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## East Lambton Fall Fair

WATFORD  
October 5th and 6th, 1914

### LOCAL HAPPENINGS

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

**WHEAT \$1.10.**  
BROWN'S for Bargains.  
ARE you a member of the Public Library?  
NEXT Monday is Labor Day, and a public holiday.  
RECRUTES wanted for the 27th regiment. Apply at the armory.

PAY your subscription now, or are you waiting for a moratorium to be proclaimed?  
THE memory of a trip to a summer resort will be a mighty poor substitute for an overcoat next winter.

TAILORING, tailoring at SWIFTS'.  
THE Alvinston Free Press has again changed hands the new editor being Mr. Harold Ketch, son of a former owner.

YOU can get a copy of the Watford Fair prize list by applying to F. Kenward, secretary, at the Merchants Bank.

NO, "Constant Reader" the Kaiser and his six sons will not risk their semicircular skins by getting at all near the battlefield.

THERE will be no war prices in the Watford stores this winter. The dry goods men had their winter stocks bought before war was declared.

ALDERMANBURY coats — the latest English style. We are now prepared to make these coats up for ladies from their special measure.—A. BROWN & Co.

G. B. BRAMHILL, agricultural representative for Lambton, is in Toronto superintending the county exhibit at the Industrial Fair.

GROUCHY CUSTOMER—"Give me ten cents' worth of dog meat." Butcher—"All right, sir. Shall I wrap it up or will you eat it here?"

THE tenth annual Lambton Central Bowling Tourney will be held in Petrolia on Labor Day, Sept. 7th. Watford will probably send two rinks.

IT pays to get over the fence on the other fellow's side once in a while and look back at yourself. Not infrequently you may see things there.

LADIES, order your suits, 700 samples to choose from.—SWIFTS'.

THE 27th Regt. will fill up the gap made by the enlistment of men in the expeditionary force, and recruiting is now going on at the armory.

WE are waiting anxiously to hear those English dreadnoughts speak. We don't care how loud they speak, they will not be accused of talking too much.

THE apple crop has improved considerably since the heavy rains. The late apples are going to be a good crop, but early varieties will be small owing to the dry weather.

THE Big B one dollar overalls.—A. BROWN & Co.

THE Public and High Schools opened Tuesday, the former with an attendance of 175 and the latter with over 100, which no doubt will be largely augmented next week.

MONUMENT granite has advanced in price 10 per cent. This, with the casket trust, will make the high cost of dying as bad as the high cost of living. Little choice now.

NEW Scotch tweeds, imported direct.—SWIFTS'.

CUSTOMERS will please remember that all job work and advertising must be paid for as soon as completed. The old 20-year-old system of long credit is impracticable these days.

TO keep the wheels of progress moving now is the time for all Canadians to buy Canadian-made or British-made goods in preference to all others. The Made-in-Germany sign is not popular.

CALL at S. B. HOWDEN'S. That is the place to get good shoes. My stock is now complete for fall goods. See the Slater shoe. To see is to buy. No war prices. Cheaper than the cheapest.

JOHN SMITH, who has been working at Lovell's bakery for some time, was called to London this week to train with the members of the 7th regiment who expect to go with the second overseas contingent.

NEW King hats opened this week. Need one for the Pairs?—A. BROWN & Co.

THERE was a great demand for extra copies of the Guide-Advocate last week. The few we had left over after supplying our subscribers were picked up like hot cakes, and we could have disposed of many more.

THE mysterious aeroplane which has been seen above different places in Western Ontario lately was sighted by Watford people on Thursday night. It is said that the machine was moving at a rapid rate and the whirr of the propeller and the exhaust of the engine could be heard quite plainly.

THE newest in ladies' coats.—SWIFTS'.

A NUMBER from here are attending the Toronto Fair this week.

THE German daschund will have to pay double dog tax in future.

WATFORD merchants are busy opening up their fall goods. The assortment this year will be larger than ever.

THE Guild of St. Paul's Anglican Church, Kerwood, sent \$50 to the Hospital Ship. This makes \$150 subscribed by Kerwood.

ALL the new dress goods at SWIFTS'.

LT.-COL. KELLY has received instructions from Headquarters to take immediate and energetic steps to recruit the 27th regt. to full peace establishment.

THE Lambton Growers' Co-Operative Association will contribute a car load of fresh vegetables valued at \$500 to the military authorities for the volunteers.

ORVILLE B. DOAN, of Watford, has purchased from Duncan A. Graham, of Plympton, the west half of lot 29, con. 3, in that township, consideration \$6000.

WE notice that Miss Annie M. Tanner was successful in securing the two parts of the Commercial Specialists' Certificate at the recent examination held in Toronto.

WHITE felt hats are correct for early fall. We are showing the correct shapes.—A. BROWN & Co.

EPWORTH League services in the Methodist church on Tuesday evening at eight o'clock. Leader, Mrs. Thompson. Topic, "Once Strangers, now Fellow-Citizens."

THE people of Fort McPherson, Hudson Bay, will not hear that war is in progress in Europe until the winter mail is delivered there in February 1915. How would you like to live there these lively times?

THE regular meeting of the Watford Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. C. Butler, Erie street, on Wednesday evening, Sept. 9th. Roll call answered by patriotic quotations. Visitors welcome.—SEC.

G. T. R. rates for Labor Day—Single fare, good going and returning September 7. Fare and one-third, good going Sept. 5, 6, 7. Return limit, September 8, 1914. Between all stations in Canada, east of Port Arthur.

TRAVELLERS' samples of night gowns, corset covers and underwear, less 25 per cent.—A. BROWN & Co.

A PATRIOTIC citizen has asked why the Union Jack is not flying over the schools and fire hall during the war. The suggestion is a good one as it would tend to further increase our patriotism during these trying times.

A BIG home grown, corn fed girl may not be able to tango as gracefully as her slender hot house sister, but she is doing with bells on when it comes to doing the kitchen scrub, the dust-rag dip and the cooking canter.

TOWN CLERK FULLER was rejoicing Tuesday, that day being the first school opening day in twenty years that he did not have to pay high school fees. During the entire period he has had one or more children attending that institution.

THE war in Europe is liable to reduce the price in apples this year lower than it has been for years past according to a Chatham buyer. Each year large quantities of fruit are exported to France, Germany and the British Isles, but none will go across the water this year because of the war.

LADIES' coats, suits or dresses tailored to your own measure by the foremost tailors in Canada. Satisfaction guaranteed.—A. BROWN & Co.

LOCAL retailers are in receipt of circulars from the wholesale houses warning them that they must be prepared for curtailment of credit in every line. They urge that all retail merchants at once eliminate all credit and put their business on strictly cash basis.

MR. AND MRS. A. G. BROWN, received word from their son Howard last week that he had joined Canada's crack regiment, the Princess Patricia Light Infantry. The regiment left Montreal on Saturday and is now encamped at Levis awaiting a convoy to England.

THE Ontario Government have made an open season for shooting pheasant this fall. The open time will be two days for each week, Tuesdays and Fridays between October 15 and November 14th. Two birds each day is the limit for each man and no hen pheasants are to be shot under penalty of \$50 fine.

ONE result of the war is a near famine in news print. It is not so acute in Canada as in Britain. Still there is a good deal of anxiety among publishers.

In the old country the newspapers have been reduced to half size, indeed, some are merely little bulletin sheets containing the war news.

PATRIOTIC young ladies now refuse to let their "steady company" buy chocolates, in the hope of keeping the price of sugar from getting out of reach. A girl who will not accept candy and other luxuries during war time is on a par with the young man who offers his services to his country—both are worthy of the highest commendation.

"We are at war with Germany and by the law, so long as this state of war exists, no German firm has any status in a Canadian court," said Judge Morrison, Thursday, at Toronto, in refusing to give judgment in a case where a German firm sued a Canadian firm for dress goods. This is the first law action by a German firm in Canada since the war broke out.

WORD received from the 27th soldiers at Valcartier states that the boys had a fine trip, and while only allowed to detain at London and Three Rivers, at nearly every station along the route the people gathered to cheer them. Valcartier is an immense plain, surrounded by hills, and dotted as far as the eye can see with tents. The soldiers are drilled hard every day, but as they are well fed, they are satisfied.

AN Austrian came up from London Tuesday with a load of lumber taken here while crossing the railway bridge from the south and started on the run. The team left the wagon and load on the sidewalk near the bridge, breaking both the fence and walk, and ran through the street to the fourth line. Little damage was done, which was miraculous considering the number of vehicles and pedestrians on the street at the time. The outfit belonged to Mr. James Patterson, of Metcalfe.

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THE directors of the East Lambton Agricultural Society are now distributing the annual prize list for the fair to be held on Oct. 5 and 6. It is the duty of the public to do everything possible to make the fair a better one than any yet held, and there are many ways of helping. One very important help that would be appreciated right now is the donation of special prizes. If you have anything you can offer as a prize for any competition the directors would be glad to hear of it at once. The list of specials when completed will be printed in the Guide-Advocate.

A NEW and improved spelling book has been authorized for public schools and must be used instead of the old speller. A Trustee Board may, however, pass a resolution authorizing the continuation of the old speller in their schools for the present, but such resolution must have been in the hands of the teacher on opening day or it will not be allowed. Either the new speller or else the signed and dated resolution of the Board must appear in the school when the Inspector inquires into the matter. The Department will allow no infringements of this regulation by teacher or school.

FREQUENT complaint is heard of damage done to orchards and gardens and other property by trespassers bent not so much on satisfying the natural appetite as "having a good time." No gardener or orchardist would deny a little of the fruit of his labor to any who might ask for it in a civil way, but they do hate to have their grounds entered and over-run in a way that is little short of an outrage. Boys and young men, yes, and girls and young women, too, are the offenders mostly. An appeal is made to the better side of their nature. You will be considered just as smart and yet conduct yourself in a well-behaved manner.

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PERSONAL.

Mrs. S. H. Mitchell is spending the week in Toronto.

Mrs. John Shaw took in the sights at Detroit this week.

Miss Nellie Roy is spending several weeks with friends in Sarnia.

Mrs. Adjt. Adams, Toronto, is the guest of Miss Adams, Erie St.

Mr. and Mrs. Swift will leave to-day for Valcartier and the Toronto Fair.

Mrs. J. Bolton and daughter, St. Thomas, are guests at S. J. Saunders'.

Miss Lorna Browne, Alvinston, is spending this week at W. D. Cameron's.

Mr. Joseph H. Mitchell left this week for Prince Albert and other points west.

Mr. Joseph Keller is visiting at 307 Margueretta street, Toronto, this week.

Miss S. C. McKenzie is visiting relatives and friends in Toronto and Mar-mora.

Mrs. Robt. Reid, Picton, Ont., visited her brother Mr. Angus Mitchell, last week.

Miss Lulu Hunter of Cornwall, is visiting relatives and friends in Arkona and Watford.

Dr. Geo. Howden is in Toronto this week attending a dental post graduate course at the University.

Mr. Harry Scott and family, of Detroit, spent a few days with his father, Mr. Walter Scott, and Mrs. Scott.

C. R. Hillis, consulting engineer of Canadian Westinghouse, called to see his sister here before she left for Toronto.

Miss Katherine Ross, of Pt. Arthur, is visiting relatives in town and vicinity, before leaving for Alma Ladies' College, St. Thomas.

Mr. F. J. Elliot of the Merchants' Bank Staff, left on the steamer Hamonic on Wednesday, on a trip up the lakes for his health.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hodge and Miss Florence Hodge, of Toledo, Ohio, were the guests of Miss Adams, Erie St. on Thursday last.

Miss Jean Fitzgerald returned Monday, after spending several weeks visiting relatives and friends in London, West-Nissouri and elsewhere.

Mr. Gilbert Mains, of Elora, and bride (nee Miss Laura Martz of Galt), are spending part of their honeymoon at Mr. Mains' old home, fourth line.

Grace Mead, Jean McKeercher, Edith McCormick, L. Mansfield and Gertrude Lucas left for London this week to attend the session of the Normal School.

Mrs. Peter Spence and daughter, Marion, of Brantford, who spent two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott, returned home on Monday.

Mr. F. W. Tanner spent a few hours in town last week, and on Thursday he and Mrs. Tanner, who has been here for several weeks, returned to their home in Moosejaw, Sask.

Miss Anna Hillis, Toronto, who was visiting friends here, met with a very serious accident on August 9th, and left for her home a week ago. It will be some time before Miss Hillis will have the use of her arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson, Sarnia, and Mr. and Mrs. Cannon, Clinton, attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Sharp here, on Sunday. Mrs. Cannon is the deceased sister, and Mrs. Ferguson her daughter.

Mr. George Smith, Moosejaw, is visiting relatives and renewing old acquaintances in Watford and Warwick this week. Mr. Smith is a prosperous merchant in the Western City. He left Warwick about 30 years ago.

Strathroy Age—"Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Tanner, of Moosejaw, Sask., former residents of Strathroy and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Swift and son, Diamond, of Watford motored to town on Tuesday and spent the day with old friends."

The school teachers who have been spending their holidays at their homes here all returned to their duties this week, Miss Carroll to Ingersoll, Miss Lois Johnston to Owen Sound, Miss Verna Bambridge to Wroter, Miss Alice M. Tanner to Red Deer, Sask., Miss Rosa Brown to Arkona, Miss L. Richardson to Petrolia, Miss Isabel Harris to Welland, Miss Eva Crummer to Fingall, Miss Lizzie McKeercher to Alvinston, Miss Loretta Roche to Toronto, and Miss Jessie Hume to Markdale.

"Thanksgiving Services"

On Sunday next Sept. 6th Rev. F. G. Robinson of this town will preach the Anniversary Harvest Thanksgiving Sermons at Kerwood at 10.30 and 7.30.

Rev. T. Ball, the newly appointed minister at Kerwood, will take Mr. Robinson's place here, and will conduct services appropriate for Harvest Thanksgiving at Watford Methodist church at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. He will also conduct services at Zion church at 2.30 p. m.

The congregation of St. Andrews Presbyterian church, Napier, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of that church on Sunday and Monday of last week. On Sunday the services were conducted by former pastors of the church, who expressed their appreciation of being able to be present on such a memorable occasion. Monday night was the jubilee. A concert was held in the church commencing at eight o'clock, and a splendid program rendered.

## WARWICK.

Mrs. Harvey, of Port Huron, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Harrower last week.

Mr. Fred H. Thompson spent the week end visiting his sister Mrs. G. R. Rivers, of Mooretown.

Mrs. Wm. Coulter, of Petrolia, and daughter, trained nurse of Regina, are visiting at Mr. Geo. Bryson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson second line, returned home after spending a week visiting friends in Lobo, London and Strathroy.

Mr. Fred Thompson and Mr. Walter Hobbs returned last week after spending over a week's vacation visiting relatives and friends at Long Lake and Alpena, Mich.

The monthly meeting of the Warwick branch Women's Institute will be held in the Forester's Hall, on Thursday, Sept. 10th.—Sec'y.

Mr. Swanton Chambers and Mr. Robert Reycraft, returned home on Wednesday, after spending a couple of weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bateman, of Holton, Kansas.

Mr. Alex Burchiel, of Murkirk, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Swanton and family, of Highgate, motored up to see the latter's sister, Mrs. Swanton Chambers 4th, line on Sunday.

Several farmers of Warwick township are seriously thinking of sowing many acres of wheat this fall. They seem to think that should the European war last any length of time that the wheat would bring a good price per bushel, and that it would help along the shortage that is sure to take place should the war continue longer than six months, when all the western wheat would be shipped to the seaboard.

The Soo Star, of Aug. 24th, says:—"About thirty young ladies assembled at the home of Miss Teresa McGill, Tarantorus, Friday evening and gave a linen shower to Miss Frances Dorrner, whose marriage takes place to-day. Many beautiful gifts were concealed in an umbrella which was opened by Miss Laura Dickenson, the gifts falling beside Miss Dorrner. Lunch was served at 11 o'clock."

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER.—Last Wednesday evening about 40 invited guests met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Parker, Rosevale Farm, to welcome back an old friend Mrs. A. H. Walker, (nee Miss Francis Dorrner), of Sault Ste. Marie. After congratulations and supper, which was served on the lawn, Mr. and Mrs. Walker were showered with silver, china, linen and brass, also an abundance of rice. The rest of the evening was spent in music and games all returning to their homes well pleased with their evenings outing.

Death came unexpectedly on Saturday last, Aug. 29th, 1914, to Mrs. Catherine Gorman, relict of the late Joseph Gorman. She was only ill for one day when the summons came to her in her 79th year. Mrs. Gorman was a native of Ireland and came to live in Warwick with her family about 20 years ago. Her husband predeceased her about 17 years ago and she leaves to mourn her loss four sons, David, William, Joseph and James, and one daughter, Mary, all of Warwick. The funeral was held on Monday afternoon from the family residence, lot 28, Main road, to the Wisbeach cemetery, and was well attended, the deceased lady having many warm friends in the neighborhood. The Rev. F. G. Newton, a former rector of Warwick parish, took the burial service. The pall bearers were Robert and James Watson, Nat. and Geo. Conkey, D. Edwards and W. Parker.

BROOKE

Miss Gertrude Lucas left last Monday to attend the London Normal School.

Mrs. Jno. H. Lucas, is spending a few days this week with her sister, Mrs. Wm. R. Johnston, London West.

Service will be held in St. James' Church, Brooke, on Sunday morning, instead of the afternoon, on Sunday next.

Mrs. J. W. Lucas and Miss Ivy Harrison attended the funeral of their aunt, the late Mrs. Silas Evey, of Petrolia, on Monday.

Mr. Joe Chittick, of Deckerville, Mich. was here to see his mother who fell and hurt herself quite badly at the home of his sister, Mrs. McLellan.

Mrs. McLellan who has been quite ill with hay fever and asthma for the last six weeks, has gone to Detroit to take the rest cure. Mrs. McLellan's many friends hope she may return much improved in health.

Plympton farmers are striving hard to be winners in the corn contest. They think Mr. Alex. Wark's field of corn on the 2nd line will win the prize but Brooke has it beat. Mr. Taylor, Tenth Line has a field of early White Cap Dent which was planted May 21 and now measures nine feet in height and looks favorable to be a record crop.

One of Brooke Township's prominent and respected citizens, Mr. Jas. Reader, was claimed by death on Friday, August 14th, at the age of 78 years. Mr. Reader, who was a pioneer of this township, was born in Kent County, England, in 1836. In 1855 he arrived in Canada, residing in London township until 1861. He then moved to Brooke township and settled on lot 16, con. 4, where he resided until his death.

### TWO WOMEN SAVED FROM OPERATIONS

By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—Their Own Stories Here Told.

Edmonton, Alberta, Can. — "I think it is no more than right for me to thank you for what your kind advice and Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound have done for me. "When I wrote to you some time ago I was a very sick woman suffering from female troubles. I had organic inflammation and could not stand or walk any distance. At last I was confined to my bed, and the doctor said I would have to go through an operation, but this I refused to do. A friend advised Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and now, after using three bottles of it, I feel like a new woman. I most heartily recommend your medicine to all women who suffer with female troubles. I have also taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Liver Pills, and think they are fine. I will never be without the medicine in the house."—Mrs. FRANK EMSLEY, 903 Columbia Avenue, Edmonton, Alberta.

The Other Case. Beatrice, Neb. — "Just after my marriage my left side began to pain me and the pain got so severe at times that I suffered terribly with it. I visited three doctors and each one wanted to operate on me but I would not consent to an operation. I heard of the good Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and was doing for others and I used several bottles of it with the result that I haven't been bothered with my side since then. I am in good health and I have two little girls."—Mrs. R. B. CHILD, Beatrice, Neb.

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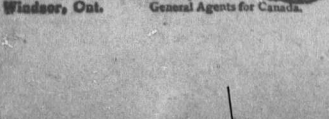
### NOTE AND COMMENT.

Canada war budget of \$50,000,000 has been accepted unanimously by both houses of the Canadian parliament. To provide for it increased taxes have been levied on sugar, spirituous liquors, and a few other articles.

Wives continue to assert a claim prior to that of the Empire. They will not allow their husbands to go to war. Their position may be conventionally awkward, for they must decide whether sentiment for their husbands or for their country is the stronger.

The Ontario Government has come forward with an offer of \$500,000 to the mother country for war purposes. Quebec has donated a million pounds of Canadian cheese, Nova Scotia sends 100,000 tons of coal, and the other provinces have been equally liberal.

The people of Germany are in the hands of their emperor; the King of England is in the hands of his people. Both peoples are loyal to their rulers; but in one case it is a loyalty enforced by law, and in the



Every Woman. It is interested and should know about the wonderful MARVEL Whirling Spray. The new Vaginal Spray. It cleans and disinfects. It gives full particulars and directions. Ask your druggist for it. If you cannot supply the name, accept no other, and send stamp for illustrated booklet. WINDSOR SUPPLY CO., Windsor, Ont. General Agents for Canada.

### FACED FOUR LIONS.

Coolness and Daring of a Plucky Kaffir Herdboy. Four lions attacked a herd of cattle on a farm at Romsey, South Africa, says the Rhodesia Herald. The herdboy was standing on an ant heap examining a pair of boots he had got the day previous, when he heard a low growl near him. On looking up he saw that three lions had got hold of three cows, while another lion stood looking on.

The boy pulled off his boots and threw them at the nearest lion, and then made a rush for them with a stick, shouting at the same time at the top of his voice to another herdboy to bring a gun. In the meantime two lions had got their cows down, but, nothing daunted, the Kaffir made a rush for them, and the lions moved away from their prey. The boy then rounded up his cattle (he had 108 head), and while he was doing so he chased the lions away several times. When he was at one side the lions would try to catch the cattle on the other. However, he brought all his cattle safely home, though one of the cows after a while died, the claw of a lion having penetrated her lung.

For cool daring it would be hard to beat the chasing of four lions single handed and with no weapons except a pair of boots and a stick.

### LEARNING HOW TO UNLEARN.

Modern Scientists Harking Back to Thales of Miletus. When we were young and knew without doubt that the molecule was composed of two or three ultimate parts, called atoms, we listened complacently to the statement that "science progresses in a straight line, philosophy around in a circle, or at best along a helical spiral." Now that we are older and believe that the simplest atom has nearly 1,800 parts, we find that perhaps the helix is expressive of science as well, observes the editor of the Engineering and Mining Journal.

We believe, with the alchemists, that the so called elements are fundamentally the same. Whether we will transmute one to another remains to be seen; we follow the alchemists in attempting it.

Were one of the Greek philosophers, Thales of Miletus, for instance, to stroll into a modern assembly of physicists and chemists, the language would be more troublesome than the ideas. He would hear the physical chemist remarking cheerfully that there is no matter, for that which we call matter is only energy, and Thales would remark, "Flagrantist." The disciples of electricity, the ultra modern physicists, would tell him that space and time are one, and Thales would sigh to think of his boyish debates.

John Locke, whose "Essay on the Human Understanding" was the first work that attracted attention in England to metaphysical speculation, was born at Wrington, England, Aug. 29, 1632, and died at Oates, England, Oct. 28, 1704. The chief purpose of the essay was to find the original source and scope of human knowledge. The conclusions he arrived at in this study were that there is no such thing as "innate ideas; that the human mind is as a sheet of white paper prepared to be written upon; that the knowledge thereon is written is supplied by experience and that sensation and reflection are the two sources of all our ideas."

He made the first sketch when he was thirty-eight years of age and finished it seventeen years later. The book was bitterly attacked.

A Boat Survival. The dghaisa (pronounced dyasa), the gondola of Malta, is a survival, says John Wignacourt in "The Odd Man in Malta," of the oldest vessel ever used and varies little in shape from the Egyptian boats of the dead. Actually the eye of Osiris is still to be seen upon the prow. It is propelled by two experienced oarsmen, one of whom always stands. When the Gregale wind is sweeping the harbors and the steam ferries are unsafe you can still use the trusty dghaisa. It is a gay little craft, painted in brilliant colors—in this respect a contrast to the somber gondola of Venice.

Pleasant For the Callers. Two ladies made a formal call on a distant acquaintance. The maid asked them to wait until she ascertained whether the person inquired for was in. Presently she tripped downstairs and announced that "the lady was not at home." One of the callers, finding that she had forgotten her cards, said to her friend, "Let me write my name on your card."

"Oh, it isn't at all necessary, miss," put in the maid cheerfully; "I told her who it was."—New York Globe.

A Chicago doctor has invented apparatus to tell whether a person is really hungry or only his appetite, a nervous phenomenon, is active.

### OTHER A LOYALTY INSPIRED BY LOVE OF COUNTRY AND APPRECIATION OF FREEDOM.

We along the Canadian border see some of the results of the European war. The canals on the Canadian side are constantly patrolled by soldiers, and strangers going into Canada must be able to give a very complete account of themselves before they will be allowed to land. The steamer Venus is still making trips to Cornwall, but the passengers are scanned very closely by the immigration officials.—Massena Observer.

Some of the Canadian combines are advancing the price of food commodities, with the excuse that the war situation warrants it. Our Canadian flour and meats are sold to-day in England at lower prices than prevail in Canada. There is no danger of a scarcity of food in this country, and prices abroad do not justify the exorbitant prices now charged here. Some of our Canadian Kaisers should have their wings clipped. The subjection of the Germany Kaiser will do much to bring about this much desired result.

One notable characteristic of the present war is the almost entire absence of a spirit of rancour towards our enemies. In drawing the sword the British have not been animated by any feeling of enmity for the German people, but by a belief that in the conflict which was waging British ideals and principles of government were imperilled, and that they could not, without cowardice, refrain from defending the heritage handed down against a war lord whose success would imperil it. Canada, on her part, counts it a privilege to be ranged alongside the mother country in the defence of the principles of freedom and democracy which our people have been taught to cherish and to regard as dearer than life itself.—Mitchell Advocate.

### Safety First on G. T. R.

The Grand Trunk Railway Company is making a strenuous effort to reduce the personal injury record on their lines. In this campaign for greater safety they find that one of the greatest sources of danger which they have to combat is that of live stock upon the tracks. These usually get upon the tracks by being allowed to run upon the highways near railway crossings. This practice not only occasions serious loss by death of the animals, but is a great source of danger to the travelling public and railway employees. A number of serious accidents have recently occurred due to this cause. The farmers, especially those living along the railways, can greatly assist in removing this source of danger by keeping their gates and fences in good order and by seeing to it that stock is not allowed upon the highway in the vicinity of crossings, and by reporting to the company's employees any defects in the railway fences.

### Beware of Ointments For Catarrh That Contains Mercury

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### The Lion's Whelp

(From The Chicago Tribune.) Kipling never wrote a truer word than when he made Canada say: "Daughter am I in my mother's house, but mistress in my own." This expresses Canada, the obedient offspring of the British Empire, but the independent, self-governing Dominion from Vancouver to the Atlantic. Immediately on Great Britain's declaration of war Canada rose to her defence. The lion's growl was echoed by the whelp.

There is no law which compels Canada to do this. Great Britain cannot compel her to contribute to the defense of the mother country one man, one gun, one bushel of wheat, one dollar of Canadian money, and yet the Dominion has already sent millions of flour and grain, three regiments of equipped men, batteries of guns, and the offer of an unlimited number of volunteers.

The men who gave a good account of themselves in South Africa will not be wanting in valor on Europe's battlefields. An Oil That is Prized Everywhere.—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil was put upon the market without any flourish over thirty years ago. It was put up to meet the wants of a small section, but as soon as its merits became known it had a whole continent for a field, and it is now known and prized throughout this hemisphere. There is nothing equal to it.

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## THANKS FOR A FAVOR.

The Lady and the Baker and a Little Bit of a Surprise.

It was after dark, and the French baker was about to close his shop when the telephone bell rang.

"Mr. Owens?"

"Yes, ma'am."

"This is Mrs. Jimley of Hickorynut street."

"Yes, Mrs. Jimley."

"I am giving a supper tonight, and I discover that I need half a dozen more rolls. Could I trouble you to send them over?"

"I'm sorry, ma'am, but I haven't a roll left in the store nor even a loaf of bread. We are sold clear out tonight."

"This is very provoking," said Mrs. Jimley. "Are you sure you haven't anything that would do?"

"There isn't a thing in the place that I would care to sell you, ma'am. Hold on, though. There's a half dozen fresh rolls on my own supper table right now. I could let you have those if you think they would do. My kids can eat crackers instead. They'd rather, anyway."

"Those will do very nicely, Mr. Owens. Will you send them over soon, please?"

"Right away, ma'am. The boy has gone for the night, but I'll take them to you myself."

In a minute or two he stood on her front steps ringing the bell and feeling well pleased with himself that he could do some one a kindness.

Mrs. Jimley opened the door and took the packages from his hands. Then she said in icy tones:

"The next time you bring any goods here, Mr. Owens, I wish you would remember to ring the basement bell. I can't have tradesmen coming to the front door."—Newark News.

### He Knew.

"If I were you," his wife said, "I'd go to that man and tell him exactly what I thought of him. He lied to you, and you ought to tell him that you know it. If I were you I'd let him know just how I despised him. I'd have the satisfaction of making him feel ashamed of himself."

"No, my dear," he replied, "you wouldn't do anything of the kind. If you were me you'd do just as I'm doing. This fellow weighs fifty pounds more than I do, and they tell me he's one of the best boxers in this town."—Chicago Record-Herald.

### Her Library.

It is clear that the young women who figure in this little conversation from the New York Telegraph were no blue stockings:

Amy—I don't know what to give Gladys for a birthday. She has a gold mesh bag, she has a wrist watch, she has a silver toilet set—oh, she has everything!

Pearl—Well, give her a book.

Amy—No; she has a book too.

### Her Father's Car.

"Where were you last night?" asked one girl of another.

"I was out riding with father in his car."

"But I did not know your father has an automobile."

"He hasn't; he is a motorman."—Indianapolis News.

### There Are Others.

Maud—You used to think that Jack was one in a thousand. Ethel (who broke engagement)—I do still, but I've discovered he isn't the only one in a thousand.—Boston Transcript.

### Making It Worse.

Dubbleigh—Miss Sharp called me a fool. Do I look like a fool? Dawson—No, you do not. She couldn't have judged you by your looks.—Boston Transcript.

The avarice of the miser may be termed the grand sepulcher of all his other passions.

### Why, the Very Ideal!

"I had to pay \$17 for a ticket to Chicago," said one woman.

"It seems expensive," commented the other.

"Terribly. And there wasn't more than a yard and a quarter of the ticket, at that."—Washington Star.

### The Ugly Mug.

In homely guise I wooed Irene. I had not power nor place nor gold. But love's mad passion made me bold. To seek the heart of her, my queen. But she, I found, was not so green. She had no ear for passions told. In homely guise.

It wrung my soul with anguish keen To prove unworthy in her eyes. For she my wooing doth despise Because she finds no charm, I ween, In homely guise.

Strong Evidence.

"This girl is only a college flirt. How do you know that she really loves you?"

"She dyes her hair to conform with my class colors, dad. A fellow couldn't ask for any greater proof of devotion than that."—Judge.

### Preferences.

I'd like to be a farmer lad And hoe the waving corn, But nothing seems to make me glad Like sleeping in the morn.

I'd like to be a watchman bold And serve from dusk till light, But nothing makes me quite so glad As sleeping in the night.

In the Early Hours.

Mrs. Clubleigh (as hubby leaves for office)—And you will come home early, won't you, John?

Clubleigh—Yes, dear, I'll try hard not to be late for breakfast.—Philadelphia Ledger.

## WILD FLOWERS.

Old Fashioned Posies Are Popular Hat Trimmings.

Wild flowers, such as ragged robins, speedwell and bachelor's buttons, so delightfully made that they might have been executed by "nature's own sweet and cunning hand," are prepared for garlanding summer hats and for wearing as posies; also old fashioned garden flowers, stocks, wallflowers and sweet peas. Cornflowers and hyacinths of the most vivid blue are already appearing on hats; also roses of every kind, from tiny rambler and button blossoms to huge roses of velvet and silk.

Tulle is usually considered the most perishable of fabrics, but a variety which, though it appears just like all other tulle, is far more durable is the beautiful rainproof tulle, made by a special process—that is to say, it will not spoil when subjected to damp or become raggy in moist, heated atmosphere. Another exquisite fabric for evening wear emanating from the same manufactory is a fine silk gauze, woven in the fashionable metallic effects—gold, aluminium, copper shot with silver and radium blue. It is charmingly effective for tunics and draperies.

Novel Way With Fish.

For this you take a cupful of codfish, two cupfuls of sliced raw potatoes, a large onion, a cracker rolled fine, a pint of milk and salt to taste. Pick the codfish and soak it over night. Change the water several times in the morning. When ready to use, pare and thinly slice the potatoes and onion. Heat a dish, butter it well and put in alternate layers of fish, potatoes, onions and one cracker rolled fine. Cover with hot water and boil twenty minutes, then add salt, milk and, if possible, a little cream. Serve very hot.

Kangaroo Tendons.

In Australia kangaroo farming is an important industry. The hides are valuable, and the tendons extremely fine. Indeed, they are the best known to surgeons for sewing up wounds, and especially for holding broken bones together, being much finer and tougher than catgut.—London Globe.

Defectives.

"Here's a story about a man with a cork leg, a cork arm, a rubber ear, a glass eye and a wig."

"He must be one of those defectives there's so much agitation about."—Buffalo Express.

A Question.

"The pen is mightier than the sword."

"Then can the fellow with the fountain pen be said to be carrying concealed weapons?"—Town Topics.

Cured.

"I thought it was a case of love at first sight."

"It was; but, then, I took a second look."—Buffalo Express.

Talent creates a work; genius keeps it from dying.—Emerson.

A Simple Confession.

I love high art. I long to be Where song and speech our plaudits claim, But when she then I'd rather see A circus or a baseball game.

Yes, Simply Awful.

Madge—Don't you think a girl should marry an economical man? Dolly—I suppose so. But it's awful being engaged to one.—Liverpool Mercury.

Every Time!

A woman seldom has the fun That we male creatures have, my son, But when she tries a fence to climb She's sure to have a ripping time.

The Burned Church.

Jim (regarding damage to church by fire)—Good job it wasn't a factory, Bill. Bill—You're right, mate. Only one man put out of work, and he draws his money.—London Punch.

Probably an Accident.

"Did you notice how pale the bridegroom was?"

"No. How did you happen to glance at him?"—Chicago Record-Herald.

Not ignorant of misfortune, I learn from my own woes to aid the wretched.

—Vergil.

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NOTICE is hereby given that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in section 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 29th day of July, 1914, and remains there for inspection, and I hereby call upon all voters to take immediate proceedings to have any errors or omissions corrected according to law.

Dated at Warwick this 30th day of July, A. D., 1914.

N. HEBBERT,

Clerk of Warwick.

**WAR SUMMARY**

That the French lines are still falling back before the German advance is indicated by an official statement, issued by the French War Office, which says that the progress of the German right wing has obliged the French left to yield ground.

Earl Kitchener, the British Secretary of State for War, gives in detail the part played by British troops in the operations in Belgium and France. These operations extended from August 23 to August 26, and the British losses numbered in the neighborhood of 6,000. The condition and spirits of the British troops at the front are described as excellent, and reinforcements have been sent up to more than fill the gaps created by the casualties.

A German aviator has appeared over Paris and was engaged on Sunday in dropping bombs in a populous section of the city. Several of the bombs failed to explode and only two of the persons injured were women.

Paris is preparing for a siege, should the lines opposing the Germans be broken. Enormous stocks of food have been placed in the state warehouses and sheep and cattle in vast numbers have been herded in the Bois de Boulogne.

A British official statement says that of the five German warships sunk off Heligoland, only 330 were saved.

The French War Minister has inspected the supplementary fortifications around Paris, which are being pushed forward in anticipation of a possible investment of the French capital.

General Pau is credited with a victory over 60,000 German troops near Perennes. Whether this is a new victory or one to which reference was made several days ago is not known.

A Japanese destroyer, which ran ashore near Tsing Tau, China, was shelled by a German gunboat. The crew of the destroyer, however, had previously abandoned her.

While the whole world is awaiting definite news from the battle line, the French war office contents itself with the simple statement that as a result of the turning movement of the German army, and in order not to accept battle under unfavorable conditions, the French troops have again retired.

From the British capital no word is forthcoming regarding what are considered as the most momentous operations of the war.

While Berlin claims a German victory over the Russians in East Prussia in the capture of 70,000 men the Russians claim an important victory over the Austrians on the Galician side, with 30,000 prisoners.

Another German aeroplane has been dropping bombs into Paris, and, according to the French official statement, the American Ambassador has organized a committee and has sent a protest against this method of warfare to the Government of Washington.

The Belgian Special Commission on its way to the United States to protest

against alleged German atrocities, has been received by King George and has presented him with an address, setting forth some of the happenings in Belgium during the present campaign, and has warmly thanked Great Britain for its intervention.

London, Sept. 1.—11 p. m.—The official casualties suffered by the cavalry brigade and of three of the divisions, less one brigade, of the British force in France follows:

Killed—36 officers and 127 men.  
Wounded—57 officers and 629 men.  
Missing—93 officers and 4,183 men.

Advices have been received here from St. Petersburg to the effect that the Russian general staff frankly confesses to disaster to two army corps, including the loss of three generals.

London, Sept. 2.—Lemberg, the fortified capital of the Austrian province of Galicia, and the first objective of the main Russian army operating against Austro-Hungary, has practically fallen, all the fortified positions being captured by the czar's troops. The Germans suffered enormous losses.

London, Sept. 3.—The official press bureau has issued the following statement:

"Continuous fighting has been in progress along almost the whole line of battle. The British cavalry engaged with distinction the cavalry of the enemy, and brushed them back and captured 10 guns."

"The French army has continued the offensive and gained ground in the Lorraine districts."

"In other regions of the war the Russian army is investing Königsberg. The Russian victory, which is complete at Lemberg, has already been announced."

London, Sept. 2.—"The allied lines hold fast everywhere. At no point have the Germans been able to break through and our general movements continue along the line exactly planned."—French War Department Statement.

Paris (via London), Sept. 2.—A dispatch from (St. Petersburg) says that during the bombardment of Belgrade the Austrians destroyed a maternity hospital over which the Red Cross flag was flying, killing 100 children.

The bombardment of Belgrade began on July 29, one day after the declaration of war by Austria on Serbia.

**Will Leave Valcartier for Milder Centres.**

Ottawa Sept. 1.—There will be soldier volunteers at Valcartier until cold and snow make drill and shooting impossible there. Then training will be carried on elsewhere. The second overseas contingent is not to be mobilized at Valcartier. Not only does winter make its visit there early, but the port of Quebec will be closed before another contingent is ready to depart. Therefore training will be carried on at various centres, where there are armories and large buildings which can be turned into winter quarters. There may be a camp established in the neighborhood of Halifax, where the winter weather is less trying than farther inland. Then, too, Halifax

**Early Fall SWIFT, SONS & CO. Early Fall**

We have been fortunate in having all our goods bought before the war. Our imported goods left Europe a few days before war was declared, our insurance alone on the shipment would cost \$80.00 more the next week, so you see how things stand. We would say buy early our stock is full and complete, its a wonder for quantity and quality. SWIFT SONS & CO.

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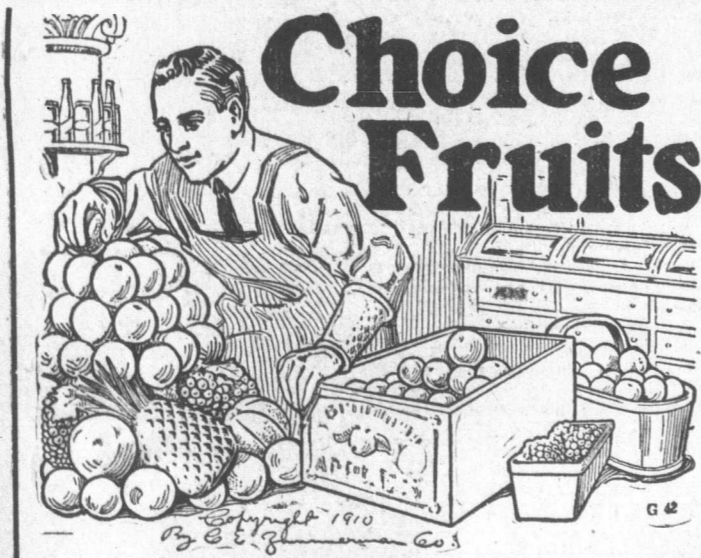
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The way it is kept makes all the difference between the fruit sold by this store and the kind you see elsewhere.

**Choice fruit must be treated "choicely"**

—both for our sake and yours. Apart from exposing it for sale in an appetizing way—which is really part of our method of selling—we make a point of seeing that every possible care is taken to keep it as clean and fresh as if our whole reputation depended on that alone. Our choice fruit is consequently well named—it is the best you can buy or eat in this town.

- These are some of our specials for the current week:
- RED RASPBERRIES
  - CHOICE APPLES
  - BLACK RASPBERRIES
  - THIMBLE BERRIES

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is the port from which shipments of troops will be made after the St. Lawrence closes.

The perfection in training of the second and subsequent contingents is not likely to be carried to the same point in Canada that is being sought with the first. It is more likely that the men will be trained at various centres in lots of from a thousand up, and that these lots will be sent to England for training in divisional work, if needed, if they are not brigaded with British regiments. There is to be no halt in the enlistment and training of men. The weather will not be allowed to block the work. The only thing which will end it will be a declaration of peace.

Following the announcement of Colonel Hughes yesterday camp has been organized into 16 battalions instead of 12, as planned originally, and four brigades instead of three.

Only three brigades will be taken with the first contingent, other brigades or battalions, probably 8,000 men, being left behind to form the nucleus of the second division. Colonel Williams stated that surplus of volunteers, there now being over 30,000 troops in camp, and two or three thousand on the road, made it necessary to form an extra brigade.

There are more and more applications coming from both Canada and the United States for places with the Canadian force. If the Government wishes to give the smallest encouragement to adventurous spirits from the other side of the line, it could get thousands of men who have had military training. A railway ticket and the promise of a uniform would bring at least 3,000 men of military experience from the United States and Mexico.

**CHOP STUFF.**

Sarnia has 3,528 names on its voters' list.

The stand pipe and pumping station of the Petrolia water works is being guarded. Only 14 horses were selected by Adam

Beck out of the 60 offered at Strathroy for military purposes.

No less than five horses died at the Oshawa picnic owing to the extreme heat and hard driving.

The Strathroy furniture factory has been closed down indefinitely owing to the depression in trade.

Chatham has formed a rifle club with the purpose of drilling men to act as a home guard in case of emergency.

Daily prayer service for those at the war is being held in St. John's Church, Sarnia, every morning at nine o'clock.

Mr. J. W. Ryder of the Vendome has offered his noted thoroughbred Doctor Herd, to the British re-mount service.

Maria Ann Bottom, wife of Benjamin Bottom, 76 years of age, died at her home in Kingsville on Thursday, Aug. 20, after a long illness due to cancer.

The corn crop in Maidstone and Rochester townships has suffered greatly from wind and hail, miles of it have been flattened and in many places stripped.

The village council of Dutton, has made a grant of \$2.50 per week to Mrs. Harry Locke, whose husband has gone with the St. Thomas Company to join the overseas contingent.

The ladies of Alvinston and vicinity raised the sum of \$281 for the Canadian Women's Hospital Ship Fund, and are arranging their contributions and also arranging to prepare articles for the Red Cross Society.

John McIntyre of Harrow was kicked in the chest by his horse recently. He went into the stable without speaking and the horse surprised, kicked before Mr. McIntyre had time to avoid it. He will be laid up for some time.

Word was received at Wyoming of the death of Mrs. A. E. Harvey, wife of the late Dr. Harvey. Mrs. Harvey had lived in Victoria, B. C. for some time. Her many friends in the district were very sorry to learn of her sudden death.

**WANT COLUMN.**

APPRENTICE Wanted to learn the bakery and confectionery business. Apply to FRANK LOVELL.

ALL jack-screws belonging to you must be returned by Monday, Sept. 7th, or they will be charged to your account.—T. DODDS & SON.

STRAY Yearling Steer at Robt. Jones', lot 14, con. 3, N. E. R., Warwick. Owner is requested to prove property, pay damages and take the animal away.

WANTED—All kinds of carpenter work. Terms moderate.—D. F. WALLER, R. R. No. 2, Watford. Mile and a half north of Warwick Village. 28-3

ANOTHER farm sold last week, a few more farms in this vicinity for sale yet, cheap, and also several dwelling house properties in Watford. Apply to—W. E. FITZGERALD.

FOR SALE.—For cash or on easy terms, three quarter sections of land (480 acres) in Alberta—well improved and good buildings—within six miles of proposed station, on new line of railway now building and near proposed oil fields. A snap for immediate sale. For further particulars, apply to owner, R. J. THIBAUDEAU, box 298, Lloyminster Sask. a21-3

**Smashup at Komoka.**

Running at a high rate of speed in an endeavor to make up lost time, Grand Trunk Limited Express, No. 4, east-bound, Chicago to Montreal, broadsided engine No. 1008, of an extra way freight from London, at the crossover at Komoka, at 6:20 o'clock Wednesday morning.

W. H. Webster, of Sarnia, fireman on the express, was thrown across the cab, and sustained two broken shoulders and several scalp wounds. Sixteen passengers received minor cuts and bruises caused by flying glass and being thrown from their seats.

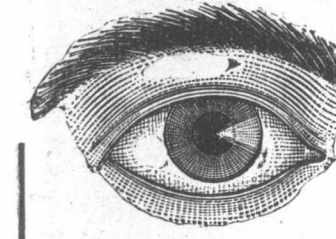
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D. A. McLACHLAN - PRINCIPAL



SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender of Extra South West Breakwater at Goderich, will be received at this office until 10 o'clock Friday, September 11, 1914, for the construction of harbor improvements being an extension of the South West Breakwater at Goderich, County, Ont.

Plans and forms of contract can be seen and specification and forms of tender obtained from this Department and at the offices of the Chief Engineer, Windsor, Ont.; Confederation Building, Toronto, Ont.; and on application to the Postmaster at Goderich, Ont.

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

Each tender must be accompanied by a certified cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent. (10%) of the amount of the tender, which will be held if the person tendering declines to enter a contract when called upon to do so, or complete the work contracted for. If the tender is not accepted the cheque will be returned. The Department does not bind itself to the lowest or any tender.

NOTE—Blue prints can be obtained from the Department of Public Works by depositing accepted bank cheque for the sum of one dollar payable to the order of the Hon. the Minister of Public Works, which returned if the intending bidder submit his bid.

By order,  
R. C. DESROCHERS, Secty.

Department of Public Works,  
Ottawa.

Newspapers will not be paid for this amount if they are inserted without authority of the Department.—6555.

**TENDERS FOR DRAIN**

SEALED TENDERS, ADDRESS to Jacob Cline, R. R. 4, Watford, will be received until noon Saturday, 12th of September, 1914, for the work of the Cameron Drain, Warwick ship. Plans and profile may be seen at Jacob Cline's residence, west half con. 1, S. E. R., Warwick, or Herbert's, Warwick.

JACOB CLINE,  
Commissioner

Watford, Aug. 29th, 1914.

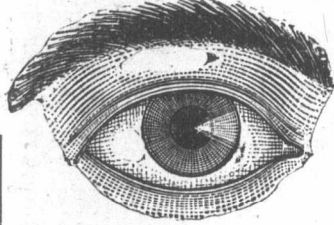
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D. A. MCLAGHLAN - PRINCIPAL.



SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender of Extension of South West Breakwater at Goderich, Ont.," will be received at this office until 4.00 p.m., on Friday, September 11, 1914, for the construction of harbor improvements being an extension to the South West Breakwater at Goderich, Huron County, Ont.

Plans and forms of contract can be seen and specification and forms of tender obtained at this Department and at the offices of the District Engineers, Windsor, Ont.; Confederation Life Building, Toronto, 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 signature, the nature of 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 p.c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering declines to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender is not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

NOTE:—Blue prints can be obtained at the Department of Public Works by depositing an accepted bank cheque for the sum of \$25.00, made payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, which will be returned if the intending bidder submit a regular bid.

By order,  
R. C. DESROCHERS, Secretary.

Department of Public Works,  
Ottawa, August 21, 1914.

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### TENDERS FOR DRAIN

SEALED TENDERS, ADDRESSED to Jacob Cline, R. R. 4, Watford, will be received until noon Saturday, the 12th of September, 1914, for the repair of the Cameron Drain, Warwick Township. Plans and profile may be seen at Jacob Cline's residence, west half lot 28, con. 5, S. E. R., Warwick, or at N. Herbert's, Warwick.

JACOB CLINE,  
Commissioner.  
Watford, Aug. 29th, 1914. 84-2t

### ARKONA

The regular meeting of the Women's Institute will be held in the basement of the Baptist church, Saturday, Sept. 5th, at 3 p.m. A full attendance is requested.

Mr. Fred Wilson is making a business trip to Toronto this week.

Mr. James Riggs returned from Coronation, Alta., on Saturday last, after a four and a half years' stay in that country.

Mr. and Mrs. Scandrett, of London, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Evans.

Mr. J. Smith, of Moosejaw, Sask., is spending a few days with Mr. John L. Fuller.

Mrs. Wm. Bartram, Bay City, Mich., is visiting her brother, Mr. Jno. F. Dickison.

New fall dress goods, kimonos, cloths, flannelettes, etc., being opened out daily.—Brown Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan. Smith, of Brantford, are spending a few months with Stan's father, Mr. S. Smith.

Misses Reta Herrington, Frances Mellor and Lizzie Holmes are taking in the Toronto Exhibition this week.

Misses Alta Rook and Lila Dowding are rustivating at Port Franks this week.

Miss Olive Oakes left on Monday for Stratford to attend Normal.

Miss Maud Fair left on Monday for Toronto to resume her duties as teacher in one of the public schools of that city.

Don't forget the invitation to call and see the new fall styles in ladies' coats. Make your selections early while choice is good.—Brown Bros.

Mr. Geo. K. Smith, Moose Jaw, is visiting friends in and around Arkona after an absence of thirty-two years.

Miss Frances Mellor is attending the Toronto Exhibition this week.

Miss Rosa Brown, of Watford, has resumed her duties as teacher of the

## 65 Head of 65 Cattle

AT—

Roche House, Watford

ON—

Saturday, Sept. 5th, 1914

AT—

TWO-THIRTY O'CLOCK SHARP

30 Two-year-old Heifers, 17 Yearling Heifers, 6 Yearling Steers, 6 Farrow Cows, 1 Cow with calf by side, 1 Cow due to calf this month, 4 Spring Calves.

These are a choice lot of cattle and as their will be few sales and stock scarce, come in and see them.

TERMS—8 months' credit on approved joint notes. 6 per cent per annum off for cash.

JOSEPH PARKER, J. F. ELLIOT, Proprietor, Auctioneer

### CLEARING AUCTION SALE OF CATTLE AND FARM IMPLEMENTS

The undersigned has received instructions from

FRANK LAWR

to offer for sale by public auction on the premises

East Lot 17, Con. 6, S. E. R., Warwick

ON—

Tuesday, September 8th, '14

the following valuable stock, etc., viz.:

30 head of first-class yearlings, 1 new milch cow and calf, 1 ten-year-old driving horse, 1 ten-year-old black mare with colt by side, 1 wagon, 1 set wagon springs, 1 hay rack and hog rack, 1 hay rake, 1 Frost & Wood mower, 1 walking plow, 1 disc harrow, 1 straight-tooth harrow, 1 hook-tooth harrow, 1 gasoline engine, DeLaval separator, like new, buggy, set single harness, set double harness, cutter, wheelbarrow, 75 hens, 6 geese, forks, chains and other articles too numerous to mention.

Everything without reserve, as proprietor has disposed of his farm.

Sale to commence at one o'clock.

TERMS—Three months' credit on furnishing approved joint notes bearing 7 per cent interest. A discount of 6 per cent. for cash.

J. F. ELLIOT, Auctioneer.

### AUCTION SALE OF FARM STOCK IMPLEMENTS, ETC.

The undersigned has received instructions from

B. AND E. MORRIS

to offer for sale by public auction on the premises

Lot 1, Con. 12, Brooke Township

ON—

Thursday, September 10th

the following valuable stock, etc., viz.:

1 span C. P. horses, geldings, 4 years old, 1 yearling colt, 4 cows, 2 yearling steers, 4 calves, 3 sheep, 2 sows and 19 pigs, 30 hens, 3 geese, 1 hay rake, 1 Massey-Morris binder, 1 Noxon mower, 1 set diamond harrows, 1 plow, 1 set hook-tooth harrows, 1 spring-tooth cultivator, 1 lumber wagon, 1 light lumber wagon, 1 set springs, 1 set bobsleighs, 1 set double harness, 1 set single harness, 1 gravel box, wood rack, and other articles too numerous to mention.

Everything without reserve as proprietor has given up farming.

Sale to commence at one o'clock.

TERMS—\$10 and under, Cash; over that amount 12 months' credit will be given on furnishing approved joint notes.

By order,  
J. F. ELLIOT, Auctioneer.

primary room of the public school here.

A good stock of Dunlop auto tires on hand at Fuller Bros.

Mrs. J. F. Dickison and Mrs. Bartram are attending the Toronto Fair this week.

Our new fall suitings and dress goods just opened up.—Fuller Bros.

### MARKETS

WATFORD

GRAIN AND SEEDS—

Wheat, fall, per bush' \$1 10 @ \$1 10

Oats, per bush' 48 48

Barley, per bush' 55 60

Beans, per bush' 1 50 2 50

Timothy 2 00 3 00

Clover Seed 7 00 12 00

Alsike 7 00 8 00

PROVISIONS—

Butter, per pound 20 30

Lard, " 18 18

Eggs, per doz. 22 22

Pork 11 50 12 75

Flour, per cwt. 2 90 3 75

Brar, per ton 25 00 26 00

Shorts, per ton 29 00 30 00

MISCELLANEOUS—

Wood 2 25 3 00

Tallow 6 6

Hides 8 10

Wool 16 23

Hay, per ton 10 00 11 00

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—

Potatoes, per bag 1 00 1 20

POULTRY—

Turkeys, per lb 16 18

Chickens, per lb 13 15

Butter 25 to 28

Fowl 8 10

Ducks 14 14

Geese 10 12

London.

Wheat 1 05 to 1 09

Oats, cwt. 1 55 to 1 65

Butter 25 to 28

Eggs 23 to 23

Pork 12 75 to 13 50

Toronto

Toronto, Sept. 1.—To-day's receipts at the Union stockyards were 67 cars, containing 600 cattle, 1661 sheep and lambs, 1,229 hogs and 180 calves. Cattle prices were steady, but the heavy run of lambs caused their prices to lower 50c.

To-day's quotations:

Butcher cattle, choice 8 35 to 8 85

do., good 7 75 to 8 25

do., medium 7 00 to 7 75

do., common 6 00 to 6 75

do., cows, choice 6 25 to 7 25

do., medium 5 75 to 6 50

do., common 4 50 to 5 25

do., bulls, choice 6 75 to 7 50

do., good bulls 5 75 to 6 75

do., common 4 75 to 5 25

Canners 3 60 to 5 00

Cutters 3 75 to 4 25

Feeding steers 6 75 to 7 50

Stockers, choice 6 00 to 6 50

do., medium 6 75 to 7 00

Milkers, choice, each 65 00 to 85 00

do., com. 40 00 to 60 00

Calves, veal 8 50 to 10 75

do., medium 6 50 to 7 50

do., common 5 00 to 5 50

Sheep, ewes, light 5 00 to 6 50

do., heavy 4 00 to 4 50

do., bucks 3 50 to 4 50

Spring lambs, each 7 75 to 8 50

Hogs, fed and watered 10 40 to 10 85

do., off cars 10 85 to 11 25

do., f. o. b. 10 00 to 10 75

East Buffalo.

East Buffalo, Sept. 1.—Cattle—Receipts, 50 head; active and firm; prices unchanged. Veals—Receipts, 25; active and steady; \$5.00 to \$12.50. Hogs—Receipts, 500; active and higher; heavy, \$9.75 to \$9.90; mixed, \$9.90 to \$10.00; yorkers and pigs, \$10.00 to \$10.05; roughs, \$8.65 to \$8.85; stags, \$7.00 to \$7.75. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 800; active and unchanged.

### BORN.

In Watford, on Tuesday, Sept. 1st, to Mr. and Mrs. Manford Thompson, a son.

On Thursday, Aug. 6th, 1914, to Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Moon, Macklin, Sask., a son.

In Enniskillen, on August 5th, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bain, a son.

In Enniskillen, on August 9th, to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnson, a daughter.

### MARRIED.

In Plympton, on Wednesday, Aug. 26th, 1914, by the Rev. Mr. Simpson, Mr. Hugh Johnston, of Glenora, to Cecelia Jane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Crawford, of Plympton.

### DIED.

In Sarnia, on Monday, August 31, 1914, John Stewart, aged 96 years.

In Adelaide Village, on Tuesday, Aug. 18th, 1914, Richard Barrett, aged 81 years, 11 months and 14 days.

In Sarnia, on Saturday, August 29th, 1914, Mary, relict of the late Finlay McGibbon, Jr.

In Warwick, on Saturday, Aug. 29th, 1914, Catherine, relict of the late Joseph Gorman, aged 78 years.

In Watford, on Thursday, Aug. 27th, 1914, Margaret Junor, beloved wife of Mr. Robert Sharp, aged 67 years, 9 months.

### SALE REGISTER.

Farm stock and implements. B. and E. Morris, con. 12, Brooke, on Thursday, Sept. 10th. See ad. J. F. Elliot, auct.

Mortgage sale of flour mill, Watford, on Saturday, Sept. 26th. See ad.

Clearing sale of cattle and farm implements, Frank Lawr, lot 17, con. 6, S. E. R., Tuesday, Sept. 8. 3 mos. credit. J. F. Elliot, auctioneer. See ad. elsewhere.

65 head of cattle at Roche House on Saturday, Sept. 5th. A choice lot. See ad. Jos. Parker, prop., J. F. Elliot, auct.

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- Breakfast Plates.....\$2.75 per doz.
- Dinner Plates.....\$3.00 per doz.
- Round Vegetables.....\$1.80 each
- Oatmeal Bowls......15 each
- 40-Piece Tea Set.....\$6.50 each
- 97-Piece Dinner Set.....20.00 each

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Boys' box calf bluchers and velour calfskin, solid leather, 11 to 13, \$1.50 to \$1.75; size 1 to 5, \$1.65, \$1.75, \$2.00, up to \$2.50. Splendid values.

Boys' gun metal or patent calf, button or lace style, 11 to 13, \$2.25 to \$2.50; 1 to 5, \$2.75 to \$3.00.

Young girls' medium low heel, \$2.50 up.

The Classic shoe in ladies', misses' and child's are unequalled.

Our fall stock is now in and ready, comprising the finest lines we have ever handled.

A new shipment of men's wearing shoes, wide and comfortable. For quality our prices are the lowest in the county.

Men's long boots, langans and waterproof moccasins are now in stock.

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## JOHN WHITE WATFORD SHOE PARLOR

### PLYMPTON

Miss Reta Pike, Strathroy, returned Monday after spending a couple of weeks with her cousin Miss Bertha Morgan, London Road.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rivers and son, Henry, Arkona, motored to Kertch and spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morgan.

According to the assessor's returns, Forest has a population of 1489 and a total assessment of \$611,471.

Owing to the depressed state of trade the directors of the Petrolia wagon works have curtailed the hours of labor to three days per week.

## RECRUITS WANTED IMMEDIATELY

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GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM TIME TABLE. Trains leave Watford Station as follows

Table with 2 columns: Train Name, Time. Rows include Accommodation, Chicago Express, New York Express, etc.

The Claimant

He Had Recourse to a Brute For a Witness

By LOUISE B. CUMMINGS

There is in man a faculty for development that the lower animals do not possess.

An illustration of this diversity between men and animals occurred during the eighteenth century in the case of a young Irishman who emigrated to America and later returned to his native country.

Arthur was not only beloved by his dogs, but by every one who knew him. He was a fine, manly fellow, while his older brothers were disposed to lead a dissolute city life.

Arthur Donovan was but eighteen years old when he left Ireland for America. The last goodby he spoke was to the dogs. Going out to the kennels, he called to them, and they gathered about him, barking their joy.

Arthur reached America not long before the breaking out of the Revolutionary war. In civil strife the side youngsters take is liable to be decided by circumstances.

When Herbert Donovan saw the claimant to the Strongford title he felt quite comforted. He had seen his cousin frequently in years gone by and now saw not the slightest resemblance between this man and Arthur Donovan.

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When the Earl of Strongford died Herbert Donovan laid claim to the inheritance, taking the ground that Arthur was dead. To prove this he sent an agent to America with instructions to find a record of the death of some one bearing the name of Donovan and manufacture evidence that the deceased was the youngest son of the Earl of Strongford.

win the case for him. Arthur asked Michael if any of the dogs he left behind when he went away were still living. Michael thought awhile, then replied that there was one left, old Hector, but he was half blind.

The scene when the old hunter was led up to Donovan was long remembered in those parts. Hector cast a glance at his master and looked away. Donovan drew nearer the dog till he was within a few inches of the animal's nose.

The case was won. What it is difficult to describe in words was easy for the jury to interpret. Donovan won and soon after took possession of the title and estates. The most valued creature on the premises was old Hector, which died at the advanced age of thirteen.

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"There goes a man I might have married." "Another guy who is wiser than I, I suppose."—Detroit Free Press.

"What is the evil of divorce and remarriage?" "The trouble of breaking in a new mother-in-law."—Judge.

"Molle was trying to keep her preserving efforts a secret?" "Yes, I noticed they were shrill-tinted attempts."—Baltimore American.

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FOR YOUNG FOLKS

Baby Girl Who Is Being Taught Not to Be Afraid.

COURAGE A FINE QUALITY.

Olive Whitman, Daughter of a Noted Lawyer, Schooled in Fearlessness. Hardworking Animals—Many Things to Interest Children.

Not long ago Mrs. Charles S. Whitman, wife of the district attorney of New York city, flew a thousand feet above the Hudson river in a flying boat. These boats can go on water or in the air, as the driver wishes. When Mrs. Whitman entered the machine she put on a life preserver, because one never knows whether there may be an accident or not. At any rate, she sat beside the driver, and after skimming along the Hudson river for a short distance the machine flew into the air at a speed of seventy miles an hour. After reaching a height of a thousand feet



Photo by American Press Association. OLIVE WHITMAN.

the driver brought his machine back to the surface of the water. Volplaning is the term used by aeronauts.

When Mrs. Whitman alighted from the machine she said she had experienced no fear. "I used to be afraid of the water," she said, "but I overcame that fear. I dislike to have fear of any kind, and I am teaching my little girl not to have a fear too."

Mrs. Whitman is a prominent charity worker in New York city, where she was born. Before she was married she was Miss Olive Hitchcock. Her only daughter's name is also Olive, and when the little girl grows up, if she responds to her mother's teaching, she will be brave like her mother. It is a good thing for children to cultivate courage and to be fearful only of doing wrong.

Hardworking Animals.

There are varieties of wasps which are paper makers; spiders are tireless spinners, and even worms are weavers. Ants work nearly all the time and have a well looked after system of labor, which they follow closely.

Certain species of ants found in East India are farmers in a small way. They raise mushrooms for the purpose of feeding their young.

Bees are among the most expert builders of all time. Their hives are so constructed as to lose as little space as possible.

The ant lions are remarkable architects. Their funnel shaped traps are exactly correct in conformation and could not be surpassed if made by the most skillful architect and with the aid of complicated instruments.

The beaver is combination architect, engineer and woodcutter. He builds houses and dams his water course with a cleverness that would be creditable to an intelligent man.

Boy Scouts of Spain.

Eleven thousand scouts in Spain carry on a very similar program to that of the Boy Scouts of America. The handbook of the boys bears the name Estatuos de la Asociacion Catolica de Scouts de Espana. Madrid, the capital, has 3,000 scouts. The spreading of scouting in that country is another instance that Spain is waking up and getting ready to take her place again among the nations which in recent years have outstripped her in education. There is no doubt that scouting is spreading like wildfire all over the world, and it is confidently expected that it will be an entering wedge in many countries for new ideals of citizenship and boy training.—Scouting.

Wonders of the World.

The seven wonders of ancient times were the pyramids of Egypt, the lighthouse known as the Pharos of Egypt, the hanging gardens of Babylon, the temple of Diana at Ephesus, the statue of Jupiter by Phidias, the mausoleum of Artemisia and the Colossus of Rhodes. Seven wonders of the modern world have been given as the wireless telegraph, the telephone, the aeroplane, radium, antiseptics, spectrum analysis and X rays.

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A Wonder Country. Three little children running away. Hush, don't tell, don't tell! Hand in hand to a lovely land, Off where the fairies dwell.

Oh, what fun, for the land is large, Shaded with candy trees, There you can play the livelong day, There you can do as you please!

Come in the early morning time, Come in the dusky eve, Come with the throng and hurry along To the land of Make Believe.

REED'S WITTY THRUST.

It Silenced For the Time the "Great Objector," Holman.

There are many stories of the caustic wit of Thomas B. Reed, the famous speaker of the house of representatives. One of his most amusing thrusts was delivered at William S. Holman, a member of congress from Indiana. It was perhaps the keenest witticism ever uttered in debate on the floor of the house.

Holman was a constant objector to the expenditure of money by congress and had honestly earned the title of "Watchdog of the Treasury." One day, when the committee was perfunctorily putting through a number of bills for the erection of government buildings in various cities, Holman was constantly on his feet, objecting to their consideration. But when Indiana was reached and the committee began to propose appropriations for buildings in the towns of that state Holman's objections came with much less spirit and finally ceased altogether. When at length a bill was offered that carried a generous appropriation for a building in Holman's own town, he rose and expressed hearty approval. Hardly had he taken his seat when Mr. Reed was on his feet. "Mr. Speaker," he shouted; and then, in byronic sentimental tones, he recited Byron's familiar lines:

"Tis sweet to hear the watchdog's honest bark Bay deep mouthed welcome as we draw near home!

And the "great objector" forgot to object any more that day!—Youth's Companion.

THEY PLAYED MARBLES.

One Street Game in Which Lincoln Took a Hand. An elderly gentleman now residing in Washington tells this story about Abraham Lincoln:

"I was about ten years of age and given violently to the game of marbles. One cold March day my companions and I were playing on the sidewalk before my father's shop when I slipped on a piece of ice and fell, cutting my chin. The other boys seized as many of my marbles as they could and made off. Wild with anger, I started after them, calling their names and threatening to annihilate them, and so on. Suddenly a hand on my collar stopped me, and a deep voice said: "We've got enough ill feeling going on in this country these days without you boys catching it!"

"A big man swung me around and wiped my wounded chin and then went on: "I saw what they did, son. Have you any agates left? Good! I'll put up three chinny alleys, and we'll see who'll win."

"He drew from his pocket three marbles. "I got them from my boy Tad," he explained, and then I knew who he was.

"There on the street I played marbles with the president for five minutes, and he let me win. Here are the marbles—a precious possession!"—Exchange.

Fed the Brute.

Sir Charles Tupper in his book, "Recollections of Sixty Years," recalls an experience of his daughter in Canada during the Riel rebellion in the northwest. She was in the region of trouble, and on a day when she happened to be alone in her home "in walked a strapping Indian, all war paint and feathers. She thought the best thing she could do was to feed him. She cooked everything in the house—potatoes, meat and bread. When all was consumed—and these Indians will eat at a meal enough to last for three weeks—he had grown to a very large size. As he could not speak a word of English or French, he evinced his gratitude by patting his protuberant stomach, with a guttural "Ha, ha, ha," and left.

Plague of the Black Death.

That terrible plague the black death, originating somewhere in the east, passed by way of Armenia into Asia and thence to Egypt and north Africa. Reaching Sicily in 1346, it spread over Italy, France and nearly all of the countries of Europe, including the British isles. The mortality was appalling, some 25,000,000 of people dying from the dread epidemic. The nature of the great pestilence has been a matter of much controversy, but it is generally conceded that it was closely related to what is known today as the "bubonic plague."—New York Ameri-

Weak Women!

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City of the Dead.

Close by Canton, China, is the hill called Queen of Heaven mountain, on the lower slopes of which is the famous City of the Dead. Their bodies wait in their coffins sometimes several years before the priests are able to determine an auspicious day for interment.

Bluffed and Won.

"What is the meaning of this?" "My dear," he murmured, "I got to thinking about women being denied the right of suffrage, and I took a few drinks." And he got away with it that time.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Satin Ashes.

Little Lura—Mamma, what kind of ashes is satin ashes? Mamma—I never heard of them, dear. Little Lura—Well, in my Sunday school lesson it says, 'And the king of Nineveh covered himself with sackcloth and sat in ashes'—Chicago News.

For Himself, Yes.

Tramp—One moment, boss; can you spare de price of a meal? Accosted Party—Certainly! I'm on my way to get it now.—Boston Transcript.

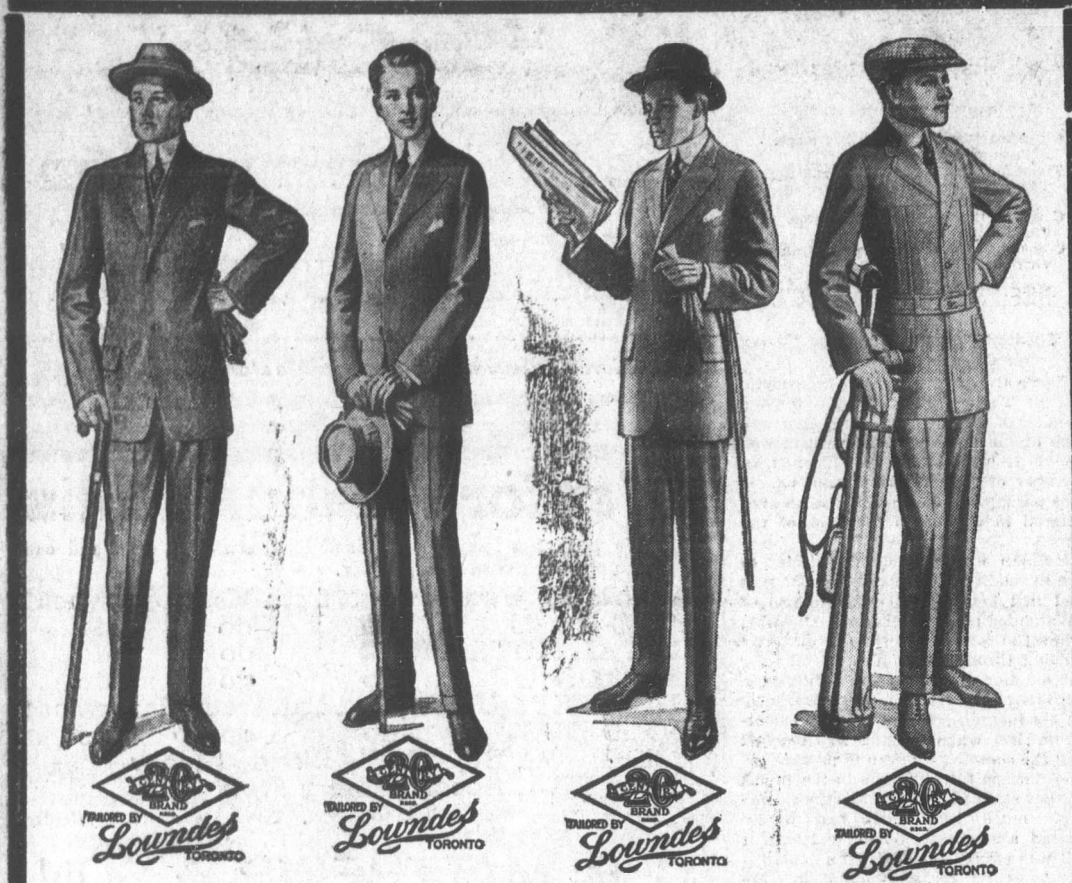
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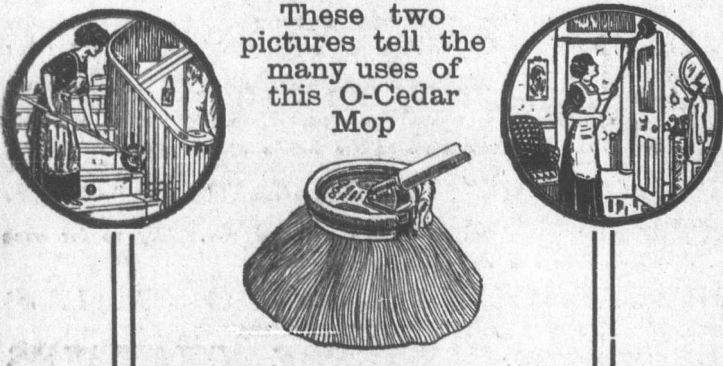
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WEST HALF OF LOT 3, CON. 4, S. E. R., Warwick, 100 acres, all under cultivation. On the premises are a good frame house, frame barn with stable and granary, all new. Well fenced and tile drained. Two acres orchard, very best of loamy farm land, well watered by creek running through it. Situated in one of the best localities in the township for cultivation or grazing purposes. For further particulars apply to J. F. ELLIOT, Watford, July 29th, 1914.

### Clerk's Advertisement of Court in Newspaper

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Court will be held, pursuant to The Ontario Voters List Act, by His Honour the Judge of the County Court of the County of Lambton at the

COUNCIL CHAMBERS

Wednesday, 9th day of Sept., '14

at eleven o'clock a.m., to hear and determine complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters List of the Municipality of the Village of Watford for 1914.

W. S. FULLER, Clerk of the Municipality of the Village of Watford.

Dated the 24th day of August, 1914.

### MORTGAGE SALE

Valuable Flour Mill Property.

Under and virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage there will be offered for sale by public auction at the

THE ROCHE HOUSE

in the Village of Watford, on

Saturday, September 26th, 1914,

at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon the following property, namely—

The west half of lot 37 and lots one and two on the north side of Front street in the Village of Watford.

The property consists of and is known as "The Watford Flour Mill."

The mill is an eighty-five barrel roller mill with four double stands of rolls, also a chopper and a roll for rolling out, with steam power all in good repair.

The building is frame, covered with sheet iron; three storeys high, with a basement 56 x 45 feet in size, with brick engine house attached. There is also on the premises a frame grain storage house 36 x 40 feet.

The mill is in first-class running order and is well situated to do large business. The property will be offered for sale subject to a reserve bid. TERMS—Ten per cent. down and balance without interest in 30 days.

For further particulars apply to

COWAN, TOWERS & COWAN, Vendor's Solicitors, Sarnia, Ont.

J. F. ELLIOT, Auctioneer, August 24th, 1914.

at

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Public Building, Watford, Ont.," will be received at this office until 4:00 p.m., on Monday, September 14th, 1914, for the construction of the building mentioned.

Plans, specification and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of Thos. A. Hastings, Clerk of Works, Postal Station "W", Yonge St., Toronto, Ont., at the Post Office, Watford, Ont., and at this Department.

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 pieces of residence. In the case of firms, the actual signature, 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. (to p.c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering declines to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for, if the tender is not accepted the cheque will be returned. The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

R. C. DESROCHERS, Secretary, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, August 21, 1914.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.—4924.

### Walker-Dorner

Monday August 24th, at 9 o'clock, Miss Frances Dorner, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dorner, and Mr. Alexander H. Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Walker, were united in marriage by Rev. G. S. Faircloth, pastor of Central Methodist Church, Sault, at the home of the bride's parents, Great Northern Road, in the presence of only the immediate relatives. The bride wore a simple dress of ivory paillette silk with overdress of silk crepe and the groom's gift, a necklace of pearls. After congratulations a wedding breakfast was served to which all did justice. Mr. and Mrs. Walker left on the Hamilton for points in Eastern Ontario amid the best wishes of their host of friends. —Sault Star.

### Field Crop Competition

The following are the prize winners in the Field Crop Competition conducted by the Plympton and Wyoming Agricultural Society. J. D. McKenna, of Simcoe County was the judge.

1st Chas. Smith, con. 1, O. A. C. 72—834 points; 2nd Jos. Bayson, con. 1, Banner—83 points; 3rd Hugh Hunter, con. 1, Our Banner—82 points; 4th Geo. Hartley, con. 1, Banner—81 points; 5th Thos. Paton, con. 8, Field—80 points; 6th R. S. Jardine, con. 8, Poor Man's Friend—79 points; 7th, Thos. Smith, con. 1, Tartar King—78 points.

### A Relic of Bygone Days

While repairing an old building in Warwick lately J. E. Fowler, the contractor, came across an old account book bearing dates in the fifties and some interesting items. The book evidently belonged to some storekeeper who did business over 60 years ago and it is thought by some of the old timers that it probably belonged to Terry Donnelly, who once kept store on the 4th line. Many of the customers' names are former farmers long since gone to their rest. In 1855 an entry appears against Wilson, Sloum & Co., who were contractors on the Great Western Railway. Some of the prices charged for goods in those days are somewhat interesting when compared with present day quotations. Butter was retailed at 12 to 16 cents per lb., eggs 6 to 10 a dozen, currants 9c., a quart of whiskey 25c., 5 glasses of brandy 12c., 1/2 lb. tea 46c. A goodly number of accounts have items of liquor charged, and it is evident that local option did not cut much of a figure in those days. Mr. Fowler will be pleased to show the relic to any one interested.

### THE WESTERN FAIR

Sept. 11th to 19th

A study of the Western Fair prize list this year reveals the fact that the increase of \$1500.00 to the Live Stock Department has been well adjusted throughout the List. The exhibit of Horses has always been a very attractive feature of London's Exhibition, and this year promises to be even better than ever. \$500.00 of the \$1500.00 increase was placed by the Board of the Horse Classes, and it certainly will bring the best to be found to compete. The Secretary has already had considerable correspondence with a number of large Cattle breeders, who have intimated their intention of bringing their herds to the Exhibition this year. Exhibitors of Live Stock of all kinds at the Western Fair invariably express themselves as well satisfied with the business they do while at the exhibition, as there is such a fine large farming country surrounding London, there is always plenty of buyers for first class stock. The management have erected another large Horse Barn, so there will be plenty of good stable accommodation and everything possible will be done for the comfort of exhibitors. Prize list, entry forms, programs and all information will be promptly given on application to the Secretary at the general offices Richmond St., London.

### FAIR NOTES

Watford Fair, Oct. 5 and 6. Everyone who buys a member's ticket helps the fair. Be a member and a booster.

Citizens should be liberal in donating Special Prizes. The committee will call on you shortly. Be prepared.

A number of good live advertisements are in the prize list. Read them carefully and act upon the suggestions.

The prize lists are in the hands of the Secretary, F. Kenward, manager Merchants Bank.

Perhaps you never were an exhibitor. Be one this year and see how much better you will enjoy the fair.

The girls under 14 have an opportunity to win a number of prizes. Get busy, girls, and put in an exhibit.

Government judges will be employed in horses, cattle, sheep, swine, poultry, grain, roots, dairy and ladies' work.

Mr. C. G. Bramhill, of the Agricultural Dept., will bring a special poultry exhibit—a model poultry house, feeding appliances, a model colony house, egg candling, etc., etc. Crate fattening, demonstrated with a number of birds in a crate.

### KERWOOD.

Miss North and little Brother, of London, visited her aunt, Mrs. Fred Wright.

Mrs. Nichol, of Blenheim, visited a home of Mr. Richard Inch.

Mrs. Frank Hull had a couple of her little nieces, Misses Shields and Morgan, of Strathroy, spend a couple of weeks with her.

The Misses Staples, of London, visited their uncle, Mr. Wm. Waddell.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Chambers and

family, are visiting at the home of Mr. T. F. Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Payne and son Early, returned to their home in Chicago, after spending a few weeks with Mrs. Payne's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Earley, of St. Thomas. Miss Edyth Hughes, has returned after spending several weeks in London and St. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Watson, Jr. of Detroit, visited the former's parents recently.

Mrs. Craig and little daughter Ruby, returned to her home in Detroit after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Smith.

About a dozen pupils leave Kerwood by train daily to attend the Watford High School.

Miss Lena Cook, of Owasso, Mich., is visiting her aunt, Miss M. Carmody.

Mr. and Mrs. Colin Cameron, of Guelph, visited at the home of Mr. John Armstrong.

Miss Dorothy DeCew, of Strathroy, spent the week end with Miss Jessie Galbraith.

Mr. Jas. Armstrong, Toronto, called on Kerwood friends recently.

Miss Abbott, London, has resumed her duties at the Kerwood School.

### HOT WEATHER AILMENTS

A medicine that will keep children well is a great boon to every mother. This is just what Baby's Own Tablets do. An occasional dose keeps the little stomach and bowels right and prevents sickness. During the hot summer months stomach troubles speedily turn to fatal diarrhoea and cholera infantum, and if Baby's Own Tablets are not at hand the child may die in a few hours. Wise mothers always keep the Tablets in the house and give their children an occasional dose to clear out the stomach and bowels and keep them well. Don't wait till baby is ill—the delay may cost a precious life. Get the Tablets now and you may feel reasonably safe. Every mother who uses the Tablets praises them and that is the best evidence there is no other medicine for little ones so good. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

The ladies of East Williams subscribed \$125 to the Hospital ship.

Petrolia Advertiser: Claire McGregor, son of K. E. McGregor, of the 12th line east, is alive today because of a belt slipping. The young man was assisting at his father's threshing one day last week when he fell into the fans of the blower of the threshing machine. The shock threw off the belt, but not before his right leg was broken and his left leg and foot severely cut. Dr. Calder was called and the injured man was taken to the hospital. His escape from death was miraculous.

## SCHOOL OPENING

When School Opens you want Your Boy or Girl to be equipped with THE BEST of everything in School Requisites.

All our School Goods have been selected with the Greatest Care and we have the BEST VALUE POSSIBLE in

- Scribblers,
- Note Books,
- Pencils,
- Water Colors,
- Crayons,
- Inks, Pens, Erasers,
- Book Sacks,

And Everything for either Public or High School Pupils.

Send your children here.

Fountain Pens \$1 to \$5

# J. W. McLAREN

DRUGGIST, STATIONER, Issuer of Marriage Licenses

The Rexall Store

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WATFORD

October 5th and 6th, 19

### 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.

ARE you a member of the Public Party?

New velvets and silks opened week.—SWIFT, SONS & CO.

J. H. HUME ticketed H. J. Veerbeck to Liverpool, by the Allan line this week. It now costs 1 than it did for a taste of your fav stimulant.

A. BROWN and Co. Fall Mill opening will be held on Friday Saturday, Sept. 18 19.

Now that friends and relatives gone to the front, we are beginning realize that Canada is at war.

ALL accounts due to the Howden must be settled by Sept. 25th. P do not ask us to mail you personal n

The Methodist Sunday School will held in the afternoon in future, comm ing next Sunday at 2.30 o'clock.

The Watford evaporator is now for business and Mr. Eccles is prep to take any quantity of peeling oppo

V. W. BIRD, CULBERT, of Burns L. A. F. & A. M., Wyoming, has been pointed a Steward of the Grand L. of Masons of Canada.

A REALLY good citizen is always p of the place he lives in and further, place where a really good citizen liv

A SACRIFICENT advertiser in the Lo Times asks petticoats for all able-y youths in the country who have not ed the army or navy.

SOMETHING new in sateen pettic A special at 60c., all shades.—SWIFT

LET every agriculturist bring thing to the fair this year, and 1 now to make the exhibition wort this splendid agricultural communit

A COLT belonging to Jos. McM while being harnessed Tuesday eve got impatient and took the route u driven for exercise without a driver. damage done.

EPWORTH League services in Methodist church on Tuesday eveni eight o'clock. Leader—Mr. W. M Topic—"Charlemagne, the Empire I er and Pope Maker."

In Indiana a horse was cured of jaw by a diet of beer. There are people around here who no doubt welcome an attack of that disease if could take the same cure.

HAPPY THOUGHT ranges do the with the least fuel and the sliding c er makes the den as regulating. New model just received at HOW

The annual thanksgiving servic connection with Trinity church w held on Sunday, Sept. 27th, when S. E. McKegney, rector of St. D church, London, will preach.

On account of the war, the O Department of Agriculture has ne the different agricultural societies they will not be able to supply c judges at the fairs this fall.

MISS MATHEWS was given a p tial shower by her young lady f the other evening at her home. A number of useful gifts were pre together with best wishes for her happiness.

THE 1914 list of farms for sale ha been issued and copies of same m had from G. G. Bramhill, Agric Representative, of R. Stritret, Sec of the Lambton Publicity Assoc Petrolia.

WE were fortunate enough to o our import shipment complete last Our stock was never in better con Many new ranges and better value ever.—SWIFT, SONS & CO.

REV. S. P. IRWIN, Rev. R. H. son, Lt.-Col. Kelly and Sergt. J. O motored to Kores Friday eveni attend the patriotic concert held Armory. The proceeds of the c were \$300.

JAS. McMANUS shipped a fine horse to Toronto on Tuesday and of cattle to the same place. W wards shipped two cars of hog week, the high price tending to them in freely.

ON LABOR DAY the weather was too cool for an enjoyable holdi quite a number of our citizens wen to the lakeside and nearby pla spend the day. The visitors in were few.

WATFORD sent only one rink Bowling Tournament at Petrolia Day but the players gave a good of themselves. The rink embrace Hume, J. McKegney, S. Stay with Rev. S. P. Irwin as skip.

SEE us before you buy blanket ers, shaft ends, lanterns, stable or any stable supplies.—N. B. H [32]