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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

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ARBOR DAY.

SAMPLE Hat Sale at SWIFT'S.

Get off the sidewalk; you might interrupt somebody's bicycle ride.

MEMBERS of the C. E. F. travelling in uniform can now secure half-rate fares on the railways.

GET your lawn mower into shape. There will be lots of work for it after the war.

IT'S a poor brand of religion that doesn't cause a man to try to treat his neighbors decently.

NO HYDRO radial roads will be built in Ontario until after the war. So the Ontario Government has decided.

WHILE many of the surrounding towns have been overrun with measles, Watford has been free from the disease so far.

BIG Hat Week at SWIFT'S. Men's hats, boys' hats, new shapes.

THE teachers who have been spending the Easter holidays at their respective homes here returned to their duties on Monday.

SACRAMENT of the Lord's supper will be administered in the Methodist church at the close of the morning service next Sunday.

THE Learnington Post-News has extended upon its forty-second year of publication. It is a good, readable paper and deserves success.

A NUMBER of bars in Ontario closed for good last Saturday night. The rest of them have four and one half months more to get rid of their stock in trade.

THOSE English Tommies who have married French lassies, unable to speak a few words of English, are the lucky lads.

ONCE again the spring housecleaning worries are with us. With clean curtains up, we are told to go to the coal bin to smoke.

SIR ROBERT BORDEN, acting minister of militia, has announced that boys under 18 years who enlist will not be kept in the ranks.

BUY your dress goods at SWIFT'S.—New shades.

THERE will be a celebration of the Holy Communion in Trinity Church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Sermon for young people. Usual service in the evening.

OF THE twenty-six players in the 149th Batt, brass band, now stationed at Sarnia, seven of that number are printers, and two of these are from the Guide-Advocate office.

A SPECIAL musical service was held in the Methodist Church on Sunday evening last, when anthems were given by the choir. Mrs. Gunter, Denver, Col., rendered a solo in fine voice.

LIEUT. ERNEST W. LAWRENCE left Barrie with the 76th Batt. for overseas on April 20th and arrived in Halifax the following Sunday. Word received by his mother at Barrie says that everything is going quite smoothly.

E. R. LAWLOR, Hydro Commission engineer, when in Forest last week, stated to the Mayor and Utilities Commission that he was not in a position to say just when the service would be extended, because of the shortage of material and help.

SOLDIERS, have your pictures made in colors in the good old khaki, and leave to your mothers, wives, sisters and sweet hearts. Anyone who wishes to procure a picture of the late Dr. Kelly in uniform, in khaki, can do so by calling at MISS NISBETT'S Studio, Main St., over Fitzgerald's law office. m3-4f

THE following quotations on old newspapers, etc., have been received from E. Pullan, Toronto. Any kind of scrap paper, \$8 per ton; old newspapers, \$10 per ton; books and magazines, any kind, whether cloth or paper covered, \$20; household rags, any kind, 2c lb.; rubbers and rubber boots, 8c lb.

PROSPEROUS towns mean greatly increased value for the farms in their vicinity. The larger the town the more valuable the farm property within reasonable reach. That is one of the many reasons why it pays the farmer to help to build up his home town. The interests of town and country are mutual, but too often this fact is not realized.

MR. E. R. LAWLOR, one of the engineers of the Hydro commission, was here on Tuesday and Wednesday surveying the town with the object of making plans and estimates of cost of installing Hydro. He will, in the course of a few weeks, submit his report to the council giving full particulars of probable cost of power and installation for Watford.

CREAM CURTAINS 2½ long. \$1.00 a set.—SWIFT'S.

THE Olympic, upon which Miss R. P. Reed of Watford, one of the Nursing Sisters, sailed, had a narrow escape from being sunk by submarines. An Italian cruiser taken for the Olympic was sunk ahead of her. The trip was made in six days and was an exciting one for the nurses, but they are now safely settled in Orpington and during their spare time scan the sky for zeppelins.

BUY your linen this month at SWIFT'S. APPARENTLY the only result of seizing the Dublin post office was the capture of a big bag of males.

WE should have thought that German sausage and Irish stew would be clearly an indigestible mixture.

THE mid-week half holiday will be observed in Watford this summer commencing on Wednesday, June 7th.

SAV what you will against women, statistics go to prove that half our parents have been women.

WEDNESDAY'S casualty list reports Pte. Walter Deller of Petrolia killed in action or died of injuries on April 20th.

WITH the prices of rags and papers taking upward flights, the legend of the Golden Dustman will soon be fact.

A NUMBER of Watford Masons go to Forest this afternoon to attend the Lodge of Instruction for the district.

WHITE wash skirts, duck, repp and bedford, \$1.00 to \$2.00.—SWIFT'S.

C. COMPANY 149 will start on a route march to Sarnia next Monday unless other arrangements are made before that time.

THE cost of living has gone up, says the government labor bureau. Guess everyone knows this without being told officially.

THE football match between Sarnia and the machine gun team on Monday afternoon on Boughner's lot resulted in a score of 3 to 1 in favor of Watford.

G. HOLLINGSWORTH has sold his house on John st. to T. McCausland and has purchased from E. S. Phelps the premises on the corner of John and Victoria streets.

C. COMPANY of Lambtons 149 will attend divine service in the Presbyterian Church, Watford, on Sunday morning next.

PARADE from the armory at the usual hour.

MR. S. J. SAUNDERS has sold his residence on John street to Rev. E. H. Sawers of Port Elgin, who has decided to locate here. We understand Mr. Saunders will build a smaller house on the adjoining lot.

THERE was a fair sized audience at the 149 minstrel show on Monday evening. The program presented was pretty well carried out and the different numbers were well taken. It was quite an enjoyable entertainment.

A GOVERNMENT report of the average price per bushel of British wheat for the 15 years between 1890 and 1915 shows that the lowest price was in 1894, when it was only 68 cents. The highest price was in 1912 when \$3.86 was reached.

THE Wednesday half holiday will be observed by the merchants of Watford this summer as before, commencing on Wednesday, June 7th, and continuing until the end of August. Make a note of this and do your shopping in the morning. m3-4f

RIDGETOWN oiled its streets last year and the work was so satisfactory that the Dominion is advocating its use again this year. They have found out a thing or two about oil, and one is that the side streets do not need so much as those that are constantly in use; the other that three applications per season should be given instead of only two.

It may interest our readers to learn that Sir Max Aitkin's splendid book, entitled "Canada in Flanders," an official history of the Canadian army and its battles, has already had a sale in Canada of 42,000 copies, a record for any book in Canada. The chapter on the battle of Givency mentions the brave deeds of several of the boys who left Watford with the first contingent.

A MEETING of business men and others was held in the Armory on Thursday evening last to talk Hydro. Town Clerk Fuller occupied the chair and read the correspondence between the Hydro Commission and the Council, which up to that time had not resulted in bringing an engineer of the Commission to town to discuss the matter with the Council. The Reeve also explained how he had tried to secure the presence of one of the Hydro engineers but so far had not been successful. After some discussion a motion was carried to have a citizens' committee appointed to work with the council with a view of expediting the matter, and the following gentlemen were named to act in that capacity:—E. A. Brown, F. Taylor, W. H. Harper, Dr. Howden, S. Stapleford and W. Bates.

THE anniversary services in Trinity church last Sunday were of a cheerful character. At the morning service over 80 members of C. Company Lambtons 149 attended in a body. The special preacher for the day was Rev. Canon R. S. W. Howard of Chatham, chaplain of the 91st regiment. His morning discourse was an Easter sermon from the text I Cor. 15-3, and was a clear and comprehensive description of the origin and founding of the Christian church. At the evening service the subject was the eternal, immortal and invisible God. Although a special offering was not asked, good collections were taken up at both services. On the Monday evening the ladies served tea in the school room and despite the rain the affair was well patronized.

AFTER the Hydro meeting in the Armory on Thursday evening, Mr. A. R. Brown, advertising manager for Lambtons 149, and Capt. Stapleford, addressed those present on the matter of Watford providing its share of the funds necessary for recruiting expenses. They explained what had been done by other places and

TO THE BUSINESS MEN AND CITIZENS OF WATFORD.

I wish to express my very sincere appreciation of your recent subscriptions to the Regimental Funds of Lambtons 149. These donations will be used to the best possible advantage in furthering the interests of the Battalion. Kindly accept my very best thanks.

Yours sincerely,

O. C. Lambtons 149.

felt sure that Watford would not be behind in the matter. On motion a committee was named to interview the business men of the place the following day, and afterwards to present the matter to the council. The canvass resulted in about \$200 being subscribed, and on Monday evening the council made a grant of \$100, thus placing Watford on a level with other places its size. A large amount of money has been spent by the battalion during the past four months. It is Lambton's own battalion and the municipalities should see that the officers are not hampered for means to carry on the work.

The regular meeting of the Watford Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. J. Bambridge on Wednesday evening, next, May 10th at 8 o'clock. Members requested to be present.

The regular weekly meeting of the Patriotic Society was held in the Lyceum Wednesday afternoon. The Pres. occupied the chair. The packing committee reported the shipping of two bales to the Serbian Relief Fund in London. The bale of new goods contained 7 quilts, 8 small boys suits, 3 small boys shirts, 5 small boys rompers, 9 pr. pants, 15 kimonos, 15 aprons, 3 women dresses, 28 undergarments for children, 15 towels, 6 large handkerchiefs. The bale of second hand clothing contained 23 ladies coats, 2 sweater coats, 2 dressing gowns, 15 skirts, 14 waists, 4 dresses, 9 dresses and middles, 8 men's coats. The Treasurer reported \$14 on hand. The Society will meet every Wednesday afternoon until the war ends and sewing will be done. Everyone is cordially invited to come and assist in this patriotic and most necessary work.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. W. Cooke and son Roy, visited relatives in Detroit last week.

Miss Helena Roche has returned to the Canadian army and is wintering with her uncle, Mr. D. Roche.

Miss Loretta Roche has returned to Toronto after spending her Easter vacation with her parents.

Mrs. Henry Conn, Sarnia, spent a few days this week in Watford, the guest of Mrs. Connolly.

Charles Phelps left on Sunday for Toronto, where he has secured a position as bookkeeper in Swifts Can. Comp.

Mrs. J. M. MacKay, Galt, after spending the holidays with her parents, returned to her home in Galt, where she is assisted by her sister, Miss Lillian Humphries.

Mrs. Sgrune, Paris, Messrs. W. Willoughby, Ithaca, Mich.; Robert, Busnell, Ill., and Herbert, London, are here this week to be with their mother, Mrs. C. Willoughby who is critically ill.

Tecumseh Chapter, I. O. O. E.

The regular monthly meeting of Tecumseh Chapter, Daughters of the Empire, was held at the home of Mrs. E. D. Swift on Tuesday last, Mrs. A. G. Brown assisting. 18 members and 9 visitors were present. Regent presided. By next meeting the chapter will have ready for shipment a bale of very beautiful quilts for Serbians. After the many communications were read and debated and the reports of the different committees were gone through with, the following musical numbers were given, to the delight of all present: Mrs. Gunter sang in costume an Aria from Madame Butterfly entitled "One Fine Day"; piano duet, Mrs. Vail and Miss Jones; solo, Mrs. Gunter, "The Dove" by Shindler; piano solo, Miss T. Jones; Mrs. A. G. Brown, reading, "Queen of the Belgians." Tea was served in the library and dining room, beautiful cut flowers centered the tables. The singing of the National Anthem followed by the Women's National Anthem brought to a close a most enjoyable afternoon. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. Vail, Mrs. Newell assisting.

Stratroy young men are raising a fund to assist injured lumbermen.

Address and Presentation

A very enjoyable evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Roche, Saturday April 29, when about forty members of the Watford R. C. Church gathered to show their appreciation of the loyalty Privates Harry Murphy and Clara Roche, by presenting them with gold rosaries, signet rings and the following address:—

Watford Ont., April 29th, 1916.

TO PRIVATES MURPHY AND ROCHE:— We gathered here this evening to wish you God speed and to say farewell prior to your departure for overseas. We admire your courage and patriotism in responding to the call of the Empire and felt we could not let you depart without showing in some way our good will toward you and our kind wishes for the future. We ask you, therefore, to accept these rosaries and rings, as a slight token of our esteem. Trusting they will ever remind you of your many friends at home.

Signed on behalf of congregation—
Margaret Caughlin,
Jo. Gavigan.

The address was read by Miss Jo. Gavigan and the presentation made by Miss Margaret Caughlin.

Privates Murphy and Roche made very suitable replies. The evening was spent in music. Private Roche was served and the evening brought to a close by singing "Good Luck to the Boys of the Allies" and "God Save The King."

WARWICK.

Smith Bros., Warwick, will discontinue chopping till further notice.

The 6th line Red Cross Workers Union will meet at Mrs. T. Woods, on Wednesday May 10th.

Ed. Cundick has purchased a Ford touring car from Ray Morningstar the Watford dealer.

Sacrament of the Lord's supper will be administered at Zion Methodist church, 2nd line E., on Sunday afternoon next at 2.30.

A meeting of the Women's Patriotic League will be held at the home of Mrs. Robert McKenzie on Wednesday afternoon, May 10th. Everyone is cordially invited to be present.

The annual Sunday School Teachers' training examinations of the S. S. commission of the diocese of Huron was held at St. Mary's rectory, Warwick, on April 29th. The following students wrote on the appointed subjects: Misses N. Meyers, M. Archer, M. Barnes, M. Hawkins and N. Sutton. The subjects were: (1) The geography of the old and new testament world. (2) The institutions of the bible. (3) The methods of Sunday school work for home and foreign influence.

After a short holiday the Women's Patriotic League renewed work again with fresh vigor at the meeting held at the rectory. An enjoyable feature of the occasion was the singing of Miss Thornecroft who delighted the members with several selections given with a fresh, unforced manner. The Easter egg donations amounted to \$14.47; other collections \$16.50; total \$30.97. The bale packed for the C. R. C. contained 2 mattress covers, 2 pillows with cases and 7 grey flannel shirts. A pair of socks were shipped to Mrs. McPhedran, Toronto, who was delighted with them, and thinks the women must be progressive to turn out such excellent work. Also 1 coat, 1 child's dress, 2 infants' vests were sent to the Serbian relief.

BROOKE

There will be afternoon and evening service in Christ Church, Sutorville, next Sunday.

Divine service will be held in St. James' church, Brooke, on Sunday afternoon at 2.30.

The name of Edwin Kelly was omitted from the list of vestmen elected at St. James' church vestry meeting published last week.

Communion service will be held in the Walnut Methodist Church next Sabbath at 10.30 a. m. The official board will meet at the Brooke Parsonage on the following Monday at 2.30 p.m.

The annual meeting of the North Brooke Women's Institute will be held at the home of the Misses Runlie on May eleventh. There will be a paper—"Success from Different Standpoints", by Mrs. Howard Lett, Vice-President. Roll-call—Renew your membership. Members please try to be present as this is the day for the election of officers for the coming year.

KERWOOD

Mr. Richard Sedwick of California, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. A. Sheriff of Penatang, visited at George Bowie's this week. They are old schoolmates of Mr. Bowie's. Sedwick intends returning to his home in California soon.

The P. and E. Pawline has the honor of claiming probably two of the oldest residents in the County of Lambton. Mr. Jos. Hall Sr. and Mrs. Atkinson. The former in his 93rd year and the latter in her 92nd. Both are still active and performing a fair share of labor each day. So says the Wyoming paper.



LIEUT. R. H. TRENOUTH, LAMBTONS 149

The Rogers' House Closed

On Saturday evening at seven o'clock, Rogers' Hotel, Watford, closed its doors to the public. Mr. F. W. Rogers, who for the past eight years has leased the premises from his father, W. H. Rogers, did not accept the offer of the License Department to continue the license until September, but decided to close at the end of the license year, and the premises are now offered for sale or rent. And now around that heretofore busy corner everything is still. The blinds are down in the dining room where many a tasty repast has been served. In the bar the soldiers will no more be heard humming "Here's a Health to the King." The amber ale, the sparkling lager, the seductive gin fizz are no longer ranged along the polished mahogany, nor is the fizz of the syphon heard while disturbing the head of the G. & W. Special. The ringing of the cash register bell has been silenced; the curly locks of the wine clerk are seen no more at the polished window; the "thank you, sir," of the polite proprietor when marking off a traveller's account on the register, is a thing of the past. "John" views the locked stable door and sighs because there will be no more tips, and the boys in khaki pass on the other side of the street, almost on the double.

The Rogers' House was built in 1875 and on Jan. 1st, 1877, was purchased by Mr. W. H. Rogers, who conducted it as a licensed hotel until eight years ago, when he leased it to his son, Fred. The hotel has always been well conducted, and its patrons could always depend upon good accommodation, well served meals and pure liquors. The closing of the place will be a draw-back to the town as it was well patronized by the travelling public.

BORN

In Kingscourt, on Sunday, April 23rd, 1916, to Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McCormick a son.

In Warwick, on Saturday April 29th, 1916, the wife of John Jackson of a son—Clarence Irving Graham.

To Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Lawson of Wainstead, on Sunday April 23rd—a daughter.

MARRIED

At the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Williams, 2nd con. Caradoc, on April 20, George Evans Ridley, of Arkona, to Lila Mae Williams.

DIED.

In Bridgen April 28, Alexander Stewart, aged 80 years.

In Alvinston, on Wednesday, April 26th, 1916, Jane Mellis, relict of the late Henry Lovell, aged 64 years.

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—Mrs. J. N. MELT
Taylor & Son,

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were elected—Rector's Warden
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ST. MARY'S CHURCH, WARWICK.
A very successful and well attended
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SCHOOL REPORTS.

Report of S. S. No. 12, Warwick, for
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Class I.—Fred O'Neil 79, Archie
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tly.—MARTHA BARRITT, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 17 Warwick, for
1916. Percentage given. Class IV.—
Ella Gregory 85, Andrew Walsh
Lorena Fleming 65. Class III.—Sr.
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sh 83, Neil Gregory 78, Josephine
oll 55, Howard Smith 46, Charlie
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Class I.—Beatrice Walsh 68. Prim-
—Kenneth Laird 76.—GLADYS
APPELL, Teacher.

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and make your selection at
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The Rexall Store

AFTER SIX YEARS OF SUFFERING

Woman Made Well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Columbus, Ohio.—"I had almost given up. I had been sick for six years with female troubles and nervousness. I had a pain in my right side and could not eat anything without hurting my stomach. I could not drink cold water at all nor eat any kind of raw fruit, nor fresh meat nor chicken. From 178 pounds I went to 118 and would get so weak at times that I fell over. I began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and ten days later I could eat and it did not hurt my stomach. I have taken the medicine ever since and I feel like a new woman. I now weigh 127 pounds so you can see what it has done for me already. My husband says he knows your medicine has saved my life."—Mrs. J. S. BARLOW, 1624 South 4th St., Columbus, Ohio.



Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound contains just the virtues of roots and herbs needed to restore health and strength to the weakened organs of the body. That is why Mrs. Barlow, a chronic invalid, recovered so completely. It pays for women suffering from any female ailments to insist upon having Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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HARRIS & CO. PROPRIETORS.
WATFORD, MAY 5, 1916

NOTE AND COMMENT

"By the way, what has become of Mme. Schwimmer?" asked an exchange. Evidently she has been engulfed in the waters of oblivion, having got beyond her depth.

The breaking of diplomatic relations between the United States and Germany might result in releasing the hundreds of interned enemy ships in U. S. ports. This would be welcomed. Enemy subs, sinking their own vessels, too, might then become a feature of Germany's naval success.

Since the inception of the Patriotic Fund in Montreal there have been 800 maternity cases. Last week a widow of one of the soldiers gave birth to twins. The Government was awaiting the event before granting the pension; now it will be required to pay \$10 instead of \$5. Statistics compiled by the Fund executive show that there have been more births in the Montreal district than there have been lives lost of soldiers who went into the battle zone.

The first year's test of the Workmen's Compensation Act establishes this as one of the best measures ever introduced in this Province. The report of the Board shows that the assessment for the first year

MRS. MELTON'S LETTER

To Tired Worn-out Mothers

Jackson, Miss.—"I shall feel repaid for writing this letter if I can help any tired, worn-out mother or housekeeper to find health and strength as I have. "I have a family of five, sew, cook and do my housework and I became very much run-down in health. A friend asked me to try Vinol. I did so and now I am well and strong and my old time energy has been restored. Vinol has no superior as a tonic for worn-out, run-down, tired mothers or housekeepers."—Mrs. J. N. MELTON, Jackson, Miss.

Taylor & Son, Druggists, Watford.

more than covered the actual needs, and that as the result there will be a considerable reduction in the rates brought into effect for the present year in a number of classes of industries. One of the chief advantages shown in the actual operation of the Act has been the prompt payment to injured workmen and their families, some of the cheques being sent out within two or three days after the full particulars had been received. The cases dealt with numbered nearly ten thousand, and all these were settled without recourse in a single case to legal proceedings.

St. Thomas Times: A wise piece of legislation has just been passed at Toronto—a bill empowering municipalities to increase the poll tax on all male residents not paying land or income tax from the former maximum of \$1 to \$5. The tax is optional with the municipalities, and is collectable from the non-assessed over 21 years of age and under 60 years. The purpose of the bill, as explained by its sponsor, Mr. A. M. Rankin, M. P. P. for Frontenac is to reach the young men who are not property owners or income tax payers, but who are of age and enjoy most of the privileges of citizenship without assuming any financial responsibility except the ridiculously low poll tax of \$1—and many of them have in the past dodged even that. The movement for the right to increase the tax up to \$5 has been hastened by the war, with its added calls for funds for patriotic purposes.

\$100 Reward, \$100

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

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The Testing of Dairy Products

The price of success is attention to detail. This fact is distinctly emphasized in a bulletin recently issued by the Dairy and Cold Storage Branch of the Federal Department of Agriculture under the title of "The Testing of Milk, Cream and Dairy By-Products by means of the Babcock Test" and written by J. F. Singleton, Chief Inspector of Dairy Products. Without being profuse Mr. Singleton tells in plain language about all that is to be told of the practical application of the test, the care should be taken of the component parts of the apparatus, the measurements advisable and the methods that should be employed. The qualities naturally most emphasized are exactness, cleanliness and temperature. The Dairy Commissioner in his introduction says there is nothing fundamentally new in the bulletin but that the contents are presented with such a clearness of diction and the processes so aptly set forth that the result is a reliable handbook for those who value information on the testing of milk, cream and so on. A number of exact and plain illustrations lend additional worth to a notable bulletin, the number of which is 45 of the Dairy and Cold Storage Series and that can be had by post-free application to the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Certain morbid conditions must exist in the stomach and intestines to encourage worms, and they will exist as long as these morbid conditions permit them to. To be rid of them and spare the child suffering, use Miller's Worm Powders. They will correct the digestive irregularities by destroying the worms, conditions favorable to worms will disappear, and the child will have no more suffering from that cause.

To lessen the noise of a rubber hand stamp there has been patented a sound-deadening pad on which papers to be stamped can be placed.

The government of Holland is planning to establish direct wireless communication between the home country and the Dutch West Indies.

No one need endure the agony of corns with Holloway's Corn Cure at hand to remove them.

Obituary

George W. Partlow, a former resident of Walnut, who moved to Chapin, Mich., about 25 years ago, died on March 28th, 1916. The following notice from the Chapin paper will be of interest to many of the older settlers of Brooke:—

George W. Partlow was born July 9th, 1837, in the township of Malahide, County of Elgin, Ontario, and passed away at his home in Chapin March 28, 1916, aged 78 years, 8 months and 19 days. At the age of eleven he with five other children were left fatherless.

At the age of 23 he was married to Hannah A. Crane of the same neighborhood and moved onto a farm near Sarnia, Ontario. To this union was born two sons and one daughter, who passed away in 1894. Soon after his marriage he was converted and took connection with the Baptists and for about 25 years was superintendent of the S. S., which was first in the old log school house and then in the church which he helped to build.

After he had led the S. S. for so long, he thought he would let someone younger take it, therefore he resigned, and before two weeks had passed he was holding S. S. in a new part of the township where there had never been meeting. For five years he led the S. S. with a full house, until 1891, when he moved his family to Michigan and united with the Christian Church at Chapin. For twenty-five years he has been faithful and always found in his place at the church as long as he could attend.

On January 15, he fell on the ice, but in a few weeks was able to be about the house with a little help, until March 21, when he received a light stroke of apoplexy and he gradually went down until March 28, he left us.

He leaves to mourn, 2 sons, 5 grandchildren, 2 sisters and 1 brother together with hosts of friends.

The funeral was held at the Christian Church Chapin, Rev. Q. A. Kimberling officiated. Burial in Brant beside his companion, who passed away two years ago, April 12, 1914.

The pall bearers were five nephews and a grandson: Ernest R. Dexter, of Mt. Pleasant, Harvey Crane, Dillis Crane, Chester Crane and Jehiel Whaley of Brant, and one grandson, Oscar Willoughby.

SCHOOL REPORTS.

School report of S. S. No. 8 Warwick, for month of April. Class IV.—Winnifred Muma, Willie Boyd, Clare Dunlop. Class III.—Sr.—Arthur Percy, Shirley Benedict, Mildred Benedict, Jr.—Anna Percy, Winnifred Eastman, (Joe Dunlop, Joe Percy) equal, Greta Muma, Irene Eastman, Bertram Evans, Class II.—Edna Dunlop, John Cadman, Ethel Dunham, Clifford Sitter, Ellwood Benedict, Olive Dunlop. Part II.—Edgar Sitter, Cecil Dunham, (Olive Boyd, Wilbert Eastman) equal, Harold Evans, Gordon Dunlop. Primer class—Harold Dunlop, Vera Fitzsimons, Stewart Cadman.—OLIVE A. OAKES, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 8, Plympton, for April. Names arranged in order of merit. Class IV.—Sr.—Gladys McDougall, Agnes McDougall, Kenneth McCormick, Jeannette McEwen, Jr.—John Hodgins, Bertha Sanders, Ellwood Harton, Reta Geach. Class III.—Johnny McDougall, Clifford Morgan. Class II.—Elba Wakefield, Arthur Minnielly. Class I.—Allan Hodgins, Lorne McDougall, Annie Morgan. Primer—Harold Hodgins, Francis Minnielly, Glenn Sanders, Mary Cochran, Katie Harton.—I. L. McALPINE, Teacher.

School report of S. S. No. 16, Warwick. Those marked with the star were absent for one or more exams. Class IV.—Gordon McKenzie 160, *Florence Williams 95, Orville Jones 74. Class III.—Rufus Botsford 115, Allan McKenzie 103, Lloyd Jones 96, Borden Sutton 91, Arthur Jackson 68, Willie Jackson 64, Ella Claypole 53, Cecil Saunders 48. Class II.—Nettie Saunders 190, Verma Williamson 176, Hazel Bryce 176. Class I.—Mabel Jackson 160, Loretta Bryce 140, Willie Maher 120, Amy Williams 115, Clarence Walker 105, Bettie Saunders 95, Frank Bryce 70, Bobby Hickson 70. Sr.—Primer—Gordon Williamson 180, Bruce Sayers 175, Henry Banks 165, Willie Claypole 153. Jr.—Mary Maher 200, Stanley Thompson 200, Dorothy McKenzie 195, Marie Walker 180, Dick Jackson 190, Pearl Claypole 185.—LILY I. DUBS, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 2, Warwick, for the month of April. Number on roll 26. Average attendance 24. Class V.—Roy Cooper. Class IV.—Grant James, Harold Smith. Class III.—Dalton Smith, Tommy Main, Olive Corney, George Main, Harold Auld, Gladys Sewell. Class II.—George James, Ella Thompson. Part II.—Annie Main, Ilabell Corney, (Annie McElroy and Eric Thompson) equal, Charlie James, Mason Leggate. Part I.—Clare Thompson, Melvin Bartley. Primer (a) Jack Mans, Edna Cooper, Mary McLeay, Mary Smith, Mary Thompson. Primer (b) Alfred Smith, Charlie Smith.—ANNIE ROSS, Teacher.

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MARKETS
WATFORD

GRAIN AND SEEDS—	
Wheat, fall, per bush	\$1 00 @ \$1 00
Oats, per bush	38 40
Barley, per bush	48 50
Beans, per bush	4 00 4 50
Timothy	4 00 5 00
Clover Seed	12 00 16 00
Alsike	10 00 12 00
PROVISIONS—	
Butter, per pound	26 26
Lard	18 38
Eggs, per doz	21 21
Pork	13 00 14 00
Flour, per cwt.	2 50 4 00
Brar per ton	25 00 26 00
Shots, per ton	26 00 28 00
MISCELLANEOUS—	
Wood	2 00 2 75
Tallow	6 6
Hides	12 12
Wool	28 40
Hay, per ton	12 00 14 00
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—	
Potatoes, per bag	2 00 2 25
POULTRY—	
Turkeys, dressed	18 21
Turkeys, per lb.	15 17
Chickens, per lb.	10 12
Fowl	7 10
Ducks	11 12
Geese	9 10
LONDON	
Wheat	95 to 95
Oats, cwt.	1 42 to 1 50
Butter	27 to 28
Eggs	20 to 21
Pork	14 50 to 15 00
TORONTO	
May 3—Receipts at union yards were 760 cattle, 710 calves, 1420 hogs and 460 sheep and lambs. The run of cattle was light and the quality not very high. No extra prime steers offering. Prices steady to firm. Fat cows, bulls and milch cows firm and in good demand. There was a heavy run of calves with prices a shade easier, except for anything very choice. Hogs firm and packers' quotations 15c. Higher, weighed off cars. m30-back	
To-day's quotations:	
Choice heavy steers	8 80 to 9 00
Butcher steers, choice	8 25 to 8 50
do, good	8 00 to 8 15
do, medium	7 90 to 8 00
do, common	7 00 to 7 50
Heifers, good to choice	8 00 to 8 50
do, medium	7 25 to 7 50
Butcher cows, choice	6 50 to 7 25
do, good	5 75 to 6 50
Butcher bulls, choice	6 50 to 7 50
do, good	5 50 to 6 00
do, medium	5 00 to 5 50
Feeders	7 00 to 7 40
do, bulls	5 50 to 6 00
Stockers	7 00 to 7 75
do, medium	7 00 to 7 50
do, light	6 00 to 6 50
Canners	4 00 to 4 25
Cutters	4 50 to 4 75
Milkers, choice, each	80 00 to 85 00
Springs, each	60 00 to 85 00
Calves, veal, choice	9 00 to 9 00
do, medium	6 00 to 7 50
do, common	5 00 to 5 50
Yearling lambs	10 00 to 13 50
Culled lambs	7 00 to 7 25
Spring lambs, each	7 00 to 12 00
Ewes, light	9 00 to 10 00
Sheep, heavy and bucks	6 50 to 8 50
Hogs fed and watered	11 65 to 11 65
do, f. o. b.	11 50
do, weighed off cars	11 90

While at work at H. Fraleigh's warehouse, Forest, where the roof was being raised, Wm. Walden fell off the scaffold, a distance of 12 feet. He struck on his head and shoulders, and sustained injuries to his spine which have since confined him to the house.

BYRON'S UNHAPPINESS.

His icy, Frozen Mannered Wife and His Cruel Parents.
 Marie Corelli, the English novelist, says poets do not really love. If they did they could not write about it. They imagine they love. And their imagination embraces many fair objects.
 "Byron," she says, "was an unhappy man. But he was not as unhappy as he imagined himself to be. He found pleasure, even inspiration, in dwelling on his own troubles. Many poets do." She tells us that Byron's mother had been a Miss Gordon before she married the shiftless and dissolute Captain Byron, the poet's father, and that amid constant quarrellings, thrashings and unjust abuse and the most coarse and intemperate language poor Byron began his career.
 "With such a father and such a mother," says Miss Corelli, "the wonder is that he managed to store his mind with so many impressions of beauty and grandeur and that he was able to lift his soul above his surroundings to such a height of intellectual power. His mother's furious temper and her cruel mockeries stung him, not into a reply, but into silent and lonely brooding on his wrongs.
 "He himself describes the sense of horror and humiliation which came over him when, in a fit of passion, she called him 'a lame brat.' When Sir Walter Scott met him he said he should scarcely have noticed it. In fact, the great novelist was as lame as the great poet, only Byron's brilliant personality made him, more than Scott, an object of comment. His marriage was a failure. It was a fortunate thing for literature that his wife left him after one year of matrimony.
 "Had she remained with him his genius might have perished under the freezing influence of such a paragon of propriety and dullness. William Howitt tells us that Lady Byron had 'frozen moments.'
 "I have seen her," he says, "come down in the morning as if she had lain all night on a glacier, frozen, as it were, to the very soul, and no efforts on the part of those around her could restore her for the day to any genial social warmth."
 "The Wind is in the Palm Trees."
 But the glory of palm trees! No pictures or description in books had ever made me realize that before. "The wind is in the palm trees" had been for me but a haunting phrase in Mr. Kipling's most famous ballad, but when the bellboy threw open the door of my room (in Nassau of the Bahamas) looking into the hotel gardens I cried, "What is that sound?" for my ears had been instantly filled with a delicious rippling, as though the room was alive with invisible rivers of running water. I ran to the window. It was the wind in the palm trees—the freshest, purest, gladdest sound to be heard in the world.—Richard le Gallienne

A Delicate, Tasteful Breakfast.
 Apropos of monotonous unimaginative breakfasts, Thomas Love Peacock once drew up the menu for breakfast "for a man of taste." "Coffee, tea, cream, eggs, ham, tongue, cold fowl," he wrote, "all these are good and bespeak good knowledge in him who sets them forth. But the touchstone is fish. Anchovy is the first step, prawns and shrimps the second, potted char and lamprey the third, but lobster is, indeed, matter for a May morning and demands a rare combination of virtue and knowledge in him who sets it forth."—London Standard.

Scotch Judges' Frugality.
 Scotland might safely be backed at least to rival England in the matter of frugality among her judges. There is Dean Ramsay's story of the dinner party given by Lord Polkemmet. When the covers were removed the guests were surprised to find that the dinner consisted of veal broth, a roast fillet of veal, veal cutlets, a florentine (an old Scottish dish composed of veal), a calf's head and calf's foot jelly. Observing the sensation, Lord Polkemmet explained: "Oh ay, it's a' cauf. When we kill a beast we just eat up as side and down the tither."—London Chronicle.

Good Start.
 "I'm going to start a comedy company on the road in a couple of weeks," said the theatrical manager.
 "What play?" asked the critic.
 "Oh, I haven't that written yet, but I heard a good joke today that we can use in it."—Exchange.

An Explanation and a Hint.
 "How do you account for his remarkable success?"
 "I don't know unless it was that he was always too busy on his own work to stop and spend time trying to account for the success of others."
 Crowd of a Million.
 It has been estimated that a million persons assembled in a crowd, with due allowance of three square feet a person, would cover an area of about seventy acres.

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Gordon Irish has disposed of his farm on the 2nd line of Plympton to Mr. Emerick, of Sarnia.
 The bylaw to raise \$6,500 to establish hydro in Wyoming was carried unanimously, 76 ballots for and none against.
 The Kirkton (Huron Co.) Telephone Company is now the largest local company in Ontario, having 1000 subscribers.
 Harry Kipp, of Leamington, brought action against the township of Raleigh for \$300 damages for injuries to his automobile owing to non-repair of Talbot Road and was awarded \$200.
 No fewer than 683 fires, one million and a half dollars damage to property and the loss of 38 lives occurred during 1914 as the direct cause of children playing with matches. Keep the matches away from the children.
 Wm. Down, a farmer living four miles north of Appin, was using a cream separator in his barn, when lightning struck and killed a dog lying at his feet. Mr. Down was uninjured. His son, who was feeding the stock, had a pitchfork knocked from his hand, and sustained a slight shock. Nine head of cattle were thrown down by the lightning, and two of them were killed.

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ARKONA

The regular meeting of the W. I. will be held in the Orange Hall on May 6th at 3 p.m. Election of officers, after which a Red Cross supper will be served. Roll call answered by paying annual fee.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Lucas and Douglas, Alvinston, spent Sunday with friends in town.

Mrs. H. Ford and daughter Estella of Clinton, are visiting at Mrs. H. Rook's.

Lieut. L. B. Younge spent Sunday with friends in town.

Mr. Ashby Lumby of Sarnia spent the week end with friends in town.

Mrs. Art Butler, Bert Baldwin, Jos. Desages, Alf Williams, Forest, spent Sunday at their homes here.

Pte. Norman Rivers of mechanical transport, Toronto, and Mr. Henry Rivers, Strathroy, spent Sunday in town.

Lieut. Williams of Forest spent Sunday in town.

Miss Georgie Davidson, B.A., of Melbourne, called on Arkona friends on Friday.

Mrs. Dan Donaldson and Eddie Cooper of Watford, spent Sunday in town.

Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Huffman of Forest, spent Sunday with Dr. J. L. Hoffman.

C. Herrington has returned after spending several weeks in Sarnia.

Pte. Arthur Ames has returned home after undergoing an operation at the hospital in London.

Full stock of chi-namel is on hand at Brown Bros.

Mr. Clarence Jackson visited friends in Stratford last week.

Mrs. Hunnford and daughter of Clinton, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rooks this week.

Miss Belle Eames who has been visiting friends in town returned to her home in Brantford.

Just received a shipment of embroideries—beautiful new designs.—Fuller Bros.

Mr. Wm. Clark is visiting friends in London.

We have a full range of Galatese for boys' blouses, suits and house dresses.—Fuller Bros.

Misses Olive Oakes and Marjory McLeish who have been visiting friends in Goderich returned home on

Saturday

Mrs. (Rev.) J. N. Norton who has been visiting friends in town returned home on Wednesday.

Rev. Alexander Torrie and Mrs. Torrie are conducting Evangelistic services in the Baptist Church.—Everybody welcome.

Plympton Townline West

Mrs. Russell Johnson and Miss Edythe Hayward visited Sarnia on Saturday.

Miss McKnight and Miss Velma Dewar spent Easter week at the former's home in Lynedock.

Miss Jessie Hayward of Watford visited her old schoolmates on Plympton townline last week.

Miss Ella Armstrong of Sarnia is visiting friends on this line this week.

Letter from the Front

The following letter has been received from Sergt. Burgar, a former resident of Warwick Township, now a member of C. Company, 20th Batt. :—

Somewhere in France April 11th, 1916.

Editor Guide-Advocate :

I left the base last week for a few days' furlough. Passing through France to Bologne that which struck me as being most conspicuous was the number of women, both French and Belgian, that I passed in mourning, thus pathetically telling of the toll they have nobly paid.

In England I noticed that the whole atmosphere seemed Patriotic. All the single men available have enlisted, even the married men are being called to the colors. When we think of the hundreds of wives and children that are being left in England alone to the mercy of the human fiends in the shape of German commanders of Zeppelins one's thoughts turn towards Canada and wonder how she is helping the Mother Country.

Reading through the Guide-Advocate I saw about 100 names on the Roll of Honor. This, I conclude, means recruits from 64 square miles including one village of 1200 inhabitants. Compare this with a village I passed through in England. Out of 1400 inhabitants over 200 serving their flag.

Come on you single men of Brooke, Warwick and Watford. Pick up your rifle and help us lick the Germans. Your ancestors were British and fought for the old flag, so buck up and never let it be said that Canada did not reply to the call.

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Address and Presentation

A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Melton on Friday evening April 14th, when about sixty of the friends and neighbors of Private Lewis Melton met to spend a social evening with him before his departure. Mr. Dobbin acted as chairman and gave an appropriate address. About the middle of the program Pte. Melton was called upon and the following address was read by Mr. Fred Pealy and presentation was made by Mr. James Rundle:

Brooke, April 14th, 1916.

PTE. LEWIS MELTON. With feeling of deep gratitude we your many associates and friends have gathered here this evening at your parental home to do you in honor for the many steps you have taken in the trying hour of our national existence. When the war trumpet sounded and the cry went out for men and yet more men to defeat our common foe, you responded loyally to the call and gave up the ploughshare and sickle to don the honorable khaki and take your place on the firing line in bleeding Belgium and stricken Flanders to restore to the world the lasting peace. One and all we are proud of you and that you sincerely fit the many sacrifices you are making on our behalf. We have spent many happy hours together and social intercourse and know that you will carry forward with you and fondly distribute the cheering power of yours, that you have so often lavished and not in vain upon us. Our most sacred thoughts in the future will be that you have most unhesitatingly faced the many dangers on the battlefield and our sincerest wish and prayer is that you will be restored to us whole after nobly doing your bit with the deepest sense with your many benefactors. Your chums and neighbors assembled here have requested me to present you with this wrist watch as a token of our increasing admiration and esteem for yourself and our gratitude for your many sacrifices in our behalf, and we further ask you to accept this New Testament as a slight token of kindest regards and high esteem in which you are held by the Young Men's Bible Class of St. Andrew's School. Signed on behalf of those present by—James Rundle Wellington Griffith

Private Melton although taken completely by surprise made a very suitable reply thanking his friends for the kindness showed towards him, then singing "For he's a Jolly Good Fellow" brought the program to a close. Games were then played after which a very dainty lunch was served and all returned to their homes much satisfied with the evening's enjoyment.

Sarnia Man Wins Irene Baron

Sarnia, May 1.—H. DeB. Randolph, 503 London road, held the lucky ticket in the raffle of Irene Baron, a splendid racing mare, which was donated to the 149th Battalion for the purpose of raising funds, by the Godison Thresher Company. The draw was made by Mr. Doherty, at 8 o'clock this evening, at the city hall in the presence of Capt. Trainor and a small audience. The



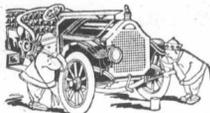
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A pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Lucas, London road, at 4 p.m., April 26, when their youngest daughter, Myrtle J., was united in marriage to Warren Jones of Watford. The bride looked charming when she entered the parlor, leaning on the arm of her father. Lohengrin's Wedding March was played by Miss Rheta Helks. The bride, gowned in ivory satin with shadow lace and pearl trimming, with wedding veil caught up to form Juliette cap, with orange blossoms encircling, and carrying a shower bouquet of bridal roses, looked charming. The bride's little niece, Miss Marion Martin, and little Eldoretta Jones sister of the groom, acted as flower girls. The parlor was beautifully decorated with palms, roses and carnations, of which a beautiful arch was formed, under which the ceremony was performed by Rev. J. W. Pring of Wyoming. A large reception of about sixty guests was held in the evening, after which the happy couple left for a short trip amid showers of confetti and the best wishes of their host of friends.

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Make Your Labour Efficient

In war-time do not waste time and energy on unimportant and unprofitable work. Economize labour. Put off unproductive work till after the war, and, if possible, help in producing something needed now. Let us not waste labour. Canada needs it all. If possible help to feed the Allies. Make your backyard a productive garden. Cultivate it with a will. Make your labour count for as much as possible.

Do Not Waste Materials

There should be no waste in war-time. Canada could pay the annual interest on her war expenditure out of what we waste on our farms, in our factories, in our homes. Every pound of food saved from waste is as good as a pound of increased production. The way for a nation to save is for every individual to save. France is strong to-day because of thrift in time of peace. The men and women of Great Britain are not only "doing" but are learning to "do without."

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In all the foreign navies, as well as in our own, the severest tests of hearing are imposed upon the men who are to undertake submarine service. In this service even an officer will not be accepted if the surgeon is able to find any evidence that he has ever been afflicted with ear trouble at any time. Thus a slight inflammation of the ear which occurred in childhood may disqualify the officer for submarine service, though his hearing may be so good that he would be readily accepted in any other branch of military service.

Disraeli and the Editor.

Disraeli would dearly have liked to suspend the London Globe years ago when that paper, then a Whig organ, fell foul of him over his "vindication of the English Constitution." Few editors have ever been so roughly abused as in Disraeli's letter to the Times: "It is not my passion for notoriety that has induced me to tweak the editor of the Globe by the nose and to inflict sundry kicks upon the baser part of his base body, to make him eat dirt and his own words, fouler than any filth, but because I wished to show to the world what a miserable pot-roon, what a craven dullard, what a literary scarecrow, what a mere tiling, stuffed with straw and rubbish, is the sordid director of public opinion and official organ of Whig politics."—London Opinion.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

RED TAPE IN JAPAN

They Have as Fine a Brand There as We Have Ourselves.

BUT IT IS NOT VERY COSTLY.

An Experience With the Circumlocution Office That Would Have Been Amusing to the Innocent Victim but For the Dread of the Expense.

There are many curious customs in Japan, and many things are done in that interesting empire according to methods that would be called topsy-turvy when judged by the standards of civilization in western lands. But in one respect the Japanese are fully abreast of any of the occidental countries, and that is in their ability to manipulate official red tape. The following incident, recounted by a correspondent of the Youth's Companion, admirably illustrates the point. He writes:

"Although I have lived long in Japan, I have tried to keep pace with western ideas. A corner in my compound bears witness to the fact that I once tried to make practical application of the modern maxim 'Help the poor to help themselves.' It worked out in a rather surprising way. A beggar asked me for money one morning, and I saw a way to help him without, as the expression goes, 'pauperizing' him.

"There was a bad place just inside the compound gate that needed to be filled in with stones, of which there were plenty on the seashore near by. Here was a man who could transfer the stones to the compound for the 30 sen (15 cents) that he had asked of me. The man fell in with the plan cheerfully and set to work.

"The job was about completed to his satisfaction and mine when a policeman, who appeared on the scene, asked my man if he had received permission to remove the stones. The workman referred the officer to me, and I had to confess that I had not thought it necessary. Evidently the officer thought otherwise, for I was politely but firmly told that I might secure a permit by applying at the city hall.

"To the city hall I went, knowing that it is not wise to trifle with the regulations of the police department. From there I was referred to the provincial building. As I was personally known to the governor of the province, I sent my card into him, only to learn that he was absent. The lieutenant-governor, however, said he would be glad to receive me. That courteous gentleman was going to pass the whole thing by, but thought it well first to speak of it to the department of public works.

"Now, the department of public works had an efficient head, who believed in letting nothing go at loose ends. He announced that I must fill in a certain form in duplicate, making formal application for the stones. These two maps would have to be drawn, showing where the stones had been found and the place to which I wished to remove them.

"The board of public works stood ready to make the maps—at my expense. There was nothing to do except to agree to this arrangement, since I had already had the stones moved. I thanked the lieutenant-governor for his assistance and withdrew.

"In a day or two a messenger came with the maps and forms requiring my signature. After that they were sent to the city hall. Then another messenger took them to the governor for his signature. One set was filed at the city hall and the other at the office of the executive.

"In due time, notification came by special messenger that I was permitted to remove the stones—which every one knew I had done a week before. All that prevented me from thoroughly enjoying the whole affair was the thought of the bill that I should receive from the department of public works.

"After several weeks of suspense I was notified to appear before the treasurer, at city hall, to pay my indebtedness to the municipality. Armed with my bank book, I appeared at city hall. What was my surprise and relief to find that the bill for all this red tape and infinite trouble amounted to 11 sen, equal to about 5½ cents in good American money."

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A Short Christmas

"Christmas day is only three hours long in the Finnish town of Tornea," said a traveler.

Cynical

Some cheap people expect St. Peter to pass them through the pearly gates because they once paid 50 cents for a fifteen cent supper at a church social.

Just Like Relatives

"Are Belle and Barbara blood relations?" "Oh, no. It is a purely platonic grouch they have for each other."

Pessimism

Pessimism may be defined as that form of restricted mental vision that causes men to anticipate evils that do not happen.

The Balkan States

The countries known as "the Balkan states" occupy the Balkan peninsula, the easternmost of the three great southern peninsulas of Europe.

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VICTORIA'S LETTERS

Royal Secrets That Are Stored Away In Buckingham Palace

"We may wonder if the world will ever be allowed to see the private correspondence amassed by the late Queen Victoria," says a writer.

So long as she was physically able to do so she opened and closed the safe herself and arranged its contents. When she was too feeble to do this she employed an old and trusted secretary, but even he had to work under the royal eye.

Queen Victoria was always a voluminous letter writer, and she was in constant communication with most of the royalties in Europe.

But probably he will have to wait a few hundred years, and then his popular audience will be a languid one. It is one of the ironies of life that we can never have a thing when we want it.

Ancient Use of a Kiss

A Roman woman in the ancient time was not allowed to drink wine except it were simple raisin wine, and, however she might relish strong drinks, she could not indulge even by stealth.

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Beefsteak Smothered In Tomatoes

Some day when the oven is being used for other cooking plan to have for dinner round or planked steak cooked with tomatoes, and for this dish either fresh or canned ones can be utilized.

Preparation of Parchment

Parchment is the skin of sheep or other animals prepared in sheets to render them fit for being written upon.

To Lengthen Life of Necktie

A good many people who are users of four-in-hand ties are more or less bothered by the tie's becoming useless after it has been worn a few times.

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50 acres, being the north half of the south half of lot 6, con. 12, Brooke. There is 20 acres of clover meadow, balance in pasture. Land is in good condition and more than half of it tilled. For further particulars apply to H. PARKER, 21-1m R. R. 3, Watford.

Drain Tenders Wanted

Tenders will be received up to four o'clock on Saturday, May 27th, 1916, for the repair of the Zavitz-Ainsley Drain in the township of Brooke. Plans and specifications may be seen at my residence, lot 17, con. 10, Brooke. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.—W. ANNETT, Commissioner. a28-4t

Tenders for Tile Drain

Tenders will be received by the undersigned at his residence, lot 29, con. 1, N. E. R. R., Warwick, up to May 20th 1916, for the construction of the Westgate Drain. Plans and specifications can be seen at any reasonable hour at my residence. W. E. PARKER, Commissioner. m5-2t

COURT OF REVISION

The Court of Revision of the Township of Watford will be held in the TOWN HALL—ON—Monday May 22nd, 1916 at 10 o'clock a. m., to hear and decide any complaints against the assessment of Watford. N. HERBERT, Clerk.

COURT OF REVISION

The Court of Revision of the Village of Watford will be held in the COUNCIL CHAMBER—ON—Monday May 29th, 1916 at 11 o'clock, a.m. to hear and decide any complaints against the assessment of Watford. W. S. FULLER, Clerk.

Mr. Wm. Dinsdale, of Salem, has sold his farm, to Mr. Duncan A. Graham, of Wainstead, who takes possession this fall.

COMMUNICATIONS.

(We do not hold ourselves responsible for opinions expressed by correspondents.)

Making Our Town Attractive

TO THE EDITOR GUIDE-ADVOCATE—DEAR SIR:—On different occasions you have advocated the above and some are making an honest effort to do so, by removing unsightly fences, planting trees and flowers, and cultivating lawns, etc. There are others who have no eye for the beautiful and will scatter newspapers on the streets to frighten horses and land up on the lawns and doorsteps of their neighbors, allow their dogs to run at large to dig up flower beds and howl after rigs the full length of our streets. For the past two years certain members of the "Tennis Club" have spent scores of hours fixing up the lot at the rear of the Methodist Church, on Ontario St. and yet after all their trouble about a week or ten days ago someone (when the ground was the softest) drove a horse and buggy in both directions across the Tennis Court, with a result that is evident to all. Surely Mr. Editor anyone who would deliberately do this, for it was deliberate, must have the bump of destruction abnormally developed, or have no regard either for beauty or other people's property. This is only a sample of what is going on in Watford at the present day, and it is up to the Council to appoint a constable without delay and to strengthen his hands in the enforcement of the law. I remain, yours, F. G. ROBINSON, A member of the Tennis Club.

WATFORD COUNCIL.

Watford, May 1st, 1916. Regular meeting of Council, all members present. Minutes as read confirmed. Johnston—Hawn, that repairing of water tank corner Simcoe and McGreggor be attended to by commissioner for that division.—Carried. Hawn—Doan, that Court of Revision on assessment roll for 1916 be held on 29th May at 10 o'clock a. m.—Carried. Doan—Kearney, that we grant the 149th one hundred dollars.—Carried. Finance committee examined accounts and recommend payment. Fred Rogers, keep of tramp...\$ 75 Geo. Chambers, electric light ac... 74 18 Treas. corporation, war stamps... 1 50 Ed. Clark, labor at cemetery... 1 00 Treas. Corporation, taxes, Lloyd lot..... 4 86 S. W. Louks, salary assessor and stamps..... 33 00 Wm. Williamson, coal ac..... 3 50 Walter Scott, cleaning crossings etc..... 5 00 Treas. Library board..... 60 00 Treas. Bd. Education P. S..... 275 00 J. S. Williams, labor at cemetery 1 00 Grant to 149th..... 100 00 Hawn—Doan, that accounts be passed and Reeve grant his order.—Carried. Hawn—Johnston, that we adjourn.—Carried. W. S. FULLER, Clerk.

SCHOOL REPORTS.

Report of S. S. No. 10, Warwick, for the month of April. No. on roll 20. Average attendance 19. Class IV.—Russell Parker, Basil Watson, Arthur Minieley, Linda McIntosh. Class III.—Willie Minieley, Franklin Adams, Alma McGillicuddy, Zelma Conkey, Mary Williams. Class II.—Gordon Adams, Mac Wiley, Iva McIntosh. Pt. II.—Sr.—Keith Howden, Sarah Williams, Elsie Minieley. Jr.—Gordon Minieley, Ivan Parker, Fred McIntosh. Pt. I.—Harold Fielden, Martha Williams.—M. MANSFIELD, Teacher.

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BOARD OF EDUCATION

Minutes of regular meeting held in the Library Board Room on Monday, May 1st, at 7 p.m. Present.—W. McLaren, chairman; Dr. Newell, W. Harper, Dr. Howden, R. C. McLeay, Dr. Hicks, W. E. Fitzgerald and Principal Steer. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed. The report of the public school for April was read. S. Newell—Howden, and carried, that the public school report for April be received and filed. Newell—McLeay, and carried, that the following accounts be paid: Public School—Walter Cook \$2.50; W. Scott, repairs, \$2.00. High School—W. Cook \$2.50; George Stevenson, repairs, \$5.00; Taylor & Son, supplies, \$89.96. Fitzgerald—Harper, and carried, that we ask the municipal council for \$275.00 for public school purposes, to be in the treasurer's hands by the 30th inst. Mr. Steer addressed the Board on some matters pertaining to school work. McLeay—Howden, and carried, that we adjourn. D. WATT, Secretary.

Warwick Pathmasters, Etc.

The following officers were appointed for the township of Warwick for 1916: PATHMASTERS:—W. J. Moffatt, J. C. Moffatt, Elmer Moffatt, Alex Bryce, D. Barron, Geo. Mitchell, Bert King, Edgar Davidson, John Beattie, Wm Westgate, Fred Morgan, David Williamson, A. Harrower, K. Manders, Peter McNaughton, Jno Williamson, John Maher, James Sayers, R. Williamson, R. Sutton, Austin Weller, Ed Caughlin, Thos Dolan, Hy Mansfield, Jas McMannus, James Smith, Ben Smith, S. McLellan, Jos McCormick, W. Wynne, E. A. Edwards, Fred Westgate, N. Conkey, Alf Williams, R. McGillicuddy, Wm Waun, David A. Ross, Wm F. Tanner, Wm Bartley, Jas McElroy, Chas Barnes, John Long, H. Morningstar, Thos Brush, Wm Holbrook, M. E. Barrett, John McKay, Maurice Kilmer, Rob Karr, Elmer J. Neil, S. McLellan, Jos McCormick, John Cooper, Dan Thompson, Frank Campbell, Walter Hall, John Marshall, Jos McChesney, Wm Seymour, Benj Muma, Lorenza Evans, Herb Benedict, Ham Zavitz, N. Sitter, Wm McDonald, Chas Richardson, Geo Thompson, Harvey Vance, A. Goldsmith, Geo Brent, Robert Harper, Hy Vance, Wm Pedden, Wm Ellerker, D. F. Brodie, Ernest Karr, R. Ellerker, Geo Brodie, Ephim Pierce, Albert Levitt, Ivo Kernohan, Ed White, Dennis York, Wm McPherson, Hy Baynton, J. R. Wilson, Jacob Smith, D. Campbell and S. Harper. POUND KEEPERS:—E. A. Edwards, Alex Westgate, Thos Woods, Robert Leach, Jas. Jones, Wm. Hawken, O. Richardson, R. Wilkinson, Wm. Lester, George Brodie, C. E. Smith, Samuel McColl, F. Jenkins, Thos Pressey, James McIntosh, Herb Smith, David Morgan. FENCE VIEWERS:—E. Collier, George Williamson, Jas McNaughton, T. Kersey, W. D. McKenzie, George Brunt, George Brodie, R. Campbell, Ben Muma, John Marshall, R. McGillicuddy. SHEEP INSPECTORS:—Isaac Cowan, Ed Robertson, S. Cameron, Chas James, John Bryce, Chas Hawkins, W. H. Auld, Stephen Morris, George Brent, Geo Brodie, R. Campbell, Ben Muma, John Marshall R. McGillicuddy. WERE INSPECTORS:—Jos Parker, A. Kersey, Ed Davidson, Alex Bryce, R. McNaughton, Hy Mansfield, John Long, Jos McCormick, Frank Campbell, John Kimball. SAN JOSE SCALE INSPECTOR:—Phillip Austin. N. HERBERT, Clerk.

East Lambton Agricultural Society

Rules and Regulations of the Standing Field Crop Competitions, 1916

1. NATURE OF COMPETITION.—Societies can enter in two kinds of crops which must be selected by the Board of Directors. Fields entered for each competition must consist of not less than five acres nor more than twenty, in one block.
2. Selection must be made from the following crops, viz., oats, corn.
3. COMPETITORS.—Competition will be limited to those who are paid-up members of E. L. Agricultural Society for the current year, and fields entered must be not more than fifteen miles from its headquarters. Competitors will be allowed to make entry in one society only, for one or two varieties of crop and only one entry can be made by each competitor in each kind of crop.
4. Not less than ten bona fide entries for each crop in any society will be accepted.
5. INDIVIDUAL ENTRIES.—All individual entries must be forwarded by the Secretary of each Society to the Superintendent, Parliament Buildings, Toronto, on or before May 25th, 1916, except entries for corn, which can be sent in up to June 15th.
6. A society may charge an entry fee of not more than one dollar for each crop entered by a competitor, but this is optional with the Directors.
7. Seven prizes must be offered as follows for each crop: First, \$20; Second \$15; Third, \$12; Fourth, \$10; Fifth, \$8; Sixth, \$6; Seventh, \$4. These must be paid in full to the winners without any deduction.
8. JUDGES.—The Ontario Department of Agriculture will furnish judges free of charge.

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SALE REGISTER.

Household furniture, Saturday, May 13th. Terms cash. No reserve. Nichol McNece, St. Clair St., proprietor. J. F. Elliot, auctioneer.

Saturday, May 6th the S. A. Barracks building and lot, and all the machinery and stock contained therein. See bills for particulars. 3 month's credit. Harry Williamson, proprietor; J. F. Elliot, auctioneer.

Arch Lowrie, of Enniskillen, an early settler of Weidman, is dead at the age of 56 years.

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