attend divine service in the Presbyterian church. J. W. Ackrill leaves for Calgary. Death of Mrs. Gordon McLaren in B. C. Orange Co. Lodge decides to hold 14th here.—Death of Maurice McVicar, late postmaster at Wanstead. Death of Joseph Williamson, of Warwick. E. L. Conservatives elect officers. Death of Thos. E. Young, cheesemaker. Rev. H. P. Westgate resigns Atwood parish. Watford's population 1214.

May 13—Death of King Edward (May 6). Farewell presentation to Rev. C. A. Parson. High School baseball club beat Sweepers 16-6. Miss Winnifred Nash married Ira N. Clark. T. Gavigan charged with furious driving. Geo. Holt placed on G. T. R. pension list. W. C. Stewart opened flour and feed store. R. Roche takes two cars of horses to Winnipeg. Death of Mrs. S. Hume, Regina. W. G. Willoughby moved into Watford. Henry Kerr had a bad fall. Restorick ships horses to Saskatoon. Trial of A. McLaughlin commenced.

May 20—Reeve proclaims May 20th as time for mourning for late King. Alvinston beats Watford 10-9 in baseball. Death of Wm. Fowler in his 77th year. Arbitration case, Skillen vs. Township of Warwick. Illness of Rev. E. B. Horne. Halley's comet passes and leaves the earth whole. Sweepers beat High School 7-5. Archie McLaughlin found guilty. Case of Trowbridge vs. Brooke Township heard in London. Mrs. John McIlroy, Plympton, died aged 84 years.

May 27—Memorial service in Trinity Church. Preparations being made for the 12th in Watford. Lambton Medical Society meets at Wyoming. A quiet 24th. Attempt to reorganize the town in band. Death of Mrs. A. Harrower in her 75 year. Death of Mrs. Robt. E. McGillicuddy. Eli Taylor, Brooke, loses a son. Watford Jr. beat Alvinston at baseball 8-2. Death of John Ellis, Brooke. Watford baseball club concert.

JUNE.

June 3—Death of Mrs. T. Kenward, Warwick. Mrs. Joseph Smith, Warwick, had a stroke of paralysis. Mr. Willgoose gives recital. Mr. John Thomas, Dryden, breaks his collar bone. Rousing Laymen's Missionary meeting at Warwick. 4th line Dwarfs defeated by Kingscourt Giants 9-6. Sweepers beat McEwen's Nine 12-8. Miss E. Anderson, Warwick, goes to Saskatchewan. Miss Anna Murray, missionary from China arrived in Arkona.

June 10—Marriage of Miss E. McCullough to Ernest Laymen of Hamilton. Mr. Thos. Mains falls off building at Warwick and dies from injuries. Mr. Thomas Alexender, an old resident of Watford dies at Flint, Mich., buried at Watford cemetery. Marriage of Miss Mable Armstrong, Brooke, to Mr. F. R. Smith, St. Thomas. Formation of local branch of Women's Institute. Linen shower to Miss Mae Livingstone. Death of Miss Isabella McGregor, formerly of Brooke, at Sarnia. Mr. Will Hall, Warwick, and line, had his leg broken. Not only the hair but the scalp.

June 17—County council appoints an Agricultural expert, 27th Battalion in camp at London. C. Cates, Warwick, murdered at Sarnia. Marriage of Rev. Arthur E. Doan and Miss Mabel Alberta Sproule. Mary Eliza White, Brooke, married to Fenton F. Dolbear. Bachelors beat the Benedicts at baseball 10-6. Congregationalists bid farewell to Miss Kelly. Farmers' excursion to Guelph. Daughters of the Empire bid farewell to Miss Kelly. Sudden death of Miss Ella Bartley, Warwick. Death of Mrs. Jos. Smith, Warwick.

June 24—Wire Works sold to Andrews Co., Rockfort, Ill. Marriage of Miss Verna Lamont to Mr. Alvin Maxworthy. Marriage of Miss Mae Livingston to Mr. W. A. House, Port Dalhousie. Marriage of Miss Alberta Walker to Mr. Henry

Collins of Strathroy. Marriage of Miss Gertrude Eccles, Winnipeg, to Mr. A. L. Connor, Madoc, Ont. at the residence of Col. Kenward. Death of Mr. R. J. Wise, Sarnia. Annual meeting of East Lambton Farmers' Institute at Watford. First strawberries on the market at 15c. Death of William Sayers, London.

JULY.

July 1—Married men beat Single men 12-10 at baseball. Havelock Lodge elect officers. George Early meets with a serious accident in Saskatchewan. Death of Rich. L. Hawkins, formerly of Watford, in Michigan. Rev. T. M. Mead becomes pastor of Watford Baptist Church. Watford beat Alvinston 6 up at bowling. Marriage of Rev. C. W. Coultter to Miss Gladys Rouse.

July 8—Dr. Kelly returns from a trip to Winnipeg. Mr. J. B. More dies in Winnipeg. Watford beats Sarnia 4 up at Bowling. J. J. Jeffries defeated by Jack Johnson. Death of Mr. Frank Smith, Sarnia. Miss Susie Waterman, Arkona left for Boston. Miss Etta McLeay appointed matron of Mountain Sanitarium, Hamilton. Hot weather.

July 15—Monster celebration of the 12th in Watford. Death of Mr. John Seanson, Brooke, aged 71 years. Big excitement among the juveniles over the examination results. Execution of Arch. McLaughlin at Whiteby. Death of Mrs. Edgar at Preston. Resignation of Mr. C. Potter, principal of the High School. Reorganization of Silver Band. Big bunch of local people leave for the West. Death of Mr. James Bowly, Rokeyby.

July 22—Death of Samuel Irwin in Michigan. Wyoming beats Watford 10 up at bowling. Accident to D. Roche's colt. P. E. Fuller leaves for the old country. Engagement of Mr. Lovis J. Williams as principal of High School. Dr. J. R. Thompson opens an office at Arkona. Strike commenced on the G. T. R. Death of Mr. Henry Liddon, Inwood. Judge McWatt re-elected Grand Master A. F. and A. M. Dr. Hume opened office at Arkona.

July 29—Big electric storm. Mr. Geo. McLellan and Miss H. Rouse married at Sarnia. Lively runaway on Main St. by Bryan Davis' horse. Twenty-two candidates initiated in Chosen Friends. Great inconvenience to local merchants by G. T. R. strike. Large party of Watfordites summering at Port Frank. W. R. Thompson, Warwick, had a nasty fall. Dr. McLeay buys a railroad in Atlanta.

AUGUST.

Aug. 5—Marriage at Sutorville of Miss Sara A. Higgins to Thomas G. Langford, and Miss Margaret Emma Higgins to Mr. A. E. Bolton, Kelliker, Sask. Destruction of barn of Dougal Campbell, Brooke, by storm. Lightning killed five calves belonging to John Beattie, Brooke. Civic holiday excursion postponed on account of G. T. R. strike. Two horses killed by lightning near Arkona. Doctor Crippen captured on the Montrose. Cyclone does much damage in Bosanquet.

Aug. 12—Neil McPheeran, an old resident of Plympton, died Aug. 6th. Death of Mr. Alexander Cline, 4th line, Warwick. Marriage of Miss Matilda Moore to J. C. Chambers. Watford plays tie game of baseball with Alvinston. Strathroy defeats Watford 20 up at bowling. Junior matric results published. Livery barns of A. J. Trolley, Alvinston, destroyed by fire.

Aug. 19—Civic Holiday, band excursion to Detroit. Forty-one people left the Watford station for the West. Married men defeated bachelors 2-1 at baseball. Marriage of Mr. L. J. Williams to Marian L. Templeton at Sault Ste. Marie. Death of Miss D. C. McGibbon, Sarnia. Accident to Allan McLean, Brooke. Death of Mrs. James Lett, Brooke. Marriage of Mr. August Palm to Miss Auld, New York, in Plympton. Death of Mr. Benj. Walker, Plympton.

Aug. 26—Marriage of Miss Isabella Victoria Doar to Mr. H. J. Nash, Lyndon. Wyoming beats Watford 7 up at bowling. Completion of extensive alterations to A. Brown & Co's store. Stewart & Co. open their chopping mill. Death of Mr. E. Hilborn, Arkona. George Fraleigh drowned at Sarnia. Anniversary of Calgary Baptist church. Owing to scarcity of apples George Eccles decides not to open evaporator. Col Kenward takes a dozen married ladies to Rock Glen.

(Continued next week.)

H. W. Purcel, of Leamington, has purchased the Franklin house business, Forest, from J. H. Aldridge.

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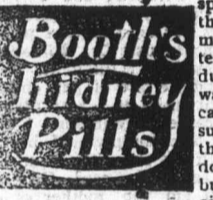
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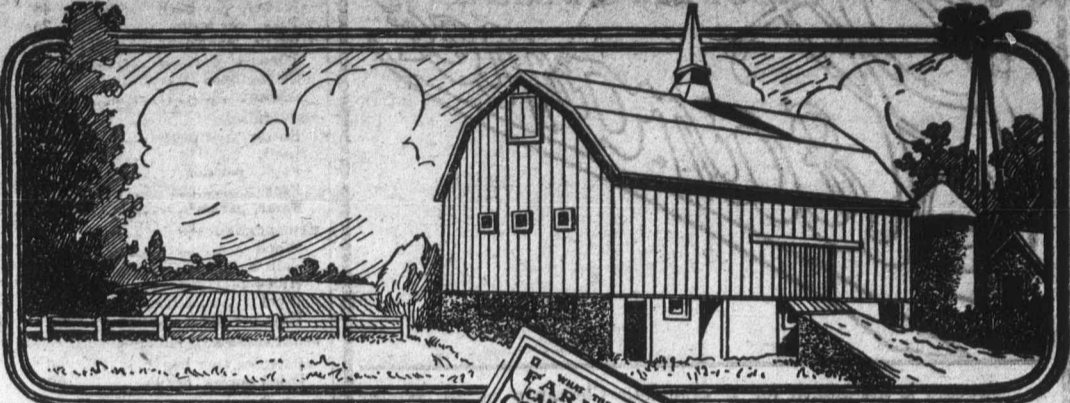


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SETTLED OUT OF COURT.

Racing For the Honest Lawyer in a Town in Denmark.
 In telling of his boyhood home in Denmark, "The Old Town," Jacob A. Rils says that he does not remember that there were at any time more than two lawyers in the place. One was good, the other bad—not a bad lawyer perhaps, but reputed to be tricky, whereas the other was known to be honest.
 It is therefore perhaps the best character I can give my people when I record the fact, writes Mr. Rils, that when two farmers quarreled, each sure that he was right, they made haste to hitch up to get first to the honest lawyer, and usually that was the end of the quarrel, for the last in the race was willing to make peace.
 They used to tell of two well to do neighbors who had fallen out over a line fence and started simultaneously for town. Both had good teams, and they were well matched in the race.
 For half an hour they drove silently alongside, each on his own side of the road, grimly urging on their horses, but neither gaining a length. At last as the lights of the town came into sight, for it was evening, a trace broke on one of the rigs, and the horses stopped. The other team whirled away in a cloud of dust.
 "Hans," the beaten one called after him, and he halted and looked back, "are you going after Lawyer —?" naming the square one.
 "I am that!" came back.
 "Then let's go back. I'm beat."
 And back home they went and made it up.

A MERCENARY MARRIAGE.

Romance of Lady March and the Second Duke of Richmond.
 One of the mercenary marriages which turned out happily was that of the second Duke of Richmond. He was married to Lady Sarah Cadogan as part of an agreement that her father's gambling debts should be canceled, Lord March (as he then was) being eighteen and the bride thirteen. Immediately after the wedding Lord March's tutor took him off to the continent for the grand tour, and Lady Sarah went back to her nursery. This is the sequel as told by Lady Russell in "The Rose Goddess."
 "Three years elapsed. Lord March returned from his travels, but, having such an uninteresting recollection of his bride, was in no hurry to claim her and went the first evening of his return to London to the opera. There he noticed that all eyes—and lognettes—were directed to one box, where, surrounded by several persons, sat a most beautiful young creature. Turning to a man beside him, he asked who she was. "You must be a stranger in London," was the answer, "not to know the reigning toast of the town, the beautiful Lady March!" Lord March lost no time in going to the box and introducing himself to his bride, with whom he ever after lived so affectionately that their devotion to one another became proverbial."

The Lottery in Cuba.

No country can hope to prosper which not merely permits but actually encourages gambling. The Cuban government expected to get a large part of its revenue from the national lottery, only to find the amount falling far below expectations, not because the lottery is waning in popularity, but simply because the steady drain on the resources of the poor has deprived them of the means of buying more tickets. Soon after the lottery was introduced there began a significant and steadily increasing rise in the number of ejections for nonpayment of rents. Schoolteachers, too, tell harrowing stories of children unable to go to school because of lack of shoes or others practically starving because every cent went in the lottery.—Leslie's.

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