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WATFORD, ONT., FRIDAY, MARCH 22, 1912.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

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

SPRING Assizes, April 1st.

CASH for butter and eggs at P. Dodds To-DAY is bargain day at Swift's. Every counter has a special.

LET us show you the new things in wall papers.—McLaren's.

SKATING on Friday night. Band in attendance. Admission Ioc. THE new King hats opened this weak.

A. Brown & Co.

T. B. Taylor shipped a car of settlers' effects to the West this week.

KELLOGG-HAINES CONCERT. The best To-night (Thursday.) WHEN three girls are together you can hear talk about the third party as soon

THE auditors' report for the village of

Watford for 1911 is printed and ready for distribution. WASHING machines, wringers, tubs

curtain stretchers, step ladders, and all house-cleaning goods at Howden's. IF you have any pictures to be tramed this spring we will call for and deliver them.—I. H. AYLESWORTH.

THE Rev. E. Appleyard, rector of St. Matthews' church, London, will be the special preacher in Trinity church next Thursday evening.

Boys' bloomer suits. Get Sanford's make at Swift's. None better.

MISS MINIELLY announces that she will be ready to show her spring hats on Friday afternoon and evening, March Come and see the styles.

MISS WILLIAMS anounces her spring millinery openings for Friday afternoon and evening, March 29th, when the latest designs for the season will be displayed for inspection.

FLOUNCING EMBROIDERIES opened this week. Beautiful patterns.-A. Brown &

THE ladies of the Methodist church purpose holding a home made baking sale on the atternoon of Saturday, March 30th, at Mr. Schlemmer's store. Lunch will be served in the afternoon. m22-2

THE local lawn bowlers held a meeting on Tuesday eveding, when officers were elected for the current year. Rev. S. P. Irwin is again the president and John McKercher the secretary.

THELMA MARGUERITE, the two months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wes, Jamieson, passed away on Wednesday. The funeral will be held Friday afternoon at from the family residence. 3 o'clock, from the family residence, Warwick street, to the Watford cemetery.

GOOD quality is essential in a tool of kind, but particularly so in y. We have a large assortment of fine pocket and table cutlery prices.-THE HOWDEN EST.

THE Northern Navigation Company have called for tenders for a new passenger steamer. The plans call for a boat the dimensions of which will be 400 feet over all and 52 feet beam which will make the new boat larger than the steamer Hamonia.

Our new cutter here Monday. A Tor-onto man with years of experience.— SWIFT BROS.

LAMBTON farms have enriched their owners, have paid for the establishment of schools and churches, the building of roads and bridges, and to countless other permanent improvements. They are no less fertile to-day. Why abandon them for doubtful lands and unimproved conditions in a new section of country?

The Watford Council of Chosen Friends are to have a meeting in Music Hall here next Tuesday evening, March 26th. Maple sugar and taffy are to be served. An interesting debate is to take place. A social time generally is looked forward to in the celebration of the twenty-fifths anniversary of the order. Every member is kindly requested to be present. Visiting friends welcome.

HEINZ pickling vinegar is the purest strongest and best yinegar on the market. A sample jug holding a quart at 15c. The jug alone is worth the money.

THE HOWDEN EST.

WEDNESDAY was advertised as the las Wednesday was advertised as the last day for skating at the rink, but when the day arrived the interior of the building looked more tike a swimming pool than a skating rink. The patrons of the rink have enjoyed a long period of skating this winter, but the lessees are in the hole financially, the hockey matches not being as well patronized as in former

ENGLISH guaranteed waterproof coats for men and women.—A. Brown & Co.

THE life of the rural mail carrier has account of the heavy snow storms and almost impassable drifts. On Friday last Mr. John Kersey left here after the arrival of the 2.45 mail for Sutoryille, a distance of about eight miles. It was two o'clock Saturday morning before he got back to his home here. The Arkona and Warwick stages also had considerable difficulty in getting through.

LADIES' new spring coats and suits, We are showing swell new styles.-SWIFT

New Idea patterns and magazines.— A. Brown & Co.

NEXT meeting of the Watford Division Court April 26th. RICH. RESTORICK shipped a car of

fine horses to Montreal this week. THE Watford Flour Mill shipped a car of their celebrated floor to Montreal this

Your Easter suit should be on order. Don't delay. Our new cutter comes highly recommended.—Swift Bros. LETTERS addressed to Watford should not be dropped in the station letter boxe. Bear this in mind.

OUR new stock of picture and room mouldings just arrived. Prices to suit everyone.—L. H. AYLESWORTH.

KEN. HASKETT moved his household effects, etc.. to Galt this week where he will reside with his family in future. LAQUERETTE, the new finish that any body can use with the same effect as a professional. No tools but a brush. 18c, 30c and 50c a tin.

WHEN a girl is in love, she doesn't stay long when she goes away on a visit; she hurries home to keep an eye on her property.

MISS LIZZIE MCCHESNEY, of Adelaide, and Mr. Frederick Watson, of Potomac, Montana, were married by the Kev. E. B. Horne, at the Manse this (Thursday) afternoon.

To make it easier for you to make your wall paper selections we have put in one of the latest revolving display racks. Come in and see our display.

—MCLAREN'S.

WARDEN MCLEAN has called a special meeting of the Lambton County Council for Monday to take action regarding the provision of suitable quarters for the court business of the County owing to the destruction by fire of the Court House House.

OUR new soft and stiff hats at \$1.50. Wide awake styles .- SWIFT's.

IT is most surprising to see the general movement among the farmers, so many selling and moving elsewhere. There never was a time when farm real estate was so active. An idea may be had from the number of auction sales that are being held all over the country.

PROPLE who have heard the Kellogg-Haines singing Party are anxious to hear them again. They all say they are ex-cellent. You will have an opportunity of hearing them at the Lyceum this Thursday evening.

JUDGING from piles of ashes in back yards around town, local coal dealers must have done a great business this winter, and judging from the number of tin cans and empty whisky bottles that the thaw has brought into view on vacant lots the people have not gone hungry or thirty during the winter months.

LET Mr. Wilmot take your special measure—Thursday and Friday of this week .-- A. BROWN & Co.

THE death occurred at Collingwood Tuesday of Mrs. Roger Williams, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. John Patterson Deceased was for many years a resident of Strathroy and the remains were interred in the cemetery there. Mrs. Williams was known to many in Watford.

THOMAS WENTWORTH STEWART died THOMAS WENTWORTH STEWART fleed very suddenly in Victoria Hospital, London, on Friday last, as a result of an acute attack of erysipelas. He had been ill for several days, but his death was entirely unexpected. He leaves a wife (nee Alena Taylor) and two children, who reside here. Mrs. Stewart has the sympathy of a large number of friends in her sudden bereavement. her sudden bereavement.

THE friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brock, to the number of about 300, met at their home in Adelaide Wednesday evening and filled the house to over-flowing, and then filled the barn. The occasion was a desire to spend a social evening with Mr. and Mrs. Brock before they departed from Adelaide to take up their residence in Watford. The neighbors couldn't let them depart with-out some slight token of the appreciation in which they were held in Adelaide. They were presented with six quartercut diners and two large oak easy chairs. A fine program was rendered and a sumptuous repast served.

SHERWIN-WILLIAMS and the Minerva brand paints just to hand. These are made by the top notchers in the Ameri-can and English trades respectively. Dan't fool with cheap paints for all the difference in first cost as they are usually the most expensive.—The Howden Est.

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MR. H. F. WILLIAMS, editorial paragraph writer on the Vancouver, B.C.,
Daily Province, speaking of conditions in the West in a recent letter to the editor of the Guide-Advocate, says:—
"Many of the people here are a long way from being up to their own financial rating, and it would bother some of them who claim to be worth all the way from ten to \$100,000 to come through with \$500 in real money. I have seen with \$500 in real money. I have seen several instances of this. Take it all around old Ontario will average up with any of the western provinces, and excels them all in the comforts of life and average prosperity." Those who are intimately acquainted with Mr. Williams know that he is a man of keen conception and sound judgment, and his sizing up of the Western situation should carry some weight.

GENTS—A swell new range of fancy vests, \$2.50.—Swift's. See window.

co-night (Thursday).

SHE the 5c, 1oc, and 15c bargain table at P. Dodds & Son.

THE sap was running nicely until the reeze-up Wednesday morning. J. E. FOWLER has sold sold his house on Erie street to Mr. Thos. Clark.

It may be at least a week or two be-ore you will need to oil up that faithful old lawn mower.

TENDERS are asked for the erection of a school house, near Kerwood, in our advertising columns.

THE city papers tell as that maple syrup will be cheap this year. No doubt reference is made to the city-made article. SAUNDERS & SON have had a lot of big logs delivered at their saw mill this win-ter and some excellent lumber has been turned out. MILLINERY OPENING .- A. Brown &

Co. will hold their spring millinery opening on Friday and Saturday, March 29th and 30th.

STICK a pin through the cork of every bottle that contains poison. It may save one's life when seeking medicine in the

THE farm of the late Patrick Maher, put up for sale by auction at the Roche House on Tuesday was purchased by George Campbell for \$3850.00.

WHAT about the pictures you want framed this spring? Call and see our new stock of mouldings at right prices.—L. H. AYLESWORTH. WE have many new ideas for wall decorations. Let us assist you. No trouble to show you through our samples. Sample books sent on request.—J. W.

MCLAREN. LOCAL coal merchants report that the black diamonds are still scarce and they are having considerable difficulty ge ting in enough of the cold-destroyer to give

their customers. BUILDERS' hardware, nails \$2.75, bes galvanized iron 6c. Glass at wholesale prices. Locks, etc., in newest styles and

finish.—THE HOWDEN EST. THERE are more than the usual THREE are more than the usual number of changes among the farmers in this district this spring. Many good men are leaving us, but let us hope other good men will take their places.

DON'T miss the best concert that has ever been in Watford, the Kellogg-Haines singing party, this Thursday evening, March 21st.

CLOTHES." We have the See the styles. Very nifty. agency. SWIFT'S. See window.

ROAD scrapers have been used in some towns to scrape the snow drifts along the sides of the street onto the bare road in the middle with satisfactory results and at much reduced cost from shovel labor.

Ir you want to give a boy a start for the penitentiary just allow him the privilege of running on the streets until late bedtime. Some boys can be seen on Watford's streets when they should be

in the home. Among the new phones being put this week are the Rectory Wm. Marwick's residence, C. Vail's residence, T. G. Mitchell's residence, J. Kinell's residence, J. H. Hume's office, and Har-

per Bros. shop. THE Minister of Militia has introduced a resolution in the House of Commons that every person now residing in Can-ada who was called out for active service in the Fenian raids of 1866 and 1870 shall

receive a cash grant of \$100. A JAPANESE CONCERT will be held in the Methodist church, Tuesday, April 2. An excellent musical and literary provided, Japanese curios will be exhibited and a dainty luncheon of rice and rats will be served in Japanese style. The admission will be 15c., but if the fare proves particularly enjoyable additional servings may be obtained at 5 cents each.

MR. S. E. TODD, representative of the Department of Agriculture, has finished his course in practical farming. Mr. Todd has given five different courses in the County during the past winter. They were held at Petrolea, Inwood, Brigden, Forest and Watford. Those who attended them state that they have been a great uid in carrying on their work.

LADIES-See our black panama allwool skirts. Embroidered panells. It beats mail-orders all to pieces. The price is \$5.00. We have it in large sizes.— SWIFT'S.

THE monthly meeting of the Women's THE monthly meeting of the women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. B. Ferguson on Wednesday evening, March 13th, 17 members and 8 visitors being present. Meeting commenced by singing "The Maple Leaf Forever." Miss M. Waugh gave an excellent paper on the school and the methods, which we all appreciated very much. Also a we all appreciated very much. Also a paper from Mrs. T. Dodds on the different ways of preparing eggs. In this paper there were also some very useful hints given. Master Valore Dodds gave two very good instrumentals on the piano, also two recitations were two very good instrumentals on the piano, also two recitations were given by Miss Nina Eccles, which added greatly to the evening's program. Meeting closed by singing "God Save the King." Next meeting will be a social evening. Particulars later.

MR. JAMES SAUNDERS, mention of whose death was made in last week's paper, was born in Lower Canada and came to this part of the country with his parents when very young. He purchased a farm in Brooke and resided in that township the best portion of his life. township the best portion of his life. day, April 23rd.

When he found that his health was failing he moved to Watford, and although everything possible was done to relieve his suffering he passed away on March 12th at the age of 64 years and 3 months. His wife, who was a Miss Edwards, survives him, He also leaves four daughters, Mrs. Herbert Elsom, Mrs. Joseph Redmond and Mrs. Wm. Houser, all of Moose Jaw, Sask., and Miss May, at home, and two sons, James and Alexander, of Toronto. He is also survived by three sisters, Mrs. M. Cochrane, of Dutton, Mrs. W. T. McCormick and Miss Phoebe J. Saunders of Watford. The funeral was held on Monday afternoon, March 18th, to St. James' church cemetery, 6th line, and was conducted by the rector, Rev. S. P. Irwin, the casket being covered with floral offerings. The pall-bearers were Daniel Kelly, W. J. Moffatt, Robert Lucas, James Cadwell J. Moffatt and Wm. Styles. Don't miss the Kellog-Haines concert | When he found that his health was fail-

PERSONAL,

Mr. Allan Sharp was in Niagara last

Mr. J. F. Elliot returned from the West on Sunday morning.

J. D. Brown is in Toronto this week attending Grand Lodge A. O. U. W. and other business. Miss Lou Aitken has returned home

after an extensive visit with her sisters in Elkhart, Ind.

Mr. John Hastings, Petrolea, spent Sunday with his brother, Mr. Isaac Hastings, Wall street.

Mrs. I. P. Taylor, Watford, and Gerald Taylor, London, attended the funeral of the late T. W. Stewart, Chatham.

James and Alex. Saunders returned to Toronto Wednesday afternoon after attending their father's funeral. Mrs. Lewis was called to Cleveland this week on account of the serious ill

ness of her daughter, Mrs. Holmes, with James A. Morgan left for Merid, Sask., on Tuesday, taking with him a car of settlers' effects. His wife will follow

later in the season Mr. Howard Woods, who has been at home during the winter, left Monday for Perdue, Sask., accompanied by Mr

Harry Copeland, Sarnia. Mrs. John Cowan, Sarnia, Mrs. J. T. Fuller.

Fuller, Sarnia, and Mrs. Dr. Brown were the guests of Mrs. W. S. Fuller, Simcoe street, last week. Mrs. Herbert Elsom, Moose Jaw,

rived home Sunday night to attend the funeral of her father, the late James Saunders. She was accompanied by her little daughter Verna

HOCKEY.

An exciting game of hockey took place at the rink on Thursday last, when the "lower school" stuck it over the fourth form in the third game of the series, for an oyster supper. Walter Hobbs and Carman Burton starred for the fourth form. The lower school didn't have any stars except Bill Bruce, and Bill did it all

"as usual." The line	-up :
Lower School,	Fourth form.
Trenouthgoa	dCinnamon
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Referee - Freddie 1	Taskett

Forest vs. Watford H. S.

The Forest Basket Factory team drove over to Watford last Thursday night to cross sticks with the High School team of this town. The play in the first stage of the game was rather one-sided, the for the game was rather one-saded, the latter part being somewhat faster. But Forest were unable to score. The game resulted in a 4-0 victory for the High School, winners of three gamas out of four played, the best record in town.

The line-up :-	
Watford.	Forest.
Trenouth goal	
Davispoint	Laphar
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V. Auldcentre	Roche
Humphries r wing	McKenzie
Brown1 wing	Wilson
Referee-"Stan" Rogers	

NAPIER.

Miss Jessie McLean, who has had charge of the 8th line school for the past few years left for the West Tuesday where she has accepted a school.

The March meeting of the Woman's Institute was held on Wednesday afternoon, March 13th, at the home of Mrs. (Dr.) Sawyer. About sixteen ladies responded to the roll call by quotations responded to the roll call by quotations from Dickens. Mrs. Sawyers gave a splendid paper on the life of Dickens, and a reading was given by Mrs. Beer. A solo by Mrs. Sawers, and an instrumental by Mrs. Beer were very much enjoyed. An interesting event of the afternoon was the demonstration of the vacuum cleaner purchased by the ladies vacuum cleaner purchased by the ladies for their special use. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess and the meet-ing closed by singing the national an-

Forest horse show will be held on Tues

Daughters of the Empire.

The March meeting of Tecumseh Chapter, Daughters of the Empire, was held at the home of Mrs. Lawrence. There were thirteen members present and three visitors. It was decided after discussion to hold the money from the recent concert given in aid of the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives for a week as several contributions. tives for a week as several contributions had been received from those who were unable to be present at the concert.

The Secretary was asked to thank all who in any way helped with the concert program. Mrs. Brown read a chapter from Dickens' "Tale of Two Cities," and gave a talk upon the book. Miss Liddy read a sketch from the life of Chas. Dickens.

The members represented cleverly some characters from Dickens and several rare and interesting books of illustrations from his works were on exhibition by kindness of Mrs. Harris. The next meeting was appointed for the home of Mrs. W. Thompson. Subject—Fathers of Confedegation. A very pleasant meeting was brought to an end by serving of luncheon and the singing of our national anthem.

MAUDE E. MITCHELL, Secretary.

WARWICK.

The Patrick Maher estate farm sold to George Campbell for \$3850.00.

Cash for butter and eggs at P. Dodds

On account of the severe storm Friday. E. J. Thomson's sale was postponed until Monday, March 25th. See ad. Robert Wilkinson has sold his dwelling house and lots in connection therewith in Warwick Village to Herman A.

Walter Westgate left for Regina on Tuesday after spending the winter months with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis Westgate, 4th line.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Collins and daughter, Marguerite, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Rogers, nine side road.

Mrs. W. F. Smith, second line south, passed away on Sunday last at the ad-aanced age of 92 years. The funeral took place on Tuesday for the Methodist cemetery, Warwick Village, Rev. T. M. Mead and Rev. W. M. Shore con-

ducting the service.

The regular meeting of the Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. McCausland on Thursday afternoon, March 14th, twenty being present. The meeting opened by singing the Maple Leaf. A letter of thanks sent to the society in behalf of the Hockey Club, thanking the members of the Women's Institute for their great kindness in providing lunch and in assisting them with the Benefit Concert, was read by the President. Mrs. Morningstar gave a paper on "How and When to Rest; a paper on "How and When to Rest; The Importance of rest." Hiss Hellen Laws gave a briet address. The next meeting will be held in the Foresters Hall on April 11th.

Mr. John James Maw, a highly respect-Mr. John James Maw, a nighty respected resident of the first concession, died at his home suddenly on Wednesday, March 13th, after a few days serious illness. Although he had been ailing for nearly a year his demise was unlooked for, and was a sad shock to the family. Deceased was born in Yorkshire, England in 1857, and came to Canada when land, in 1857, and came to Canada when 23 years old. He first settled near Wycming, but after his marriage to Mrs. Henry McKay in 1895 he moved to the homestead in Warwick. His wife and was survive him, Stanley and William, both at home; also two brothers and two sisters, namely, Johnathan, in England; Naughton, Corunna; Mrs. Jas. Milton, of Oil Springs, and Mrs. Wm. Place, of Detroit. The funeral took place Thursday to the Warwick Methodist cemetery, service being hel at the church, conducted by Rev. Fair.

A very pleasant event took place on A very pleasant event took place on the evening of March 14th, when about 75 neighbors and friends assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Harper, Egremont road, Warwick, to bid farewell to Mr. and Mrs. Harper and family who are about to leave for Alberta in a few days. A pleasing feature of the gathering was the reading of an address gathering was the reading of an address by Mr. Tom Morris on b.half of the friends, accompanied by the presentation of a bible and hymn book to Mr. Harper or a bible and hymn book to Mr. Harper, and a case of table linen to Mrs. Harper, Mr. Harper made a lengthy reply in which he expressed his high appreciation of the goodwill of the friends with whom he and Mrs. Harper have been associated for so long a time. Short speeches were given by Rev. Mr. Fair, Mr. Geo. Fenner, Mr. Wm. McRorie, Mr. J. Humphries, Mr. Wm. Bucham, Mr. Wm. Morris and Mr. Young, all expressing their deep regret for the loss of the association of Mr. and Mrs. Harper and family in future and wishing them every success and prosperity in their new home on the western prairies. A lunch was then served after which singing and games were indulged in till the small hours of the morning were reached when the company broke up and all wended their way homeward. and a case of table linen to Mrs. Harper way homeward.

Corneil Smith, of Ekfrid, who was badly frozen some weeks ago when he be-came unconscious while watering his stock, died from the effect of his injuries last Thursday.

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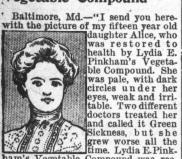
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DAUGHTER WAS CURED

By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound



Sickness, but she grew worse all the time. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended, and after taking three bottles she has regained her health, thanks to your medicine. I can recommend it for all female troubles."—Mrs. L. A. CORKRAN, 1103 Rutland Street, Baltimore, Md.

Hundreds of such letters from mothers expressing their gratitude for what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Com-pound has accomplished for them have been received by the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Company, Lynn, Mass.

Young Girls, Heed This Advice. Girls who are troubled with painful or irregular periods, backache, head-ache, dragging-down sensations, faint-ing spells or indigestion, should take immediate action and be restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vege-table Compound. Thousands have been restored to health by its use.

Write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for advice, free.

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Mercantile advertissrs will be allowed a change of that ervery two weeks. Weekly changes can be had at a slight extra cost. Copy of change must be in printer's hands by Wednesday afternoon.

TRANSIENT—First insertion per line, 8 cents; subsequent insertions 4 cents each time per line, 12 lines makes one inch.
BUSINESS CARDS—Six lines and under, per year \$5.00.

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HARRIS & CO. PROPRIETO

WATFORD, MARCH 22, 1912.

NOTE AND COMMENT.

The enlargement of the borrowing powers of municipalities has been asked the Ontario Legislature in order that small loans could be raised in emergencies without submitting a by-law. In fact, an equalization of the powers of municipalities was asked. It was suggested that in small communities this special borrowing power should be limited to an amount equal to one mill on the dollar of the aggregate assess-

Among all the frills with which the modern system of education is so cumbrously embroidered, there is one item of domestic economy studiously avoided that might well be instilled in the mind of youthful scholars, and that is the virtue of tidiness. The plaint of weary mothers in many households, is most familiar—that it would keep one person busy following their progeny around and putting articles in their places that are thrown at random. Untidiness is a universal failing in both young and old, but a



successful effort in the schools to combat its ill-effects in the home would be worth half of the extrageous subjects now taught combined. -Hamilton Spectator.

The present high prices for food stuffs will very likely have the good effect to tending to retard the depopulation of the farms and dri e capital and labor back into the development of Agriculture, causing some of the money which has been flowing toward the cities for/years, to turn back toward the land and its betterment. In this way it may be a blessing in disguise. This will have

a tendency to reconstruct the country and such a movement would be significant. There is a vast difference between the development of the country and the cities, the former being almost neglected. It is the inability of the country to meet the demands made upon it that is causing the trouble.

CHINAMEN ARE TOUGH.

They Can Live Under Conditions That Would Kill a White Man.

Peculiar power to resist disease is a characteristic of the Chinese, according to Professor E. A. Ross. For instance, out of ten children born in western homes three, normally the weakest three, will fail to grow up. Out of ten children born in China about eight are doomed to die in infancy. The difference is due to the hardships that infant life meets with among the Chinese, and with such rigorous selection there results a stock displaying a peculiar hardiness. Living in the supersaturated, man stifled land, profoundly ignorant of the principles of hygiene, the masses have developed an immunity to noxious microbes excites the wonder and envy of the for-

"They are not affected by a mosquito bite that will raise a large lump on the lately come foreigner," says Professor Ross. "They can use contaminated water from canals without incurring dysentery. There is very little typhoid, and what there is is so attenuated it was long doubted to be typhoid. All physicians agree that among the Chinese smallpox is a mild disease. The chief of the army medical staff points out that during the autumn maneuvers the soldiers sleep on damp ground with a little straw under them without any ill effects.

Coolies, after two hours of burden bearing at a dog trot, will shovel themselves full of hot rice with scarcely any mastication and hurry on for another two hours. A white man would writhe with indigestion. The Chinese seem able to sleep in any position. I have seen them sleeping on piles of bricks or stones or poles, with a block or a brick for a pillow and with the hot sun shining full into the face. They stand a cramped position longer than we can and can keep on longer at monotonous toil unrelieved by change

MATHEMATICAL SIGNS.

Process by Which These Familias Characters Were Evolved.

The sign of addition is derived from the initial letter of the word "plus." In making the capital letter it was made more and more carelessly until the top part of the "p" was placed near the center; hence the plus sign was finally reached.

The sign of subtraction was derived from the word "minus." The word was first contracted into mus, with a horizontal line above to indicate the contraction, which was a printer's freak that may be found in almost any book bearing a date earlier than the beginning of the eighteenth century. After the lapse of a long period of time the letters were omitted altogether, leaving only the short line so well known to all.

The multiplication sign was obtained by changing the plus sign into a character resembling the letter x. This was done simply because multiplication is but a shorter form of addition.

Division was formerly indicated by placing the dividend above a horizontal line and the divisor below. In order to save space in printing the dividend was placed to the left and the divisor to the right, with a simple dot in place of each.

The radical sign was derived from the initial letter of the word "radix." The sign of equality is said to have first been used in the year 1557 by a sharp mathematician, who adopted it as a substitute for the words "equal

Thos. Sabin, of Eglinton, says: "I have removed ten corns from my feet with Holloway's Corn Cure." Reader, go thou and do likewise.

DICTIONARY FOR SALE .- Second-hand Webster's International Dictionary, 1907 edition, with supplement of 25,000 new words, 2249 pages, voluminous appendix, In good condition. Original price, \$12.00. Will be sold cheap. Apply at GUIDE-ADVOCATE office.

Enlightening a Poet.
The English poet Mr. Powys told this anecdote, in which he claimed to have been the party of the second part. He said that he was talking to an old country woman on the occasion of the queen's jubilee in 1897, "What do you understand by the word 'jubi-

ee?" he asked her.
"Well," answered the old dame, "If you've been married fifty years and the man's alive it's a golden wedding. If he's dead it's a jubilee."

Ancient Cancer Cure. was to apply a live toad to the affected part. A well authenticated case of this form of treatment was that of the wife of a merchant of Smyrna. A live toad was strapped tightly over the diseased part, and, it was said, the woman was completely cured within a short time. It was a sacrifice upon the part of the toad, however, as it died after it had been on duty twenty-four hours.

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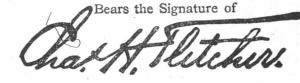
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"Modern "politics," said an English clergyman, who is visiting this country, "Is worse than modern business. You here in the States are so used to political corruption that you joke about it. I heard a joke about it on the boat coming over. An aviator—the joke ran—descended in a field and said

to a rather well dressed individual:
"'Here, mind my machine a minute,
will you?"

"What? the well dressed individual snarled. 'Me mind your machine? Why, I'm a United States senator? "'Well, what of it?' said the aviator. T'll trust you.' "-Washington Star.

Think of It! Two brothers, each of whom is nearly six feet and a half tall, were one day introduced by an acquaintance to a young lady. As she sat gazing up at the pair of giants in wonder and awe she exclaimed:
"Great heavens, suppose there had

only been one of you!"-Philadelphia The Last Resort. Matrimonial Agent-Yes, sir, I think

we can suit you perfectly. Ah, our preliminary fee is 5 guineas. The Client—Five guineas! My dear laddie, don't be farcical. Why should I want to marry if I possessed all that money?-London Opinion.

Hard Work. "I want you to understand that I got my money by hard work."
"Why, I thought it was left you by your uncle."

"So it was, but I had hard work getting it away from the lawyers."-Boston Transcript.

Complimentary.

Maud-Miss Oldun thinks that hotel clerk just lovely. Ethel-Why so? Maud-He wrote opposite her name on the hotel register, "Suite 16."-Boston Transcript.

Supply and Demand. The Wife-Big checks for dresses will not be in demand this season. The Husband-Thank heaven |- Baltimore American.

A Woman of Few Words

Mrs. Harry E. Bye, Main street north, Mt. Forest, Ont., writes: "Your remedy for kidney, bladder and stomach trouble has given me great relief. Have taken three boxes and now feel like living and better than I have felt for years and I

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So'd in Watford by J. W. McLarer,

RAPID AMERICANS.

An English Critic on Our Barber Shope

I cannot find that quickness is an American characteristic. What is mistaken for quickness is a kind of nervous fidgets, for the American is infinitely restless and nervous. It is shown in his passion for doing many things at once. The barber shop, a thing characteristically American, af-fords a wonderful example of this substitution of restlessness and circumstance for real rapidity and economy of time. The business man, still in his dramatic character of a locomotive pressed for time, hurries into the barber shop and extends himself in a chair, feet and hands outspread, a bootblack engaged on each boot, a manicurist on each hand and the barber himself operating on his head. But such are the seductions of the barber shop that he probably spends twenty minutes or half an hour there. as against the Englishman's four or fir minutes.

It is time simply wasted, from a business point of view; that is to say, it is spent in sheer luxury. For the Americans, being among the cleanest people in the world, have a Roman sense of luxury in everything that appertains to washing and care of the body; and their lavatories and barber shops are like temples raised to some goddess of health and cleanliness. And, finally, it was America that invented that triumph in the achievement of two opposite things at once-the rocking chair. So restless is the American that even when he is resting he wants to be moving, and consequently he has achieved this infernal engine, the rocking chair, in which (when he is obliged to remain in one place for a time) he can indulge in a continuous movement which yet does not advance him an inch. He can thus be busy even while he is at rest .- Filson Young in English Review.

ANIMALS WITH HANDS.

Kangaroos Are Fond of Using Their Fore Feet In Feeding.

Kangaroos use their hands very readily to hold food in and to put it into their mouths. As their fore legs are so short that they have to browse in a stooping position, they seem pleased when able to secure a large bunch of cabbage or other vegetable provender and to hold it in their hands to eat. Sometimes the young kangaroo, looking out of its mother's pouch, catches one or two of the leaves which the old one drops, and the pair may be seen each nibbling at the salad held in their hands, one, so to speak, "one floor"

above the other.

The slow, deliberate clasping and unclasping of a chameleon's feet look like the movements which the hands of a sleep walker might make were he trying to creep downstairs. The chameleon's are almost deformed hands, yet they have a superficial resemblance to the feet of parrots, which more than other birds use their feet for many of the purposes of a hand when feeding. To see many of the smaller rodentsground squirrels, prairie dogs and marmots-hold food, usually in both paws, is to learn a lesson in the dextrous use of hands without thumbs.

Nothing more readily suggests the momentary impression that a pretty little monkey is "a man and a brother than when he stretches out his neat little palm, fingers and thumb and, with all the movements proper to the civilized mode of greeting, insists on shaking hands.-London Graphic.

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"I think so. They're giving a family party tomorrow night so that all the relatives can meet him."—Detroit Free

Press.

Would Be Prepared. She-Suppose, dear, I find you have not given me enough money? He-Then telegraph for more. She-Have you a telegraph blank?-Exchange.

A Big Difference. Madge—Don't you think a girl should marry an economical man? Dolly—I suppose so, but it's just awful belag

IGNORANCE IS A CURSE.—''Know thyself'' is a good admonition, whether referring to one's physical condition or
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acquainted with himself will know how
to act when any disarrangement in his
condition manifests itself. Dr. Thomas'
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WATFORD, MARCH 22, 1912.

BROOKE.

Mr. Richard Searson spent Sunday with friends in London. Cash for butter and eggs at P. Dodds

The late John Hillis bequeathed \$300 to St. James' church, Brooke. We believe the amount will be invested as the church is not in immediate need of funds.

Mrs. McLellan and Miss Sara Toohill, of Napier, are attending the wedding of their friend, Miss Howett, this week, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Sorbey, of Guelph, Ont.

Mr. Jerome Smith, Buffalo; Mr. Albert Smith, Bothwell, Mr. and Mrs. Dempsey, Strathroy, and Mr. and Mrs. In-gersoll, attended the funeral of the lace James W. Smith on Friday last. The vote on church union in the Brooke circuit of the Methodist church resul ed as follows:—Quarterly board, for union 13, against 1; membership, for union 60, against 7; adherents, for union 22, against 7. Total in favor of union on the proposed basis, 95; total against, 15.

On account of the storm on Friday night, March 15, the debate which was to have been held in the schoolhouse of S. S. No. 13 was postponed, but will be held Friday evening, March 22, at the same place. Do not fail to at attend, as this will no doubt be the last this season.

James William Smith, announcement of whose death was made last week, was the son of Mrs. Jacob Smith, and died at the home of his mother, 10th con., aged 30 years, 10 months and 27 days. Deceased was never married. He leaves to mourn his loss four sisters and brothers and a mother. The brothers are Jerome, of Buffalo, Lorenzo, of Napier, Albert, of Bothwell, and Frank who resides at home Bothwell, and Frank who resides at home with his mother. The sisters are Mrs. Dempsey, of Strathroy, Mrs. George Tapley, of Detroit, Mrs. Arthur H. Hurst, of Ingersoll, and Miss Sarah, also of Ingersoll. The funeral was held from his late residence, lot 28, con. 11, on Friday, March 15th, to the Watford cemetery. Rev. J. Ure Stewart officiated. The pall-bearers were Albert Clothier, John Clothier, Thomas Taylor, Oscar Watson, Benj. Doan and John Denning.

WARWICK COUNCIL

Warwick, 18th March, 1912. The Council met to-day as per adjournment. Members all present.

The minutes of the last meeting were

read and confirmed. read and confirmed.

Joynt—Hobbs, that we go into a court of revision on the Lester Local Drain with the Reeve in the chair.—Carried.

Leach—Joynt, that we adjourn the court of revision on the Lester Local Drain until the 15th of April to have an agreement signed by Dr. Chalk and Mr. Mathews to make an outlet to said drain.—Carried.

Hobbs—Brodie, that we go into a court of revision on the Attwood Local Drain with the Reeve in the chair.—Carried.

Leach—Joynt, that the by law on the Attwood Local Drain be read the third time and finally passed without any change and that the court of revision on same be closed.—Carried.

Leach—Hobbs, that D. D. Brodie be

appointed commissioner on the Attwood Local Drain.—Carried. structed to notify the engineer to examine the McGill Local Drain and report

E. L. Moffatt having notified the council to have the same repaired.—Carried.

The following accounts were passed:—Wm. Janes, telephoning from 15 to

The Council then adjourned to meet on Monday, 15th April, at one o'clock, as a court of revision on the Lester Local Drain and for general business. N. HERBERT, Clerk.

BORN.

In Brooke, on Wednesday, March 6th, to Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Annett, a

MARRIED.

On February 16th, 1912, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Graham, Weidman, by the Rev. Mr. Gunn, of Wyoming, Lena Cathar-ine Graham, to Mr. Joseph Ross York, of Lang, Sask.

At the Manse, Watford, on Thursday, March 21st, 1912, by the Rev. E. B. Horne, M.A., Lizzie, youngest daugh-ter of Mr. and Mrs. David McChesney, Adelaide, to Mr. Frederic kWatson, of Potomac, Sask.

DIED. .

Suddenly, at Victoria Hospital, London, March 14, 1912, Thos. W. Stewart, ag-d 31 years.

In Inwood, on Marcu 11th, 1912, Frances, beloved wife of John Askew, aged 53 years.

In Plympton, on Mouday, March 11th, Archibald McLachlan, aged 78 years. In Watford, on Wednesday, March 20th, 1012, Thelma Marguerite, infant daugh-ter of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Jamieson, aged 2 months, 12 days.

SALE REGISTER.

Thursday, March 28, farm stock, implements. Benj. Pike, lot 25, con. 5, Warwick. See adv.

Friday, March 29, the farm stock, implements and household goods of the late John Hillis, 6th line, Warwick. See adv.

wednesday, Merch 27th, farm stock, implements, furniture. Thos. Searson, lot 7, con. 14, Brooke, prop. J. F. Elliot, auct. See adv't,

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Saturday, March 23rd, at 3 o'clock,
Roche House, Watford, horse, rigs, harness, robes, etc., 3 months' credit. Geo.
Potter, prop., R. Brock, auct.
Postponed sale—E. J. Thompson, lot
21, con. 1, Main Road, Warwick, has
postponed his auction sale of farm stock,
implements, etc., to Monday, March 25th,
on account of the storm. See adv.

Auction sale of tarm stock and implements on lot 5, con. 5, Adelaide, on Friday, March 22, at one o'clock. Everything must be sold as the proprietor is giving up farming. Terms, 7 months' credit. T. F. Hawken, auctioneer; Wm. Blain, proprietor.

Death of Thos. W. Stewart.

(From Chatham Planet) At Victoria hospital, on March 15, there occurred the death of Thomas Wentworth

At Victoria hospital, on March 15, there occurred the death of Thomas Wentworth Stewart, of London, Ont. Deceased was iil only two days wi herysipelas and was in his 32nd year. He was a traveller for a number of years and was popular and a general favorite among his friends and acquaintances. He is survived by his widow (nee Alena Taylor) and his small children, Otis and Frances, also four sisters: Mrs. Allen, Flint; Mrs. H. Hayes, Ridgetown; Mrs. A. S. Maynard and Mrs. A. E. Sauerman, Chatham, and one brother, Clarence E. Stewart, Georgine, Sask. Deceased was the youngest son of Otis and Jane Stewart, who predeceased him a number of years ago.

Funeral service was held on Sunday afternoon at 2.30 by Rev. S. Morris, of Park st. Methodist church, Messrs, Wigly and Middlemost, two friends of the deceased, rendered very sweetly "Jesus Lover of My Soul." The floral offerings were beautiful. The bearers were two uncles and four brothers-in-law, T. and F. Laird, Dresden; H. Hayes, Ridgetown; A. S. Maynard, A. E. Sauerman, Chatham; G. Taylor, London.

Chatham ; G. Taylor, London

WANT COLUMN.

Boy Wanted to learn the baking business. Apply to S. H. Mitchell, North end bakery.

ALL accounts due Sharp Bros. must be paid by the 1st of April. Those not paid by that date will be placed in the hands of a collector.

CARD OF THANKS.—Mrs. Jømes SAUNDERS and family wish to thank the friends and neighbors who extended kindness and sympathy to them at the time of their recent bereavement. ALL accounts due Sedwick Bros. must

at Laccounts due Sedwick Bros. must be settled before the end of the month, as they are giving up business and are leaving town on April 1st to take a situatition with the Laidlaw people of Sarnia.

Sarnia.

Good comfortable house for sale on Ontario street, the property of the late Dr. Auld. For further particulars apply to Mrs Auld on the premises, or to W. to Mrs. Auld on the premises, or to S. Fuller, Notary. FOR SALE—Comfortable six room ouse on Rachel street, Watford. Soft

water inside and plenty of good hard water, frame stable, chicken pen, good coal and wood shed, etc. All in good repair. Apply to HILLYARD WILLOUGHBY, Watford.

SEVERAL dwelling house properties in Watford for sale very cheap. Why pay rent when you can buy at less than cost? A good farm in this vicinity also for sale. Apply to W. E. Fitzgerald, barrister &c., Watford. Mr. Fitzgerald also has considerable money to loan on mortgages.

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

SCHOOL REPORTS.

Report of S. S. No. 16, Warwick. Class V.—Algebra—Vera Tully. Class IV. History—Tom McCormick, Minnie Tully, Olive Tully, Elwood Jones, Irene Williamson, Sarah Bryce, Rheta Bryce, Roy Williams. Class III. History—Edna Williams, Nellie Sutton, Mabel Williamson, Stella Saunders, Flossie Claypole. Class II. Geography—Harold Tully, Rosella Sutton, Bertie Tully, Duncan Williamson, Rheta Weedmark, Florence Williams, Jack Sayers, George Claypole, Winnifred Richards. Pt. II. Sr. Spelling—Russell Weedmark, Lloyd Jones, Orville Jones, Borden Sutton, Cecil Saunders. Jr—Ella Claypole, Arthur Jackson. First Class.—Dora Tully, Evelyn Weedmark, Willie Jackson, Nellie Saunders, Freddie Taylor, Rufus Botsford.—V. W. Higgins, Teacher.

The heavy snowfall tied up the Sarnia street railway between the town and the tunnel, and sleighs had to be used.

FARM FOR SALE

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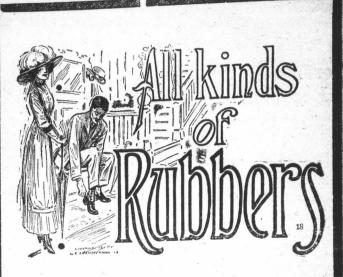
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ARKONA

After spending the winter with friends in the Ark, Mr. Ed. Hilborn left for Caribon County, B.C., on Monday.

Miss Stella Wilson left on Saturday to

spend a few days with friends in Thor-old.

Mrs. A. Smith, of Watford, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Dr.

Just opened out our spring styles in Astoria shoes for men.—Brown Eros. Mr. and Mrs. D. McIntyre, of Jura,

spent Monday in the Ark. Mr. Ernest Showler, of Watford.

Miss Aggie Cliff, who has been spending the past two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Swan, in Mt. Pleasant, has returned home again

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Holmes, of Strathroy, spent Sunday with friends in the Ark.

Mr. Peter Bearss, ot Warwick, has pur-chased the Dr. Pedden property and in-tends moving into town this spring. Our wall papers are beginning to move Canadian and American designs to choose from.—Brown Bros.

BABY THIN-HAD NO APPE-TITE.

Mrs. Ulderica St. Georges, St. Mathias, Que., writes: "I am writing to say I am well satisfied with Baby's Own Tablets. My baby was ill and I tried several remedies, but the result was discour-aging. He became very thin, had no remedies, but the result was discouraging. He became very thin, had no appetite, hardly slept at all, and was extremely weak. I got Baby's Own Tablets and they soon set him right again, till at the age of eleven months he was able to walk and was a strong healthy child. I do not think there is anything to equal Baby's Own Tablets for little ones." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

BROOKE COUNCIL.

Inwood, 16th March 1912. Council met pursuant to adjournment.

Members all present.

Minutes of previous meeting read, and on motion of Mr. Monro, seconded by Mr. Ffsher. were adopted as read. Engineer's statements and accounts read in connection with the enforcement of repairs to the Watt Award Drain.

Darvill—Monro, that these papers be referred to the solicitor as to their legality, the examination being so long after notice to do so was received.—Carried. Joseph Crang notified Council that the



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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Yender for Extension to Breakwater and Dredging at Goderich, Ont," will be received at this office until 4.00 P.M., on Monday, April 15, 1912, for the construction of an Extension to the North Breakwater and Dredging at Goderich, Huron County, Ont.

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Plans, specification and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and at the offices of J. G. Sing, Esq., District Engineer, Confederation Life Building, Toronto, Ont, H. I. Lamb, Esq., District Engineer, Windsor, Ont, and on appli-

Building, Toronto, Ont.; H. J. Lamb, Esq., bistrict Engineer, Windsor, Ont. and on application to the Postmaster at Goderich, Ont.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures, stating their occupations and places of residence. In the case of firms, the actual signatures, the nature of the occupation and place of residence of each member of the firm must be given.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent. (10 pc.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned. tender be and urned.

The Department does not bind itself to accept to any tender.

By order,

R, C. DESROCHERS,

Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, March 15, 1912. Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.

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6-7 con. road drain in front of lots 4, 5 and 6 was out of repair, and asked that same be repaired.

Fisher—Sutton, that action be left over

for further consideration.—Carried.

Notice received that Mr. Calhoun had served notice of claim, in his action for

damages against the township and Mr. Dougald Monro. Monro-Fisher, that the Reeve be au-thorized to look after the interests of the

Mr. Jno. H. Dickison has purchased the Ed. Hilborn property on Smith St. Township.—Carried. Engineer's report read on the proposed repairs to 6-7 con. road drain in front of lots 10, 11 and 12. Estimated cost \$335. Darvill—Sulton that report be laid over for further consideration.—Carried.

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spent Saturday and Sunday with his father, T. W. Showler.

Figure 1 and statement read, received from the secretary of the Brooke Municicipal Telephone System, giving an account of the receipts and expenditures up till first January last.

Darvill—Monro, that statement be received and published with Auditors' Report, and that as per request an additional \$600 be advanced on telephone acc't, and the Clerk instructed to prepare and and the Clerk instructed to prepare an issue of \$10,000 of telephone debentures, to return to Township the advances made, and balance for the extension of lines.

Carried. Fisher-Monro, that Council open as

Fisher—Monro, that Council open as a court of revision on the by-law for the repairs to the 12-13 con. road drain, the Reeve in the chair.—Carried.
Declarations taken. Three appeals.
Theo. Oakes said, There is very little water from my land flows westerly, not more than off three or four acres.
Albert Sutton said, We have already paid for two other outlets, and think we should not nay for a third.

should not pay for a third.

Hezekiah Lett appealed but was not

Darvill—Monro, that the sum of \$2.20 be struck off lot N-E½ 15, con. 13, the sum of \$4.20 off S½ N 200 acres lot 14, con. 14, that these reductions, amounting to \$6.40, be added to the amount payable by Township, the required changes made in the Engineer's assessment and then adopted and court closed.—Carried. Monro—Annett, that Council open as a

court of revision on the Edgar Drain No 2, the Reeve in the chair.—Carried. Declarations taken. One appeal. Robert Coristine said, I am assessed too high in comparison with others. Fisher-Sutton, that Engineer's report be adopted and court closed.—Carried.

Fisher—Sutton, that Council open as a court of revision on the assessment in the Morley drain repairs by-law, the Reeve in the chair.—Carried.

Monro—Fisher, that Engineer's report be adopted without change and court closed.—Carried. Petition presented and read, signed by nearly all the ratepayers of Inwood, ask-ing for a special assessment to be levied to erect and maintain the lamps for light-ing the streets of the village.

ing the streets of the village.

Monro—Annett, that petition be received and referred to solicitor, as to power of Council to pass a by-law for

purpose referred to.—Carried.

Auditors Shirley and Risk presented their report, showing that in 1911 the report, snowing that in 1911 the receipts were \$5,039.11, and the expenditures \$64,153 73, while the assets were \$26,685.75, and the liabilities \$21,868.29. Fisher—Sutton, that Auditors' Report be adopted and 300 copies, along with the minutes of Council for 1911, printed for general distribution.—Carried.

A numerously signed petition was pres-

A numerously signed petition was pres ented, asking that Council obtain an esti mate from the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of the cost of supplying light and power to the Municipality.

The petitioners subscribed for 307 lights and endeavor to obtain the required in

formation.—Carried.

The Solicitor's advice having failed to arrive, re the building of the town hall,

the committee postponed the presenta-tion of their report.

By-law No. 3, revoking the appoint-ment of A. S. Code, O.L.S., as Township Engineer for Brooke under the Ditches

and Wate Watercourses Act, was introduced

and read.
Sutton—Darvill, that by-law be read a third time and finally passed.—Carried.
Monro—Sutton, that by-law No. 4, confirming the appointment of C. A. Jones, C. E., of Petrolea, as Township Engineer, under the D. and W. Act, be read a third time and finally passed.—Caried.

Fisher—Monro, that on the content of the

Caried.

Fisher—Monro, that on the request of some of the parties assessed for the 15-16 sideroad drain, that the report be referred back to the Engineer with instructions to give the Council an estimate and an assessment of the cost of tiling this drain, from the 6-7 con road south to where the drain crosses the road to the where the drain crosses the road to the

risher—Sutton, that Council do now adjourn to meet in the Village of Alvinston on Saturday, the 6th day of April, 1912,—Carried.

W. G. WILLOUGHBY, Clerk.

INWOOD.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCormick, of Kingscourt, spent Sunday of last week with Inwood friends. Miss Hilda Anderson has accepted a

position as milliner for a business house in Baden and leaves for her new position on Monday.

Mr. James Anderson has bought the corner lot by the Orange Hall and has moved onto it a frame building, which greatly improves the appearance of the corner.

The vote on church union was announced last Sunday with the following result: - For church union, Inwood, 120; St. Andrew's, 56. Against church union, Inwood, 5; St. Andrew's, 18. Majority for church union, 153.

At the meeting of the Presbytery, which met at Sarnia on March 6th, the Rev. N. A. Campbell was presented with a largely signed call from Jarvis, Ont., but Mr. Campbell has decided to remain with the congregations of Inwood and St. Andrewie.

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By BENJAMIN L. HYDE

was a discontented farmer's boy. with nothing ahead of me but a life of drudgery. Of late years farming bas become a science. Then it was dependent on the elements. No one knew when the fruit of his labor would be swept away from him by a drought. a storm or a freeze.

One memorable day I cut my finger and concluded to go over to Farmer Gadsden's to get some court plaster. I didn't need it. I simply made an excuse to see Julia Gadsden, for whom I had a soft spot in my heart. She put the court plaster on the cut for me, coddling me at the same time. I spent an hour with her instead of at my work, as I should have done. On way back, nearing the railroad which passed between the Gadsden



"I SAW THE ROBBERS." and our farm. I heard a train coming.

I was surprised to hear it slow down, because trains always passed us without stopping. Then I heard a shot, another and another.

The ground rose between me and the railroad, and the interval was covered by trees. Just beyond the trees the road passed through a cut. I ran for ward to see what was the matter and, coming to the edge of the wood, saw that the train had been stopped by robbers. All was excitement, both on the train and among those who were doing the robbing. I supposed that men were going through the cars holding up the passengers, but they were not. They had another object, which soon appeared.

Standing above and beside the cut, I could look right down on the engine, the baggage and express car. A mask-ed man was in the tender, bending over the side to take in what was going on in the rear. Evidently being satisfied that there was a hitch in the proceedings, he called to one of the robbers to know what was the matter and received a reply that the express messenger had succeeded in locking the doors of the express car. Whereupon the man in the cab got down and hurried to the rear.

The opportunity of a lifetime presented itself to me. Not that I recognized it as such; it only occurred to me that seeing and not being seen, a locomotive before me and no one to operate it, there might be a remote possibility of my running away with it and giving an alarm. There was no one at the forward end of the express car, and if I could uncouple the locomotive I might get into the cab and put on steam.

As to uncoupling in that day the old fashioned link and pin were used, and if the car and engine were in position to leave the pin loose I would have no trouble in drawing it. I knew nothing about a locomotive except that I had seen engineers start their machines by throwing back a lever and

pulling on a handle, the throttle. All this flashed through my mind within a few seconds, and another contingency loomed up. If I should fail, if the robbers should catch me before I got sufficient headway to leave them behind, I would be murdered. The thought staggered me, but I was so infatuated by my scheme the chances seemed so many in my favor that I was unable to resist the temptation

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It was doing the thing rather than the thought of any good that might come from it that spurred me on.

He who achieves success, though he looks ahead instead of behind, rarely has that foresight with which remarkable men have been credited. He makes his start and pushes on in the dark. I made my start, but my calculations were immediately upset. I had scarcely left the wood before I saw the robbers-there were several of them-leave the rear end of the express car and rush in a body to the forward end, the end which I was to have uncoupled. I darted back into hiding. One robber mounted the platform and tried the door. It was locked. Another ran forward and seized a tie which had been wedged in between the rails a short distance from where the locomotive stood and carried it to

I had not noticed this tie and my heart stopped beating as I realized that it would have spoiled my plan and resulted in my death. The robbers took the tie up onto the front platform of the express car and began an attemp to use it to break in the door. But the tie was six feet long or thereabouts, while the distance between the tender and the car was not as much. The consequence was that the robbers had not sufficient space in which to work with it. Nevertheless they persevered

Another plan, far more desperate than the first, must needs pop into my head. If I could run down to it, uncouple the car, then dash forward into the call I could move on, carrying with me the express car. But I must take the robbers with me. They would climb up over the tender and shoot me down.

Yet there would be chances for me, Firstly, on finding the train moving they might be disconcerted and get off. But even if they did I could hardly hope to acquire speed in time to leave them behind. Again, having put on steam I could fight. I had no arms, but I could use lumps of coal. All this was folly, but I had been seized by a mania for carrying out my scheme, and a hundred devils could not have stopped me. Besides I was pushing forward. Happenings in my favor

Anyway, I resolved to go to the rear of the express car. What I would do when I got there I didn't know. I ound the conductor and several men passengers who, freed from the presence of the robbers, had got together what arms were on the train and were debating a possible use for them. But it was evident they had not got their courage up to a point where they could use them, and they had no plan or leader. Without stopping to inquire as to their armament, I said:

"Here, you men! I'm going forward to get on the locomotive, which is deserted. One of you go up there where vou can see me, and when I give a

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signal uncouple right here. Then all who have firearms go forward, and when I put on steam send all the bullets you can in among the robbers on the front platform."
"Good!" cried the conductor, who

would have done something before this if he had had a plan.

I scurried forward, keeping close under the car, passing the front platform in the same way, and in a quarter of a minute was in the cab. A man stood where he could see me. I nodded to him and waited. It seemed to me an eternity before the car was uncoupled. I knew when it had been by seeing my supports advance on both sides of the train. They had been added to by the messenger, with whom they had succeeded in communicating, and had got more arms from the express car. I gave a jerk on the whistle, threw back the lever and let on steam.

The moment my supports heard the whistle they opened fire, the locomotive and express car moving at the same time. The robbers were taken by surprise. One man fell dead, two were shot while jumping off the platform, while a fourth got away. I did not know of this at the time. I only knew that no one interfered with me. I had the express treasure behind me and did not stop till I had reached the next station. There armed men got aboard the locomotive, it was switched away from the express car and rushed back. But the fracas had all been over before I had made a hundred yards.

So it was that the maddest scheme that ever entered the brain of a farmer's boy was made practicable by circumstances. Indeed, when the rob-bers left the rear door of the express car to concentrate their efforts on the forward platform - possibly because there they could be near the enginevictory was in the hands of the frightened group who afterward supported me. But they had no one with sufficient pluck or plan to fuse them and put them in action.

My exploit was not long in reaching the general manager of the road, and I received an invitation from the president to visit him there. I found myself on my arrival an object of curiosity, the employees craning their necks to get a look at me. When I reached the president's office he grasped my hand and asked me to be seated. When we were alone he said: "What can I do for you?"

"I don't know."

"Leave it to me. We have need of such men as you on this road and we want you. If you like, I will educate you to fill any position we have. "That's exactly what I would ask,"

I replied.
"But to do that you must begin at the bottom and work up. You will commence as a brakeman on a gravel train, to be promoted as you learn the duties of each successive position."

I was delighted with this plan and

acceded to it at once. When I left the president he handed me a check. I didn't look at the amount, telling him to invest it for me, which he promised to do, and I left him, having agreed to report the next week for work.

As soon as I returned to the farm I went to see Julia Gadsden, who had bound up the cut on my finger. I told her that since she had kept me dallying the exact time required for me to meet the held up train, she was enti-tled to a part of my reward. We settled it by enjoying it together.

That was long ago. I occupied every position on the railroad, from the lowest to the highest, then became a retired capitalist. I am now rich and attribute my success to opportunity and an ability to take advantage of that opportunity.

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"How old are you?" asked the law-

"Seventy-two years," replied the wit-

"Your memory, of course, is not so brilliant and vivid as it was twenty, years ago, is it?" asked the lawyer. "I do not know but it is," answered the witness.

"State some circumstance which occurred, say, twelve years ago," said the lawyer, "and we shall be able to see how well you can remember." "I appeal to your honor," said the witness, "if I am to be interrogated in

this manner. It is insolent!"
"You had better answer the question," replied the judge.
"Yes, sir; state it," said the lawyer.

"Well, sir, if you compel me to do it I will. About twelve years ago you studied in Judge —'s office, did you

"Yes," answered the lawyer. "Well, sir, I remember your father coming into my office and saying to me, 'Mr. D., my son is to be examined tomorrow, and I wish you would lend me \$15 to buy him a suit of clothes.' I remember also, sir, that from that day to this he has never paid me that sum. That, sir, I remember as though it were yesterday."

A PROBLEM IN FIGURES.

It Scared the Mathematician, but the Women Solved It.

One day a teacher of mathematics went shopping with his wife. He tagged along listlessly from counter to counter until they came to the dress trimmings department, and there he found something in his line. Said his wife to the saleswoman: "How wide is that gold spangled

black crape?" "Three-eighths of a yard," said the girl.

"How much is it a yard?" "Three dollars."
"Well," said the professor's wife,

"how much of three-eighths wide ma terial will it take to put four six-inch strips around a two and three-quarter yard skirt that is seven inches narrower at the knees than it is at the bottom, and how much will it cost?" At the first mention of those figures

the professor's head began to reel, and it reeled still more when his wife and the girl got out pencils and paper and began to do their sum. Presently his wife said:

"Here, dear; you know all about mathematics. Help us solve this prob-

lem, won't you?" But the professor said: "Excuse me; I feel faint; I must get a little fresh air," and ignominously fled.

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An All Around Sermon. A sermon had been preached in a cathedral, and some of the clergy who had been present were discussing it at the bishop's luncheon table. One said, "Was not that sermon a little 'high?'"
"High!" exclaimed another. "It struck me as being decidedly 'low.'" now," put in an orthodox cleric of the old school, "I should have described it as rather 'broad.' What do you say, bishop?" "I," replied the prelate, "thought it was rather 'long.'"

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to him what is he?' "Why, he's a fool."-Yonkers States

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A naturalist tells of a droll exhibition of fun evinced by a mocking bird. It had only recently been captured and was placed near another cage in which were two canaries, both excellent singers. The mocking bird at first seemed to be struck dumb by his voluble neighbors; but, as it turned out afterward, he was only biding his time. For several days he remained silent, taking notes, until he had mastered their song, when one day, without even a preliminary rehearsal, he burst out into a canary song in a loud, ringing tone that struck his yellow throated neighbors mute with astonishment. After this it was a favorite amusement of his to drown the voices of the canaries with his own loud notes whenever they attempted to sing.-Detroit Free Press.

German English.
While visiting a small manufacturing

town in Germany last summer a New York woman bought a tortoise shell hair ornament which was badly injured through a servant's carelessness. The saleswoman to whom it was returned with a request to have it repaired, wishing probably to air her English sent it back to the hotel with this note: "The hair comb sending to me is heavy to repair whilst the pieces only through wire fastening can be. I would the destroy of the hair comb resolve-then could the lovely ornamental for other one hair comb be accom plish."-New York Tribune.

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FARM STOCK IMPLEMENTS, ETC.

The undersigned has received instructions from RD. J. THOMPSON to offer for sale by public auction on the premises, LoT 21, CON. I, MAIN ROAD, WARWICK, On MONDAY, MARCH 25th, 1912, the following valuable stock, etc., viz.:—

Brood mare, 6 yrs. old, in foal to Milton
Hill; G.P. mare, 9 yrs. old, in foal to
Gold and Silver; Hackney colt, rising I Gold and Silver; Hackney colt, rising I year; Shetland pony, rising I year; cow, due to calve in March; 2 cows, due to calve in April; 6 yearling steers, 6 yearling heifers. The above young cattle are mostly Hereford and are in good condition. H.D, colt, rising 2 yrs.; H.D. colt rising I yr.; 2 pigs, about 50 lbs. each; 2 turkeys, 20 young hens, about 6 tons of good hay; 75 bus. seed oats; about 10 bus. cob corn; I lumber wagon, Bain, new; Massep Harris Mower, wide steel rake, seed drill, long plow, Wilkinson, set hook-tooth harrows; open buggy, new; set double harness; set single harness; fanning mill; corn scuffler, new; hay rack, cutter, gravel box, oak barrel, set of whiffletrees, neckyoke, bag salt, and other articles too numerous to menand other articles too numerous to men-

Everything without reserve, as proprietor has rented his farm and is going to Regina.
Sale to commence at one o'clock.

TERMS :- All sums of \$10 and under, cash; over that amount 7 months' credit on furnishing approved joint notes, 6 per cent, per annum off for cash on credit

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FARM STOCK

Implements, Household Furniture, Etc

The undersigned has received instructions from THOS, SEARSON to offer for sale by public auction on the premises, for 7, concession 14, broken and section of a new school house at S, S, No. 7, CONCESSION 14, BROOKE, on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27, 1912, the following valuable stock, etc., viz:—Heavy mare, 5 yrs. old, in foal to Sir Edmund; mare, 11 yrs. old, worker or

driver; milking cow; good Hereford cow, due in May; steer, coming 3 yrs.; heifer, coming 3 yrs., due in April; heifer, 2 yrs. old, due in April; 6 steers, coming 2 yrs.; yearling heifer; steer calf, comand 7 pigs, 4 weeks old; 90 hens, will be sold in small lots; M.-H. mower; Frost & Wood binder; hay loader, nearly new; hay rake; hay rack; land roller; M.-H. seed drill; Wilkinson plow; set hooktooth harrows; set straight-tooth har-rows; set disc harrows; root pulper; corn scuffler; platform scales; fanning corn scuffler; platform scales; fanning mill; lnmber wagon; set Hastings Bobsleighs; top buggy, cutter; wagon box and spring seat; wheelbarrow; hay fork and rope; set heavy harness, set single harness; roo bus. seed oats; a quantity of lumber; corn planter, post auger, 2 oak barrels, sugar kettle, barrel of salt; whiffletrees, forks, logging chains, cow chains, &c.; McClary cook stove; extension table; kitchen table; 6 kitchen chairs; I rocking chair; sideboard, 2 bedsteads, and other articles to numerous to mention. ous to mention.

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CLEARING AUCTION SALE

Valuable Farm, Farm Stock Implements and House Effects.

The undersigned has received instruc-tions from BENJAMIN PIKE to sell by tions from BENJAMIN PIKE to sell by public auction on LoT 25, Con. 5, WAR-WICK, on THURSDAY, MARCH 28th, 1912, at one o'clock, sharp, the following:—Brood mare, 7 yrs. old; G. P. horse, 6 yrs. old; 2-yr.-old mare, sired by Gartyshire Blend; yearling colt, Monbars (reg.); new milch cow; 3 cows in calf to purebred bull; 2-year-old herfer; 2-year-old steer; 3 yearlings; calf; 4 breeding ewes, lambs by side; brood sow and 7 pigs; 3 store pigs, about 160 lbs.; 75 hens; 2 turkeys and one gobbler; pair ducks; lumber wagon, new; top buggy, nearly new; cutter; mikado, new, set bobsleighs, corn scuffler, wheelbarrow, hay rack, set heavy harness, set single harness, large kitchen range, I new, set bobsiegins, corn scumer, wheelbarrow, hay rack, set heavy harness, set single harness, large kitchen range, I Melotte cream separator, cap. 400 lbs.; hay loader, nearly new; Noxan binder, nearly new; Noxan binder, nearly new; Noxon mower, nearly new; seed drill; disc harrow, nearly new; hooktooth harrow; 4-section diamond harrow; 3-section harrow; Wilkinson plow; fanning mill; set scales, 2000 lbs.; W. & W. hay fork, car, ropes and pulleys; set slings, buggy pole, 3 sets whiffletrees; 200 bus. oats for seed; 50 bus. seed barley; a quantity of first-class hay; a number of grain bags, dairy utensils and other articles too numerous to mention.

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The undersigned, the Executor of the last will of

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p. m., at the homestead of the said deceased, being West Half

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1	MISCELLANEOUS-				
1	Wood 2			3	00
1	Tallow	6			6
1	Hides	8			10
1	Wool	18			20
	Hay, per ton 14	00	I	4	00
				-	-
-	VEGETABLES AND FRUIT-				. 1
	Potatoes, per bag	1 75		2	00
	Dried apples per lb	06		_	03
	POULTRY-	-			00
	Turkeys, per lb	18			20
4		9			10
	Ducks, per lb	14			15
	Geese, per lb	10			11
	LONDON MARKETS.				
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	Wheat		to \$	0	97
ĕ	Oats, cwt 1		to	1	53
9	Peas, 1		to	1	10
	Barley, cwt I	35	to	1	35
	Butter 0		to	-	35
	Eggs 0				22
	Pork 9	00	to		50
		00		9	90

Toronto Markets.

Toronto, March 19.—Cattle of the good and medium classes are again very strong. All medium weight cattle are seiling at remarkably strong prices. Extra choice cattle are steady but the demand for these is weak, with few offering. Butcher cows are steady at yesterday's prices. feeding cattle are not very plentiful but they are holding steady. Sheep and lambs are not as active as yesterday but quotations are unchanged, except for

Toronto Markets.

Record of Business as at the 31st of January, 1912 LIABILITIES \$1,992,353.00 \$3,618,722.14 Notes in Circulation -Cash on Hand Notes and Cheques of and due by other Banks - 2,470,791.48

Dominion Govt. and other 2,862.194.88 Deposits -Dividends -Due to other Banks Capital - \$2,000,000.00
Reserve Fund 2,600,000.00 2,862,194.88 first-class Bonds Loans on Call, on Govt., Municipal and other Bonds and Stocks Rebate of Interest on Discounts - 71,643.45 . . 1,906,845.00 Government Deposit to secure Note Circulation Bills Discounted and Current Advances Balance of Profit and Loss Acct. 61,383.58 4,733,027.03 100,000.00

25,397,668.68 897,842.13 57,2**53.4**7

The Standard Bank of Canada

\$37,311,317.78 \$37,311,317.78

GEO. P. SCHOLFIELD, General Manager.

sheep and lambs, 278 calves and 600 hogs. Export cattle, choice. \$ 6 20 to \$ 7 00 do., medium..... 5 70 to 6 10 Calves..... 4 00 to 7 00

Bank Premises Other Assets

East Buffalo. East Buffalo, March 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 40 head; active and firm. Veals—Receipts, 75 head; active and 25c lower; \$5 to \$9 25. Hogs—Receipts, 1,000; active; 15c higher; heavy and mixed, \$7.65 to \$7 70; yorkers, \$7 to \$7.70; pigs and roughs, \$6.65 to \$6.75; stags, \$5 to \$5 75; dairies, \$7 to \$7.65. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2,400 head; sheep, active and steady; lambs, slow and 10c lower; lambs, \$5 to \$7.90.

SPRING IMPURITIES

IN THE BLOOD

A Tonic Medicine is a Necessity at This Season. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale

People are an all year round tonic, blood-builder and nerve-restorer. But they are especially valuable in the spring when the system is loaded with impurities as a result of the indoor life of the winter months. There is no other season when the blood is so much in need of purifying the blood is so much in need of purifying and enriching, and every dose of these pills helps to make new, rich, red blood. In the spring the appetite is often poor—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills develop the appetite, tone the stomach and aid weak digestion. It is in the spring that poisons in the blood find an outlet in disfiguring pimples, eruptions and boils—Dr. Williams Pink Pills speedily clear the skin because they go to the root of the trouble in the blood. In the spring anaemia, rheumatism, indigestion. anaemia, rheumatism, indigestion neuralgia, erisipelas, and many other tronbles are most persistent because of poor, weak blood, and it is at this time when all nature takes on new life that the blood most seriously needs attention. Some people dose themselves with purgatives at this season, but these only further weaken themselves.

with purgatives at this season, but these only further weaken themselves. A purgative merely gallops through the system, emptying the bowels, but it does not cure anything. On the other hand Dr. Williams' Pink Pills actually make new blood which reaches every nerve and vigor to weak, easily tired men, women and children. Try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills this spring—they will not disappoint you.

point you.

Sold by all medicine dealers or sent by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 by The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Death of Mr. Arch. McLachlan.

Another of Plympton's most highly respected pioneers passed away on Monday, March 11th, in the person of Arch, McLachlan, of Kertch. Although the late Arch, McLachlan has been ill for years the news of his death was a surprise to his many friends. He was in his 80th year having been born in Argylshire, Scotland in 1833. He came to Canada in 1836 with his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. John McLachlan, who settled in Lobo. After learning his trade of blacksmithing he removed to Kertch fifty-two years ago where he continued his trade until health failed him. He leaves behind him to mourn his death his wife and many relatives among which are five sisters. Mrs. Geo. Minielly, of Plympton; Mrs. Neil McVicar and Mrs. John McCoubrey, of Brooke; Mrs. Alex. Sinclair, of Lobo, and Mrs. A. McMurphy, of London, and a brother Dan McLachlan, who still lives on the old homestead in Lobo. The remains were interred in Wyoming Cemetery on Wednesday, March 13th, the services being conduced by Rev. G. W. Ross, assisted by Rev. Mr. Reid.

Very Low Rates and Special Trains for Homeseekers.

Those taking advantage of the Home-seekers' Excursions should bear in mind the many exclusive features offered by the Canadian Pacific Railway in connec-tion with a trip to the West. It is the only all-Canadian route. Only line oper-

ating through trains to Western Canada. No change of depots. Only line operating through Standard and Tourist Sleepers to Winnipeg and Vancouver. All equipment is owned and operated by Canadian Pacific Railway, affording the highest form of efficiency. Dining car-

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Homeseekers' rates will be in effect April 2, 16, 30, May 14-28, June 11-25, July 9, 23, Aug. 6, 20, Sept. 3, 17, and round trip second-closs tickets will be issued via Canadian Pacific Railway from Caterio, points at very low rates for ontario points at very low rates, for example, Winnipeg and return \$34.00, Edmonton and return \$12 00, and other points in proportion. Return limit 60-days.

For the accommodation of Canadian Pacific Pailway passengers a special trains

Pacific Railway passengers a special trainwill leave Toronto at 2.00 p.m. on abovedates, comprised of Tourist and Colonist sleepers. Colonist sleepers may be occupiseepers. Colonist steepers may be occupi-ed free of charge. Passengers, however, must provide their own bedding, Tourist Sleeping cars will be operated through to-Edmonton via Saskatoon, also through Winnireg and Calgary. A moderate-charge is made for berths in Tourist cars. Both Tourist and Colonist cars are pro-vided with cooking ranges, which train-

vided with cooking ranges, which trainmen have instructions to keep in condition. Full particulars from any Canadian Pacific Railway agent. Ask for copy of Homeseekers' Booklet.

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A. D. M. Hone & Co., Investments and Real Estate, can secure for you 8 percent, to 10 percent, on First Mortgages and Agreements of sale. Why accept 3 percent, to 5 percent? Security absolutely sound. In writing state how much you wish to invest. We collect and forward to you, If interested in Real Estate write us for either farm lands or city property.—A. D. M. HONE & Co. or city property.—A. D. M. Hone & Co., Mitchell Block, Prince Albert, Sask.

and Envelopes

A recent addition to our stock is

White Oak Linen

fine white writing paper with a faintly visible water mark of the oak graining.

A quire of paper and a package of envelopes for 25 cents.

Another new one is our

Ivory Taffeta

put up in packages of 100 sheets for 25 cents. Envelopes to match, 3 packages in

a box for 25 cents.

A few odd lines of

Boxed Paper and Envelopes regular price 25 cents which must

go at 15 cents each.

DRUGGIST STATIONER, Issuer of Marriage Licenses

The Rexall Store

Volume X

THE "King" hat.

Hogs \$7.50 this week MILLINERY OPENIN EASTER CLOTHING .-OVERCOATS are be

SEVERAL parties have the first robin, but we saw it first. OSCAR J. COOK left Sask., this week, takin of settler's effects.

USE Suprise flour for BEFORE building ge A REPRESENTATIVE Municipal Telephone S the Roche House this ROBERT BARRY, of

chased the Queen's from Robert McInty possession April 1. TAYLORS' new handbat a bargain. One spec and leather-lined, newe

FOR FINE SUITS in worsteds and fine twe They have a first-class The old county build to be again repaired. portunity to have creditate best county in Onto

IAMES MCMANUS heavy horses to Toro G. Mitchell shipped Galt; Matthews & S flour to London, and one of hogs to Toronto. FOWNES guaranteed Easter.—A. Brown &

IT is said that thre money spent in neces Therefor mer vertise for women. If your prices she will rea ment and want to buy. MRS. R. K. SCARLET

line B. Barnes), former now residing in Nelson appointed editor of the the Nelson Daily Ne some good work in that PLATFORM, scoop an All gov't inspected.-T

TAYLORS' new wal public taste. The mod play rack makes it very ROBERT RAE, an

County of Lambton, seeve of Bosanquet, di Sarnia on Monday la The funeral was held S. W. LOUKS was in attending the head car Woodmen of the Worl

the year 1911 has been in every particular. year 3000 new member claims paid and a surp GRAND electric dis Ladies, see the new folks.—SWIFT'S. An old account book 12 cents a quart, cigar dred, butter at 12 cen

mere 75 cents a yard

cents a pound.

REMEMBER the date arday of this week B and housefurnishing's Friday evening .- A. B ALL the colleges Canada have been not Trunk and Canadian that the special rate fore granted, will be wast. Those from the sand West will have to

RED CLOVER, alta othy seed. C. B. Ma an exceptionally good seeds. They invite you their prices are right

both ways in future.

Any one who loses sitting, playing cards any other game and money lost, may, wi sue and recover the n a recent amendmen Act, and is called and ling. The moral is t \$39.99, he should of

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orchestra will be
furnish selections first class manner. Come one, come all