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## LOCAL HAPPENINGS

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

**EIGHT** below Monday night. CHILDREN'S Tweed coats \$1.—SWIFTS' SALE.

MR. THOS. HUME, is confined to the house with severe illness.

SOME local thermometers registered 16 below on Tuesday night.

ALL municipal councils held their organization meetings last Monday.

A BARGAIN—The balance of our 50c. and 75c. calendars for 25c. at McLAREN'S.

WATFORD vs. Sarnia, O. H. A. Int. game at Sarnia this (Thursday) evening.

GIVE a good thing a boost and attend the Waterman concert, Saturday evening, Jan. 17th.

MONDAY was the coldest day in the history of Toronto. The thermometer dropped to 22 below zero.

THOSE fine tweed suits made to order, \$16.50 and \$18.50.—SWIFTS' Sale Tailoring Dept.

WATFORD MARKETS.—Wheat 84c., Oats 32c., Butter 24c., Eggs 30c., Potatoes 75c. No poultry coming in.

MANY loads of logs have been teamed into town during the past ten days. Stove wood is also coming in freely.

G. T. R. AGENT C. W. VAIL, has been off duty for a couple of weeks with an attack of pneumonia, but is now on the mend.

TRY a pound of our Thirty-cent Japan tea in bulk. It's a winner.—THE N. B. HOWDEN EST.

DRIVING gauntlets at Swifts, Sale, 10 pairs, \$1.50, for \$1; 9 pairs, \$2.00, for \$1.50; 6 pairs, \$3.00, for \$2.25.

G. T. R. Chicago express formerly known as No. 5 and due at Watford at 9.27, is now No. 1 and due at 9.17, ten minutes earlier.

COL. KELLY, was in Petrolia Monday in connection with the organization of a military company and also a cadet corps in that town.

THERE will be a meeting of the Royal Arch Chapter in the Orange Hall, L.O.L. 505, Watford, on the evening of January 23rd.—C. W. BROWNE, Rec.-Sec.

If you want a cheap pair of first-class shoes or slippers call on P. DODDS & SON. They are making a clearing at a big reduction before getting in their spring stock.

THE human brain has been called a "head telegraph office." It seems a pity that so many respectable people should be trying to do business with their wires down.

THE Railway commission has made some substantial reductions in express rates. No doubt this was necessary on account of the proposed introduction of parcel post.

MEN'S sweater coats, fine stock of good garments, \$3.00 to \$6.00; \$5 coat for \$4.—SWIFTS' Sale.

HORSE BLANKETS \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50. We have the best blankets made at these prices. Halters 75c., \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50.—THE HOWDEN EST.

AT the inauguration meeting of the Watford Council held on Monday, all the old officers were re-appointed. The minutes will be printed in next week's issue.

THERE will be variety enough to please everyone at the Emily Waterman concert in the Lyceum Saturday evening, Jan. 17th. This is one of the best concerts of the course.

No. 3 G. T. R. express should stop at Watford. Probably the new council or the Board of Trade will take this matter in hand and keep it at until the object is accomplished.

GET a sample tin of Fenway Cocoa, enough for two or three cups of delicious cocoa. Free at McLAREN'S on Saturday, for ladies only.

Big table of girls' and women's coats \$3.50 and \$4.50, easily worth double.—SWIFTS' Sale.

On Wednesday, Jan. 21st, an oyster supper will be given in the basement of Trinity Church, under the auspices of the A. Y. P. A. Admission 25c. Home-made candy for sale.

JOHN FROST, Esq., arrived in fighting trim Saturday night and succeeded in chasing the mercury in the thermometer down several degrees below zero Monday and Tuesday nights.

JAMES J. SCROGGIE has taken over the butcher business at the south end from Gordon Hollingsworth, and promises to give the public reduced prices on all kinds of meat. See ad, elsewhere.

A NEW line of heavy winter overalls, triple stitch, blue and black stripe.—SWIFTS' Sale Price \$1.25.

REV. S. P. IRWIN has been confined to the house all week with sore throat and was unable to take the service in the Congregational church Tuesday night. Rev. Mr. Pentland filled his place.

MISS LOTTIE TILLOTSON, who was advertised to lecture for the A. Y. P. A. on Dec. 10th and failed to put in an appearance, has been lost track of. She was last seen about Thanksgiving time at Thamesville. Her sister is having starch made for her.

FAIR sleighing. FINE, crisp, winter weather.

LET the Guide-Advocate fill your next order for check books.

GET your new auto license. The old one is no use after to-day.

ZERO weather spring fur prices.—SWIFTS' SALE.

LAMBTON Poultry Show at Alvinston, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week.

THE churches of the town invite every citizen to worship regularly in the church of his or her choice.

DON'T miss hearing the three talented artists at the Board of Education concert on Saturday evening, January 17th.

RECALL Cherry Bark Cough Syrup and Rexall Cold Tablets will knock out a cold, sold only at McLAREN'S, the Rexall Store.

A MAN may be able to make money with a common school education, but his son must have a college education to know how to spend it.

TALKING of eggs, they sell in China at ten cents a dozen. But as a Chinaman likes an egg that was laid down three hundred years ago under the Ming dynasty, the price fails to attract.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to 2nd day of February, at 6 p. m., for the one-fifth acre of ground on which the old town hall now stands. Also for the brick in the lockup.—W. S. FULLER, Clerk of Watford.

200 PAIR towels, 20c a pair to \$1.00, 15 per cent. discount, dollar goods 85c.—SWIFTS' SALE.

If a fellow wishes to know his own sins and shortcomings, his peculiar characteristics, in short, if he has the wish to become acquainted with himself, let him enquire of his neighbor what his opponents are saying concerning him.

Retail merchants in towns and villages all over Ontario, are planning to make use of the parcel post system, to be inaugurated shortly, for sending goods ordered by phone or mail, to their customers on rural mail routes in the country.

50 PAIR lovely blankets, \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00; \$6.00 blankets for \$5.10.—SWIFTS' SALE.

AT time of going to press Sir James Whitney, premier of Ontario, was getting weaker and gradually losing in his fight with death. His physicians do not anticipate any fatal results for the present, but admit that he is gradually sinking.

MR. HENRY WAUGH is critically ill at his home on Warwick street. On Monday last he had a paralytic stroke and since then he has been confined to his bed. At last reports he was resting easily. This is the third stroke that Mr. Waugh has had.

AMERICAN OIL in 40 gallon steel barrels with tap, \$12.00; gasoline 28c, five gallons \$1.30; gas engine oil 50c; cylinder oil 50c; best lardine 40c.—THE N. B. HOWDEN EST.

44 ODD cloths, no naps, 20 per cent. discount, \$3.00 cloth \$2.40.—SWIFTS' SALE.

AT Parry Sound three girls, aged from 12 to 15 years, were up in court charged with being out late at night without proper escorts. It was the first case in town under the new Children's Protection Act, and the girls were reprimanded, and their cases adjourned till called.

THE man who pays his bills on time finds life a journey most sublime; he has a minimum of care; the glad hand greets him everywhere; on every doorman there appears the "Welcome" word, through all his years; and parents see he's in the swim, and name their babies after him.

CLAIR JARVIS, of London, Head Clerk, Woodmen of World, will install the officers of Watford Camp No. 23, on Tuesday evening next, the 20th. Oyster supper afterwards. All members and their ladies requested to be present.—S. W. LOUKS, Clerk.

We wish to thank the many friends who have assisted us by handing in news items from time to time. We are here to give all the news and are always glad to get items. Keep up the good work! When you have an item send it along and sign your name as a guarantee of good faith.

THE Guide-Advocate has been appointed agent for the Appleford Counter Check Book Co., of Hamilton, a firm turning out a high grade of work at a very reasonable figure. Merchants and others using counter check books are invited to call and see samples before ordering their next lot of supplies.

THE county council will hold its organization meeting on Tuesday, January 27th, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Every urban Public school board shall hold its first meeting this year on Wednesday, January 21st, at 7 p. m., and every High school board shall meet for organization on Wednesday, February 4th, at 7 p. m.

CLUBHOUSE olives 10c to 35c., maraschino cherries 25c., Malaga grapes 25c., oranges 25c to 50c., short-bread, water ice wafers, salted wafers and all fancy biscuits for your special occasion.—THE N. B. HOWDEN EST.

WORD was received here last week of the death of Mrs. James Ramsey, of Ottawa, who passed away on Thursday, 8th inst. Her newly-born babe followed her to the Unseen Land the next day. She leaves a husband and three small children aged about 2, 4 and 6 years. Before marriage Mrs. Ramsey was a Miss McLaughlin, of Oshawa.

WHITE bear coats \$1.98.—SWIFTS' SALE.

THE union church services have been fairly well attended so far this week, considering the disagreeable weather.

This (Thursday) evening the meeting will be held in the Methodist church, Rev. T. M. Mead to preach. Friday evening the last service will be held in Trinity Church when Rev. J. C. Forster will preach.

If the Guide-Advocate owes you anything present the account and we will endeavor to pay it. If you owe us anything kindly call and get a receipt. If you have a contra account please present it and let us know how we stand with our fellow beings. All accounts should be settled with the new year if possible.

CANNED GOODS.—Sweet wrinkle peas 10c., standard peas 3 for 25c., corn 10c., tomatoes two for 25c., Campbell's soups 2 for 25c., Maple Leaf salmon 25c.—THE N. B. HOWDEN EST.

THE third concert of the Redpath Lyceum Course, under the auspices of the Board of Education, is the Emily Waterman Concert Company, and on account of the date falling on Saturday night the concert will start at 9 p. m. This will give you time to shop before the concert.

THERE was a change of curates in the parish, and shortly after one of the prominent men of the congregation asked his chauffeur: "How do you like the new curate 'Barney'?" "Middlin'," replied Barney, "but he can't come up to the old one." "Was himself could tell you all about hell. Shure, to hear him describin' it you'd think he was born, bred and reared there."

HAVE you got a sale overcoat for yourself or one of the boys, fine choice.—SWIFTS' SALE.

REV. W. G. CONNOLLY, B. A., returned missionary from Japan, preached a missionary sermon in the Methodist church on Sunday evening of last week. His address was one of the most forceful and delightful sermons that has been given in the church by a returned missionary for many years. The rev. gentleman also gave an excellent address in the Presbyterian church last Sunday evening.

IN these days of degeneracy and lack of gallantry, every parent should insist on knowing the whereabouts of daughters after eight o'clock at night. Too many girls there are who are permitted to roam the streets at there own free will at almost any time of night, and who ultimately come to some bad end. We are not a croaker, neither do we believe in taking away the freedom, to a reasonable degree, from the girls and boys, but we do believe there would be fewer heartaches, fewer broken homes and more purity and womanliness in the world did every parent keep the child off the streets at unseemly hours.

McLAREN'S jelly powder, three for a quarter; McLAREN'S extracts, three for a quarter; McLAREN'S gelatine, two for a quarter; McLAREN'S coffee, 40c a pound. We guarantee your money back on any of this line that do not please.—THE N. B. HOWDEN EST.

WHO has the most at the end of the year, the man who works for the ruling wages in the progressive farming district, gets his board, his lodging and very often his laundry thrown in and saves from two-thirds to seventy-five per cent. of his wages, or the man who works for the average laborer's wage in the city and pays out from week to week his entire earnings for the necessities of life? Again the farm wins.

FORMAL notice has been given calling a meeting of the creditors of the Sovereign Bank for the afternoon of Wednesday, January 29th, at the office of G. T. Clarkson, Toronto. This meeting will be followed by a meeting of the shareholders of the bank, the purpose of both meetings being to ascertain the wishes of the creditors and shareholders as to the appointment of liquidators. The call for these meetings is pursuant to the order of Justice Lennox, who on Jan. 27th will further consider the petition for the winding up of the bank.

WOMEN'S Heatherbloom petticoats, full sizes, navy, black and grey, regular \$2.00 for \$1.19.—SWIFTS' Sale.

WATFORD Council of Chosen Friends held their regular meeting on Tuesday evening of this week. Notwithstanding the severe weather there was a large attendance of members both from the town and the country. Officers for this year were installed by Organizer John Berdan, of Strathroy, who came up for that purpose. Lunch was then served by the ladies and a very enjoyable time was spent. The Council here is gradually increasing in membership and they expect to reach the 200 mark within the next few weeks. It was decided during the winter months to have a social time after the business is concluded at each meeting. At the next regular meeting which is to be held on February 10th, there is to be a debate on Woman Suffrage, after which lunch will be served. Every member is kindly requested to be present and bring a friend with them.

THERE is again talk of a hydro radial line from London to Sarnia with branches to Petrolia, Forest and Arkona. It is stated that the road will start from London and will touch Komoka, Strathroy, Wyoming, Watford and other intermediate points. It will follow the main line of the Grand Trunk, and at Wyoming there will be a branch line to Petrolia. Somewhere close to London

the branch into the north will start. It is understood that the hydro-electric commission will ask the municipalities to contribute a proportionate amount of the cost in bonds and that the bonds will be marketed by the commission in order to facilitate their sale. The commission will undertake the operation of the line by trained officers, and will turn back to the municipalities their share of the profits, according to the amount of their investment. An advisory commission will likely be appointed to represent the different municipalities.

**Peabody Lodge I. O. O. F. Installation of Officers**

On Monday evening, 12th inst., J. B. Williams, D. D. G. M., and suite, of Sarnia, made an official visit to Peabody Lodge for the purpose of installation.

The following officers were installed for the present term:—

J. P. G.—Bro. J. McKecher.

P. G.—Bro. D. Hamilton.

V. G.—Bro. R. McIntosh.

R. Sec'y.—Bro. J. W. McLaren.

F. Sec'y.—Bro. F. J. Jones.

Treas.—Bro. C. A. Class.

R. S. N. G.—Bro. P. J. Dadds.

L. S. N. G.—Bro. H. McKenzie.

R. S. V. G.—Bro. J. Cline.

L. S. V. G.—Bro. L. Aylesworth.

R. S. S.—Bro. J. Kersey.

L. S. S.—Bro. W. Doan.

Conductor.—Bro. P. Garson.

Warden.—Bro. F. Wynne.

O. Guard.—Bro. F. Kersey.

I. Guard.—W. Spalding.

Chap.—Bro. Joshua Saunders.

**PERSONAL.**

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

Mr. W. S. Fuller was in London on Tuesday on legal business.

W. E. Fitzgerald, was in London Wednesday afternoon on business.

Mrs. Alvin Shirley, Winnipeg, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Shirley, St. Clair Street.

Mr. Jos. Dunkley, Marquette, Mich., is visiting her brother, Mr. D. Gillies, Front St.

Mrs. McLellan, East Tawas, Mich., spent a week with her brother, Mr. D. Gillies.

Mr. H. Willoughby, Regina, is spending a few weeks with relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Dr. A. J. Cameron, Hermon, Neb., was here last week to see his sister who is still very ill.

Jan. V. Thompson, Pierson, Man., is visiting his sister, Mrs. D. Gillies, after an absence of 19 years.

Mrs. Walter Kennedy and daughter, Kathleen, who visited relatives in Watford and Detroit during the holiday season, have returned to their home in Graveshurst.

Mr. Wm. Trevelthick, of Melfort, Sask., on Prince Albert-Melfort line, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Angus Mitchell, this week. He reports times in that country better, and believes the hard times past, and looks forward for a big year in 1914. Mr. Trevelthick lived in Watford thirty years ago.

**AFTER EFFECTS OF DREADED LA GRIPPE**

Overcome by the Use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Throughout Canada la grippe (influenza) prostrates thousands of busy men and women every winter, wrecking their health and leaving behind numerous serious ailments. It is the after effects of la grippe that cause such widespread misery. Here is the reason, la grippe leaves behind it weakened vital powers, a shattered nervous system, impure and impoverished blood, and a low state of health that renders the sufferer extremely liable to rheumatism, indigestion, neuralgia and nervous disorders. You can avoid la grippe entirely by keeping the blood rich and pure through the occasional use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Or, if, because you have not recognized your blood weakness, la grippe fastens its fangs upon you, its disastrous after-effects can be driven out by the same medicine. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills increase and enrich the blood supply, feed the starving nerves, and thus impart new health and new strength to enfeebled men and women. Mr. G. St. Clair, connected with the Sun Life Assurance Co., Halifax, N. S., says: "I was taken down with a heavy cold and la grippe and was confined to the house for some weeks. I had the best of medical attention, and although the doctor said I was cured I was still far from well, and did not have the vim necessary for a strenuous business life, and did not attend to either office or field work. Talking with a friend he said 'Why not try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.' I decided to do so, and before I had used a box felt an improvement, and before long the Pills made me feel like a new man. I can't therefore say too much in favor of this valuable medicine, and hope that any who may read this and be in need of medical attention will be persuaded to try this truly wonderful medicine."

You can get these health-renewing Pills through any medicine dealer or by mail post paid at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

**The Colored Quartette Coming**

If you wish to hear to your heart's content jubilee songs, plantation melodies, as well as classical selections of the highest order do not fail to attend the sacred musical literary concert to be given in the Methodist Church here next Monday evening, Jan. 19th, by the Ph'lonel Quartette, Miss Agatha Moore, elocutionist, (also colored), so well and favorably known, will be present and render some of the soul-stirring numbers. Everybody welcome. Doors open at 7 p. m. Concert begins at 8. Admission, adults 25c., children 15c. See large bills. These colored ladies will assist the choir at the regular services next Sunday morning and evening, 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. All cordially invited.

**WARWICK.**

Mr. C. R. Williams has just returned from visiting his daughter in London.

Miss Julia Thoman has returned home after spending a week with friends at Wisbeach.

The Annual meeting in connection with Maple Grove Cheese and Butter Factory, will be held in the Factory on Tuesday Jan. 20 at 2 p. m. for the transaction of general business.

Mr. Allan Thompson, of Fletts Springs, Sask., is visiting his father, Mr. Andrew Thompson, of Birnam. Mr. Thompson intends returning in the early spring when, it is rumored will take with him one of Arkona's most popular young ladies.

Last week the Congregation of St. Paul's Church, Wisbeach, by the kindness of the church warden, Messrs. Geo. Brison and Wm. Seymour, presented a big load of oats at the Rectory, Warwick Village. For this and many like favours during the year, Mr. Shore wishes to express his sincere thanks.

In Zion Methodist Church, 2nd line east, the Philomel Quartette will assist the choir on Sunday, 18th inst., at 2.30 p. m. The following Tuesday, 20th inst., they will also give their sacred musical concert in the church, consisting of the latest jubilee selections, plantation melodies and classical songs. Concert at 8 o'clock. Admission 25 and 15 cents.

An illustrated lantern entertainment will be held in the Orange Hall, Bethesda, on Wednesday evening, Jan. 21st, under the auspices of the Orange Association. Rev. H. F. Kennedy, of Warwick, Chaplain of the County, will give his lecture on "Martin Luther, and the Rise of Protestantism," illustrated by sixty beautifully colored slides projected upon a screen by a very powerful lantern, making a picture 6 1/2 ft. by 8 ft. Beautifully illustrated songs, and other slides showing the British Flag, King George and Queen Mary, William Prince of Orange, etc., will be a feature of the evening's entertainment. All are cordially invited to attend. Entertainment commences at 8 o'clock. Admission, adults, 20c., under 12 years, 10c.

The third annual meeting of the Maple Grove Beef Association held in the Cheese Factory on Jan. 2nd was attended by nearly all of the members, also by a goodly number of others, and was anxious to get into the Association and by the majority of the municipal candidates. The report of the secretary showed that the season had been the best in the history of the association both in the amount and quality of the meat furnished. During the season 18,215 1/2 lbs. of meat were distributed among the members, being an average amount to each of 45 3/4 lbs. The price at which the meat is to be reckoned for the coming season was raised from 9c to 10c a lb. The election of officers resulted as follows:—Pres., Wm. Jones; Vice-Pres., C. E. Smith; Sec.-Treas., M. D. Campbell; Managing Comm., Jno. Kerohan, E. White and J. Cates; auditors, Jas. Brandon and E. White. A very hearty vote of thanks was tendered by the meeting to the auditors of the past three years, Samuel Farrell and Jas. Brandon, for their very excellent services rendered. Mr. Farrell is intending to move to his new farm in the spring and will therefore be outside the bounds of the association. The satisfaction given was attested to by the fact that there were nine applications for membership in the hands of the secretary while only two of the old members dropped out, one of whom has moved away. The date for commencement was set for the 19th of March, Amos Zimmerman to furnish the first beef. Three applications were received for shares in 1915.

Mrs. Edwin Brookfield, who at one time resided on the 3rd con. of Brooke, died at Niagara Falls last week.

J. C. Elliott, Liberal member for West Middlesex, is going to re-introduce into the Legislature at the beginning of the session his bill to grant the municipal franchise to married women owning property, or otherwise entitled to vote.

The Bible class of Ravenswood Presbyterian church, which meets on Thursday evenings with an average attendance of fifty-five, completed a contest for best attendance and celebrated the same in the good old way of a sumptuous oyster supper in the beautiful and commodious home of Mr. John Clemens, president of the class. The host and hostess made the evening one of the most pleasant of the winter for all. Some ninety-six persons, members of the class, and their guests, sat down to the bountiful table.

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### WOMAN SUFFERED TEN YEARS

From Female Ills Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Belleville, N.S., Canada. "I doctored ten years for female troubles and didn't get well. I read in the paper about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and decided to try it. It writes now to tell you that I am cured. You can publish my letter as a testimonial."

Another Woman Recovers. Auburn, N.Y. "I suffered from nervousness for ten years, and had such organic pains that sometimes I would lie in bed for days at a time, would not eat or sleep and did not want anyone to talk to me or bother me at all. Sometimes I would suffer for seven hours at a time. Different doctors did the best they could for me until four months ago I began giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial and now I am in good health."

The above are only two of the thousands of grateful letters which are constantly being received by the Pinkham Medicine Company of Lynn, Mass., which show clearly what great things Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound does for those who suffer from woman's ills.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham, Med. Dept., 233 Central Building, Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read, and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.



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HARRIS & CO. PROPRIETORS. WATFORD, JANUARY 16, 1914.

### HOME HINTS

Never in the history of the world has there been such substantial progress in liberty in humanity, and in education as today. Science has added immensely to the world's progress. So that taking men in the mass it may be said that they are freer, more enlightened and better cared for now than at any time in the world's history.

Na-Dru-Co Laxatives advertisement. Text: "are different in that they do not gripe, purge nor cause nausea, nor does continued use lessen their effectiveness. You can always depend on them. 25c. a box at your Druggist's. 176 National Drug and Chemical Co. of Canada, Limited."

mode of managing the individuality of each child. Let us all strive to attain that great control over our spirits, which will enable us to give a soft answer in return for an angry man. Then when this goal of perfection is reached, how peaceful and happy our influence in our journey through life.

It is as easy to say kindly things as it is to make unpleasant remarks. Watch yourself a bit as you move about your home—is it a hard word and a frown? If the latter, pull yourself up short and make up your mind the world shall be bright with your kindness rather than darkened by your ill humor.

There is a great deal said about making homes attractive so the young people will not want to wander away from them; but it is a private opinion one hardly dares to express, that there is too much being done for young America in the well to do classes; they are coddled and humored and given places, while the parents take the rough ones, until the parlor has come to be looked upon as their orbit, while the mother "lives and moves and has her being" in the kitchen.

We all owe to others as many cheerful smiles and kind words as we can bestow, for life is what we make it, and small favors, little kindnesses, a word freely spoken, often heals a much bruised heart, and tender remembrance is cherished for the giver. Never show to an unexpected guest their coming worries or upsets you, but give them a smile and a word of welcome and you will be surprised how quickly worries will roll away and how easily the noonday meal will be done, and how much pleasure there is in that afternoon chat, then there is nothing to think about but to enjoy the present.

How's This? We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

### Dampness Kills Poultry

At this time of the year when the rains are frequent, the nights getting colder, and the birds remaining in their houses for longer periods the poultry man must bear in mind that dampness spells death. Hens must have a dry place to scratch, dust and root in. The floor of the house should be well drained. Where earth floors are used a ditch dug around the house and filled with stones will give effective drainage. To commence the winter with rheumatism or colds in a flock of poultry will be disastrous. The first indications of a cold should be attacked and cause removed. A cold may lead to one or all of the diseases that poultry are heir to. Let all poultry keepers be reminded in time of the dangers resulting from dampness and make provision accordingly. A dry, well-ventilated house is the one that brings good results. It adds greatly to the birds' comfort to keep a deep litter on the floor, and to their health to feed the grain ration in that litter, it keeps them busy, and the busiest hen in the flock lays the most eggs.

### The Dance at Michael Snyder's

O, there was lots of fun. The crowd was on the run; You could dance the buany bug, And think you were a "big bug"; You could step the lively rag, Or even get on a jag; But you couldn't dance the tango.

Worms feed upon the vitality of children and endanger their lives. A simple and effective cure is Mother Graves' Worm Extirpator.

### THE MILKMAKER

Milk the leaking cow three times a day. Is your barn prepared for the cold wintry weather? Put a little bran in the bottom of the pail when the calf has drunk his milk and he will readily learn to eat it. You cannot expect a cow to give large quantities of milk unless she has plenty of feed and quantities of water. An account should be kept with every cow. The way to determine her value is by using the scales and the Babcock test. Other things being equal, the largest yields of milk usually represent the largest profits. Not one cow barn in a hundred has windows enough.

### RAISING FALL COLTS.

Pays to Breed Mares That Have Failed to Get in Foal in the Spring. Every season the farmer is called on to solve the fall colt problem. One or two, perhaps all, of his mares miss the horse in the spring, and unless he breeds them in the fall he must lose a whole year in his horse breeding department, says J. V. Abington in the National Stockman. At the best, he must lose six or eight months. Shall he let that go as so much lost anyway and six months more on top of it, waiting till spring to breed the mares once more, or shall he breed them in the fall and so save half the year? That is the question to be settled.

It is not a matter on which there is absolute unanimity. Some say they have no luck with fall colts and so never try to raise them. Others always breed the mares that miss in the spring, while still a third school maintains that fall colts pay and do better than spring colts and that mares should be mated in the spring only to fill in the time lost by their failure to breed to the fall service. With this last school I have no patience. I do



The illustration shows a two-year-old gray Percheron filly which was dropped in the fall. She was fed sweet whole milk from a cow to make up for the grass she had lost. She got a couple of quarts twice a day. But if whole milk is not available four or five quarts of sweet warm separator milk will do very well. A point to remember in the case of a fall colt is that it must have plenty of exercise, a clean bed and all the grain it will clean up in addition to the milk. Fresh water should always be within its reach.

believe, however, that a farmer is wise to breed in the fall one or two valuable producers that failed to settle in the spring. There is not much to be gained by having the mare but half gone in her pregnancy during spring work, for nowadays fall work, such as gang plowing, hauling the corn binder, hauling the manure spreader and the like, is a task about the same, no matter what season of the year undertaken, and the need for caution is just as great in the fall as it is in the spring. It is six of one and half a dozen of the other, so the matter simmers down to the choice between losing six months or a whole year.

Fall colts can be raised as profitably as spring colts for the reason that what they eat during the first six months is seldom missed. When six months old or thereabouts they go out on the grass and if well fed make a continuous growth, but never quite so good as a spring colt does when given exactly the same treatment. There is something about the action of the grass in the young stomach that nature requires and which is denied to the fall born youngster.

### Age to Breed Sows

Breeders are not agreed as to the proper age at which sows should be first bred. Some declare it more profitable to breed immature or young sows. Professor Coburn says: "Eight months old is as young as it is judicious or proper to breed them, and we would much prefer to have them a year old before letting them to the boar. The pigs from large, old sows will be more in number and frequently double in size of the others at a month old, and

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A Prophetic Dream. One of the most inexplicable forms of dream is the prophetic one, instances of which abound. The late Lord Dufferin when in Paris dreamed one night that he was in a hearse en route for the cemetery. A day or so later he was entering the lift at a hotel when he recognized the attendant as the driver of the hearse of his dream. He stepped back and the lift ascended without him. As it neared the top something broke, and it crashed to the bottom again, killing every one in it.

Hard to Suit. "Maria," sharply asked Mr. Dorkins, "is that worthless young whippersnapper of a Dick Doogood still coming to see Beesie?" "What do you mean by talking that way, John?" said Mrs. Dorkins. "He hasn't been here in six weeks."

A Lack of Foresight! The primary teacher asked for volunteers in story telling or singing, and one little girl finally offered her services. "She came to the room and after standing quietly for a moment, turned to the teacher and remarked: "Gee! I wish I had kept still."

Her Revenge. A lawyer asked a woman in the witness box her age, and she promptly replied: "Old enough to have sold milk for you to drink when a baby, and I haven't got my money yet."

### Use For Hot Stones.

Primitive man boiled his water with hot stones. That was not the only use he made of them—at any rate—if he was a Scythian. The Scythian practice described by Herodotus has been claimed by some as the first recorded case of smoking. Having seen of a kind of hemp that grew in the country, Herodotus proceeds: "Now, the Scythians, taking the seed of this hemp, go into their tents and then throw the seed upon stones heated white hot. As it is thrown on it is burnt into smoke, producing so much that no Greek vapor bath could surpass it. And the Scythians delighted in it, below. This takes the place of washing for them." It seems as though they had discovered the Turkish bath and the cigarette.

### Coffee From Dried Figs.

It is claimed that an excellent coffee can be made from dried and roasted figs, which need not be of the first quality. They are dried in the sun or in evaporating pans, according to climate, and then roasted in a mill till brown or almost black and quite brittle. They are then ground up, and the resultant powder is pressed into tablets. These must be kept dry. When made use of they are merely dissolved in hot water. The beverage is said to be agreeable in color and flavor, with a somewhat sweeter taste than that made from chicory.

### Deceived.

Countryman at the National Gallery.—Why, them's the very same pictures I saw here the day before yesterday! Attendant (dryly).—Quite likely. Countryman.—Then that clerk at the hotel is an awful liar. He told me that the pictures was changed daily in all the leading picture houses.—London Opinion.

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### About Garters

A Western correspondent writes:—"Being quite impressed with the item on garters I found in your interesting paper, The Guide, some time ago, I would say, why use bed sheet hems for garters in the East. In our great West they keep a ball of Massey-Harris binding twine for garters. Why, sir, the people get so strong in our western climate that nothing but binding twine seems to last for garters, and for tying other commodities, bed sheet hems would no more do for garters for men and women here than bed sheet hems would do for to bind the great sheaves of grain we have in our great western harvest fields. One Englishman declared if he was seen on the streets of Manchester as in the harvest fields here in this great West, with binding twine garters, shirt sleeves garters, hat band and suspenders, all of the same material, binding twine, they would think he had gone clean through his senses and came out like Samson of old, all tied up with binding cords."

There is no poisonous ingredient in Holloway's Corn Cure, and it can be used without danger of injury.

The county of Middlesex will enter an appeal from the verdict of \$1000 given Geo. Weston for injuries received by his sleigh being upset.

No man is as clever as his own conceit tries to make him out. The man who does most has the least time to talk about what he does.

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powders exceeds three grains, which is the limit of dosage prescribed by the British pharmacopoeia. "No doubt," says the bulletin, "serious results would more frequently follow their use were it not that they contain other drugs, usually caffeine, which act as stimulants of the heart. A little reflection should convince the consumer of these powders that he is taking great liberties with his health and life."

A Household Medicine.—They that are acquainted with the sterling properties of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the treatment of many ailments would not be without it in the house. It is truly a household medicine and as it is effective in dealing with many ordinary complaints it is cheaper than a doctor. So, keep it at hand, as the call for it may come most unexpectedly.

HOW SCOTSMEN MARRY

CURIOUS LAWS AND CUSTOMS IN THE LAND OF CAKES.

The Old Greta Green Weddings, Which Consisted of a Mere Declaration Before the Village Blacksmith, Have Passed and the Scottish Laws Governing Matrimony Are Highly Intricate.

If you ask anyone, layman or lawyer, outside of Scotland to give you a correct definition of the marriage laws of Scotland, there is the ten-to-one chance that he will be unable to do so. People have been heard to gravely declare that if a person, even in jest, introduced a lady as his wife to somebody else in Scotland, they were thereby tied together in matrimonial bonds. Others who do not "joke with difficulty" have been heard to state their belief that many Scots do not know whether they are married or single! Such matrimonial travesties may have had some semblance of reality in the romantic days of Greta Green, when runaway couples were united in wedlock by the village blacksmith, but in these days a higher standard is placed upon the ceremony of marriage, both by the civil law and the law of the church.

Only the other day an important point arising out of evidence given by a Scottish minister at a bigamy trial in London was settled by the Registrar-General for Scotland, who has laid it down that "witnesses are essential" to the due observance of a Scottish marriage. The essence of the Scots' law is that marriage is essentially a civil contract. Thus, if two parties in the presence of witnesses solemnly and deliberately say to each other, "You are my wife," "You are my husband," they are as indissolubly married as if the whole ceremony of banns, clergyman, and marriage lines had been gone through. No need, therefore, for anxiety on the marriage day about mistakes in these formalities; the want of any or all of them does not in the least impair the validity of the marriage. Or again, if a man and a woman write, say, on the fly-leaf of a Bible the words, "I take you, A, for my wife," and "I take you, B, for my husband," respectively, and add their signatures, both intending to marry, they are as firmly knit as if they had been wedded by the Archbishop of Canterbury. Such are the unromantic facts of a Scottish marriage.

The propriety of allowing marriages to be effected in this simple way without the safeguard of any religious ceremony has often been questioned, but the fact remains that the Legislature allows it and that "it is suited," as one authority has said "to the Scottish national character and circumstances." It cannot be said, however, that such marriages are regarded with favor either by the law or by public opinion.

Another interesting point cropped up the other day when a minister refused to marry any couple whose names had been published on the registrar's board instead of having been proclaimed in the parish church. He did not object to the registrar's certificate on the ground that proclamation in the church was a guarantee of greater publicity, but simply that it was a prerogative of the minister that he was not obliged to marry parties unless after proclamation of banns. In older days the fees charged by church officials or kirk session for proclamations of banns were very heavy. An ordinary charge was \$5 to \$7.50, but sometimes it rose as high as \$10. After the Marriage Notice Act of 1878 came into operation (for the express purpose of encouraging regular marriages), the church had to set its house in order, and in 1880 an act was passed by the General Assembly, in which it was decreed that the fee for proclamation of banns and certificates should in no case exceed 60 cents. When originally instituted, proclamation of banns was made on three successive Sundays preceding the marriage, but it is now sufficient if proclamation is made on one Sunday "for the first, second, and third times."

Dissenters of strong opinions like to show their independence by patronizing the registrar rather than the Clerk of the Kirk-Session, but the women still have the preference to be "cried in the kirk." The marriage "lines" are issued by the session clerk or the registrar, as the case may be, and the minister of any church can carry through all the formalities of the marriage at the bride's home or in a hotel. A small party of relatives, or a large assembly, is gathered, according to the accommodation of the house and the means at disposal. The more fashionable have their weddings about noon or two o'clock. But a great number of marriages take place in the evenings about seven or eight o'clock. Among the working classes Friday evening is the popular time, and in Glasgow and the other great towns the last Friday of the year sees as many weddings as any ordinary month. In recent years in Scotland marriages in church have become quite common among the "better class" people, but it is not often that a couple belonging to the artisan population are wedded in church. As is the case in England, civil marriages are greatly on the increase

in Scotland. They provide a lucrative business for a certain class of solicitors in large towns.

Two Points of View.

Cook (aghast)—Och, mum, I've spilt a taycup o' milk over the front of me besht dress, an' I'm thinkin' I'm afther spillin' it intirely. Mistress—Oh, Mary, how could you! Was it all we had?

Moral.

Every day a new cure for something is announced, but also one or more new diseases are found. The moral is to stay in the fresh air, eat plain food and quit worrying.

As Values Are Judged.

"Great Scott, woman! Are you trying to ruin me?" "Why, Henry! You don't even know what I paid for the gown." "I know that any gown that looks as bad as that one costs more than I can afford to pay."—Life.

Quite Correct.

A philosopher says, "A man worships what he cannot understand." If he is referring to women he is correct.—New Orleans Picayune.

Chance generally favors the prudent.—Joubert.

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LIGHTNING CURES.

Many Strange Recoveries Credited to Much Feared Bolt.

There is an old saying to the effect that "faith will either kill or cure," and it would seem to apply to lightning also. Certainly it is a remedy which nobody could be persuaded to try voluntarily, but there are many cases on record where permanent benefit has been derived from being struck by lightning—that is, subjected to Nature's own electrical treatment.

A telegraph employe in Germany who was manipulating his instruments during a severe thunderstorm was seen to fall at the very instant that a lightning flash of intense vividness occurred. At first he was thought to have been killed instantly, but it was afterwards found that he was still alive, although he was both senseless and paralyzed. In this state he remained about twenty-four hours, and then recovered completely. Strangely enough, prior to the lightning stroke he was in very indifferent health, but since that apparent catastrophe his health has been more robust than ever before in his life.

A similar case took place on the island of Martinique, where thunderstorms are both frequent and severe. A well-known French resident was struck by lightning and picked up for dead. He was not dead, however, but only paralyzed, and was treated with massage and artificial respiration. In a few hours he recovered, and from having been a man of very weakly health, poor appetite, and suffering from "general debility," as the pill advertisements say, he became henceforth "as fit as a fiddle," losing all his old-time invalidism.

Some time ago a deaf man was standing near a tree with a companion during a thunderstorm, when the tree was struck by lightning and shattered, the two men being thrown to the ground in a dazed condition. They probably owed their lives to the fact that they were not in actual contact with the tree, and both experienced the secondary force of the electrical discharge. The deaf man's companion was the first to find his voice, and the hitherto deaf man was amazed to find that he could hear him. The lightning had worked a sort of minor miracle and unstopped the deaf man's ears.

More than one case has occurred of a lightning flash causing a dumb man to speak. These have always been cases where some peculiar nervous affection has been the cause of dumbness. After a serious illness, for instance, a woman found herself unable to use her tongue in speech, and she so remained for many years, making her wants known by writing them upon a slate which was kept beside her for the purpose. She was dreadfully frightened of thunderstorms, and used to retire to the coal-cellar when they occurred. Needless to say, the lightning followed her there, and on one occasion, when lightning and thunder were simultaneous, she was so frightened with the flash and the tremendous crash which followed it that she ran screaming up the cellar steps as voluble with her tongue as ever she was in her life. She had found her speech again.

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mode of managing the individuality of each child. Let us all strive to attain that great control over our spirits, which will enable us to give a soft answer in return for an angry taunt. Then when this goal of perfection is reached, how peaceful and happy our influence in our journey through life.

It is as easy to say kindly things as it is to make unpleasant remarks. Watch yourself a bit as you move about your home—is it a hard word and a frown? yourself up short—your kindness may be your ill humor words before the Stifle bitter though. Be considerate, town.

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### Rex vs. Healey

Inspector McCallum, of East Lambton, at the request of the Petrolia Magistrate, laid a charge against Wm. J. Healey, of Plympton, of being in an intoxicated municipality, between Nov. 30 and Dec. 9th. The hearing came on before P. M. McKenzie on Dec. 23rd, the prosecution of Watford, and F. W. Wilson appeared for the defendant. After somewhat lengthy evidence and argument judgment was reserved for a week, and the defendant was then found guilty and fined \$20 and costs. The defendant is making a motion to the Court at Osgoode Hall, Toronto, to have the conviction quashed on the ground that the Magistrate had no jurisdiction and on some eight or nine other grounds.—Petrolia Advertiser.

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The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Stanger, Watford, was the scene of a pleasant event on the evening of Dec. 24th, 1913, when a young Alvinston couple, Miss Mary Blanche Preece and Mr. Wm. Clarence Harper, nephew of Mrs. Stanger, were united in marriage by Rev. H. E. Curry, of Watford. Only immediate relatives and friends were present. The bride was attended by Miss Mary Stanger, of Watford, and Miss Wm. Bruce, also of Watford. After the usual wedding meal the bride and groom left on a short honeymoon trip and on their return will reside in Alvinston.

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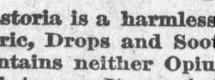
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Government Warns Against Use Of Headache Powders

A bulletin issued by the inland revenue department on "headache powders" calls public attention to the fact that "there can be no doubt that harm is done by the indiscriminate use of headache powders."

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of the powders exceeds three grains, which is the limit of dosage prescribed by the British pharmacopoeia. "No doubt," says the bulletin, "serious results would more frequently follow their use were it not that they contain other drugs, usually caffeine, which act as stimulants of the heart."

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CURIOUS LAWS AND CUSTOMS IN THE LAND OF CAKES.

The Old Gretna Green Weddings, Which Consisted of a Mere Declaration Before the Village Blacksmith, Have Passed and the Scottish Laws Governing Matrimony Are Highly Intricate.

If you ask anyone, layman or lawyer, outside of Scotland to give you a correct definition of the marriage laws of Scotland, there is the ten-to-one chance that he will be unable to do so. People have been heard to gravely declare that if a person, even in jest, introduced a lady as his wife to somebody else in Scotland, they were thereby tied to, other in matrimonial bonds.

Only the other day an important point arising out of evidence given by a Scottish minister at a bigamy trial in London was settled by the Registrar-General for Scotland, who has laid it down that "witnesses are essential" to the due observance of a Scottish marriage. The essence of the Scots' law is that marriage is essentially a civil contract.

The propriety of allowing marriages to be effected in this simple way without the safeguard of any religious ceremony has often been questioned, but the fact remains that the Legislature allows it and that "it is suited," as one authority has said, "to the Scottish national character and circumstances."

Another interesting point cropped up the other day when a minister refused to marry any couple whose names had been published on the registrar's board instead of having been proclaimed in the parish church. He did not object to the registrar's certificate on the ground that proclamation in the church was a guarantee of greater publicity, but simply that it was a prerogative of the minister that he was not obliged to marry parties unless after proclamation of banns. In older days the fees charged by church officials or kirk session for proclamations of banns were very heavy. An ordinary charge was \$5 to \$7.50, but sometimes it rose as high as \$10.

Dissenters of strong opinions like to show their independence by patronizing the registrar rather than the Clerk of the Kirk-Session, but the women still have the preference to be "cried in the kirk." The marriage "lines" are issued by the session clerk or the registrar, as the case may be, and the minister of any church can carry through all the formalities of the marriage at the bride's home or in an hotel. A small party of relatives, or a large assembly, is gathered, according to the accommodation of the house and the means at disposal. The more fashionable have their weddings about noon or two o'clock. But a great number of marriages take place in the evenings about seven or eight o'clock. Among the working classes Friday evening is the popular time, and in Glasgow and the other great towns the last Friday of the year sees as many weddings as any ordinary month. In recent years in Scotland marriages in church have become quite common among the "better class" people, but it is not often that a couple belonging to the artisan population are wedded in church. As in the case in England, civil marriages are greatly on the increase

in Scotland. They provide a lucrative business for a certain class of solicitors in large towns.

Two Points of View.

Cook (aghast)—Och, mum, I've spilt a taircup o' milk over the front of me besht dress, an' I'm thinkin' I'm aither spillin' it intirely. Mistress—Och, Mary, how could you! Was it all we had?

Moral.

Every day a new cure for something is announced, but also one or more new diseases are found. The moral is to stay in the fresh air, eat plain food and quit worrying.

As Values Are Judged.

"Great Scott, woman! Are you trying to rule me?" "Why, Henry! You don't even know what I paid for the gown." "I know that any gown that looks as bad as that one costs more than I can afford to pay."—Life.

Quite Correct.

A philosopher says, "A man worships what he cannot understand." If he is referring to women he is correct.—New Orleans Picayune.

Chance generally favors the prudent.—Joubert.

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LIGHTNING CURES.

Many Strange Recoveries Credited to Much Feared Bolt.

There is an old saying to the effect that "faith will either kill or cure," and it would seem to apply to lightning also. Certainly it is a remedy which nobody could be persuaded to try voluntarily, but there are many cases on record where permanent benefit has been derived from being struck by lightning—that is, subjected to Nature's own electrical treatment.

A telegraph employe in Germany was manipulating his instruments during a severe thunderstorm when he was still alive, although he was both senseless and paralyzed. In this state he remained about twenty-four hours, and then recovered completely. Strangely enough, prior to the lightning stroke he was in very indifferent health, but since that apparent catastrophe his health has been more robust than ever before in his life.

A similar case took place on the island of Martinique, where thunderstorms are both frequent and severe. A well-known French resident was struck by lightning and picked up for dead. He was not dead, however, but only paralyzed, and was treated with massage and artificial respiration. In a few hours he recovered, and from having been a man of very weakly health, poor appetite, and suffering from "general debility," as the pill advertisements say, he became henceforth "as fit as a fiddle," losing all his old-time invalidism.

Some time ago a deaf man was standing near a tree with a companion during a thunderstorm, when the tree was struck by lightning and shattered, the two men being thrown to the ground in a dazed condition. They probably owed their lives to the fact that they were not in actual contact with the tree, and both experienced the secondary force of the electrical discharge. The deaf man's companion was the first to find his voice, and the hitherto deaf man was amazed to find that he could hear him. The lightning had worked a sort of minor miracle and unstopped the deaf man's ears.

More than one case has occurred of a lightning flash causing a dumb man to speak. These have always been cases where some peculiar nervous affection has been the cause of dumbness. After a serious illness, for instance, a woman found herself unable to use her tongue in speech, and she so remained for many years, making her wants known by writing them upon a slate which was kept beside her for the purpose. She was dreadfully frightened of thunderstorms, and used to retire to the coal-cellar when they occurred. Needless to say, the lightning followed her there, and on one occasion, when lightning and thunder were simultaneous, she was so frightened with the flash and the tremendous crash which followed it that she ran screaming up the cellar steps as voluble with her tongue as ever she was in her life. She had found her speech again.

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**BOARD OF EDUCATION.**

Minutes of the regular meeting of the Watford Board of Education, held in the Library Board Room on Thursday, January 8th, 1914, at 7 p.m.

Present—E. D. Swift, chairman; Col. Kenward, Peter J. Dodds, John White, Wm. Harper, S. W. Louks, D. A. Maxwell, and Principals Potter and Shrapnell.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

Dodds—Harper, and carried, that Swift, Sons & Co.'s account of \$1.25, public school supplies be accepted and paid.

White—Louks, and carried, that we ask our municipal council for \$325.00, \$50 for immediate requirements and balance by the 30th inst.

Louks—Maxwell, and carried, that the minutes be accepted as read.

Dodds—Kenward, and carried, that we dissolve Board dissolved.

D. WATT, Secretary.

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The Secretary, D. Watt, took the chair when the following appointments were made:—Peter John Dodds, chairman; D. Watt, Secretary, at same salary; Wm. McLay, Treasurer, same salary.

**COMMITTEES**  
Repairs and supplies—Col. Kenward, Dr. Hicks, E. D. Swift.  
School Management—S. W. Louks, Wm. Harper, John White.

Finance—Dr. Newell, J. W. McLaren, D. A. Maxwell.

Louks—Swift, and carried, that our meetings be held in the Library Board Room on the first Monday in each month, at 7 p.m.

Swift—Louks, and carried, that we adjourn.

D. WATT Secretary.

Men's and boys' fur hand caps 15c. and 20c., worth double.—SWIFTS' Sale.

A committee of the Lambton county council, which will ask aid from the Dominion Government towards a sea wall along the townships of Sombra and Moore will leave next week to lay the matter before the Hon. Mr. Roche.

Warden John H. Anderson, of Oil Springs, is chairman of the committee and the members are Reeves McCallum, Alvinston; Grant, Sombra; Whitsitt, Courtwright; Payne, Moore, and MacVicar, Brooke. They expect to make a report to the county council when it meets on January 27.

T. Drepe, Ennisville, killed a milk snake on the Wm. Kettle farm, 3 ft. long, on the 2nd day of January, cut its head off that day and it would crawl on the 5th of January.

Mrs. J. I. Pickering and Mrs. J. Wichmen, of Forest, have gone to Los Angeles, Cal., for the winter.

**BROOKE**

Mrs. D. B. Eastbrook and Miss House, of Swan River, Manitoba, are the guests of their sisters, Mrs. George Swan and Mrs. T. E. McMahon.

Mr. Jas. H. Pollock, Melita, Man., is visiting his uncle, Mr. Jas. Pollock. It is 31 years since he left Brooke.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hick, of Blucher, Sask., returned home Wednesday after spending the holidays with relatives in this vicinity. Mr. Hick is agent for the C. P. R. at Blucher.

The January meeting of the Brooke Women's Institute was held on Thursday afternoon, January 8th, at the home of Miss Bertha Rundle. A goodly number of members were present, also several visitors from the Napier branch.

After the opening exercises, the members answered to roll call by "quotations from Burns." Miss Nettie McEachern then gave a paper on "Domestic Life of Royalty," and Mrs. W. Shugg one on "Place and Value of Music in the Home."

Both papers were excellent and showed that much thought had been given in preparing them. Instrumental solos were given by Misses Maggie McLean and Jennie McEwan, which were much appreciated. The meeting was then closed, after which lunch was served by the hostess.

The Branch intend holding a social evening on the evening of Friday January 23rd, in the School House, No. 11, on the tenth concession east. A programme is being prepared and a pleasant time is being looked forward to. The branch will gladly welcome all visitors who care to attend.

Tilbury Times—So far as known the largest hog ever seen in this district was owned by Jason Malott, of Ruthven. The animal was killed on Tuesday, and weighed, dressed, 855 pounds. The measurement across the back was 30 1/2 inches, and over 200 pounds of lard was rendered from this monster.

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**WARWICK COUNCIL**

Warwick, January 12th, 1914. The council elect for the Township of Warwick met today as per statutes and after signing their declaration of qualification and oath of office took their seats as follows:—Wm. G. Hall, reeve; Arthur Hobbs, deputy-reeve; Benj. B. Dann, Harry K. Laird and Jacob Cline, councillors.

By-law No. 1 was then introduced and read the first, second and third times and finally passed, appointing M. E. Barrett and E. O. Herbert auditors, at a salary of \$10.00 each, Robert Jones, assessor, at a salary of \$40.00, and Chas. E. Smith, a member of the Board of Health.

The following accounts were passed:—N. Herbert, services re refund on Hardy Creek drain.....\$ 2 00 Wm. Butler, gravel furnished 1913 3 50 John Coulter, " " " " 8 20 Municipal Wood, election supplies 18 50 Corn Growers Association, grant, 10 00 Clerk and Treas., making financial statement.....16 00 Treas. of Plympton, Warwick's share of Stewart drain.....259 70 C. E. Jones, salary as treasurer and postage.....103 70 J. McDougall, refund Hardy Cr. dr 10 07 W. J. Moffatt, " " " " 1 65 Jas. Sullivan, " " " " 9 40 Ino. O'Neil, " " " " 27 H. Rivers, " " " " 8 29 Rich. Routley " " " " 9 48 John F. Parker " " " " 4 97 G. T. Railway, " " " " 2 96

Dann—Cline, that we authorize the Reeve and Treasurer to issue debentures for \$250.00 for Warwick's share of the Stewart local drain.—Carried.

Dann—Cline, that we extend the time of the collector for returning the roll till the next meeting of the council.—Carried.

The council then adjourned to meet Monday, Feb. 16th at one o'clock, p.m., for general business.

N. HERBERT, Clerk.

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5	37	22	8, 9, 10, 10	.18	18.00	180.00
6	40	22	6 1/2, 7, 8 1/2, 9, 9	.21	21.00	210.00
7	40	22	5 1/2, 7, 7, 7 1/2, 8	.23	23.00	230.00
7	48	22	5 1/2, 7 1/2, 9, 10, 10	.23	23.00	230.00
8	42	22	6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6	.26	26.00	260.00
8	42	16 1/2	6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6	.28	28.00	280.00
8	47	22	4, 5 1/2, 7, 8 1/2, 9, 9	.26	26.00	260.00
8	47	16 1/2	4, 5 1/2, 7, 8 1/2, 9, 9	.29	29.00	290.00
9	48	22	6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6	.29	29.00	290.00
9	48	16 1/2	6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6	.31	31.00	310.00
9	51	22	4, 4, 5 1/2, 6, 6, 6, 6	.29	29.00	290.00
9	51	16 1/2	4, 4, 5 1/2, 7, 8 1/2, 9, 9	.31	31.00	310.00
10	48	22	3, 3, 3, 4 1/2, 7, 7 1/2, 8	.31	31.00	310.00
10	48	16 1/2	3, 3, 3, 4 1/2, 7, 7 1/2, 8	.33	33.00	330.00
10	51	22	3, 3, 3, 4 1/2, 7, 8 1/2, 9, 9	.33	33.00	330.00
10	51	16 1/2	3, 3, 3, 4 1/2, 7, 8 1/2, 9, 9	.31	31.00	310.00
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8	48	16 1/2	4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9	.26	26.00	260.00
9	36	12	3, 3, 3, 4, 5, 6, 6	.27	27.00	270.00
9	50	16 1/2	3, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9	.28	28.00	280.00
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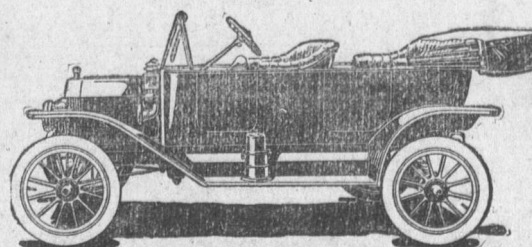
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## Death of Mr. John Moffatt

Mr. John Moffatt, an old pioneer of Warwick, passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Charles Chambers, 4th line, on Sunday morning, aged 85 years, 3 months and 18 days. He had been a sufferer from rheumatism for some years and seven weeks ago he had a fall which caused him to take to his bed, where he remained until the time of his death.

Deceased was a native of Ireland, being born in the county of Tyrone, Sept. 24th, 1828. He was married in 1852 to Miss Margaret Sawyer, who predeceased him in 1898. About the year 1856, some six years after coming to Canada, he settled in the township of Warwick and lived in this district until his death. He is survived by four sons and four daughters, namely, Charles Moffatt, Forest; Robert, British Columbia; Andrew J. and J. C., 6th line, Warwick; Mrs. James, 6th line, Warwick; Mrs. Scofield; B. C.; Mrs. Charles Chambers, 4th line, and Mrs. Robt. Bryce, 8th line, Warwick, and also leaves 22 grandchildren and six great grandchildren. He passed through all the hardships and inconveniences incident to a pioneer life and took great interest in all matters pertaining to agriculture. In religion he was an Anglican. He was a staunch Orangeman and a member of that order from early manhood.

The funeral was held on Monday, Jan. 12th, to the Watford cemetery and was well attended although the weather was stormy and bitterly cold. The service was conducted by Rev. S. P. Irwin, B.A., rector of St. James Church. Service was held at the house. The pallbearers were C. Moffatt, C. Chambers, R. Bryce, A. J. Moffatt, J. C. Moffatt, and C. Chambers, Jr.

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## BROOKE COUNCIL

Alyington, 12th January, 1914.  
Council elect for the Township of Brooke for the year 1914, met in Code's Hall, in the Village of Alyington, at the hour appointed by Statute. Present—William Annett, Reeve; William J. Bourne, Deput. Reeve; Dougald M. Campbell, Albert McCabe and Hugh Kennedy, Councillors. Declarations of Qualification and of Office were taken and subscribed before the Clerk, when they were declared ready for business.

Bourne—McCabe, that the sum of \$5.00 be voted to pay for six copies of the Municipal World, for use of Council and Clerk.—Carried.  
McCabe—Kennedy, that the sum of \$5.00 be granted in aid of the Sick Children's Hospital, Toronto.—Carried.  
Annett—McCabe, that W. G. Willoughby be reappointed as Assessor at a salary of \$50.00.—Carried.

Bourne—McCabe, that W. J. Weed be reappointed as Collector at a salary of \$100.00.—Carried.  
Kennedy—Campbell, that as there are no officers or applications for doing the Township printing for the coming year, that any advertising or printing not necessary to be done by the local paper, be left open to be done anywhere found cheaper or more convenient.—Carried.

Mr. Daniel Saunders complained that the Contractor for the Parker-Sisson Drain had left it to do other work, leaving the job unfinished, and that parties assessed for it had now paid the third annual on it.

Bourne—McCabe, that the Clerk notify Mr. Kelly, the Commissioner, to see that the job is gone on with, or relet same.—Carried.  
Mr. Watt complained that the 67 con. road drain and the 7-8 con. blind line drain were left unlet and no work done on them, to the great injury of himself and others interested in the drains. He threatened to press a suit for damages unless action was taken.

Campbell—McCabe, that Wm. A. McDonald be reappointed Treasurer at the same salary as last year, viz: \$130.—Carried.  
Bourne—Annett, that Albert McCabe be appointed Commissioner for Division No. 1; Wm. J. Bourne for No. 2; Dougald M. Campbell for No. 3; Hugh Kennedy for No. 4; and Wm. Annett for Division No. 5.—Carried.

By-law No. 1 for 1914, introduced and read, confirming the appointments this day made, and the salaries as mentioned.  
Bourne—Campbell, that by-law be read a third time and finally passed.—Carried.  
A. E. Sutton, ex-Councilor, sent in a report on the different drains over which he had been appointed Commissioner, giving in detail the amounts paid on each, and tendered his resignation.

McCabe—Campbell, that Mr. Sutton's report be received, his resignation accepted, and that Mr. Annett be appointed Commissioner over the Johnston Drain and the Johnston-Mills Drain, and Mr. Kennedy as Commissioner over the 12-13 con. road drain.—Carried.  
Annett—McCabe, that by-laws for the McKinlay Drain, the Brooke and Euphemis and Martin Creek Drains, the Brooke, Euphemis and Dawn Townline Drains, and the Edgar-Cores-tine Drain be read a third time and finally passed.—Carried.

Campbell—Kennedy, that Council do now adjourn to meet in the Village of Inwood, on Saturday, the 21st day of February, 1914.—Carried.  
W. G. WILLUGHBY, Clerk.

## SALE REGISTER.

Saturday, Jan. 31st, sale of village property at the Roche House, Watford. For particulars see adv.

Strathroy is to have a dancing master to teach the tango, hesitation waltz and other new-fangled dances.



GILLETTS LYE EATS DIRT. Gillett's Lye advertisement featuring an illustration of a lion and a can of lye.

BUSINESS AND SHORTHAND. Western School advertisement for business and shorthand instruction.

RICHARD BROCK & SON. International Machinery and Engines advertisement listing various mechanical equipment.

A. D. HONE & SON. Painters, Decorators advertisement for home improvement services.

PATENTS. Scientific American advertisement for patent services and legal assistance.

CHANTRY FARM. Advertisement for a farm property with details on location and features.

W. C. BROWNE & SON. Funeral Directors and Licensed Embalmers advertisement.

The Stolen Portemonnaie

She Forgive the Thief Twice

By LILLIAN SHARPE

A young lady sat in a waiting room at a railway station watching the clock as its hands moved slowly toward the time of departure of her train.

"Train for Hampton!" The young lady started, glanced at the clock, saw that the hands stood at fifteen minutes before her train time.

"If that isn't just like a woman!" said the young man with auburn hair to himself, and reaching for the portemonnaie, he put it in his pocket and followed her, taking position next to her in the line.

"Oh, heavens, I've been robbed!" "Permit me to pay your fare," said the young man behind her, and taking out his wallet, he bought a ticket for her and one for himself.

"What shall I do?" wailed the girl. "You had better get aboard the train. You haven't time to investigate the loss of your portemonnaie, and it would probably avail nothing if you had."

"What exactness! I wish I could remember things like that. Never mind. I have advanced the amount for your ticket. You haven't lost very much."

"Good morning." And he lifted his hat deferentially. Now, the young man knew very well the girl would not let him go without asking his address that she might return his loan.

"Why, you live in Hampton?" she asked. "I don't live there, but I am going there."

"That he was going there was perfectly true, but when he had entered the station he had just left he had no such intention. He was going to his home, fifty miles beyond."

"But you have given your street and number there?" "That's the address of a friend."

"The girl put the card in her satchel, and Mr. Meriweather took up the matter of the lost portemonnaie. "Was any one in the station?"

"No one near enough to get possession of anything that belonged to me. Now, I think of it, some one was sitting on the other end of the bench while I was waiting for the train."

"Man or woman?" "I think it was a man." "Did you take out your portemonnaie while he was there?"

"Yes, I did. I tired of waiting and took out the magazine. She still held it in her hand. To do so I was obliged to remove the portemonnaie and some other things which I laid beside me. After getting out the magazine I put them all back again into the bag."

"Are you sure you put them all back?" "Perfectly." "Then there can be no doubt about the matter. The man who sat beside

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You must have been an expert at sleight of hand and contrived to get your pocketbook away from you.

"How careless of me! Could you identify the man?" "I think I could."

"What was he like?" "Well, he was not a very attractive looking person, but I wouldn't have taken him for a thief."

"Did you notice his features?" "I noticed one feature. He was a red-headed chap."

"The young lady cast a side glance at her companion's hair. "Anything else?" she asked.

"Nothing special. He was looking at you admiringly. I wonder that he stole from you."

"A girl can't help being pleased at admiration even from a thief. The young lady instinctively put her hand to her back hair."

"Not long after this, when the train was nearing Hampton, Mr. Meriweather thought it better that he should have the young lady's address; he might meet the man who he declared had stolen her pocketbook and if he did it would be essential that he communicate with her."

"So the man who stole my portemonnaie," she said, "was he who sat beside me in the station?" "He was."

"And he was quite willing, I suppose, to give up the sample on condition that he might keep the other things." "Yes."

"That was very nice of him." "Was there anything else in the portemonnaie that you especially desired?"

"No; there were only the money, a few addresses and the lost with her possession I know, and the other samples I don't care for."

"The fellow seems quite willing to return everything except the money. He seems to have admired you."

"And yet he stole my portemonnaie!" "You are wrong in permitting him to go free; you are encouraging vice."

"Do you really think so?" "I do, indeed. I consider it my duty, being cognizant of his criminal act, to inform the police of it."

"And would he have to go to jail?" "She raised her eyes to Meriweather's pityingly. He would have liked to take her in his arms and confess that he was chaffing her, but that time had not yet come."

"Yes; he would have to go to jail, and that would surely make a criminal of him for life."

bring the penitent with him. Nevertheless, it required several more calls, each lasting from two to three hours, before the gentleman assured the lady that the criminal was ready to confess his fault and ask forgiveness.

Meanwhile, as may be supposed, other matters than this proposed reformation engaged Mr. Meriweather and Miss Deane. In fact, one evening after a visit that was productive of the most night Miss Deane consented that Mr. Meriweather should go to her father to ask for her hand.

The suitor, being an estimable gentleman and a good catch, received the required consent, and the couple became duly engaged.

A short time after the betrothal Mr. Meriweather announced to his fiancée that the next evening the penitent thief would call upon her to restore the remainder of the stolen property, listen to a lecture on his dishonesty and receive her forgiveness.

"When the appointed time came round there was a ring at the doorbell, and a man in an ulster, wearing a heavy beard and glasses, was admitted to the Deane residence. Miss Deane came down, and the stranger in a broken voice said:

"Pardon me for a miserable sinner." He bowed his head and writhed. "I have been told that this is your first criminal act," said the girl, "and I sincerely hope that it will prove your last. You may have a sweet heart, and think how glad you will make her by your reformation. You are forgiven."

The man threw off his ulster, tore away his beard and his glasses, and her lover stood before her. "The confession," he said, "comes after your forgiveness. You left your portemonnaie on the seat in the station, and I picked it up. I did so for an excuse to make your acquaintance and prolong the deception to win you."

Miss Deane stood thunderstruck for a few moments, then turned and was striding indignantly out of the room when the penitent caught her around the waist and held her despite her struggles to be free till she recovered something of her calmness.

"You have forgiven me?" cried her lover. "You can't go back on it." "But she did go back on it, and it was two long days before she repeated the forgiveness spoken to the supposed thief. She does not even now, ten years after the episode, refer to it pleasantly."

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An Apology. An excited military-looking gentleman entered the editorial sanctum one afternoon, exclaiming: "That notice of my death is false, sir. I will horsewhip you within an inch of your life, sir, if you don't apologize in your next issue."

Lottery Circulars Banned. The postoffice authorities are calling attention to the fact that circulars of foreign lotteries in Hungary and Denmark are passing through the mails.

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G. N. HOWDEN, D.D.S., L.D.S. Advertisement for a dental professional.

SOCIETIES. Court Lorne, No. 17 C.O.F. Advertisement for a social club.

GOOD SALESMAN WANTED. Advertisement for a sales position.

STONE & WELLINGTON Fonthill Nurseries advertisement for plants and landscaping.

OUR CLUBBING LIST. The Guide-Advocate and Weekly Star advertisement listing various publications.

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In Warwick, on Sunday, John Moffatt, aged 83, 18 days. In Enniskillen, on Thursday, Mary Duane, aged 87 years, 18 days. In Bosanquet, on Sunday, Annie M. Bowden, in hospital, 18 days. In Carleton, on New Year, John J. Davidson, age months and 17 days.

An exceedingly pretty place on January 7th at the home of Mrs. Jos. Eastbrook, when their only daughter was united in marriage to Doan, late of Vancouver, B.C. The bride, assisted by the bride, Miss Eva Watts, was played by Miss Eva Watts. The bride, beautifully gowned, was accompanied by her cousin, the bride, dress silk, made a charming little party. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. E. Dean, of Linton, the groom, under a perfectly tasteful green and white drawing room. After the guests, numbering fifty-five, the handsomely decorated, where a tempting repast was served. The presents were numerous. Guests were present from Bothwell, Inwood, Kerwood and Carson City, Mich.

Henry Hardy, of Mt. Beavie of Caradoc Township, from municipal life. For service, the old veteran has a record that is decidedly unique, having held office, on and off, in his ship during the past thirty-four years.

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By LILLIAN SHARPE

A young lady sat in a waiting room at a railway station watching the clock as its hands moved slowly toward the time of departure of her train. Presently she turned to a satchel on the seat beside her, placed it on her lap, opened it and took out her portemonnaie, which she laid in the place where her satchel had been.

A young man with curly Auburn hair and brown eyes was sitting at the other end of the seat and observed that the girl had forgotten to put her portemonnaie back into the satchel. He kept his eyes on her and it until suddenly a railroad official called.

"Train for Hampton!"  
The young lady started, glanced at the clock, saw that the hands stood at fifteen minutes before her train time, remembered that trains are opened to travelers some time before they leave and, grasping her satchel, hurried away. Seeing the words "Ticket Office" over a window, she remembered that she had forgotten to provide herself with a ticket and, turning aside, took position at the end of a line of several persons.

"If that isn't just like a woman!" said the young man with Auburn hair to himself, and, reaching for the portemonnaie, he put it in his pocket and followed her, taking position next to her in the line. When it came her turn to purchase a ticket she asked for one to Hampton, at the same time opening her satchel. First there was a quick movement of the top articles, then a plunge of the hand down into the bag, after this a convulsive stirring up of everything.

"Oh, heavens, I've been robbed!" said the young man behind her, and, taking out his wallet, he bought a ticket for her both one for himself. Then they both made room for those behind them.

"What shall I do?" wailed the girl.  
"You had better get aboard the train. You haven't time to investigate the loss of your portemonnaie, and it would probably avail nothing if you had. Was there much in it?"

"Only \$7.53, four postage stamps and some samples."  
"What exactness! I wish I could remember things like that. Never mind. I have advanced the amount for your ticket. You haven't lost very much. Good morning." And he lifted his hat deferentially.

Now, the young man knew very well the girl would not let him go without asking his address that she might return his loan. She asked him for it, and he said that it would be more convenient for him to give it to her in the train, so the two went on.

He handed her on to the car, took a seat beside her and, producing a card bearing his name, Nathaniel Meriweather, wrote his address on it and handed it to her.  
"Why, you live in Hampton?" she exclaimed.

"I don't live there, but I am going there."  
"That he was going there was perfectly true, but when he had entered the station he had just left he had no such intention. He was going to his home, fifty miles beyond."

"But you have given your street and number there."  
"That's the address of a friend."  
The girl put the card in her satchel, and Mr. Meriweather took up the matter of the lost portemonnaie.

"Was any one," he asked, "near you while you were in the station?"  
"No one near enough to get possession of anything that belonged to me. Now, I think of it, some one was sitting on the other end of the bench while I was waiting for the train."  
"Man or woman?"  
"I think it was a man."  
"Did you take out your portemonnaie while he was there?"

"Yes, I did. I tired of waiting and took out the magazine. She still held it in her hand. 'To do so I was obliged to remove the portemonnaie and some other things which I laid beside me. After getting out the magazine I put them all back again into the bag.' 'Are you sure you put them all back?'  
"Perfectly."  
"Then there can be no doubt about the matter. The man who sat beside

you must have been an expert at sleight of hand and contrived to get your pocketbook away from you. I was in the station and saw a man sitting beside you."  
"How careless of me! Could you identify the man?"  
"I think I could."  
"What was he like?"  
"Well, he was not a very attractive looking person, but I wouldn't have taken him for a thief."  
"Did you notice his features?"  
"I noticed one feature. He was a red-headed chap."  
The young lady cast a side glance at her companion's hair.

"Anything else?" she asked.  
"Nothing special. He was looking at you admiringly. I wonder that he stole from you."  
A girl can't help being pleased at admiration even from a thief. The young lady instinctively put her hand to her back hair.

Not long after this, when the train was nearing Hampton, Mr. Meriweather thought it better that he should have the young lady's address; he might meet the man who he declared had stolen her pocketbook and if he did it would be essential that he communicate with her. She gave him her name, Alice Deane, and her address. When Hampton was reached Mr. Meriweather handed Miss Deane off the train, and they parted. The next day the former received from the latter the amount he had expended for her ticket.

Within a week Mr. Meriweather wrote Miss Deane that he had seen the man who sat beside her in the station, had shadowed him and learned where he lived. Should he have the fellow arrested? Miss Deane replied that if Mr. Meriweather could induce the thief to return a sample of ribbon there was in the pocketbook he was welcome to the rest of the contents. The next day Mr. Meriweather rang the doorbell of Miss Deane's home and sent up his card. She came down to receive him becomingly dressed, and as she entered the room he held out the missing sample. She received it with some surprise.

"So the man who stole my portemonnaie," she said, "was he who sat beside me in the station?"  
"He was."  
"And he was quite willing, I suppose, to give up the sample on condition that he might keep the other things."  
"Yes."  
"That was very nice of him."  
"Was there anything else in the portemonnaie that you especially desired?"  
"No; there were only the money, a few addresses and the samples. The addresses I know, and the other samples I don't care for."  
"The fellow seems quite willing to return everything except the money. He seems to have admired you."  
"And yet he stole my portemonnaie!"  
"You are wrong in permitting him to go free; you are encouraging vice."  
"Do you really think so?"  
"I do, indeed. I consider it my duty, being cognizant of his criminal act, to inform the police of it."  
"And would he have to go to jail?"  
She raised her eyes to Meriweather's pityingly. He would have liked to take her in his arms and confess that he was chaffing her, but that time had not yet come.  
"Yes; he would have to go to jail, and that would surely make a criminal of him for life."  
"Don't do it."  
"How would it do for him to come to you, confess his crime, restore the other articles and throw himself on your mercy? You could tell him how wicked he had been and picture to him his end if he continued in crime. Then you could forgive him, and he might hereafter live a blameless life."  
"I think that would do very nicely. It would be infinitely preferable to sending him to jail."  
Mr. Meriweather left after a two hours' visit, promising to propose the plan he had suggested to the thief and ask if he would consent to make restitution and ask forgiveness. Miss Deane was advised of the result.  
A few days later Mr. Meriweather called and handed Miss Deane the money that had been lost with her portemonnaie, saying that the heart of the thief was slowly softening and he thought that if he could be taken under her influence he might yet make a man of himself. There was another two hours' chat, after which Mr. Meriweather departed, intimating that he expected the next time he came to

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bring the penitent with him. Nevertheless, he required several more calls, each lasting from two to three hours, before the gentleman assured the lady that the criminal was ready to confess his fault and ask forgiveness.  
Meanwhile, as may be supposed, other matters than this proposed reformation engaged Mr. Meriweather and Miss Deane.  
One day, when she was out for a visit to her mother, she met a young man who she recognized as the night Miss Deane had seen in the station. She asked him to call for her and she would have an estimable catch, receive and the couple would call upon the remainder of the lecture on the subject of her forgotten time at the door, wearing glasses, was admitted. Miss Deane the stranger in the first criminal act I sincerely hope your last. You heart, and think make her by you are forgiven."  
The man threw away his beard and her lover stood by.  
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If a hog misses a feed watch him. If he misses the second feed remove him from the herd and thoroughly disinfect where he has been.

The farmer who is raising hogs even for market purposes can well afford to pay the price of a registered sire in the improvement which it will bring to the later litters.

**HOGS AFTER STEERS.**

Swine Utilize Much Grain That Would Otherwise Be Lost.

In an experiment the Michigan station found that of whole corn fed to dairy cows 26 per cent showed up in the manure in no way changed by the digestive juices of the cow's stomach, writes C. J. Griffing in the Iowa Homestead. Some of the kernels were so little affected by the digestive juices as to actually sprout. In another test 12 per cent of the oats fed to another bunch of cows reappeared in the manure. An analysis was taken and it showed that the cows took no nutriment from these grains in either case. Now, if a dairy cow on moderate rations would waste that much grain, steers that are being fed a forcing ration will probably waste more.

We always allow a few hogs to work over the manure from the steers, and when these hogs are ready for market they have been maintained on the side as a byproduct of the steer industry, as it were, since at no time do they receive any other grain.

For our brood sows we would not think of such a method, since they like to lie down so much and usually select the fermenting manure heaps as a bed. There is danger, too, of their being stepped on by other stock. When they lie upon the manure it heats them, and when they get up they are chilled through and through. This is not the best way of promoting good health and strong litters. Besides, the ration is not the right kind for a brood sow.

Pigs are usually working around and do not lie on the manure like the brood sows do. There is such a little margin in feeding steers that at times profits would be absolutely missing if it were not for these hogs converting an otherwise waste material into a salable product.

**THE HORSE'S HOOF.**

It Pays to Watch For Evidence of Lameness From Shoeing.

You may groom your horse until his coat shines like a mirror, but if his feet are neglected the animal will soon become worthless, says Rural Farmer. Draft horses are especially liable to have poor feet if proper care is not given. They do almost all of their hard work at the walking gait.

The feet should always be set down squarely and firmly and lifted quickly and evenly.

Stand back of your horse and see if when walking the soles of the feet turn up and you see the shoes plainly.

The fore feet of draft horses are often poor. Watch them closely. The ideal foot has beauty and it shows strength.

The hoof should be large, sound, smooth and symmetrical. The color counts for little. The horn should be smooth, waxy looking and free from ridges or cracks. The coronets should be open, prominent and wide at the heels. The sole must never be flat or bulging, but slightly cupped. The frog—and this is very important—must be large, elastic, healthy and without a deep cleft.

Go to a blacksmith that understands his business. Make him fit the shoes to the feet. Almost every horse must be treated in a different way.

Watch the feet. If you observe the horse trying to save them in any way or limping have them attended to at once.

**Indian Trapper Eaten by Wolves in North**

Port Arthur, Jan. 8.—Word has just reached here of a fierce battle with a pack of wolves in which Peter Nigosh, an Indian trapper, was killed in the Lake of the Woods country on Sunday.

The encounter occurred near the Canadian boundary, a few miles from War Road on the Canadian Northern Railway. Nigosh was returning from his traps, a few miles up the lake, when he was suddenly attacked by the wolves. He had not time to scale the nearest tree, and had only a long hunting knife to protect him. The pack closed in on him and one after another he slew them with his weapon until nine were dead at his feet. Then, exhausted from his efforts he fell an easy prey to the survivors of the pack.

On Monday relatives began a search, and early Tuesday morning they discovered the spot where the battle took place, but the only trace of the Indian was his bones stripped clean of flesh.

The nine dead wolves were partly devoured. Wolves are exceptionally numerous in that neighborhood this winter. Because of the absence of snow they are unable to track and kill the deer, and are made fierce and bold by hunger.

**Things Not Generally Known**

Ozon—A substance discovered by Schonbein. It occasionally exists in the atmosphere and has a peculiar odor produced by the repeated discharge of electric sparks through the air. It is supposed to be an allotropic form of oxygen.

Shanghai—A slang term used to connote the practice of kidnapping sailors for service on board ships which probably took its rise or first became notorious in the city of this name. San Francisco is notorious for this species of slavery, although in other cities on the Canadian Pacific coast instances of this practice are not unknown. Occasionally a resident of a coast city who is not a seaman disappears and perhaps is heard from in some out of the way port, telling a story of being kidnapped and made to serve on the sea.

**Clearing House**

The place where there is carried on clearing off balances and adjusting daily accounts between bankers of the same city; thus avoiding the inconvenience of handling large amounts in currency or convertible paper. Each bank sends a clerk to the clearing house who draws up an abstract of the checks upon other firms, and makes a clearance by exchanging them against these drawn on the bank to which he belongs. The balance is paid over in cash. In England the railway companies as well as the banks make use of the clearing house.

**Mount McKinley**

Situated in Alaska and the tallest peak in the United States, being 20,464 feet high. Its summit is plainly visible on clear days for a distance of one hundred and twenty miles. It was recently scaled by an Alaskan clergyman.

**Looking Back Over 1913**

Well, taking a backward look what kind of a year has it been with you, brother? Have you done anything to make the community better in which you live? How many people whom you have met during the year are better men and women because you have met them? Have you conducted your business squarely and given honest weight and full measure in every instance, or did you try to "do" somebody just because you had a chance, and thought nobody would ever find it out?

Makes you feel mighty small doesn't it—if you have done any such underhanded work? If you haven't then you can probably look back to a happy and eventful year, satisfied that you have done your best and that nobody can point the finger of scorn at you and call you mean, dishonest or a trickster. And that is the kind of a year that pays.

**For Cigarette Smokers**

Director Porter is guilty of but little exaggeration when he declares that "every criminal and every degenerate is a cigarette fiend." The statistics support him, for 75 per cent of all the boys sent to the House of Correction in 1911 and 12 were addicted to the cigarette habit, and records kept by Judge Carey, of New York, show that 95 per cent of the boys who came before him for trial were victims of the insidious practice of smoking tobacco wrapped in paper.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

**Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA**

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New York Express, 2 ..... 3 00 p.m.  
Accommodation, 112 ..... 5 16 p.m.  
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**A License to Drink**

From the Ottawa Journal.

Why not make a man take out a license to drink? Pay \$5 for it, and have the Government take away his license if he indulges not wisely, but too well. Make him show the license if he is found buying after hours. This would be limiting the liquor traffic and regulating it right down to the minute. In connection with the treating system, for instance, just imagine a friend calling out to you, "Come on in and have a drink," while you would be forced to reply: "Sorry, old scout, but I haven't a license."

**Dad's Dope**

A new Montreal paper proposes to deliver its first edition in Ottawa by aeroplane. It ought to contain all the current news.

As a remedy for the high cost of eggs it has been suggested that the hen be crossed with the owl so that she can see to work nights.

The London psychologist who asserts that men are more emotional than women may have arrived at this conclusion after watching the actions of a group of fans in front of a baseball bulletin board.

A New Jersey judge rules that a man is not drunk who can tell his own name and where he lives. For the purpose of refreshing the memory, a name and address card in the vest pocket is sometimes a great convenience.

When Colonel Roosevelt returns from his South American trip an annex will have to be built to the Smithsonian Institute to house his natural history collection.

Wearing loud red colors is recommended as a cure for laziness. Crossing a field where a cross bull is grazing or interrupting a turkey gobble while at luncheon will give a practical demonstration of its effectiveness.

A professor in Manchester University claims to have discovered a process which renders garments absolutely non-combustible. If he can now invent something that will prevent trousers from bagging at the knees and shirtwaists from wrinkling no more can reasonably be expected of him.

In the obituary of a Toronto physician it was mentioned that he was an excellent carpenter. Proficiency in this vocation would be of assistance in his surgical work.

As a first aid to matrimony the reputation of being a good cook gets results where mere beauty fails. Winning prizes for cooking and sewing at the Washington State Fair, brought a North Yakima girl a deluge of matrimonial offers.

An old church near Paris was sold the other day for \$4.20. This is about four dollars more than the collection at a "men's mid-week service."

A Winnipeg man borrowed the coat man's scales to weigh his first born. He was surprised and exultant when it registered twenty-five pounds.

**Equal parts of soda, flour and vinegar made into paste and applied to the interior of a silver teapot for a few hours, will renew its brilliancy.**

**Chinchillas, valuable fur-bearing animals which inhabit high mountains in Chili, have been imported into England for breeding experiments on a farm.**

**Postoffice officials complain of the large number of letters that fail to reach their destination on account of being carelessly or improperly addressed. It is noticeable that communications from bank managers and other reminders of indebtedness are remarkably free from this objectionable feature.**

**A "beauty parlor" for men has been opened in Baltimore. The average male countenance offers rare material for an expert decorator and rejuvenator.**

**Asthma Doesn't Wear Off Alone. Do not make the mistake of waiting for asthma to wear away by itself. While you are waiting the disease is surely gathering a stronger foothold and you live in danger of stronger and yet stronger attacks. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy taken early, will prevent incipient condition from becoming chronic and saves hours of awful suffering.**

**A Chicago firm has issued a book entitled "The Secrets of Sausage Making," not bound in calf. A sequel revealing the mysteries of chop suey would be another good seller.**

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**Our worries would be few if it were not for the things that never happen.**



# January Clearance

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off all Men's and Boys' Clothing, including Overcoats, Suits and Odd Trousers.
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off Women's, Misses' and Children's Coats or Suits.
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UNDER THE AUSPICES OF  
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WILL BE HELD IN  
**VICTORIA HALL, PETROLEA**  
**JANUARY 28th AND 29th**  
**\$500 - IN PRIZES - \$500**  
CORN GROWING, ALFALFA CULTURE, UNDERDRAINAGE, GOOD ROADS, HYDRO ELECTRIC, HYDRO RADIAL and other questions of interest to the County of Lambton will be discussed by men prominent in these affairs.  
**PUBLIC MEETING AFTERNOON AND EVENING OF EACH DAY.**  
For Prize List and full particulars apply to the Secretary,  
**C. G. BRAMHILL, Sec.,** **CHAS. M. FLECK,**  
Department of Agriculture, President,  
Petrolea, Ont. Corunna, Ont.

**EXECUTOR'S SALE**  
OF  
**Valuable Village Property**  
The undersigned executor of Wallace Taylor estate will offer for sale by public auction at the Roche House, in Watford, on  
**SATURDAY, JANUARY 31st, 1914**  
at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, the following property, namely:—  
Village lot number eleven, on the north side of Rachel street in the village of Watford, upon which is erected a good frame house in good repair, frame woodshed and nice frame stable. The property will be sold subject to a reserved bid.  
Terms:—\$100.00 down or day of sale and the balance without interest in 15 days thereafter, which house can be examined on application to the executor.  
**J. F. ELLIOT,** **E. MCGILLICUDDY,**  
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**D. A. McLACHLAN - PRINCIPAL.**

**Golden Wedding Celebration**  
On January 7th, 1914, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Greer, Brooke, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage, which happy event took place in St. Paul's Cathedral, London, Ont., on January 7th, 1864, the ceremony being performed by Bishop Cronyn in the presence of six of the immediate relatives and friends, all of whom are now numbered with the silent dead.  
At the celebration on Wednesday last all the grandchildren, fourteen in number, were present, and seven out of nine of the children—the two absent ones being Edward, of Saskatoon, and Harry, of Imperial, Sask.  
The most important feature of the celebration was the luncheon, which was served at 2 p. m. The diningroom was tastefully decorated in white and gold for the occasion, and the family, relatives and friends, to the number of fifty, partook of the good things provided for the occasion. At the close of the luncheon, when the wine and wedding cake were served, Dr. Kelly proposed a toast to the bride and groom, and by a few well-chosen remarks reviewed the change and progress that had been witnessed during the last fifty years. Rev. S. P. Irwin then gave a short sketch of that other wedding day fifty years ago, referring to the absent ones and expressing a wish that the aged couple might live to celebrate their diamond wedding ten years hence. He also gave them as a motto the promise, "In the evening of life, it shall be light." There followed short addresses from all the leading gentlemen present, each testifying to the integrity and worth of the bride and groom, and expressing pleasure at being present on this occasion. One of the guests, Mr. James Glass, was the only one present who was also present at the reception tendered the bridegroom fifty years ago.  
During the evening many old friends of the family called to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Greer and wish them many more years of prosperity and happiness. Many letters and telegrams of congratulation were received and also numerous beautiful and useful presents.

**The County Council**  
The following reeves and deputy reeves form Lambton County Council for the year 1914:  
Alvinston—John McCallum.  
Arkona—J. C. Jaynes.  
Rosanquet—D. F. McLintyre.  
Brooke—W. A. Annett and W. J. Bourne.  
Courtright—Jas. T. Whitsitt.  
Dawn—Henry Dawson and Andrew McGuire.  
Euphemia—G. A. Annett.  
Euniskillen—T. Simpson and F. E. Steadman.  
Forest—Dr. Chalk.  
Moore—D. F. Shaw and John E. McBean.  
Oil Springs—John H. Anderson.  
Petrolea—Dr. C. O. Fairbank and W. Burgess.  
Point Edward—Dr. MacLaren.  
Plympton—Jas. S. McLean and Samuel Bailey.  
Sarnia Town—Dr. W. A. Henderson, George D. Kirby, W. J. Proctor, John Ferguson.  
Sarnia Township—Neil Grant and James Bowles.  
Theford—J. B. Woodhall.  
Warwick—W. G. Hall and A. Hobbs.  
Watford—S. Stableford.  
Wyoming—J. M. Wilson.  
County Council meets at Sarnia, on Tuesday, January 27th. A number of names are mentioned as possible candidates for the Warden's Chair, among them being W. G. Hall, of Warwick, Dr. Fairbank, Petrolea, G. A. Annett, of Euphemia, and others, but it is idle to speculate till the Council meets.

**Lambton Corn Exhibition**  
Mr. Corn Grower—Attention Please.  
Lambton County Corn Growers Association is holding their first Annual Exhibition in Petrolea on January 28 and 29. Through the appreciation of the value of this movement by the County Council, Township Councils and various firms and individuals throughout the county a prize list has been prepared which is worthy of the name of the County of Lambton. Every farmer in the County of Lambton who has saved seed corn should secure a copy of this prize list and prepare to send in an exhibit to Petrolea.

**KERWOOD.**  
Mr. Fred Cook and Mr. Leacock spent Sunday in Alvinston.  
Mr. Willard Humphries and family have moved into the village.  
Miss Lella Dowling, Arkona, is visiting at Mr. Gilbert Dowling's.  
Miss Rita Horton has returned to St. Thomas after spending a couple of weeks at her old home here.  
We are glad to see that Miss Ella Waddell is able to be around again after being confined to her home by a severe attack of quinsy.  
The Kerwood branch of the Women's Institute will meet in the I. O. O. F. Hall, January 21st. Roll call will be answered to by New Year Resolutions. A paper "Why should our homes be open to the young men of our village?" by Mrs. W. Dymond; Recipes and preparations of puddings by Mrs. J. C. Beer; Music by Mrs. (Dr.) Eckel. A hearty invitation is extended to all.

## Fenway Dutch Cocoa

Grown in Venezuela; Prepared in Holland, and sold at the Rexall Stores.  
Just to get you acquainted with the good qualities of FENWAY COCOA we are going to hand out a limited number of small sample tins on Saturday, January 17th, to ladies only. Call early as we only have one hundred samples.

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**PRICE LIST**

Prime Roast Beef.....15 and 16c	Trimmed Pork Shoulders.....15c
Choice Pot Roasts.....13c	Special Prices on Sides of Pork
Rib Boiling Beef.....11c	
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Sirloin Steak.....18c	Special Brand Spice Roll.....18c
Round Steak.....18c	Select Breakfast Bacon.....24c
Shoulder Steak.....17c	Star Brand Back Bacon.....28c
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## LOCAL HAPPENING

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

THE sleighing is excellent. BIG blanket sale.—SWIFTS'.  
MAKE your groundhog guesses early. THESE days are lengthening from three minutes daily.  
C. S. KERRON is acting G. T. R. during Mr. VERNON'S absence.  
THE Council has appointed Johnston Chief of the Fire Department.  
PRE-INVENTORY stock taking is full blast. Remnants and clearing in every department.—A. BROWN.  
Mr. J. BUSCH had his hand crushed in one of the machines. Wire Works, Saturday.  
FOREST municipal officers get good pay. The clerk receives \$25 auditors \$25 each, the treasurer \$10 the medical health officer \$60.  
A COON was discovered in a log by Saunders mill this week, having named in its hole while the tree was being cut and the log brought to town.  
COUNTY Judge McWatt will from the judgment of Mr. Justice L. in the assessment case of the against the well-known county judge.  
BIG Carpet Sale at SWIFTS'.  
TAPSTRY, Brussels and Wilton TAPSTRY for constable for 1914 received by the Clerk in London Wednesday inst. Duties to be performed at Clerk's office.—W. S. P. CLERK.  
THE Philomet Quartette attracted crowds to the services in the Methodist Church last Sunday morning, singing and at Zion in the afternoon, are fine singers.  
It will be noticed by the minute the Watford Council that all the men will attend the Corn Growers' Exhibition at Petrolea next Wednesday to Hydro-Electric display.  
CASH is your best friend at SWIFTS'.  
THE night operator at the G. was cleaning his revolver Thursday night and the cartridge exploded and had a close call from an accident.  
Bullet made a hole in one of the boots of LORD STRATTON, high commissioner of Canada, died in London Wednesday morning in his 94th year. He will only a week and passed away peacefully as high commissioner in 1896.  
On account of the severe state of weather, the installation of officer Court Lorne, C. O. F. was postponed till next Tuesday evening. A good out of members is requested for meeting.  
"DOMESTIC" vacuum cleaners are cheapest at best. A child can use and we guarantee them.—A. BROWN.  
A horse dispute occupied the attention of the Division Court here on Friday some time. F. Restorick was the plaintiff and Albert Blain the defendant. On hearing the evidence the Judge dismissed the case without costs.  
MR. JOSEPH OWENS died in London Tuesday last, 20th inst., after lengthened illness. The funeral place on Thursday from his residence 129 Inkerman street, to Woodland cemetery. He leaves no children.  
ODD pieces and fur sets, big display.—SWIFTS' SALE.  
MR. R. BUCHANAN, lecturer at H. College, London, filled Rev. S. P. Irwin's appointments on Sunday last. His dictation was much admired by those heard his sermon in Trinity church the evening.  
As we have to pay advance postage all papers to the U. S., it is impossible that U. S. subscribers pay promptly. A few are a little slow. They please take this hint. Look at label on your paper.  
ANY person interested in automobile should remember Ray Morningstar, Arkona, is agent for the celebrated cars, one of the best makes on the market. The Model T touring car can be had for \$650 on easy terms.  
MEN'S and women's heavy coats, fur collars at manufacturer's price.—SWIFTS' SALE.  
THERE are few towns where the sleighing is so good as here. Present a more pleasing appearance and such pride is certainly commendable. That is not all. They carry clean stocks, for fair dealing, dignified patronage from the surrounding territory.  
THE tango is getting its bumps. Dope has put his ban on it, and all Ontario this freak dance has met its end. Courtright Masons have put ban on the tango and this questionable dance was not permitted at the last in our own armory. And so it goes along the line.  
AN exchange gives an illustration follows: A doctor bet a man a doll could not get a billiard ball into mouth. The man won the bet, but the doctor got \$15 to get it out. Another form of advertising with the results the same as usual, the advertiser spends one dollar and gets \$15 in return.