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WATFORD OLD BOYS' REUNION MONDAY AND TUESDAY, August 19th and 20th

SQUIBOGRAPHS.

Prof. Hau has been convicted of murder. G-e-e!

If Toronto wins the Eastern League pennant it looks like Mr. John Thoney for mayor for 1908.

The Doukhobors are out on another pajama parade and the prairie on the line of march is strewn with sheep skin lingerie.

The Japs have ordered a dozen balloons in Germany, an evidence that there is considerable hot air in this talk about war.

The Emperor of Korea was given the alternative of losing his throne or his block. He showed his good judgment by retaining his head.

Mark Twain had no trouble with the customs officers on arriving at New York. His white dress suit and jokes showed evidence of previous wear.

A prominent Torontonian on being asked for his opinion regarding changing the name of the university replied, "Taint no use changin', let her be."

A circus train was wrecked in Michigan the other day and an excited employee asked the clown where he could get a wrench, who told him to inquire of the monkey.

An inspector has been appointed to inspect the school teachers. There is still a vacancy for an inspector to inspect the inspectors who inspect.

The next meeting of the Bottle Blow-ers' Association will be held in Milwaukee. The delegates will have an opportunity of demonstrating their blowing capacity on the liquid that made Milwaukee famous.

Bartel, the millionaire brewer, who escaped from custody while in Osgoode Hall the other day, claims to be out \$300,000. After running the gauntlet of the numerous lawyers who frequent that building, he can congratulate himself on saving his hose.

As the result of a popularity contest the Toronto World is sending a bevy of young ladies over on a trip to Europe. Several of the young bachelors on the staff of that journal have applied for the position of first mate on the boat that conveys the party across.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

SPECIAL sale men's shirts, 49c.—SWIFTS. Did you see the eclipse of the moon Wednesday night?

VALDERMAN BROWN is confined to the house with an attack of mumps.

The Stratroy bowlers will play the return match with Watford next week.

J. MATHEW'S handsome new residence on Front St. is approaching completion.

There was trouble in the sky Wednesday night. The moon was so mad it got black in the face.

The last Gazette reports the organization of the Watford Milling Co. with a capitalization of \$40,000.

LADIES' white belts, 2 for a quarter.—SWIFTS.

The Rev. R. Hay is filling Rev. Mr. Maxworthy's appointments while the latter is away for his vacation.

The heavy electrical storm that visited this section Wednesday evening did considerable damage in London and vicinity.

Any candidate who has not yet received Entrance Certificate can obtain same by sending notice to Inspector Barnes at Petrolia.

"How did you come out with your law suit?" "I won it." "Get damages?" "Rather. I got almost enough to pay my lawyer."

GREAT clearing shoe sale still on. Everything to be sold at cost price.—D. C. PARKER.

The headquarters of the Knights of the Maccabees of the World may be moved from Port Huron to Detroit. No immediate change is likely, however.

MRS. CLANCY: Do O hear it rainin', Michael? Mr. Clancy: Be gorry, Norah, rainin' hard it is. Faith, if O wor gon' out, O'd shtay in th' house.

MRS. G. HULL, of Owen Sound, will sing a solo in the Methodist church on Sunday evening. Mrs. Hull is a talented vocalist and will be well worth hearing.

The death took place at Grimsby on Saturday of Theo VanDyke, husband of Miss Margaret Blair, formerly of Watford. The funeral took place on Tuesday.

CHILDREN'S white hose, American goods, laces and ribbons.—SWIFTS. At the Masonic Grand Lodge held in Ottawa last week Judge MacWatt, of Sarnia, was elected Deputy Grand Master and A. Thoman, of Arkona, D. D. G. M., for St. Clair district.

About thirty passengers from Watford took in the Stratroy civic holiday excursion to Detroit Tuesday. The train reached Watford about two a. m. on the return trip.

GEORGE BUSKIN, agent and missionary for the International Evangelical and Colportage Mission, paid Watford a visit this week. The contributions here amounted to \$5.25.

In a Calgary paper received from H. F. McKenzie we notice that the gate receipts of the fair recently held in that city amounted to nearly four thousand dollars. Not so bad for the west.

LADIES' linen and white duck picnic hats, open to-day, 35 and 40 cents.—SWIFTS.

Use a silver knife to peel apples and hands will not be blackened as when a steel knife is used. The acid of the fruit (acetic acid) acts on the iron in this latter case, but does not affect the silver.

MRS. MARTYR: I must say, Jane, that I am not altogether pleased with your cooking. Jane: "It ain't to be expected you should be at first, ma'am, but you'll get educated up to it in time."

The Watford electric light plant will be shut down next week while the plant is being transferred and installed. Light users will please bear this in mind, and make the necessary arrangements.

DON'T miss this opportunity of procuring a pair of high grade shoes at first cost at D. S. Parker's clearing sale.

KEY: Fader, I had made a mistake, in giving der change to dot last customer. I gave him nine pence too little. His father: Vell, Ikkey, some wise man has said dot ve should try to profit by our mistakes.

R. AND W. Kettle Petrolia, shipped three carloads of horses and wagons to Regina on Saturday last. Included in the shipment was Captain Sphinx, Jessie Rogers and six or seven other well known turf performers.

MERCHANTS and others desiring advertising in the illustrated portion of the Old Boy's Souvenir issue of the Guide-Advocate, must please have copy in hand on Friday (today) as the columns must be closed up.

FRANK RESTORICK expects to leave on Saturday with a car load of horses for Winnipeg and the west. The shipment includes 16 extra good heavy horses, and two speedy drivers. Percy Restorick will also go up in charge of the stock.

We have received the initial number of the Dundurn Enterprise, a bright newsy sheet published in the thriving little town of Dundurn, Sask. Among the list of advertisers is F. E. Livingstone, druggist, a Watford old boy who is doing well in the west.

8 MEN'S light two-piece suits, \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$6.50. Regular price \$6.00, \$7.50 and \$9.00.—SWIFTS. EVERY column in a newspaper contains from 10,000 to 20,000 distinct pieces of metal, the displacement of any of which causes a blunder or typographical error. Yet some people lay claim to a phenomenally brilliant mind if they can discover an error in a newspaper.

It got the Stratroy Junior Lacrosse team \$24 for their little disorderly outing in Watford on the occasion of their visit here, which will probably be a lesson to them to conduct themselves properly the next time they leave home. The case was settled out of court.

Among the newly incorporated stock companies, listed in the "Monetary Times" is the "Ontario Timber & Land Co.", with capital stock \$100,000. The incorporators are given as J. H. Fairbank, Petrolia; W. D. Lunnings, Toronto; and K. H. Kittermaster, Sarnia. Headquarters are in Sarnia.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Wm. Higgins, whose death occurred on Friday, took place Sunday afternoon to St. James' cemetery, 6th line, and was very largely attended. The service was conducted by the Rev. S. P. Irwin. Deceased, who was 80 years of age, was one of the old residents of Brooke.

Among the candidates who were successful in the recent examination in connection with the London Conservatory of Music, two were the pupils of Miss Jessie Dewar, A. L. C. M. Miss Kate Cooper received First Class Honors in Junior Piano and honors in Rudiments. Miss Jessie McPhedran First Class Honors in Junior Piano.

U. S. CONSUL Neff McMillan, of Sarnia has completed his returns for the fiscal year ending June 30, showing the exports from the Sarnia district to the United States to have amounted to \$1,638,159.58. The principal exports were as follows in the order mentioned: Lumber, horses, sheep, latin and shingle, staves, ties and flax, beans and clover seed. There was a considerable increase in the amount of goods exported over that of last year, showing that Uncle Sam appreciates Canadian products.

J. AND R. McGillicuddy have purchased the imported Clydesdale Stallion, Prince Otto, from C. McKeigan, of Stratroy. Prince Otto is one of the finest specimens of a Clydesdale ever brought to this section and has demonstrated that he is a grand stock horse. Prince Otto will be an acquisition that high class breeders will appreciate.

MISS CADENHEAD, the young lady who was accidentally shot and killed at the American Soo on Monday by a prison guard, while visiting friends there, was well known in Stratroy and had been visiting friends there recently. Mr. G. M. Cadenhead, who was with his sister at the time of the awful accident, is a brother-in-law of Sheriff Cameron, London, his wife dying there some years ago very suddenly.

BOY'S blouses, large sizes, 25 cents; tweed pants, 35 cents.—SWIFTS.

CHIEF PENGELLY, of Sarnia, received word yesterday to be on the lookout for a horse stolen at Camachie. The animal is a bay, with jack on right hind leg, 14 years old; hitched to open buggy with rubber dash rug. The party driving the horse is a Frenchman, dark complexion, about 5 feet 8 inches, wears dark suit and goes by the name of Fred Joseph. He has a gramophone with him.

BUS SERVICE.—Arrangements have been made for a bus service to the Congregational Church social at J. McCormick's, Kingscourt, this (Thursday) evening. Busses will leave the F. O. corner at 7 p. m. Parties contemplating going will please notify J. J. Spackman or Frank Morris as early as possible, so that the required number of rigs can be provided. Return fare 20c., children 10c.

The marriage took place at Chicago, on Thursday, July 18th, of Mr. W. F. Percival, of the head office of the Bank of Toronto, Toronto, to Miss Emma McKenzie, of that city. Mr. and Mrs. Percival are spending the honeymoon on the lakes. The groom is a well known Watford old boy, and many old friends join in congratulations. The bride is a former esteemed and popular Petrolia young lady.

REMEMBER the dress goods sale at Swift's.

A **JUVENILE** base ball team known as the "Cubs," journeyed to Alvington Wednesday afternoon and did battle with the "Wire Grass" nine of that town. The Cubs started in like Texas leaguers, but blew up in the fatal 7th, and when the smoke cleared away the score board announced 7-7 in favor of Alvington. The battery was trained down to the edge, average weight 47 lbs. 9 oz. "Die Empire" came in for considerable criticism during the game.

MR. FITZHUGH, third vice-president G.T.R.; W. G. Brownlee, manager of transportation, and Mr. U. E. Gillen, superintendent, arrived in Toronto yesterday from Sarnia, where they have spent a couple of days in connection with the Sarnia tunnel work. They are pleased with the progress made in the work of putting in the electrical machinery and expect to have the best equipped and safest tunnel in America when the work is done.

An incident happened at the recent K. O. T. M. convention in Detroit. S. W. Trusler, of Camachie, Ont., and G. W. Sulman, of Chatham, Ont., were elected to high offices. When this was announced a number of representatives from the United States jumped to their feet and started God Save the King. Everyone joined in, and when the singing stopped the Canadians started America. It was a pretty exchange of compliments.

MEN'S Pearl hats, special discount.—SWIFTS.

RASPBERRY canes have been very slow to leaf out all over the country. The late spring was blamed for this until recently it was seen that the bushes have suffered greatly during the past winter and spring. Around Walkerton it is reported that the berry bushes are nearly all dead. We will not have over one-third of a crop of berries this year, if one can judge by the look of the canes. The district between London and Toronto and also further east report the same trouble with the raspberries.

The number of deaths occurring among young children during the summer months is simply appalling. In the city of Montreal last week, 175 children under the age of five years died, and nearly all the deaths were due to stomach and bowel troubles. With ordinary care most of these little lives might have been saved. Watch the food given the little ones. Do not feed meats; see that the milk given is pure, and give an occasional dose of Baby's Own Tablets, a medicine which surpasses all others in preventing and curing stomach and bowel troubles.

6 PIECES light tweed mixed dress goods, left from last week's special, sale price, 38c., regular 50 and 60.—SWIFTS.

HAY harvest is progressing well and the crop as a whole will be fair. Some fields are very light, but generally the yield is much better than at one time looked for. Fall wheat harvest will be very late. The grain has not begun to ripen, and harvest will not be until well along in August. There is very little fall wheat acreage, many fields having been plowed up on account of the poor showing in the spring, but what there is looks very well considering the unfavorable early season. Oats are going to be a poor crop, on account of a blight, which is turning the leaves black. The trouble is new in this district, and farmers do not understand it. Potatoes promise to be the best crop in years, but corn is backward and does not promise a very good yield.—Canadian.

PERSONAL.

Dwight Glass returned from the west Sunday.

Miss Loretta Roche is visiting relatives in Stratford.

Miss Pidgeon, Sarnia, is the guest of Mr. E. D. Swift.

Dr. A. J. Cameron returned to Nebraska Friday evening.

F. H. Lawrence, Echo Bay, spent Tuesday at his home here.

Miss Lena Cook, Owosso, Mich., is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. J. Morrow, Stratroy, is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. Smith.

Miss Winnie Tye, Stratford, is spending a week at her home here.

Harold and Ernest Lawrence went up to the Soo on the Sarnic Monday.

Regina Roche, Stratford, is spending her vacation at her uncle's, Mr. D. Roche.

Miss Gertrude L. Smith left last week to visit relatives in Sarnia and Port Huron.

R. E. McDiarmid and Dr. P. P. Winn, Alvington, spent Sunday with Watford friends.

W. B. Forbes, of the H. S. staff, and family left for Toronto Wednesday to spend the holidays.

Misses Saidee and Gertie Sturgeon, Carleton Place, are visiting friends in Watford and vicinity.

Mr. J. P. Brown and Miss Brown, of Sarnia, visited the former's daughter, Mrs. H. R. Stuart, last week.

Dr. and Mrs. R. A. Hume returned to Bloomfield, Mo., Monday, after a few weeks visit with relatives here.

Rev. S. P. Irwin and family left for London Wednesday and will spend their vacation in that city and vicinity.

Miss Celia Glass, Toronto, and Miss Mary Glass, Toledo, are spending their vacation at their home on the 6th line.

McGillicuddy, T. Roche, W. D. Cameron and F. W. Rogers took in the Blue Ribbon meet at Detroit Tuesday.

Mrs. Geo. E. Vance, who has been visiting her father, Wm. Smith, 4th line, returned to her home in Springfield, Ohio, Monday.

Mrs. Leon Marshall and Master Gregory of Hubbard Lake, Mich., are spending a few weeks with Mrs. W. D. Cameron, Erie St.

Mrs. Wm. Graham and Arthur Graham Burlington, and Harold Howden, Berlin, attended the Graham-Howden wedding here on Wednesday.

H. Birmingham, accountant in the local branch of the Merchants Bank, has been transferred to Acton and will be succeeded by J. S. Davidson, of the Acton branch.

We are pleased to note the name of Miss Olive Stuart, a former Sarnia pupil, heads the list of those who passed with honors from the Watford public school at the recent examinations, having obtained 534 marks.—Sarnia Canadian.

GRAHAM-HOWDEN.

A quiet wedding was solemnized in the Congregational church, Watford, on Wednesday, July 24th, when the Rev. M. Kelly, pastor, joined in wedlock Mabel Maud, third daughter of Mr. S. B. Howden to Henry A. Graham, of Burlington. Mr. and Mrs. Graham left on the three o'clock express for Toronto. On Thursday they leave for a trip down the St. Lawrence. Montreal and Quebec and up the Saguenay river. Mr. and Mrs. Graham will be at home in Burlington after Oct. 1st.

PUBLIC SCHOOL BOARD.

Minutes of a special meeting of the Watford Public School Board held in their Board Room on Thursday, July 18th, at 7 p. m.

Present: W. E. Fitzgerald, chairman; E. D. Swift, T. Harris and E. A. Brown. The following tenders for painting the Public School building, as per specifications, were opened and read: A. D. Hone, \$130.00; Thorner Bros., \$135.00; Miller & Hamilton, \$90.00; Wm. Phair, \$90.00.

Brown-Swift, and carried, that we accept the tender of Miller & Hamilton of \$90.00, for the painting of school building according to specifications. The Repair and Supply Committee to see that all work is done according to specifications. All materials used to be purchased in town.

Brown-Harris, and Carried, the Board adjourned.

D. WATT, Sec'y.

FUNERAL OF THE LATE MARTIN WILLOUGHBY.

The remains of the late Martin Willoughby, who was drowned at Vermilion, Ohio, on Sunday July 14th, arrived here Friday morning in charge of his father, Mr. T. H. Willoughby, and accompanied by Messrs. W. E. Bailey, C. A. Mattison, C. F. Decker and F. C. McConnelly, of Vermilion. The funeral took place the same afternoon from the family residence Rachel St., to the Watford cemetery. The service was conducted by the Rev. S. W. Muxworthy, pastor of the Watford Methodist Church, assisted by the Rev. T. B. Coupland. Deceased was a member of Ely Lodge, No. 424, A. F. & A. M. Vermilion, and the members of Havlock Lodge No. 238 A. F. & A. M. attended in a body. The pall bearers were Bros.

Bailey, Mattison and Decker of Ely Lodge, and Fitzgerald, Swift and Kelly of Havlock. The Masonic service was conducted by Right Wor. Bro. James Newell, M. D. Mr. Willoughby speaks in terms of grateful appreciation of the kindness and sympathy shown him by the members of the Masonic fraternity and citizens of Vermilion generally. They rendered every assistance in their power in the search for the body and in other ways and the family and friends will never forget the good people of the Ohio town. The body was picked up about seven miles from where the accident occurred. The Ohio brethren, who accompanied the remains, returned home on Friday evening. During their stay in town they were the guests of Havlock Lodge.

WARWICK.

Miss Elba Foster, London, visited friends here last week.

Miss Annie McGill, of Toledo, is spending the holidays at her home on the 6th line.

Will Thomas, who has been spending the past month with his cousin, Dr. Orville Thomas, North Branch, Mich., is home for the holidays.

The name of Anabel McKenzie was omitted from the list of candidates who passed the H. S. entrance exam. Miss McKenzie has since received her certificate.

Miss Meryl J. Luckham, Birnam, who attended the exams of the Toronto College of Music held in Sarnia in June obtained first class honors in her 2nd year piano.

Mrs. W. A. Stewart, and her little daughter Blanche, have returned home to Detroit after spending two months visiting in Warwick and Brooke, accompanied by her little niece, Gertrude.

The visit of Mr. A. E. Thomas, prosecuting attorney of Allen Co., Ind., and family and Miss Winnifred Thomas was the occasion of a "Kith and Kin" picnic at Kettle Pt. on Saturday, July 20th. Relations to the number of about 50 assembled and a very enjoyable day was spent. It is six years since Mr. Thomas was here on his wedding trip. He is an old Forest boy and a nephew of Mrs. Geo. Smith and Mrs. Thos. Luckham.

While at the picnic at Kettle Pt., Saturday, Reece Thomas put on a pair of tennis shoes and feeling a painful stinging in one foot removed the shoe to find some kind of an insect clinging to the foot. He killed the insect, but suffered a good deal with his foot the rest of the day. On reaching home the foot was very much inflamed and swollen and the next day he consulted Dr. Copeland, Arkona, who advised that he go to London hospital for treatment.

Present for Mr. Hanna.

Hon. W. J. Hanna has been made the recipient of an interesting gift from Mexico. It is a most curiously carved staff of coffee wood, the work of an ancient Mexican chief, and is supposed to record his political victories.

It is reported that the staff has magical properties which give its possessor extraordinary influence when "on stump." Life-like presentations of the vanquished opponents of the aboriginal designer are delineated upon the staff, and curious persons have traced resemblances in these to leading members of his majesty's loyal opposition in Ontario.

The whole staff is covered over with quaint designs and is an excellent specimen of the artistic qualities of the patient Indian.

The foregoing is how the Toronto World describes a present that the member for West Lambton has been made the recipient of.

Salvation Army's Colonization Plan.

The much-talked-of colonization project of the Salvation Army has gone another step farther, quite recently. It is now reported that Senator Cox will loan the Army some \$50,000 to help forward the scheme.

As the matter now stands the Government is to sell the Salvationists ten townships in the great clay belt, comprising some 230,000 acres in the neighborhood of Nipissing and Algoma. The price will be 25c an acre, to be paid in ten yearly instalments. The army will locate 144 settlers on every township, giving each the usual homestead holding of 160 acres. These homesteads will be sold to the settlers at easy rates, thus enabling them to be independent.

Normal Appointments.

The new Normal Schools will not be ready until September, 1908. In the meantime, however, the three existing Normal Schools at London, Toronto and Ottawa, are being reorganized on the new basis, and in accordance therewith the following have been appointed assistants, two to each of the three schools:

- S. J. Radcliffe, B. A., Principal, London C. I.
- S. A. Morgan, B. A., D. Paed., English Master at Haysilton C. I.
- D. D. Mosnier, B. A., B. Paed., P. S. Inspector for West Lambton.
- D. Walker, B. A., P. S. Inspector, Peterboro.
- S. Silcox, B. A. D. Paed., P. S. Inspector St. Thomas.
- J. F. Power, M. A. Inspector Separate Schools, London.

It is understood that the appointments to the new Normal Schools will not be made for some months.

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The London Disaster.

The London disaster by which the collapse of a mercantile building kills eight people and injures a score, serves to emphasize the fact that this terrible fatality might have been avoided if sufficient precautions had been taken.

Any building in which large numbers of people resort in the way of trade is a public building and should be inspected and regulated as such. The price of safety in this matter, as in others, is eternal vigilance on the part of the officials to whom these duties are assigned.

The London building was under repairs, business going on meanwhile. It is stated that there was a fire some years ago when the walls and the foundations may have been weakened. This was a combination of circumstances which should have caused everybody to be careful, but to which nobody seems to have paid any particular attention. The alteration of a building without interrupting business is an every day occurrence in big cities. The public does not ask a merchant to lose money while he is making improvements, but it does ask that safety of life and limb be considered. The architect, too, has a serious responsibility. Before alterations are undertaken by which a piece of building is torn away here and another piece put there, he should have figured his changed weights and stresses with the greatest exactness. Often a great deal is left to chance. There are buildings in Toronto which, any architect will tell you, are standing against all the laws of nature and mathematics.

The Country and the Town.

"God made the country, but man made the town." This, we submit, is a truth from which it does not necessarily follow that everything about the country is as it should be, and everything about the city the reverse.

In fact, it seems time to put forever to sleep the fallacy that vice haunts the city while virtue lives and thrives where there are no electric lights, and every man has his own milk factory.

The statistics, of course, seem to prove this; but statistics will prove anything, not being equipped with a conscience, and there is grim humor in the circumstances that it is the city's superior facilities for collecting data that help to fix on the city the stigma of being the center of crime.

In town when a man gets drunk the ubiquitous policeman runs him in

For that Dandruff

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he gets \$1 and costs the next morning and his name adds another unit to the city's crime list. When the same individual gets drunk in the country he simply goes to sleep under a tree and nobody knows anything more about it.

A moment's reflection will convince anyone, also, that because the man in the country does not commit crime as often as the man in the city, it does not necessarily prove that he is any more virtuous; it may merely indicate that he lacks the opportunity. If the nearest saloon were only a block away instead of ten miles distant, it might be different.

Then there are other evidences that city people are not so nearly depraved as residents of the rural districts. Do we ever rustle cattle in Toronto? Has anybody in this city in years been found guilty of sheep stealing? Do we put Paris green in our neighbors' wells? Do we rob our neighbors' grain bins, set fire to our neighbors' bank barns, or hamstring our neighbors' oxen? We grow not, and yet they do all that sort of thing in some parts of the country sometimes.

Away with the pretensions. We are just as good as they are, if we do say it ourselves.—Star.

Vacation and Change.

This is the time of the year when most people take their vacations and enjoy periods which run usually from a week to a month of release from care and toil. Residents of the mountains seek the plains and valleys, those in prairies and valleys go to the mountains; those of the island seek the seashore, and bathe in the salt waters and listen to the ceaseless beating of the surf; those in the treeless belt hunt for a wooded country; city dwellers desire the quiet of the country, while the country people like the roar and bustle of the city.

What people on vacation want quite as much as rest and recreation is a complete change as possible from their regular and usual environment, just as a commercial traveller, when he has a vacation, enjoys himself by remaining quietly at home, the place most loved by him and where he spends the least of his time when on duty. Although the late Russell Sage declared that vacations were unnecessary, but few agree with him. And most mankind find that a short cessation from work, and new surroundings, is a wonderful tonic for the health and spirits and a conservator of energy.

The Oat Crop.

Reports to hand in Ontario prove the oat crop in the lake shore district east of Toronto and all through Western Ontario to be most unpromising, to put it mildly. The grain has assumed a reddish-yellow tinge, caused by the appearance of a rusty color upon the leaves. This is due we feel assured, to the depredation of a small aphid or green louse that sucks the sap from the leaves and causes the blotches of rust to appear. Upon examination of some fields near Toronto numerous green bugs were found upon the affected stalks.

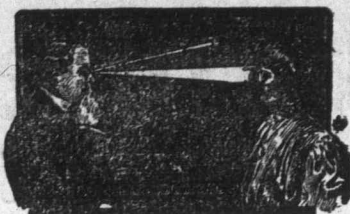
It will be remembered that the early reports about the Kansas and Western States wheat crops were rife with the ravages of the green bug. This helped to cause the sensational rise in wheat prices and it has been a factor all along in the markets.

This same green bug has made its appearance further north and the variety of pests just now feasting on the farmers' hard earned crops is the same green bug on the States. The field attacked has its growth checked, the leaves assume a rusty color, and in badly infested places it looks as if a fire or frost has caused the destruction. Some fields east of Toronto will not be half a crop. The stock, being deprived of the leaf sap, is unable to send up a vigorous shot-blade.

It means much for the farmers and feeders of Ontario. Oats are high now on the market, while hay is not much better than half a crop. Cattle feeders and dairymen who have not provided for the silo will feel the pinch most. However, the warning is here, and he will be a wise man who puts in some late forage crop for fall feeding.

We are not so bad but that worse things might happen. The sowing of some rape, millet or other crop will do much yet to ward off the bankruptcy of the oat granary. Happily a good average of corn has been planted and we are having ideal weather for its growth.

It is another instance of the great benefits to be derived from mixed farming. The failure in any one department does not leave the farmer helpless. He can readjust himself in the farm economy so as to tide over the



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farm deficiency. A country where only one thing is done finds the crop a calamity not easily averted. Ontario is not so.—World.

Things the North Needs.

Hon. Dr. Reame, Minister of Public Works, returned last week from his trip north. In the course of an interview the Minister said that roads and bridges were needed in that new country in the Rainy River district which was able to stand considerable settlement. But the Government must encourage the pioneers and help them along with roads and bridges. There were several grievances mentioned which were out of their jurisdiction. The question of the mail service and the opening up of the Indian reserves must be settled by the Dominion Government. He found also that the colonization act of last session had proved very satisfactory in the north.

Will Go to England to Look After Ontario's Welfare.

It is said that Hon. Mr. Monteith, the minister of agriculture, will shortly go to England to look into matters connected with emigration as it affects this province. Some difficulties have arisen in connection with the payment of the Dominion bonus on emigrants directed to this province by special agents from Ontario. It is also thought that too many emigrants from the cities and towns of the old land, are being sent out, where as there is a great demand from all parts of the province from farmers who require particularly the services of men who are experienced in farm work.

Sugar Takes a Drop.

A despatch from New York announces a reduction on all grades of refined sugar of ten cents per hundred pounds, a most unusual occurrence on the eve of the "preserving season." As a rule a change in New York is reflected almost at once in the Canadian market, but trade in sugar has been so quiet that local wholesalers do not anticipate any general movement one way or the other. Indications are that the housewife's "dollarsworth" will not be any larger for the present.

Big Twine Shipment.

Kingston, Ont., July 17.—The largest shipment of binder twine ever sent out from any factory in Ontario was loaded on the steamer Advance to be taken westward. The consignment consists of eight carloads, the output of the penitentiary plant. The twine goes to the Farmers' Association in Alberta. The prices paid are: For 550 feet, mixed, 11 cents a pound; 600 feet, pure, 11 1/2 cents.
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Hurled in Ditch by Auto.

St. Thomas, Ont. July 19.—Albert Sharpe, of this city, while riding home from Port Stanley on his bicycle was run down and hurled into the ditch by an automobile. No warning of approach was given and the chauffeur never stopped to ascertain how seriously injured the man was. Charles Wannecott picked the injured man up and conveyed him to town in his auto. Sharpe is suffering from injuries to his back and internal hurts.

Post Office for Glencoe.

Glencoe, July 16.—Mr. W. S. Calvert, M. P., was in town last week, and as a result of his visit the site for the new post office has been chosen. The office will be built at the north end of the town, on vacant property owned by Mrs. Simms. As in all similar cases, a difference of opinion prevailed as the most suitable place at which to locate the office.

The people on the south side wanted it a convenient point for them, while the north side held contrary views. In order to make it convenient for those living on the south side it is the intention of Mr. Calvert to place four letter boxes at different points on that side, and someone appointed for the purpose will collect the mail several times a day. This is an admirable arrangement and it should suit everyone concerned.

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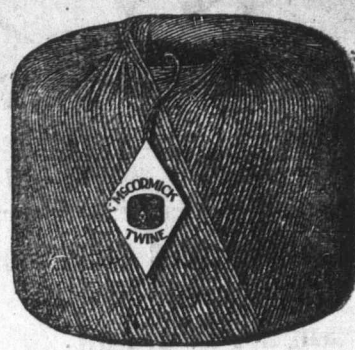
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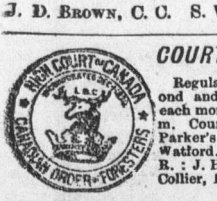
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A visit to England! This was the dream of my boyhood. Though I had never seen those shores, yet like every Canadian, I looked upon that country as the Homeland and resolved that I would somehow or other like to visit the little country that gave us Chaucer, Wycliffe, Shakespeare, Cromwell, Gladstone and Salisbury. To wander among the sacred cloisters of Westminster, to explore the dark dungeons of the tower of London, to mount the battlements of Royal Windsor, to ramble among the hills and lanes that Goldsmith, Wordsworth and Tennyson have immortalised—this, no mean ambition—became the subject of many a day dream. But how is such a trip, involving a great outlay, to be undertaken by a student, who is still dependent upon an allowance from home or upon his own exertions during the holidays, for what means are at his command. It was a serious problem because I was not free to add the cost of a tour through the Motherland to the already heavy responsibilities of a long and expensive course at Toronto University.

In order to save the expense of an ocean voyage I decided to join with five other college boys and work our way on a cattle ship. The cattlemen immediately sized us up as "green" and we were the butt of many a joke. We left Toronto on Monday evening May 22, and after a somewhat rough start in an "old coach" we arrived safely in Montreal the following day. We spent a few days sightseeing in the great city of Canada, viewing Mount Royal, and Notre Dame Cathedral and other important places. We left Canada on Saturday steaming out of the harbor and sailing down the mighty St. Lawrence. Most of the gentlemen would score to speak without punctuating every other word with an oath and for thirteen days we were treated to language which would not look well in a Sunday School paper. We got a view of life, however, that could not be obtained in another way and hereafter we will face social problems from a more sympathetic standpoint, but on the whole we were well used by the men and we shall long remember their kindness to us. We had only been out a few days when a great gale sprang up and the great steamer pitched in a manner that compels one to think internally. We were reminded of the words of the poet.

"The motion of the ocean
Is glorious from the strand,
But you get another notion
When you're not upon the land."

When the day's work was over we would gather at and sing college songs and drink of the land of the setting sun and home, after eleven days we sighted land and in less than two days more we reached that city of all cities—London. Its memory is filled with pleasant associations, great people and great events. We spent a week here learning something of the ways of the country and as an illustration of our first "ways" at a down-town restaurant we were met by a list of cheeses. The host asked one of us. "Will you have cheese Mr. J.—?" "If you please" "Do you prefer camembert, gruyere, gorgonzola or cheddar?" "Ah h-h-h-I'll take cheese if you please." The sights of old London are beyond description. We stand at the corner of the Bank of England in the midst of the never-ceasing throng, with the Mansion House and Royal Exchange at hand, while from the centre radiate the great thoroughfares the names of which we have so often heard, Threadneedle street, Cheapside, etc. We spend hours in the British Museum. We see Turner's pictures in the national art gallery; we go shopping in Regent street and drop into lunch in Piccadilly Circus. We roam leisurely through the Zoological Gardens and Royal Botanical Gardens. We visit many other places of great interest, attending divine service in the great St. Pauls and Westminster Abbey, and worshipping in John Wesley's old church. "The City Road Chapel" where Rev. Tinsdale Young spoke from the same pulpit in which the great founder of Methodism stood in bygone days. We also hear speakers whose influence is world-wide, as Rev. R. J. Campbell of the city temple.

After spending a week in London, we separate and go in different directions, some to the south and some to the north. My lot is cast, just at present in Staffordshire,

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near Longton is the most noted "pottery" district in the world. Just a word regard in the people. It is a common impression and, I believe, a false one—that the people of England are so slow that they may be imposed upon. That they are deliberate is a fact, but that their deliberation is associated with ignorance is the reverse of the truth and that he may be imposed upon is an idea that the native honesty and straightforward faith of an Old Countryman would hold in disdain. Their manners and customs around the home and the farm seem somewhat "ancient" as cattle, horses, swine and chickens live in close proximity to the house in which the people themselves dwell. It seems strange to hear cattle feeding on the other side of the wall of the room in which you are dining, but there are many customs which become so familiar that they cause no surprise.

To stand on some high hill and look over the landscape, you behold a scene which is almost beyond description,—the green and winding hedges—the rippling brooks—the beautiful foliage in forest and field and castles and buildings which speak of time long passed. One in particular stands before us an old church built by the crusaders in the churchyard, the tombstones, old and worn, date back as early as 1700 A. D. and yet the writing is quite legible. To one living in this present age the inscription seems rather odd,—as one dating 1753 reads.

"A pale consumption gave the fatal blow
The stroke was certain, the effect was slow,
With wasting pain death found me long oppressed
Pitied my sighs and kindly gave me rest."

Thus could be continued the description of the wonderful scenery in this motherland—but time and space would fail to give even a brief sketch of all that I have already seen. But my dream is being gradually formed into a reality and after spending three or four months here I feel that I shall return to college with fresh vigor for the next year's work.

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In making his annual appeal to the readers of Ontario newspapers for information which will enable him to locate the children and youth of both sexes who are eligible for admission as pupils of the School for the Blind at Brantford, Principal Gardiner asks the GUIDE-ADVOCATE to call public attention to the need for some institution where the adult blind may be instructed and employed. General experience has demonstrated the advisability of combining a workshop for adults with a school for children under one management, yet the blind adults, who far outnumber the children of school age, should be no longer neglected. In New York State, it has been ascertained by careful inquiry that out of 6,008 blind persons only 584, or 9.72 per cent. of the total number, are under 21 years of age; 3,193, or 53.14 per cent., are over 60 years of age; while 1,375, or 22.88 per cent., are between the ages of twenty-one and fifty—in the prime of life and capable of being rendered in whole or in part self-supporting. It is probable that the percentages in Ontario are similar to those in New York. Many lose their sight by accident after passing school age, and many who have been blind from birth or childhood need help and direction in order to work profitably. In California, Connecticut, Wisconsin work shops or "homes" have been provided, and in Washington, Colorado and other States the matter has been taken up by Women's Clubs and other associations of philanthropic ladies, whose influence upon public opinion and the Legislatures will certainly effect the desired result.

The first necessity is to get an accurate knowledge of the facts, and to this end Mr. Gardiner will gladly receive information relating to blind residents of Ontario of all ages (names and post-office addresses.) Those under twenty-one years of age, not deficient in intellect, and free from disease and physical infirmity, who are blind, or whose sight is so defective that they are unable to read ordinary type and attend a school for the seeing without serious injury to the sight, should attend the school at Brantford, which is maintained by the Provincial Government for their benefit. A letter or post card, addressed to the Principal, will receive immediate attention.

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Ontario Wheat.

A few years ago, before wheat-growing in the Great West had reached anything like its present proportions, Ontario farmers carted their own wheat to the nearest mill, and during the grinding talked politics with their neighbors till the time to return contentedly with feed or flour for home use. If at that time some soothsayer had predicted that in some sections of the province wheat growing would be abandoned on account of Western competition, and that farmers would refuse to accept flour made from their own wheat when Manitoba flour was available, they would have smiled pityingly on the poor deluded pessimist.

But this decline in the market is exactly what has happened to the Ontario farmer. Millers are now able to run only eight or ten hours a day, with the result that feed costs nearly double what it did in the days before the Western competition had cut into the market. It is safe to assert that during the last twenty years farmers of Ontario have lost millions through the decline in the demand for Ontario flour in this province.

While here in Ontario, Western flour has gained an enviable ascendancy, surprising Ontario millers have been able to compete successfully with Western flour in the Maritime Provinces, where Ontario blended flours have captured the market. Enough Western wheat is added to the finely flavored, nourishing Ontario wheat to bring up the percentage of gluten to the proper strength, and now, even in Ontario the most popular loaf sold by the largest firm of bakers is made of Ontario blended flour, and the public have been quick to respond wherever the new bread is put upon the market, as it is now shipped daily to a number of towns throughout Ontario.

What has won the unprejudiced approval of the Eastern Provinces ought to be well worth the attention of the Ontario farmers, whose interests are best served by doing all in their power to encourage the sale of Ontario wheat. As the new flours find their way into general use throughout the homes of Ontario, the wheat market will improve, and stockmen may expect to secure bran and shorts at a more reasonable figure. Increased demand for Ontario blended flour will doubtless have a great deal to do in evening up the difference in prices between Ontario and Manitoba wheat.

SCHOOL REPORTS.

The work done by the pupils of S. S. 16 and 18, Brooke and Warwick, in the examinations of this summer has been very satisfactory and the following report will be appreciated by the parents and ratepayers:—Entrance exam, total marks 650; number required to pass 390.—Alma Lucas 542 (honors), Clifford Sisson 489 (honors), Hazel Hayward 446, May Moffatt 439, Maggie Acton 411, John Bryce 403. Class II—Marks required 306.—Morley Leach 371, Reta Acton 318. Class I—Marks required 222.—Florence Thrower 245, Basil Saunders 229, Basil Hoskin 222, Velma Lucas 222.—WALTER KELLY, Teacher.

Blown off Load and Killed.

Brockville, July 22.—Details of the havoc worked by Saturday's storm are just coming to hand. A peculiar fatality occurred near North Augusta. David Hough of Augusta was blown from a load of hay and instantly killed, life being extinct when his son, just a few feet away, arrived at his side.

Delaware Barns Hit

Delaware, July 24.—Mr. Thomas Bignell, living on the third concession of Delaware, suffered a severe loss at 7 o'clock to-night, when his two barns were struck by lightning and completely destroyed. The cows were being milked when the crash came, and three of the animals were killed outright.

A young Englishman employed by Mr. Bignell, who was milking, was knocked over and rendered unconscious, but recovered later on.

Mr. Bignell had his present season's hay in the barn, and this was lost with the rest.

Few Model Schools.

Toronto, July 24.—Only five or possibly six of the existing model schools will be in operation in Ontario next year.

The government asked Mr. J. J. Tilley, provincial inspector of model schools, to institute a careful investigation and furnish the education department with a list of the model schools it was necessary or advisable to temporarily retain after the opening of the seven provincial normal schools in September, 1907.

This Mr. Tilley has done. His report, which is now undergoing preparation, will recommend the retention of the model schools at Renfrew, Sault Ste. Marie and one in the St. Lawrence dis-

trict. Many counties made vigorous pleas to have their model schools retained for a time, and the department has been repeatedly besieged with applicants with this end in view. As a consequence Mr. Tilley was commissioned to thoroughly review the whole situation and the requirements of the varied districts. His report will indicate that, with the exception of the localities mentioned, the complete removal of the county models will be accomplished by next midsummer. The coming model term will accordingly be the last in this province.

Expecting a Big Crowd.

Port Huron, Mich., July 31.—July 25, 1900 are expected in this city on September 11, 12, the dates set for this city's big homecoming celebration. The first day will be devoted to a reception of all former Port Huron residents, and the second day will be designated as "Fraternal Day," when the Knights of the Modern Maccabees and many other fraternal lodges will bring the members of their order in surrounding cities here. Twenty-seven bands, an airship, and several other forms of amusement have been provided, and an effort will be made to have Gay Warner spend two days here. The Elks of this city are making great plans to entertain their visiting brothers at their cottage at Keewahdin beach.

The Counterfeiters.

Lindsay, July 23.—Five members of the counterfeiting band under arrest here pleaded guilty before Magistrates Jackson and Moore at the court house yesterday afternoon, and were remanded until Friday for sentence. Charles Burke, Robert Logie, John Eveleigh, Richard Wynn and Archibald Boyeau, all admitted their guilt. Inspector Rogers went on the stand and told of the confessions made by Boyeau and Logie, revealing an organized conspiracy to manufacture and dispose of counterfeit Traders' Bank bills. Logie's confession included complicity in the counterfeiting of the Bank of Montreal and Dominion Bank bills three years ago, and his statement directly implicates both George Miller and John Gostling, the remaining two of the accused.

Blaze at Petrolia.

Petrolia, July 22.—A fire which caused considerable anxiety, owing to its proximity to two large lumber yards, broke out 11.30 to-night in the rear of May's elevators. Both brigades responded promptly and after half an hour's hard work succeeded in extinguishing the blaze. The damage will not be heavy.

Want a Site in Sarnia.

Sarnia, July 23.—It is possible that Sarnia may secure another industry. Representatives of an American steel tube concern were in the city yesterday looking for a site for a large manufactory erected in Canada. A deputation consisting of Mayor Proctor, J. M. Diver, president of the board of trade; Thos. Doherty, president of the Sarnia Industrial Club; T. H. Cook and J. B. Dagan, met the representatives and together they visited the Grand Trunk lands at Point Edward and the vacant lands on the Sarnia Reserve. The visitors will require forty acres of land, and would employ a large number of hands. They will submit the details of their proposition to the council at an early date.

The Canadian Government, it is stated intend to establish a fish hatchery at Point Edward, and the offices of the Crosby plant are said to have been secured for that purpose. The building will be fitted up with all the improvements and accessories of the modern hatchery.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Good house to rent or sell. Apply to T. Woods.

LOST.—In Watford on Wednesday a pearl stick pin in the shape of a wing. Finder please leave at this office.

MR. JOHN COWAN, of Cowan & Towers will during July and August be at their office in Watford on Friday night and Saturday until 3 o'clock in the afternoon. J12-2t

PAY UP.—Owing to a recent change in business all accounts due me must positively be paid on or before August 1st. Kindly give this attention. A. DUNLOP. J-19 2t

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DR. BUTLER, London, will be at Watford, Roche House, on following days: Monday, Aug. 5th; Sept. 2nd and 30th; Nov. 4th; Dec. 2nd after 3 p. m. Eye, ear, nose and throat, consultations. Eyes tested for glasses.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Willoughby and family wish to express their thanks to the members of the Masonic and Peabody lodges and to the friends, for the kindness and sympathy extended to them in their bereavement.

FOR SALE.—That desirable property on the north end of Main St., Watford, consisting of one acre. On the premises is a frame cottage and large barn. For further particulars apply on the premises to Mrs. John Cook, Watford.

ANY person who either wants to buy or sell a farm or any other property, should apply to W. E. Fitzgerald, Barrister, etc., Watford, who is prepared to act for parties in either buying or selling. Mr. Fitzgerald has several farms and considerable town property now for sale.

At the meeting of the Port Huron common council on Monday evening the aldermen killed the proposition to appropriate \$1,000 for a semicentennial celebration and home-coming.

TWO STARTLING DRESS GOODS BARGAINS.

TABLE NO. 1—400 hundred yards fancy lustre in navy, green, brown, blue, bronze and tan, 40 inch wide, neat styles in fancy effects. Splendid goods for odd skirts and children's dresses.

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ALL SHOES REDUCED 25 PER CENT.

When in looking for Shoe Bargains don't forget that we can save you money on all lines of Dry Goods and Clothing.

T. F. ROBINSON.

Ontario's Health.

Toronto, July 23.—Hon. W. J. Hanna today had a conference with Dr. Hodgetts and Dr. Sheard, provincial and city health officers respectively, in regard to health matters in general.

In reply to questions Dr. Sheard assured the minister that health conditions here compared very favorably with those in states he had visited across the line.

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It is reported that four of the teachers on the teaching staff of the Petrolia public schools have sent in resignations which will save four vacancies to be filled.

Andrew Orogan, the weak-minded va grant, recently arrested by county constable Sadler, was brought to the House of Refuge last week by High Constable Hughes.

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ARKONA

Binder twine at J. Geo. Brown's.
Miss Willman, of San Francisco, is visiting at Mr. Geo. Wilcock's.
Mrs. Smith and son, of New York, are visiting at Mr. B. Taylor's.
Miss E. M. Irwin is spending a few weeks with friends in Sarnia.
Our junior team defeated Kerwood in a friendly game at Kerwood on Thursday.
Mr. Jaynes and wife of St. Louis, Missouri, are visiting at Reeve Jayne's.
Mrs. Thos. Ticknor and daughter, Vera, are visiting at Mr. Samuel Neff's.
Mr. Frank Ross, of Port Huron, is spending a few days under the parental roof.
Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Allen, of Cairngorm are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Jas. F. Langan.
Trunks, suit cases and telescopes at J. Geo. Brown's.
Mr. Geo. Fair Jr. and Howard McKay, who have been visiting friends in and around the Ark, returned to Buffalo on Tuesday.
The many friends of Miss Estella Wilson are pleased to see that she was successful in obtaining first class honors in intermediate piano, also honors in harmony, at the recent London Conservatory of Music exams.
The London Free Press announces the marriage of Mr. John Holmes of Arkona, to Miss Susie Baynton of Parkhill, at the parsonage of Rev. Birks, London on Wednesday last. Congratulations, John.

Mr. Jas. Langan was the recipient of a suitcase from the members of the Baptist church prior to his leaving for Nipigon. The presentation was made at his home last Thursday evening. In his reply Jim thanked his many friends for their kind remembrances and expressed a deep regret in leaving a host of warm friends.

THE 12TH OF JULY IN SASKATOON.
Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Ormrod, Mr. and Mrs. Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Petty-piece, Saskatoon, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Plamondow, of Prince Albert, Manager of New Raymond Sewing Machine Company, celebrated the 12th of July, sixteen miles out on the prairie at Chase's Grove where Unity Lodge, a new lodge, were holding a picnic. It may be of interest to the brethren to know in what style they spend the 12th in the wild and woolly west, but there are a few in Ontario who might learn something from the brethren of this new country. On Sunday L. O. L. 1801, of this town with a few visiting brethren from the Lodge in the county. Met in their lodge-room at 6.30 p. m. and paraded to the Methodist Church where the Rev. Bro. Bennett preached a very able and instructive sermon. There was one hundred and fifty Orangemen in line, not too bad for a new town like this. On the 12th the brethren met in the lodge room at 7 o'clock initiated three new candidates making six for July. We then drove 16 miles to join with Unity Lodge, a new lodge just organized this spring. The day was an ideal one for outside sports. We all drove to the grounds and were pleasantly surprised to find 250 Orangemen and friends enjoying themselves to their hearts content. Tables were spread under the shade of the poplar trees and after every person had fared sumptuously the crowd gathered around a large platform and listened to some eloquent speeches delivered by a number of brethren prominent in the Order. A procession was then formed and all marched to the ball grounds. There were keenly contested games of foot and base ball. After returning to the grove another hearty luncheon was partaken of. There were cheers for the King and young lads present and for the Dominion of Canada after which all left for their homes feeling that a pleasant day had been spent.—J. G. ORMROD.

Shot Wife, But Babe Escaped.

Sunderland, July 22—Adam Lodwick of Valentyne's Corners, about four and a half miles west of this place, shot and killed his wife at an early hour Saturday morning. It seems Lodwick had been in a low state of health during the last few months, and while his wife was in bed, with a four weeks' old infant in her arms, he procured a shotgun and placed the muzzle close to his wife's face and literally blew the top of her head off. Strange to say the baby was not injured. Mr. T. H. Glendinning, J.P., and County Constable Davidson of Sunderland were telephoned for, and on arriving at Valentyne's Corners found Lodwick in an unconscious condition, seated in an arm-chair. Dr. Blanchard was sent for, and after a few hours Lodwick recovered sufficiently to acknowledge taking something from a bottle, which the doctor found to be a preparation he had left for Lodwick to take for his nerves, with which he had been troubled. Lodwick

was lodged in jail here in the evening, and will be brought before Magistrate Glendinning this afternoon at 4 o'clock. An inquest was opened at Valentyne Saturday night before Coroner Bascom of Uxbridge and adjourned to meet again this morning at 8 o'clock. The deceased lady was a daughter of Mr. Philip St. John, a highly respected farmer of Valentyne, and leaves a family of five to mourn her terrible death.

REUNION NOTES.

Are you a member?
Arrangements are being made for special train service.
Programs with list of sports will be issued in a few days.
Prizes will be given for the most comical costumes in the parade.
Posters announcing the attractions for the Reunion are out.
Two strong ball teams will play a match game on Monday afternoon.
The famous Arion Quartette, of Berlin, Canada's best, will take part in the concert.
The Program Committee met Monday evening and engaged the Arion Quartette, of Berlin.
The Executive Committee meet Friday evening to engage assistance for Reunion and other details.
It is expected that Watford troop, First Hussars and No. 4 Co. 27th Regt., will figure in the parade.
Captain Bert Collier sends greetings from Vancouver, distance alone prevents him from coming.
Less than a month to the big days. Everybody can assist in making it a success. No time for knockers.
Harvey and Kenney, of Toronto, Canada's best entertainers, will appear at the grand concert Monday evening.
The Parade Committee are busy making arrangements for the big procession on Monday. It will be the finest ever seen in Watford.
In order to give all a chance to attend the reception services Monday afternoon, members, ladies and children will be admitted free, others 15c.
The Billieing Committee will make a canvass of the town early next week. This is an occasion when every public-spirited and hospitable citizen should throw his home open, if he has any available rooms to spare.
Only a few weeks until the Reunion. Order your official badge now as the supply is limited, will be on sale at Dowding's, Guide-Advocate and Miss Nesbitt's studio, Main St., over Fitzgerald's law office.
The membership list is picking up. Now is the time to join, 1000 members before August 19th, is expected. Members tickets are good for admission both afternoons of Reunion, and will also admit member's carriage. They are not good for evening concerts.
We have mentioned several times that in the event of there being any surplus it will be expended in improving the town park, under the direction of representative and responsible citizens. Nobody is looking for a graft. Get the surplus first.
Oh, listen listen people gay,
No cruel feat of arms I tell,—
But watch you march come down the way
And hear the clangor of the bell.
They're coming home from all around
From North and Louth and East and West,
They're coming back to their old town,
The town of all they love the best.
See yonder scout with hoary head,—
He stops and gazes in dismay—
Is this the town he left for dead
This bustling place so bright and gay?
"Yes, this is it," the people shout
And grasp him by the withered hand,
Before he knows what he's about
He's welcomed by the "Watford band".
They come in bunches and in pairs,
They carry boxes, babes and bags,
But what they bring, why no one cares
So long's they're here—in silk or rags.
They see the flags in every door,
With "Welcome Old Boys" glowing bright,
Then they're glad they're home once more
They see we want to use 'em right.
That's all we care—to make you feel
We're glad to see you home again
That's why the old bell's lusty peal
Rings forth its welcome loud and plain.
M. S.

LIST NO. 32.

Mrs. M. A. Lawrence, Watford.
F. H. Lawrence, Echo Bay.
Mrs. F. H. Lawrence, Echo Bay.
W. Treble, London.
Rich. Taylor, Strathroy.
H. Willoughby, Watford.
Erm. Hume
Jno. Dowding, Arkona.
W. C. Dillon, Sarnia.
Dugald D. Campbell, Rokeby.
Mrs. Sarah McNicholl, Dunnville.
Fred Hume, Watford.
John Lovell,
Mrs. John Lovell
W. H. McWatters, Hamilton.
Jno. Howden, Toronto.
Wallace Watson, Warwick.
A. P. McKenzie, Vernon, B. C.
L. McLeay, M. D., Gravenhurst.
Dwight Glass, Lipton, Sask.
Adam Higgins, Brookie.
Captain H. W. Collier, Vancouver, B. C.
A. Lovell, Vancouver, B. C.
Mrs. E. Lamont, Watford.
T. V. Ridley, Warwick.
Thos. Muslow,
R. Manders,
S. Saunders, Watford.
C. Nelson,
W. Annet, Brookie.
Wm. Egan, Warwick.
Thos. Chambers, Kerwood.
Jno. Kincaid, Alvinston.
S. Rycraft, Warwick.
Fred Achison, Watford.
Jno. McLroy, Warwick.

Wm. McKercher, Enniskillen.
D. W. Ferguson, Watford.
D. M. Ross, Warwick.
J. O. Ledbridge, Watford.
Fred Kadey,
Dr. Newell,
A. E. Anderson,
W. R. Thompson, Birnam.
Sam Harper, Warwick.
Bryan Davis, Sutorville.
Chas. May,
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R. McMurray, Brookie.
R. Auld, Watford.
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Geo. Saunders, London.
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Mrs. I. J. Hastings, Watford.
Jno. Hastings, Watford.
Geo. Stephenson,
Wm. Thorne,
Jos. W. Acton, Brookie.
Mrs. Jos. W. Acton,
Mrs. J. T. Lee, Detroit.
J. J. Spackman, Watford.
E. Dowding,
Mrs. E. Dowding, Watford.
Henry Rivers,
Margaret Robertson,
Jas. Acton, Brookie.
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Benj. Richardson, Watford.
Mrs. R. C. McLeay,
Mrs. H. A. Cook, Watford.
P. A. McDiarmid, Alvinston.
R. M. E. McDiarmid,
Dr. P. P. Winn,
J. W. McLaren, Watford.
Frank Restorick, Watford.
T. G. Mitchell,
Jno. Dolan, Warwick.
J. C. Anderson, Watford.
Ed. J. Caughlin, Warwick.
Benson Cowan, Watford.
D. Coristine, Walnut.
John Edgar, Brookie.
Jos. Hume, Watford.
E. A. Cowan,
A. Logan,
C. S. Kerton,
W. G. Greer, Watford.
R. G. Kelly, M. D.,
Geo. Edgar,
Jno. Cameron Jr.,
Wm. Parker, Wisbeach.
And. Beattie, Watford.
And. Auld, Warwick.
W. A. Moffatt, Alvinston.
E. A. Nightingale, London.

BOWLING.

Two rinks of Watford bowlers drove over to Alvinston Tuesday afternoon and played a friendly match with the bowlers of that town. The green was in fine shape, and the game was keenly contested. Watford was 16 up at the end of the games.

ALVINSTON		WATFORD	
W. C. Young	J. W. McLaren	J. W. McLaren	Skip.....17
Dr. Winn	G. McIntosh	G. McIntosh	Skip.....14
D. Soper	J. Jack	C. S. Lloyd	Skip.....14
J. McDougall	Skip.....12	W. B. Forbes	Skip.....14
H. Huston	W. B. Forbes	J. McKercher	Skip.....14
P. Munroe	S. P. Irwin	W. Anderson	Skip.....19
F. Macalpine	Skip.....13	J. W. McLaren	Skip.....14
J. Soper	Skip.....13	G. McIntosh	Skip.....14
C. Benner	J. Jack	C. S. Lloyd	Skip.....14
J. McDougall	C. S. Lloyd	W. B. Forbes	Skip.....14
A. E. Ketch	Skip.....9	J. McKercher	Skip.....14
G. Granger	W. B. Forbes	S. P. Irwin	Skip.....14
P. Munroe	J. McKercher	W. Anderson	Skip.....14
F. Macalpine	S. P. Irwin	W. Anderson	Skip.....14
J. Reid	W. Anderson	W. Anderson	Skip.....14
Skip.....14	Skip.....14		

Wyoming Wins.

Wyoming bowlers played two games with Watford Friday afternoon and evening. The scores:

AFTERNOON.		WATFORD	
Wyoming		J. McKercher	
Rev. Gunn	Dr. Gibson	T. Dodds	
C. McKinley	W. Anderson	Dr. Gibson	
J. E. Anderson	Rev. S. P. Irwin	Rev. S. P. Irwin	
Geo. Dale	skip.....21	skip.....11	
J. S. Robb	J. W. McLaren	J. W. McLaren	
W. H. McMahon	F. Walker	F. Walker	
Dr. Reid	W. B. Forbes	W. B. Forbes	
D. McIntyre	J. Jack	J. Jack	
skip.....19	skip.....14	skip.....14	
40	25		

EVENING.

Wyoming		Watford	
Rev. Gunn	J. McKercher	J. McKercher	
C. McKinley	T. Dodds	T. Dodds	
J. E. Anderson	Dr. Gibson	Dr. Gibson	
G. Dale	Rev. Irwin skip7	Rev. Irwin skip7	
Jas. Robb	J. W. McLaren	J. W. McLaren	
W. H. McMahon	F. Walker	F. Walker	
Dr. Reid	J. Jack	J. Jack	
D. McIntyre	W. B. Forbes	W. B. Forbes	
skip.....12	W. Forbs skip.14	W. Forbs skip.14	
G. Nichol	R. Stapleford	R. Stapleford	
W. Rawson	G. McIntosh	G. McIntosh	
D. Steadman	P. Dodds	P. Dodds	
A. Huston	W. Anderson sk 16	W. Anderson sk 16	
44	Total.....37	Total.....37	

MARRIED.

At Sault Ste Marie, Ont. on July 18th, by Rev. Cannon Fiercy, Miss Helen Woodbury to John Coote, both of Strathroy.

DIED.

In Caradoc, on July 12th, Harry E., son of John and Lydia McWhinney, in his 7th year.
On Thursday, July 11th, at Victoria, B. C. Hattie Elliott Diprose, beloved wife of H. L. Challoner and daughter of Robert Diprose, of Strathroy.
In Mt. Brydges, on Tuesday, July 16th, John Clark, aged 62 years.
In Forest, on Saturday, July 13th, 1907, Nestle Lorne, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sheppard, aged 1 year and 12 days.
At Huntsville, on Friday, June 14th, 1907, Mrs. Mary Robinson, formerly of Forest, aged 88 years.
At Port Frank on Monday, July 22nd, 1907, Alexander, son of Mr. Alexander Granville, aged 10 years and 8 months.
At Templeton, Oregon, U. S., on Monday, June 17th, 1907, Mary Brownlee, widow of the late John Robertson, of Alvinston, in her 70th year.

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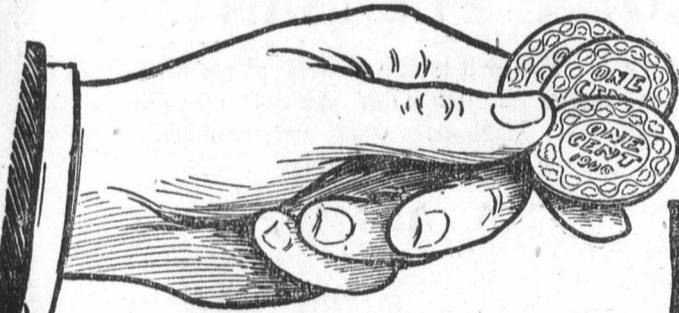
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An Anxious Time.

The next couple of months will be as critical a time in the history of the Canadian Northwest as it has ever experienced. The importance of a big crop in the Northwest was never greater than this year; and the chance was never more critical. From the yield of last year, a hundred million bushels of wheat are expected this season, and if the West can harvest a hundred million bushels of wheat it will be all right. But the season is this year two or three weeks late and the great question is whether the wheat can ripen early enough to escape the frost. The grain is now reported growing fast; and everybody in the West is predicting that the harvest will be as early as usual, or at least but few days later, and that there is really no danger. But all the same there will be in the Northwest a lot of anxious people and much watching of the thermometer during the closing weeks of August.

Nothing looks more ugly than to see a person whose hands are covered over with warts. Why have these disfigurements on your person when a sure remover of all warts, corns, etc., can be found in Holloway's Corn Cure.

—Expects Lower Prices.

Mr. H. G. Reed, V.S., of Georgetown, feels that the good times are not so sure to last. "I think it is hardly reasonable," says he, "to expect that the present high level of the horse market will last very long. Values are too high just now for permanency, and I expect that another year will see a little falling off in prices. "In my opinion the chief drawback to the horse breeding interest is first, that a few years ago the farmers under the pinch of hard times sold off too many of the best mares, and as a consequence we have now too many inferior mares used for breeding purposes; secondly, the average farmer is not sufficiently alive to the fact that it is not good policy to mix up the different breeds, and as a consequence too many horses are bred which will class as general purpose animals. Breeders should aim to produce either a draught horse or a high-class road or carriage horse; in other words, breed a special horse and not a general purpose one."

Great Specialists in Stomach Catarrh.

Though often they fail to give even temporary relief, Mr. W. Seymour, of Huntsville, Ont., cured himself with Ferrozone. "My trouble," he says "was chronic catarrh of the stomach. There was constant bad taste in my mouth, I was constipated and usually nauseated before and after meals, I also had a growing ascension in the stomach. Ferrozone gave me great relief, and I also used Catarrhzone which is good for catarrh. Although it took a number of boxes of Ferrozone, I got back my health and today am quite well." For stomach catarrh, indigestion and kindred disorders nothing excels Ferrozone. In a thousand cases it has proved a wonderful success. Try it yourself, 50c per box at all dealers.

Western Fair, London.

The Western Fair, London, Ont., promises this year to eclipse all previous records. As this is the 40th Exhibition without a break the management are anxious that it should be a great success. Entries are already coming in quite fast and considerable space has been allotted in the different buildings.

A number of improvements have been made in the grounds and buildings this year for the comfort and convenience of exhibitors and visitors. The Prize List has been carefully revised and added to. Knabenshue's Airship will make ascensions daily. The Danmar-Schiller troupe and the Ernesto Sisters will thrill those who see them with their daring acts. White & LeMart and the Les Aribos will instruct and amuse, and with music by the best available bands and the grand display of fireworks each evening followed by that magnificent Pyrotechnical display "The Siege of Gibraltar" will make one of the best programmes ever presented to the public at any previous Western Fair.

Remember the dates, Sept. 6th to 14th. Reduced rates on all railroads. Write the Secretary, Western Fair Office, London, for all particulars as to space, prize lists, programmes, etc., and make your entries early.

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None are so healthy, so buoyant and so full of life as those who regulate with Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Even in one night they work wonders. Fur and coating they take from the tongue, headaches they relegate to the past, biliousness and stomach disorders they prevent and absolutely cure. Think what it means to have the system cleansed and purified by Dr. Hamilton's Pills. A true laxative, a perfect tonic, harmless and wholly vegetable in composition, they will do you good. To feel and look your best use Dr. Hamilton's Pills, 25c at any dealers.

FIELD CROP COMPETITION.

Ten Agricultural Societies are Represented in the Contest.

Ten agricultural societies throughout the Province are represented by competitors in the Field Crop Competition for the prizes for which the Ontario Department of Agriculture has set aside \$1,000. Twenty-seven townships are represented. Arrangements have been made with the seed Division of the Dominion Government for the appointment of expert judges for the competition.

It is proposed that the prize winners will send samples of their crop to the Winter Fair at Guelph, and a prize is likely to be given for the best grain from the competing societies. It will be no small honor to the society, as well as the individual, who succeeds in taking the sweepstakes provincial prize.

THE WORLD IS FULL OF PAINS.—The aches and pains that afflict humanity are many and constant, arising from a multitude of indistinguishable causes, but in the main owing to man's negligence in taking care of his health. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil was the outcome of a universal cry for some specific which would speedily relieve pain, and it has filled its mission to a remarkable degree.

TUNNEL BEING WIRED.

Many Men are at Work Stringing Trolley Wires.

The installation of the trolley wires for the new electrical arrangement at the tunnel commenced today, and a number of new men have been employed to do the work. The wires will be strung on arches from the mouth of the tunnel at the other end and the Sarnia portal and will extend a mile from these points. The large cables have all been strung and will be used to support a large number of arc lights which will make the tunnel section and surrounding vicinity almost as bright as day.

The work on the remainder of the job is being rushed to a finish, but it will be months before the first electric locomotive will pass through the big hole.

DUPES IMMIGRANTS.

Stranger Induces Newcomers to Give Up Cash.

Toronto, Ont., July 19.—Many complaints have recently been lodged with the police about the operations of a certain confidence man among immigrants who arrive at the Union station. A stranger pretending to have met them in England would proceed to interest them in a certain means of getting rich in a hurry, which would enable them in a short while to make from 200 to 300 per cent on their investments.

He would offer to take from \$75 to \$1,500 to invest for them, proposing that they pay him from \$25 to \$50 down, and give him a promissory note for the balance, falling due when their outlays had produced some returns. The swindler said that he resided at the Palmer house, and the result was that when he disappeared his dupes came in droves to the hotel hunting for him. In some cases he took all the money that the immigrants possessed.

Detective Murray in walking along Front street west spied J. J. Daley, who answered the description of the man wanted, and locked him in the cells of Court street police station on the charge of vagrancy.

The prisoner is about 45 years of age, has a mustache and looks like an opulent business man.

Conductor Thompson Free.

Conductor Thompson, of London, who at the Guelph assizes was sentenced to three years in Kingston penitentiary for disobeying orders which resulted in a fatal accident on the Grand Trunk near Gourock, by which three people were killed, has been released. The Minister of Justice granted him a pardon, which reached him at noon on Saturday. Soon after two o'clock he walked out a free man. He was heartily congratulated on his release from the prison by officials and others.

While in the prison he was a worker in the dormitories. He left the penitentiary wearing the clothes he had on when he entered, about a month ago.

The Public Is Often Faked.

Unscrupulous dealers actuated by large profits often recommend corn cures "as good as Putnam's." There is only one genuine Corn Extractor and that is Putnam's. Patents which is a miracle of efficiency and promptness. Use no other.

Conversation Don'ts.

Don't say "You was," but "You were."
Don't say "He don't," but "He doesn't."
Don't say "Not as I know," but "Not that I know."
Don't say "He is older than me," but "He is older than I."
Don't say "Between you and I," but "between you and me."
Don't say "She is some better," but she is somewhat better."
Don't say "This is the finest of any," but "This is the finer than any."
Don't say "Where are you staying?" but "Where are you staying?"
Don't say "I dislike her worse than ever," but "I dislike her more than ever."
Don't say "I was raised in New England," but "I was reared in New England."
Don't say "I rarely ever go anywhere," but "I rarely if ever go anywhere."
Don't say "Either of the three will do," but "Any of the three will do."

Jumping With Nerve-Pain.

That's how you feel with neuralgia. But why lie awake at night, grumble or complain—get busy with a bottle of Nerviline. It does act like magic, seeks out the pain and destroys it. Nerviline is so popular as Nerviline for aches and pains of all kinds. Try it for lumbago, test it in rheumatism, test it in neuralgia, pleurisy or colds. You'll soon acknowledge that Polson's Nerviline beats them all. Sold everywhere in large 25c bottles.

The Pretender.

(From M. A. P.)
One day in his ninth year Prince Edward of England was studying his English history with uncommon intentness. His tutor took advantage of the occasion to examine him on the period of Henry VII. "Who was Perkin Warbeck?" asked the tutor. "Perkin Warbeck," said Prince Edward was a pretender. He pretended he was the son of a king. But he wasn't. He was the son of respectable parents."

Household Hints.

When cutting hot bread, first dip the knife in hot water.
When you take your cake pans from the oven, stand them for a few moments on a damp cloth; the cakes then will come out without sticking.
When you bake pies or bread, stand a pan of water in the oven and they will not burn.
When washing to use salt fish quickly freshen by soaking in sour milk.
When you wish to keep cookies soft, put a few crusts of bread in a jar with them.
When making lemon or any other acid jellies, do not mould in tin.
When you wish to beat the whites of eggs quickly, add a pinch of cream of tartar, or salt; salt cools and freshens them.
Fruit that is cooked in the skin, such as plums, cherries, etc., should never be plunged into boiling hot syrup, as this will toughen and crinkle the skin. Better cool the syrup before adding the

fruit. In warm weather meats may be freshened by washing in cold soda water before cooking, though washing of meat is detrimental to its quality and should only be done when necessity demands it.

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On Country Roads.

Twenty-one million dollars is the expenditure on country roads in Ontario during the ten years just closed. Of this \$10,437,900 is cash expenditure and \$10,510,900 is in statute labor.

Hymns Proper to the Day.

It was Archbishop Temple who complained that when he stayed with a parson "they always gave me 'The Church's One Foundation' and cold chicken, and I hate them both."

A SUCCESSFUL MEDICINE.—Everyone wishes to be successful in any undertaking in which he may engage. It is therefore, extremely gratifying to the proprietors of Parnele's Vegetable Pills to know that their efforts to compound a medicine which would prove a blessing to mankind have been successful beyond their expectations.

Canadian Pacific For Sarnia.

The Port Huron Times says:—John M. Gleason informs the Times that the Canadian Pacific railway has taken over the Hall, saw mill property in Sarnia, and that the road will reach that town before October next.

LOCAL OR OTHERWISE.

THERE was a man in our town, Who was rather slow; His business kept going down— An advertiser? No.

THERE should be adequate punishment provided in the civil code for the man who sets a phonograph going during business hours. He ought to be placed in the same category as the fellow who runs his lawn mower before sun up.

MARY had a little goat, It kept her most exceeding busy By butting at the sweet young man Engaged to Mary's sister, Lizzie.

FRED CLENCH, of Port Huron, a former Sarnian, according to a Buffalo despatch, has recently fallen heir to \$5, according to the terms of the will of Frank A. Barnhart, a brother-in-law. Of course Fred's friends will be looking for the

DOES THIS INTEREST YOU?

A prominent physician, famous for his success in the treatment of kidney and bladder diseases, attributes a great deal of his success to the following simple vegetable prescription:— One ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion; One ounce Compound Salutaris; Four ounces Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla; Mix, shake well, and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and again at bedtime.

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in 15 true fruit and wine flavors. It makes such a delicious dessert so quickly and with so little trouble. Price, 10c.

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best in the house on the head of the inheritance.

THERE went into force Saturday somewhat drastic legislation affecting the marriage of minors. Hereafter action may be taken in the High Court to annul the marriage of persons under eighteen years of age, providing the parties after the ceremony have not lived together as man and wife.

GIANT TRIPLETS "Currency," "Bobs" and "Stag" Chewing Tobaccos, in big plugs. Quality always the same.

ACCORDING to the New York Sun, there is no wild rush of immigrants from across the line to register with the United States Consuls to preserve their citizenship. They appear to be quite satisfied to become Canadians. Out of about 60,000 only about 200 are said to have applied to be recorded as retaining United States status.

LANDS for various needs—For a baby, Lapland; for an angry man, Ireland; for married couples, United States; for a fisherman, Finland; for a captain with a woman pilot, Port-au-Gal; for low people, the Netherlands; for straw bondsmen, Panama; for "tramp" old fellows, Jamaica; for litigious parties, the Caucasus; for dogged characters, Newfoundland; for summer folks, Iceland.

THE schoolmaster was trying to explain the meaning of the word "coucited," which had occurred in the course of the reading lesson. "Now, boys," he said, "suppose that I was always boasting of my learning—that I knew a great deal of Latin, for instance, or that my personal appearance was—that I was very good looking, y'know—what would you say I was?"

SEVERAL women sat in their club a few evenings ago discussing the virtues of their husbands, "Mr. Bingleton," said one of them, referring to her life partner, "never drinks, and never swears—indeed he has no bad habits." "Does he never smoke?" some one asked. "Yes; he likes a cigar just after he has eaten a good meal. But I suppose, on an average he doesn't smoke more than once a month."

ON Wednesday when a cattle train arrived at Sarnia the Canadian authorities found two dead steers, and ordered the train back to Port Huron. The carcasses were removed at the tunnel yards and skinned. A band of Italian laborers, who live in box cars, appeared on the scene with saw and knives, and cut from the dead animals sufficient choice parts to hold a barbecue. The attention of the health department has been called to the matter. It is claimed that these men are in the habit of seizing all dead animals and eating them.—Port Huron Times.

FOR Quality and Quantity ask your dealer for the new big plugs of "Bobs," "Stag" and "Currency" Chewing Tobaccos.

It shall be the duty of every owner or occupant of lands in a municipality to cut down and destroy or cause to be cut down and destroyed, at the proper time to prevent the ripening of their seed, all the noxious weeds growing on any high way adjoining such land, not being a toll road, from the boundary of such land to the centre line of such road, and in case of default after notice from the inspector or overseer of highways, or where no inspector or overseer is appointed from the clerk of the municipality, the council of such municipality may do the work, and may add the cost thereof to the taxes against the land in the collector's roll and collect such cost in the same manner as other taxes.—R. S. O. 1904, Chap. 27, Sec. 2.

Drowned at Wallaceburg.

Wallaceburg, July 18.—A sad drowning fatality took place near the electric power house this morning, whereby Guy, the 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bicknell, lost his life. The lad was in bathing at the time and got beyond his depth.

Strange to relate, two able-bodied men, employees of the power house saw the boy drown, as they were only a few feet from him, at the time of the accident. The men shoved boards out to him, but the boy was unable to comprehend the perilous condition and was too exhausted to reach the planks.

James Annals, ice dealer, located the body after it was under the water for twenty-eight minutes, and J. Hunter, an employee of J. T. Saint & Co., dove down and brought the body up.

Dr. Hird was on hand to resuscitate the boy, but without avail.

Giant Skeleton Found at Parkhill.

Parkhill, July 19.—While excavating in one of the gravel pits on Leslie & Griev's farm on the Sauble yesterday, an interesting find was made. A human skeleton of giant proportions was unearthed. The skeleton was found in a

sitting posture, directly beneath the stump of a maple tree, more than two feet in diameter.

Judging by the size of the tree which had grown above his head, the man whose bones still remained must have been dead two or three hundred years at least. The bones of the forearm and the leg bones were measured and their length indicated that he had been between seven and a half and eight feet tall. The skull, which was much larger than the ordinary skull, was intact and the teeth were perfect.

MR. OSBORNE'S ILLNESS.

Still Very Weak But Hopeful of Improvement.

Editor of Observer. You will wonder what has become of me and my notes on Lambton. I arrived here all right, and have been six weeks within sight of the Rockies, but am sorry to say I have not had a good day since I came. My trouble is a very complicated one; the doctors disagree about it, and I am afraid it is of such a nature the climate of Alberta will not effect a cure. I am exceedingly weak and totally unfit to take up my notes at present. Still I have hopes such may not be always.

With kind regards, I am, Yours respectfully, JOS. OSBORNE.

Nanton, Alberta, July 10th, 1907. The Observer, as well as Mr. Osborne's friends and acquaintances throughout Lambton, extend their sympathies to Mr. Osborne in his illness, and trust that his hopes for improvement will be fully realized.

Values Wife at \$20,000.

Toronto, Ont. July 19.—A sad tale of domestic woe is unfolded in a writ issued at Osgoode Hall for John Henry, a farmer of Glenwilliams, near Brampton, who asks the courts for \$20,000 damages from Joseph Mothersill, a well-to-do farmer, of Altona, a few miles away.

Henry alleges that Mothersill has alienated his wife's affections. Mothersill is a married man, middle-aged and has several children.

Henry considers that his home has now been practically broken up. He and his wife are still living together.

Lightning Hits Plow.

Moose Jaw, Sask., July 19.—During a sharp electrical storm lightning struck a steam plowing outfit working on the farm of Thos. Bell, three miles northeast of the city. Engineer Lowes and his assistant were thrown. Lowes soon recovered from the shock but his assistant was unconscious for some hours. Rain fell in torrents over a large section and will do much good to the crops.

Seed Time and Harvest.

Fears are chronic in moral man. A slight turn of the elements and he is at once pessimistic. A cold spring breeds blue ruin in the minds of the financial and business men. But all the time the world moves on in its own right economy. Floods and winds come and go, all to the purpose of the making of the world's economy.

There is nothing useless in this eternal change. Canada and especially Ontario, has ever been blessed with good crops; The failure of crops and abject misery of her people has never been witnessed. How is it then that we must deplore the situation? Our crop situation is as good as has been of recent years. Our agricultural outlook is as good and just as assuredly will harvest time fill up the needful baskets in our little world of plenty. If man's inventions were on a par with the apparently aimless wanderings of the winds and streams, a more contented business pendulum would swing between.

Death of Wesley Gilroy.

An old resident of Petrolia was called to his long rest last Wednesday, when Charles Wesley Gilroy died at the age of 60 years. Deceased was born in 1847 in Nova Scotia, and moved west in 1867. In 1871 he married the second daughter of the late Andrew Allingham, by whom he had four children, all of whom are living, the eldest daughter married, in Petrolia, the second daughter in San Francisco, California, and one daughter and son living at home.

Mr. Gilroy was a member of the I. O. F., who took charge of the funeral and attended it in a body. Funeral service was held at his late home, Queen street, and interment took place at Hillsdale Cemetery. Rev. R. D. Hamilton conducted the services.

Canada, the Problem for U.S. To Face.

Seattle, Wash., July 18.—Secretary of Commerce and Labor Straus declared yesterday that the tide of immigration is changing, particularly from the Oriental countries, and is turning toward Canada. "In the last three months," said the Secretary, "the number of immigrants coming into the United States through all points has increased ten per cent., while immigration from Japan has decreased. Canada is a wonderful country, and it is going to be one of the biggest problems you men of the Pacific coast will have to face in the future."

Donaldson vs. Township of Dereham.

Judgment on appeal by defendants from judgment of Anglin, J., dated 23rd April, 1907. Action against the corporations of the Townships of Dereham and Bayham for damages on account of the flooding of plaintiff's lands owing to the wrongful construction of drains upon plaintiff's farm. At the trial judgment was given for plaintiff for \$50 damages, and defendants were directed to forthwith clear the ditch and maintain it in

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good order and repair. Counsel for defendants undertaking that the defence of the Statute of Limitations will not be set up in any action or other proceedings to be taken at any time hereafter, such undertaking may be inserted in the judgment, and with this undertaking the appeal is allowed with costs and the action dismissed with costs, without prejudice to any action or other proceeding to be taken against either township or both for any future wrong.

Immigration Figures.

Ottawa, July 18.—Immigration from Great Britain is increasing and immigration from the United States is decreasing.

The immigration department has noted this for some time and the figures for May last emphasize it.

During May, 1906, there were 37,191 immigrants of all classes, and during May of this year there were 45,677, which is an increase of 23 per cent.

Advices from the Northwest state that the cause of the decrease of American immigration is the rapid rise in land values. In 1906, 200,000 immigrants have arrived in Canada this year, and it is expected that the total immigration will reach the unprecedented figure of 300,000.

COTTON THREAD GOES UP.

An Advance of 100 Per Cent. in the Retail Price.

New York July 19.—Cotton thread, until a short time ago, the most stable in price of the staples, selling the country over for five cents a spool, is to be advanced again, so that the retail price will be ten cents. On May 29th there was an advance which brought the retail price to 6 and 7 cents. Increased cost of raw material and an advance in wages are the reasons given for the contemplated increase in price.

Independent manufacturers declare that neither of these reasons is a good one, for when cotton was selling much higher than it is now, thread retailed for five cents.

CHOP STUFF.

Mrs. Gattis, who has been a resident of Theford, for 37 years, left last week for Inverkip, where she will make her future home.

On Saturday afternoon Constables Joseph and W. E. Booth arrested John Roberts, a freeman on the Bella Ansonne for the police of Port Huron, on a charge of stealing a bicycle. After considerable hearing Roberts returned to Port Huron with Capt. K. M. Roberts, who has been in charge of the Alvinton Methodist church circuit since the resignation of Rev. Mr. McCullen some eight months ago, left for Leamington last Saturday, where he will supply for a few weeks. During his pastorate Mr. McRoberts made a host of warm friends.

Messrs. P. D. McCallum and John Vivian of Boanquet, are making arrangements for establishing an apple evaporator there this summer, which will employ about 20 hands. We understand a contractor will be there next week to lay out the buildings. There is an abundance of apples in that vicinity and Camlachie should be a good location for such an industry.

If your children moan and are restless during sleep, coupled, when awake, with a loss of appetite, pale countenance, picking of the nose, etc., you may depend upon it that the primary cause of the trouble is worms. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator effectually removes these pests, at once relieving the little sufferers.

Mr. John D. McCallum, who was watchman on the steamer Monarch when she was wrecked last December on Isle Royale, was on Tuesday, July 2nd, made the recipient of a handsome bronze medal and a congratulatory address at a special meeting of the Port Arthur board of trade in recognition of the bravery displayed by Mr. McCallum on the occasion of the wreck, in taking ashore the line by means of which those in the vessel were able to reach land.

Miss Mabel Ashwell, stenographer at the Strathroy Canning Co., was the victim of an accident on Saturday evening which might easily have resulted in a terrible death. She went into the manufacturing department to get some green peas for a sick friend, and while passing one of the machines her hair was caught and drawn in. The hair was torn from her head, but an employee, Caleb Harrison, saw her danger and threw the machinery out of gear in

time to prevent serious injury to her scalp. Dr. McCabe was summoned and attended to her injuries. It was found that she was suffering severely from the shock but is reported to be recovering.

Last week an incident, unique in its character, took place in the sitting room of the St. Clair House when two men—father and son—who had not seen each other in twenty years, met. Roy Newton, of Petrolia, came to Sarnia and was a guest at the St. Clair House. During the day an elderly gentleman arrived in Sarnia en route for California and took a room at the same hotel. Shortly afterwards both men met in the sitting room. The father recognized the son, but the latter did not recognize his father. After some conversation explanations were made and the meeting proved highly pleasing, not only to the interested parties, but to friends who were present. Mr. Newton sen., has been in California for over twenty years and is returning on a visit to his family.

Voters' List—1907.

Municipality of the Township of Warwick, County of Lambton.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in sections 8 and 9 of "The Ontario Voters' List Act," the copies required by said sections to be so transmitted or delivered of the list, made pursuant to said Act, of all persons appearing by the last revised assessment roll of the said Municipality to be entitled to vote in the said Municipality at elections for members of the Legislative Assembly and at Municipal Elections, and that said list was first posted up at my office, at Warwick on the 15th day of July, 1907, and remains there for inspection.

Election is called upon to examine said list, and, if any omissions or any other errors are found therein, to take immediate proceedings to have said errors corrected according to law.

NATHANIEL HERBERT, Clerk of Warwick.

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COUNTY OF LAMBTON

Treasurers' Notice as to Lands Liable for Sale for Taxes A. D. 1907.

TAKE NOTICE that the list of lands in the County of Lambton liable for sale for arrears of taxes by the Treasurer of the County, has been prepared by me, and that copies thereof may be had in the office of the Treasurer of the County of Lambton in the town of Sarnia.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that the list of lands liable for sale as aforesaid is now being published in the Ontario Gazette, in the issues thereof bearing date the 13th, 20th and 27th days of July, A. D. 1907, and the 3rd day of August, A. D. 1907.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that in default of payment of the taxes in arrear upon the lands specified in said list together with the costs chargeable thereon, as set forth in the said list as being published in the Ontario Gazette before the day fixed for the sale of such lands being the 15th day of October, A. D. 1907, the said lands will be sold for taxes pursuant to the terms of the advertisement in the Ontario Gazette.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that this publication is made pursuant to the "Assessment Act," 1 Edward VII., Chap. 23, and amendments. Dated at Sarnia this 12th day of July, A. D. 1907.

HENRY INGRAM, Treasurer of County of Lambton.

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STAGE LINES.

WATFORD AND WARWICK STAGE LEAVES Watford Village every morning except Sunday, reaching Watford at 11.30 a.m. Returning leaves Watford at 3.45 p.m. Passengers and freight conveyed on reasonable terms. D. M. ROSS, Prop'r.

WATFORD AND ARKONA STAGE LEAVES Arkona at 9 a.m. Wisbech at 10.10 a.m. Returning leaves Watford at 3.45 p.m. Passengers and freight conveyed on reasonable terms.—FRED JACKSON, Prop'r.

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WATFORD MARKET

GRAIN AND SEEDS—	
Wheat, fall, per bush.....	\$0 88 @ \$0 88
Oats, per bush.....	40 40
Barley, per bush.....	50 50
Peas, per bush.....	85 79
Beans, per bush.....	90 1 00
Timothy.....	1 25 2 00
Clover Seed.....	10 00 12 00
Alsike.....	8 50 10 00
PROVISIONS—	
Butter, per pound.....	16 16
Lard.....	11 15
Eggs, per doz.....	15 15
Pork.....	8 50 9 00
Flour, per cwt.....	1 75 2 00
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—	
Potatoes, per bag.....	1 25 1 35
Dried Apples, per lb.....	5 6
MISCELLANEOUS—	
Wood.....	2 00 2 25
Tallow.....	6 64
Hides.....	8 9
Wool.....	23 25
Hay, per ton.....	9 00 10 00
POULTRY—	
Turkeys, per lb.....	11 12
Chickens, per lb.....	8 9
Ducks, per lb.....	10 10
Geese, per lb.....	8 8
LONDON MARKETS.	
Wheat.....	\$0 85 to \$0 92
Oats.....	0 52 to 0 53
Peas.....	0 60 to 0 60
Barley.....	0 40 to 0 46
Rye.....	0 54 to 0 55
Butter.....	0 18 to 0 20
Eggs.....	0 16 to 0 17
Pork.....	9 25 to 9 25
BRITISH CATTLE MARKETS.	
London, July 22.—American cattle, 68d.	
Liverpool, July 22.—Canadians, 64d.	
Liverpool, July 22.—John Rogers & Co.,	
12 1/2 to 13c; Canadian steers, 12 1/2c; cows,	
10 1/2 to 11 1/2. Trade slow.	
Glasgow, July 22.—(C. A. P. despatch.)	
Edward Watson & Ritchie report 1,025 cattle	
on offer, with prices similar to last week.	
Top quality, 13; secondary, 12c to 12 1/2c.	
Bulls shown in smaller numbers at 11c per	
head and fat.	
Toronto, July 23.—The run at the city	
market today consisted of 112 cars,	
containing 1,810 cattle, 1,059 sheep and	
lambs, 400 hogs and 302 calves. Hogs are	
unchanged at \$6.90 for select and \$6.65 for	
heavies and fat.	
Business today was dull and a lot of cattle	
remain unsold, more especially rougher	
grades. The demand for good butchers is	
good, but the price is fully 25c easier per	
cwt., the large runs of the last couple of	
markets being a little too large. The demand	
for the rougher grades of cattle is	
very poor and prices are away off. Export	
trade is dull and cattle that would have	
brought over \$6 were bid today at away	
below this figure.	
Quotations today were;	
Export cattle, choice.....	\$5 50 to \$5 90
do., medium.....	5 25 to 5 40
do., bulls.....	4 50 to 4 75
do., light.....	3 50 to 4 00
do., cows.....	4 25 to 4 50
Butcher's picked.....	5 00 to 5 25
do., common.....	3 50 to 3 75
do., cows.....	3 50 to 5 00
do., bulls.....	3 50 to 5 00
Stockers, choice.....	3 35 to 3 75
do., bulls.....	2 50 to 2 75
do., common.....	2 00 to 2 25
Heavy feeders.....	4 40 to 4 75
Short-keep.....	4 75 to 4 90
Milch cows, choice.....	5 00 to 7 00
do., common.....	25 00 to 40 00
Springers.....	25 00 to 40 00
Sheep, export ewes.....	5 00 to 5 25
do., bucks.....	4 00 to 5 50
Lambs, grain-fed, cwt.....	5 00 to 6 50
do., common.....	3 50 to 5 00
do., yearlings.....	6 40 to 6 75
Spring lambs, each.....	3 50 to 6 25
Calves, cwt.....	3 00 to 5 85
Sheep, export, ewes.....	6 00
East Buffalo, July 23.—Cattle—Receipts,	
50 head; fairly active and steady; prime	
steers, \$6.15 to \$5.85; butchers, \$4.40 to	
\$5.00; stock heifers, \$2.50 to \$3.00. Veals	
—Receipts, 75 head; active and steady;	

\$5 00 to \$8.25. Hogs—Receipts 2,100 head; active, 10c to 15c higher; heavy \$6.10 to \$6.55; mixed and yorkers, \$6.05 to \$6.70; pigs, \$6.80 to \$6.90; roughs, \$5.00 to \$5.50; stags, \$4.00 to \$4.50; dairies, \$6.00 to \$5.50. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 200 head; active and steady; lambs, \$5.00 to \$7.80; yearlings, \$6.00 to \$5.50; wethers, \$5.50 to \$5.90; ewes, \$4.75 to \$5.00; sheep, mixed, \$2.50 to \$5.00.

PLYMPTON.

Mr. J. Dell, Kertch, returned last week from a few days visit with his daughter Mrs. John Lahiff, Birmingham, Michigan.

Mrs. Nesbitt, Kertch, enjoyed a few days last week with her aunt, Mrs. T. F. Kingsmill and other relatives in London and returned on Saturday.

Mr. Stanley Thornicroft, wife and children of London, arrived at Kertch on Saturday for a short visit with the former's father, Jos. Thornicroft. Mrs. Thornicroft had to return on Monday.

Owing to the Rector being engaged to preach the Masonic sermon at Camlachie next Sabbath p.m. service will be held in St. James church at Wainstead at 10.30 a.m. instead of 3 o'clock p.m.

D. K. McDougall has been doing a rushing business this season with his bark Helms just finished. J. W. Williamson's house and is now giving a new coat of paint to the Kertch school both inside and out.

Mrs. McMahon and Mrs. A. D. Minnelly, of Wainstead, took in the Knights of Pythias excursion to Port Stanley. About thirteen joined them from the Wainstead station, Joe Thornicroft and family of Kertch being among the number.

On Sunday 28th inst. Divine Service, under the auspices of the Masonic order, will be held in the English church at Camlachie by Huron Lodge No. 390, the Rev. J. M. Gunne P. M. will officiate, service to be held at 2.30 p. m. The craft of the sister lodges are cordially invited to be present.

Miss Nesbitt, Windsor, who has been spending part of her vacation under the parental roof at Kertch left on Tuesday for Rosseau, Muskoka on No. 2 express at Wainstead where Mrs. Cresswall and son Harry of the Collegiate at Sarnia will join them. The former intends to be away three weeks and the latter four.

Miss MacAlpine, daughter of the late John MacAlpine, of Petrovia, who went to New York to learn to be a trained nurse was soon afterwards taken ill with pneumonia and was brought home on Monday seriously ill accompanied by her cousin Miss Lena MacAlpine trained nurse at New York who intends spending the holidays under the parental roof at W. J. MacAlpine's of Warwick.

ANXIOUS MOMENTS.

Thousands of Little Ones Die During the Summer Months.

Every mother of small children knows how fatal are the summer months. Dysentery, diarrhoea, cholera infantum and stomach troubles are alarmingly frequent at this time and too often a precious little life is lost after only a few hours illness. The mother who keeps Baby's Own Tablets in the house feels safe. The occasional use of Baby's Own Tablets prevents stomach and bowel troubles, or if the trouble comes unawares the Tablets bring relief through safety. Mrs. Robb, Aubrey, Que., says: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets for stomach and bowel troubles with the best results. I feel quite safe when I have the Tablets in the house." Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25c. a box from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

BAD WRECK ON P. M.

Thirty Killed and Sixty Injured in Collision.

Thirty people are dead and sixty injured as the result of a wreck on the Marquette Railroad, near Salem, Mich., shortly before 10 o'clock on Saturday morning. A special train of 11 coaches left Sarnia at 8.00 and 1,000 employees of the Pere Marquette for the annual excursion to Detroit, and about half way between here and Plymouth the special train had a head-on collision with a west-bound freight train. The passenger train had been given the right-of-way, but because of some blunder on the part of the crew of the freight train it kept on instead of waiting at Plymouth, in which the despatching headquarters for this division, to let the freight pass. The passenger train was just rounding the curve at Washbourne Crossing, when it sighted the freight train. Both engineers apparently saw their danger at the same moment, shut off the steam and applied the brakes. With the passenger train travelling at 45 miles an hour the crash was terrific. "The responsibility for the wreck rests upon the conductor of the freight train," said General Superintendent Trump. "He was given specific instructions to allow the special excursion train to have the right of way." Conductor Hamilton, of the freight train, escaped injury. Conductor Pixley, of the passenger, was killed outright.

Dead Man Identified.

Dresden, July 22.—According to the story told by a young man giving his name as O. Young and his home at Fort Huron, the man found dead beside the Pere Marquette tracks on Sunday is Ed. Heffernan, and he was formerly employed in the Wallaceburg sugar works. According to Young's story, he found the man lying beside the track and calling for water. Young searched for a long time to try to find some water, but was unable to do so. Then he went into Dresden and informed some citizens.

SUTORVILLE

Miss Ella Campbell, Forest, is visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Philomena Sewal, of Nipigon, is holidaying with relatives in this vicinity.

Frank Newell, general merchant, Glenora, called on A. J. Davis, Tuesday.

Jonathan Davis is spending his holidays with his grand parents at Tupperville.

Robt. J. Lucas has just completed the erection of a fine concrete bridge on six sideroad.

Mrs. S. J. Saunders and daughter Pearl visited friends and relatives here last week.

Misses Blanche Holbrooke and Lucy Bryce are home from high school during the holidays.

J. W. Lucas has treated his barn to a new roof. Carey's Magnesia was the brand used. Contractors Higgins and Creasey did the work in an artistic manner.

Sidney Butler, Nelson, B. C., together with his wife and child, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Butler, after an absence of 15 years. Sidney holds a prominent position in one of the big mines and will remain east until after the Old Boy's Reunion.

RAMSAY-YOUNG.

The marriage of a well known Plympton couple took place at the Manse, Red Deer, Alta., July 10th, 1907, when Miss Jennie Young, 2nd line Plympton, became the bride of Mr. Harry Ramsay, eldest son of Mr. Jas. Ramsay, Wainstead, Ont. The ceremony took place at 3.30 o'clock p.m. and was performed by Rev. W. G. W. Fortune, B. D., pastor of Knox, Presbyterian Church, Red Deer, in the presence of the sisters and brothers of the contracting parties and a few intimate friends. The bride was tastefully dressed in white Persian lawn trimmed with val. lace and insertion and white ribbon. Her travelling dress was a lovely blue suit, white silk blouse and white hat.

After the ceremony all proceeded to the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Caskie, where a dainty lunch was served after which the young couple left on the evening train for Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ramsay will reside in Red Deer.

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Voters' List-1907.

Municipality of the Village of Watford, County of Lambton.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in sections 8 and 9 of "The Ontario Voters' List Act," the copies required by said sections to be transmitted or delivered of the list, made pursuant to said Act, of all persons appearing by the last revised assessment roll of the said Municipality to be entitled to vote in the said Municipality at elections for members of the Legislative Assembly and at Municipal Elections, and that said list was first posted up at any office at Watford on the 24th day of July, 1907, and remains there for inspection. Electors are called upon to examine said list, and, if any omissions or other errors are found therein, to take immediate proceedings to have said errors corrected according to law. W. K. FULLER, Clerk of Watford.

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