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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

THE GUIDE-ADVOCATE welcomes all items of interest for this column. Call Phone 71, send by mail or drop item in GUIDE-ADVOCATE Letter-Box.

Tax collector Alex Cameron is now on his rounds.

SOME men go to Europe and get shot. Others go to Pt. Huron and get half shot. EDWARD FENWICK of Wyoming was fined \$100 and costs for selling liquor in that town last May.

THE public school teachers all went to Petrolia Thursday, to take part in the annual convention.

It is said that shoes can be made of any kind of skins. Even banana skins make good "slippers."

THE SCARCITY of food is so serious in Germany now that only the gasbags are getting a good blow out.

THE new three cent stamp, brown in color, to more easily distinguish it from that of two cents, is now in use.

In one of the British Red Cross rest stations in France, 30,000 men were fed and 1,500 dressings done in a single day.

NEXT Thursday an appeal will be made for further aid to the British Red Cross Society. Be prepared to do your bit.

CANON DAVIS, of Sarnia, Rural Dean of Lambton, has called a meeting for October 17th, to be held in St. John's Church, Alvinston.

A SENSIBLE way to dispose of fallen leaves, of which there will be any quantity presently, is to dig them into your garden. The soil needs them.

IS the opening of the Dardanelles will reduce the cost of flour, they can't perform the opening process too soon to suit the Canadian householder.

On Sunday evening next, Oct. 15, Mr. A. B. Steer, principal of the high school, will speak in the Watford Methodist church on "The Need of the Hour." All should hear this timely address.

THE entire 149th Batt was on furlough from Thursday of last week until Tuesday. Most of the Watford boys spent the time at their homes or with friends in the district. You are always welcome, boys.

APPROXIMATELY one-half of the money raised this year by the mill on the dollar Provincial war tax will go to the support of the Canadian Patriotic Fund for the benefit of the wives and children of other dependents of soldiers.

THERE will be a close season for quail for a period of two years from the 14th day of October, 1916. This was provided by an order-in-council. Sportsmen would be well advised not to indulge in their favorite pastime until that period elapses.

AMONG the Lambton casualties reported this week are:—Lieut. S. Cowan, Sarnia, Pte. J. S. Brown, Watford and Pte. James Gillespie, killed; Corp. B. H. Westkarr, Wyoming, Lieut. Geddes and Pte. J. H. Douglass, Petrolia, missing.

WORD was received here Sunday that Lieut. Stewart Cowan, son of Mr. John Cowan, K. C. of Sarnia, had been killed in action. Lieut. Cowan was well-known in Watford. He was 24 years of age and went overseas with the 70th Batt., going to France with a draft.

THE editor's thanks are due Dr. B. Kenward of San Francisco, for copies of "The British Californian," a paper published in the interests of British-Americans. If its readers follow the precepts of its columns there will be little danger of them losing their love for the mother land.

IF Watford has a regulation to prevent spitting on the sidewalks it should be enforced and if there is no such regulations, the board of health should make one. The habit is a loathsome one, not calculated to increase the health of the town and should not be tolerated. Some mornings the walks in places are in a disgracefully dirty condition.

EVERY PERSON should know that a rural mail box is as sacred as a box in a post office. We have heard of mail getting in the wrong box by mistake, and it having been kept for some time. Now, we do not blame the mail carriers as we are all liable to mistakes occasionally, but those who keep mail that does not belong to them are certainly guilty of a serious offense.

SINCE the war began four Watford boys have been killed in action. Gunn Newell, although he enlisted from Warwick, we understand, born when the family lived here; T. L. Swift, T. Lamb, and Sid Brown were also born here. Quite an appalling record for a village of this size. Four others who enlisted here, although not natives of the place, have also fallen on the battle field, namely, Alf. Woodward, J. Ward, F. Wakelin and T. Wakelin.

AN EXTRA of the Ontario Gazette, has been issued containing a proclamation of the Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario requesting the Mayor of every town and the Reeve of every municipality, to confer with the Patriotic and Red Cross organizations in his community and call a public meeting in each and every locality for the purpose of organizing a campaign for the collection of funds, on the 19th day of October, and urging all the clergymen, members of Parliament, school teachers and the public generally to assist in the movement.

THE Highland Pipers' band serenaded Miss Minnie when in town fair day.

THE flag at the Armory is at half mast this week in honor of Pte. J. Sid Brown.

REMEMBER the Kewpie collection of waste papers on Friday, Oct. 13. Please be ready.

A NUMBER of prominent Liberals from this district went to London Wednesday to hear Sir Wilfred Laurier.

ANNIVERSARY services will be held in the Watford Methodist church on Sunday, Oct. 22nd. See bills.

SOME of those fine New Brunswick white potatoes left \$1.85 per bag. Leave your order quick.—S. STAPLEFORD & SON.

A FOWL supper will be held in the West Adelaide Presbyterian church on Thursday, Oct. 19th. A first-class program will be presented.

THE County License Inspector, Mr. Geo. Lucas, of Sarnia, was here fair day.

HE found nothing that required any investigation. Not a sign of any blind pigs or boot leg business in Watford.

LIEUT. ERNEST LAWRENCE writes to his mother that he is still in rest camp but his wound is slight. It was caused from shrapnel and is in the arm. He is improving fast and expects to be back with the battalion very soon.

THE current number of McLean magazine contains articles from the pens of two Watford ladies. May L. Armitage writes a Character Sketch of "Janey Canuck," and Margaret Bell Saunders an interesting article on "Amusing the Canadian Soldier in Old London."

CHILDREN'S DAY will be observed in Trinity Church on Sunday afternoon at 2:30. The special form of service will be used and the children will take part, and two short addresses will be given. The collection will be for the work of Sunday schools. All parents and friends of the school are invited to be present.

THE concert in Taylor's Lyceum on fair night attracted a big crowd and every seat was taken. The program presented was well received. The Edgar Ladies' Quartette gave some excellent popular songs and quartettes and the comedian kept the audience in roars of laughter. All the performers gained the good will and approval of their hearers.

PREMIER HEARST has cabled his endorsement of the British Red Cross appeal on Oct. 16th, as follows:—"My visit to England and France has aroused deeper appreciation than ever of the splendid work of the Red Cross. It deserves every support, and I trust the people of Ontario will respond with their usual generosity to the British Red Cross Appeal for October 19th."

THE editor had one thing specially to be thankful for on Thanksgiving Day, namely that the Guide-Advocate has about three tons of paper in the cellar. Under the present condition of the paper market this is a blessing to be truly thankful for, and we shall be still more thankful when the goods are paid for. If you owe us anything now is the time to come forward.

REV. DR. S. S. BATES, Educational Secretary of McMaster University, Toronto, will occupy the pulpits of the Baptist churches in the Watford field as follows:—My visit to England and France has aroused deeper appreciation than ever of the splendid work of the Red Cross. It deserves every support, and I trust the people of Ontario will respond with their usual generosity to the British Red Cross Appeal for October 19th.

THERE IS MONEY in old paper. One lot of 6,000 pounds was knocked down to the highest bidder in New York city at \$2.60 a hundred pounds, and another lot, consisting of unsold and returned copies of a newspaper, brought \$1.65 a hundred pounds. These prices indicate that our patriotic collectors should get much more for old paper than they have been getting. The most of the money in the business goes to the middleman.

THE October meeting of the I. O. D. E. was held at the home of Mrs. C. Howland, Miss Abbott assisting. After discharging of the business part of the meeting, the following program was given. Instrumental duet by Mrs. Vail and Mrs. Crawford. Readings by Miss McCaw and Mrs. Brown. After luncheon was served the meeting closed by singing the National Anthem.

THE Freemasons of Inwood came over here in force on Tuesday evening to the meeting of Havelock Lodge. The visitors put on the third degree for the home lodge and did the work in a faultless manner. Visitors from other places were also present. After close of the lodge the brethren sat down to refreshments and spent a pleasant hour around the festive board.

MR. N. W. ROWELL, K. C., Leader of the Opposition, on his return from the Front, gives the following tribute to the work of the Red Cross:—"I bring a message of cheer to those who have relatives at the Front and who fear they may be wounded. I believe everything human skill can do, that human care and sympathy can provide, is being done and provided each day and each night throughout the year by the Army Medical Corps and the Red Cross. It is a perfect marvel of efficiency."

THE regular meeting of the Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. H. Cook on Oct. 4th, the vice-president presiding. The Institute has donated \$2 for the Soldiers' Christmas Stocking Fund. We have also finished 11 quilts for the new Ontario fire sufferers, three more being quilted and finished at Mrs.

T. Dodds' last week. Any one having second-hand clothing to give will please leave at Mrs. J. Bambridge's not later than Friday of this week as the ladies intend packing a bale Friday afternoon.—Sec.

UNDER date of Sept. 19th, Pte. Vern Brown writes to his mother. In speaking of the engagement that he and his brother Sid were in he says: "We're going for a rest now but when we will get there is a question as to how we have been walking several days now. I'm alright mother, thanks to Our Heavenly Father's care. Sid and I went in together, but I lost track of him somewhere in the line. I think he's alright, probably got lost like some others. Anyway, mother, no one saw him get hurt, so I hope to see him turn up yet."

PERSONAL

Erigar Prentis, Sarnia, was home for Thanksgiving.

Miss Vera Swift spent the week end at her home here.

D. McTavish, Hamilton, was home for Thanksgiving.

Sergt. Owens returned from England on Thursday morning.

Burt Mitchell, Toronto, spent Thanksgiving at his home here.

Chester Schlemmer, Brantford, spent Thanksgiving in Watford.

Mrs. Alex. Andrews, Lapeer, Mich., is the guest of Mrs. J. E. Fowler.

Mrs. (Dr.) Pearson, Toronto, is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Thom.

Miss Olive Stuart, Sarnia, spent the week end with Miss Jennie Moore.

Mrs. J. M. Robertson, Toronto, is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. J. Baker.

Miss Rene Dunlop, Chatham, spent the week end with Watford friends.

Mrs. G. H. Taylor and Mrs. Smyth, Wyoming, are guests of Mrs. Jos. Keller.

Dr. V. L. Newell, Detroit, is visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. James Newell.

Mr. Fred Morris, Bracebridge, is here this week to see his mother, who is very ill.

Mrs. Jas. Hamilton and daughter Minnie, spent the holiday with friends in Belmont.

D. G. Parker, Leamington, was here for the week end to see his mother who is still very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. McKenzie went to their former home in Guelph for Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. George Laudreth, Preston, and Mrs. (Dr.) Wickert, Hamilton, are the guests of Mrs. William Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Barnes and family of London and Mr. Wm. McCausland spent Thanksgiving at the latter's home here.

Mrs. T. N. Langan left for her home Tuesday night, after an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Roche.

Rev. T. B. Coupland and Mrs. Coupland, London, spent a few days this week with their daughter, Mrs. Frank T. Taylor.

Mr. W. E. Stephenson, Moose Jaw, called on Mr. John Kersey, Friday, on his way from the Labor Congress at Toronto.

Miss Alice Tanner, St. Thomas, Miss Annie Tanner, Streriville, Dr. A. Tanner, Chatham, spent Thanksgiving at their home here.

Mr. J. F. Roche, Mr. B. Clayton, Kitchener, and Miss Estelle McIntyre, London, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. D. Roche.

Capt. R. H. Stapleford has been transferred from the 149th Batt. to the 1st Batt. with which he served in the battle of Givenchy. He left on Wednesday for England.

Among those from a distance who attended the funeral of the late Miss Williams on Wednesday were: Mrs. H. E. Tremaine, Mrs. H. Cooke and Mr. John S. Williams of Toronto, and Mrs. Fred Williams of Detroit.

Lambton Farmers' Insurance Co.

There was a busy meeting of the Directors of the Lambton Fire Ins. Co., in the Roche House on Saturday. It was fortunate for the Company that its financial standing was so good, enabling it to pay at once all its losses, without recourse to an assessment or even the sale of any of its securities. The claimants with one exception were heavy losers, as their loss exceeded their insurance, which goes to prove, though the cause of losses were unknown, the claimants were innocent. No one of the many farmers placed any faith in the cause being "spontaneous combustion" all thought incendiarism the cause.

The losses paid were Mrs. Mowbray \$825, Silas Hayes \$880, Robert Marsh \$1050, J. and G. Thompson \$1400, J. E. Lester \$1688, T. K. Thompson \$4175, Peter McLellan \$900.

Some small stock claims were also paid. The loss of P. McLellan was caused by sparks from Engine filling silo.

Lambton's I. O. D. E. Tea

The Chapter will hold a ten cent tea in the corner room of the Roger House, for patriotic purposes, on Saturday, October 14th, from 4 to 7.

Girl Guides at Thamesville are disposing of produce raised in their own gardens for Red Cross purposes.



PTE. JOHN SIDNEY BROWN

Pte. J. Sid Brown Killed in Action

Another of Watford's sons has made the supreme sacrifice and laid down his life on the battle field in Europe where he was doing his bit helping to fight our battles and defend our homes and country.

On Saturday afternoon a telegram was received from Ottawa by Mrs. Brown stating that her husband, Pte. John Sidney Brown, had been killed in action on September 15th.

Almost everyone in Watford knew Sid Brown. He was born here Dec. 6th, 1888, and lived the greater part of his life in this town. After finishing his education he learned the barbering business with his father, Jacob D. Brown, and later came into possession of the business.

Some time afterwards he disposed of the business and went to Northern Ontario where he remained for several months and then went to Petrolia, where he was burned out, and immediately afterwards enlisted. He was married on May 10th, 1911, to Miss Heurietta Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Williams, of Watford, who with two children, Bernice aged 4 and Allan aged 3 years, mourn the loss of husband and father.

He also leaves father and mother, four sisters, Mrs. Geo. Edgar, Mrs. Ern Hume, Mrs. Harry Williams and Miss Elsie, and one brother Vern, who is serving the King in France.

Pte. Brown enlisted at Petrolia about the middle of April of this year and left for overseas with the 70th Batt. on Good Friday, April 21st. After training at Shorncliffe, England, the battalion was broken up into drafts and sent to France, Pte. Brown being placed with the 18th Batt.

The late Miss S. J. Williams

Miss Sarah Jane Williams passed away rather unexpectedly at her home on Main street on Thanksgiving morning. Although she had been confined to the house for a short time she was not considered in a dangerous condition. Miss Williams was a woman who had made for herself an especial place in the hearts of her neighbors. Although in business, she lived a quiet life, doing good and being kind and considerate to all with whom she came in contact.

Miss Williams was born in Brantford, Ont., March 1838. She was the eldest child of the late John and Anne Williams, pioneer settlers of Warwick, who settled on lot 18, con. 4, Warwick, still the family homestead. She came with her parents to Warwick when four years of age, and with the family shared in the hardships and privations of pioneer life.

When 16 years of age she left home to learn the trade of dressmaking with the firm of John Green & Co. of London. On completing her apprenticeship she opened a shop in Warwick Village, then a flourishing business centre, and remained in business continuously until her death. For the past 56 years she has been in business in Watford, probably a record in the district.

The funeral was held on Wednesday morning to the Watford cemetery, the Rev. F. G. Robinson, pastor of the Methodist church, of which deceased was a life-long member, officiating. He paid a high tribute to the Christian character and steadfast purpose of the life of deceased. The pall-bearers were: J. H. Hume, T. B. Taylor, W. E. Fitzgerald, A. Cameron, E. D. Swift and W. Thompson.

Deceased is survived by one sister, Mrs. J. Baker, and three brothers, John S. of Toronto; Joseph S. and H. P. Williams of Watford.

BROOKE

Walnut Ladies Aid meets at 19th

Frank Kelly's on Thursday, October 19th at 2:30.

The Tipperary Red Cross Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. E. H. Lucas, Tuesday, Oct. 17th.

Captain A. C. Barclay, of London, will conduct the services at Sutorville on Sunday next, services at 3 p.m. and 7:30 in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Watcher have returned home after spending the past two weeks with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Edgar.

Daniel Cameron of the 9th con., passed away on Sunday last at the age of 41

years. The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon to the Alvinston cemetery.

Anniversary services will be conducted in the Bethesda Church on Sunday, Oct. 22nd. Rev. S. W. Hann, M. A., of Strathroy, will conduct the services. Watch for fuller announcements later.

Children's Day service will be held in St. James' Church, Brooke, on Sunday morning at 10:45, all children are especially invited to be present. The collection will be given to the work of Sunday schools.

Anniversary services will be held in the Salem Church, Brooke Circuit, next Sunday, Oct. 15th, at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Rev. J. Ball, of Kerwood, will be the preacher for the day. A special free-will offering is asked for at each service.

The Red Cross Workers' Union will meet at Mrs. J. W. Beattie's on Wednesday, Oct. 18. We hope for a good attendance as there are a number of grey flannel shirts on hand from the Red Cross which they would like done as soon as possible, as they are more than ever needed since the cold weather has come.

WARWICK.

Miss Violet Minnieley is spending the present week with her aunt Mrs. Jas. Price, of Enniskillen.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Minnieley spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Arlof Harper, of Sarnia township.

A meeting of the Women's Patriotic League will be held at the home of Mrs. Oliver Tanner, on Wednesday afternoon Oct. 18th.

NOTICE—Any person hunting, shooting or trespassing on lot 14, con. 1, N. E. N., Warwick, after this notice, will be prosecuted.—W. BARTLEY. 013-31

Mr. Edward Clark, Toronto, motored up and spent the week end with his nieces, Mrs. Peter Kingston and Mrs. John Miller. Mrs. Miller and daughter Alice, returned with him as far as St. Marys.

The lecture given by Rev. R. Stevenson, in the Kingscourt school house, was much appreciated by all present. It was interesting as well as inspiring to learn of the customs of the various South Sea Islands. A collection was taken up in aid of the Red Cross fund which amounted to \$18.00.

Sunday Oct. 15 will be "Children's Day" in the Congregations of St. Ann's Church, Adelaide; St. Paul's Church, Kerwood; and Grace Church, 4th line, Warwick; while the Children are expected to take as much part as possible in the service, the parents and adults are also expected to be present.

Four young men who were born in Warwick township and are now serving King and Country are Peter and Cecil Graham, sons of Mr. Peter Graham of Revita, and Joseph and Alexander Crane, sons of Mr. Frank Crane, of Richardson, Sask. They enlisted in the West with the 196th City of Regina Battalion, and are now on their way overseas. They are grandsons of Mr. D. M. Ross of Watford.

Mrs. Donald McLeay is to be congratulated on being the hostess at the largest meeting of the Women's Patriotic League, which has yet been held. A pleasant and profitable time was spent. A letter of thanks for goods sent was read from the Secretary at London. The work begun at the meeting was finished next day and a nice parcel was sent to Hyman Hall, containing 3 grey flannel shirts, 12 helpless shirts, 1 pyjamas, 8 pillow slips and 12 trench towels. Collection \$12.50.

On Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 4th, the Wisbeach Patriotic League assembled at the home of Mrs. Carl Smith chiefly for the purpose of making and filling Christmas stockings for the soldiers. Twenty-five stockings were made and finished with fancy stitching in red. The articles sent in there were—Tastants, handkerchiefs, shoelaces, gum, stationery, lead pencils and various kinds of candy, with maple leaves and Christmas cards for greetings. Twenty-one hospital towels were made as well, and along with them were sent to Hyman Hall, one sheet and a pair of socks. The collection for the day amounted to \$9.04. The League has decided to make Miss Seymour, the President, a voting member at the general meetings.

The death took place in Warwick on Wednesday, Oct. 4th, 1916, of Wm. Beacom, aged 73 years. Deceased was a native of Ireland, coming from the County of Fermanagh, to Goderich in 1870. Three years later he moved to Warwick where he has since resided. In 1878 he was united in marriage to Phoebe Shaw who survives him. He was a member of the Methodist Church, where he always has taken an active part in all religious affairs. The funeral took place on Friday, Oct. 6th, from his late residence, lot 6, con. 2, S. E. R. at 2 p. m., for Warwick. The service which was held in the church was conducted by Rev. Burton. The bearers were Wm. McRorie, Robt. Smith, Wm. Laws, Peter Ferguson, Charles Mansfield and Peter Anderson. Besides the widow, there are left to mourn, two daughters and one son, namely, Harry and Alice at home, and Mrs. Herman O'Neil, Warwick.

Miss Kathleen McIntyre, daughter of J. R. MacIntyre of the Dundalk Herald, is the winner of a \$300 scholarship offered by McMaster University at the recent junior matriculation examinations.

HELP FOR WORKING WOMEN

Some Have to Keep on Until They Almost Drop. How Mrs. Conley Got Help.

Here is a letter from a woman who had to work, but was too weak and suffered so much to continue. How she regained health.

Frankfort, Ky.—"I suffered so much with female weakness that I could not do any work, had to hire it done. I heard so much about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound that I tried it. I took three bottles and I found it to be all you claim. Now I feel as well as ever I did and am able to do all my own work again. I recommend it to any woman suffering from female weakness. You may publish my letter if you wish."—Mrs. JAMES CONLEY, 516 St. Clair St., Frankfort, Ky.

No woman suffering from any form of female troubles should lose hope until she has given Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fair trial.

This famous remedy, the medicinal ingredients of which are derived from native roots and herbs, has for forty years proved to be a most valuable tonic and invigorator of the female organism.

All women are invited to write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for special advice—it will be confidential.

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NOTE AND COMMENT

Toronto Telegram: With all her preparedness, all her military training, and all her alleged 'intellect,' Germany has not been able to strike one blow so decisive that any one nation is crushed beyond resistance.

Canadian single taxers at their annual convention at Niagara Falls recently, decided to urge upon the Dominion Government, in view of the enormous war expenditure, the necessity of raising revenue by a tax upon the land values of the Dominion. A tax of one per cent. on land values would produce an additional revenue of \$90,000,000 yearly with a maximum of equity and certainty, and might be collected through existing municipal organizations with a minimum of expense.

The man who runs an auto should have a clear, level head, and keep it clear and level. As soon as he shows signs of the speed bug, he should be chained up to insure public safety. The speed limit allowed by law is at the rate of 20 miles an hour. As we understand it, this doesn't mean 20 miles an hour up hill and down dale, but a speed not in excess of 20 miles an hour at any time. At the rate fixed by law, or even lower, a man can go a long distance in a day, and the accidents would be fewer than we hear of now.—Durham Chronicle.

Remarkable prodigality is often displayed by Canadian officers and soldiers on their return to England from the front on a short leave, according to Col. F. H. Laing, of Windsor, who spent four months in the old country visiting his sons, who are serving in the overseas forces. "The boys land in England with their pockets full of money, and they start out to have a good time," said the colonel. "They do not know whether or not they will ever see 'blightly' again once they return to the front, and they proceed to make up for the time they have practically been buried in France, far away from opportunities

of spending their money." One young officer, an acquaintance of the Windsor man, spent \$26 in five days, nearly \$100 a day, while on leave, and this was only one example cited by the colonel.

Theodore Tribune: Ptes. George Pearson, D. McLennan and J. Miller, who have been with the 143rd Bn. for nearly a year, were discharged last week as "physically unfit." These seem to be the little, or no, system in the military medical department.

These men look very much fit today, and have been passed out on slight defects, which did not deter them in doing military duties in any way. The time to have passed these men out was when they were first taken on—not a year after. There are thousands of such cases throughout Canada, no doubt, which means thousands of dollars of good money thrown away.

For The Farmer Boy

How to keep the boy on the farm? The white lights of the city are always big attractions for the boy brought up on the farm, and his school education still further draws him city ward. Still there are many things occurring which are helping the farmer to make it easier for him to keep the boy at home.

The electric roads, the rural route, the daily newspaper, the automobile and other agencies at work are bringing the country nearer the city, and making life on the farm in some ways preferable to city life. The question arises, does the farmer sufficiently encourage the boy to stay at home? Are the prospects held out to him bright enough to keep him on the farm?

One of the U. S. agricultural journals, the Farm and Fireside, tells a story that is worth repeating and for the farmer to take to heart:

Last spring, a year ago, a 10-year old neighbor boy was given 10 cents by his grandmother. He purchased a packet of cucumber seeds with his money and grew a nice patch of cucumbers for the local village market. His crop brought him a little more than \$6 in money, all of which his mother allowed him to keep and spend as he pleased.

With \$1 of his money the boy purchased a few little things for himself, and with the other \$5 he purchased a ewe lamb. By this spring his ewe lamb had grown into a mature mother sheep, and she gave birth to two lambs. So now the boy has three for his investment. The mother sheep is now worth \$10, and the lambs are worth \$5 each, making a total value of \$20. He has earned with his 10 cents in a year and a half. Besides he sold the wool this spring from the mother sheep for \$2.45, which he has placed in the savings bank as the beginning of a bank account of his own.

This ten cents was a small matter. But its results may shape the whole course of the boy's life. It is not unusual, we are told, for a farmer to give his son a pig or a calf or a sheep and perhaps a colt, but the boy has a rude awakening when he comes from school one day to make the discovery that his property is missing. Father has sold it in his absence and pocketed the proceeds as a matter of course. We suspect, says an authority, that there are many boys, now with heads sprinkled with gray who can recall experiences of this kind.

It is no wonder that so many youngsters have become discouraged just at a time when they stood at the forks of the highway of life.

Warts are unsightly blemishes, and corns are painful growths. Holloway's Corn Cure will remove them.

If a woman in Germany desires a new dress she must get government permission to make the purchase.

Candidate Hughes was greeted by a crowd of first woman voters when he visited Laramie, Wyoming.

The women in Denmark are opposing the sale of the Danish West Indies to the United States.

Miss Regina W. Smith of Portland, Ore., has been granted a patent on a non-refillable bottle.

For the first time in Japanese history a princess of the imperial family is to marry a foreigner.

Woman waiters have proved such a success in London that they are now being trained as butlers.

The Proven Asthma Remedy. Since asthma existed there has been no lack of much heralded remedies, but they have proved short lived and worthless. The ever-growing reputation of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has given it a place in the field of medicine which no other can approach. It has never been pushed by sensational methods, but has simply gone on effecting relief and making new converts.

THE ARCH OF CTESIPHON.

Large Remnant of a Once Wonderful and Magnificent City.

Just below Bagdad, on the Tigris, there stands a wonderful ruin known as the Arch of Ctesiphon—all that remains today of a once mighty city, the one time capital of the Parthian kingdom.

The ruins consist of an immense chamber, 21 feet wide by 254 feet long, with an arched roof in one single span of the whole width, the crown of the arch being 294 feet high. The edifice has a back, but in front is entirely open from top to bottom, displaying the whole of the magnificent vaulted chamber. On one side, at the same height as the arch, extends a kind of facade. The whole building is constructed of burnt bricks about a foot square, and it is supposed that the front was originally cased with marble.

Historical records show Ctesiphon was a second Babylon in point of size and in the splendor of its palaces and princely houses. When taken by the Romans 669,000 captives and a rich booty fell into their possession. Later it became the capital of Persia. Here Chosroes, the twenty-third king of Persia, lived in great style. His throne was in a palace of prodigious height and so vast that it was supported by 40,000 silver columns. Its roof was enriched with 1,000 golden globes, which all had different movements and represented the planets and the various constellations.

Some centuries later this wonderful palace and city were sacked by the Arabs, since when it has gradually decayed, all that remains today being this single arch.—Wide World Magazine.

THE CULPRIT CAME BACK.

Because "Big Sim" Was Only a Sheriff and Not a Surveyor.

A Salt Lake City man tells this story of one "Big Sim," a deputy sheriff of Eureka, from whom no criminal could get away by the 'cross country' method. Sim was familiar with every foot of ground in eastern Nevada and could outrun a coyote.

As deputy sheriff he engaged in several long chases, always with success. His capture of a horse thief known as "Spanish Abe" was the toast of Eureka for a long time.

This Spanish Abe was a "bad actor," who made it his business to appropriate stray cattle and the blooded mares of the neighborhood. With a companion he was finally rounded up and incarcerated in the Eureka jail. The next night, however, the criminals forced the window of their cell and took to the brush, mounted on the fleetest animals they could steal.

Big Sim, hours later, hit the trail in pursuit. Spanish Abe turned toward Utah and was changing horses along the road. Big Sim, renewing his mount likewise and cutting across country, gained on the fugitives in the desert. Pursued and pursued he had been riding continuously, and the horses were giving way under the strain. But Big Sim kept on, and it is said he was well into Utah when he brought Spanish Abe and his companion upon a level with his gun and clapped on the handcuffs.

"You have no right to take us, Sim," the Mexican whined. "We are in Utah."

"Rats!" Big Sim replied. "I ain't no surveyor. Come on."—Case and Comment.

A Stream of Water.

A high pressure jet of water will bowl over a man as easily as if he were a box of matches and leave him half stunned. It will even turn a bullet from its path. Experiments have shown that a jet of water can be produced at such a high pressure that it becomes practically a bar of iron. Swords have been blunted in attempting to cut through these extra high pressure jets. Some years ago an armed thief attempted to hold up a high official of the Bank of England in his private office. The official managed to get out of the room unharmed and locked the door. A resourceful attendant brought the fire hose. He opened the door sufficiently to insert the nozzle. In a few minutes the would be thief was picked up senseless.—Pearson's Weekly.

A Family Affair.

It was at the information bureau—the place set apart for inquiries about wounded men in the various hospitals. In dattered a particularly pretty girl and addressed the rather severe looking lady in charge.

"I wish," she said, "to see Lieutenant Ernest Wagner. In what hospital is he?"

"Lieutenant Wagner can receive visits only from his relatives."

"I am his cousin."

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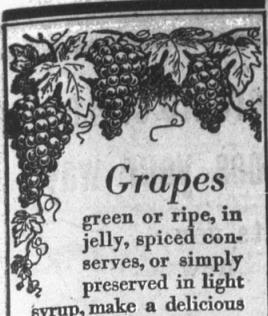
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Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Bertha Krupp, owner of the immense gun works at Essen, Germany, is reputed to be worth more than \$200,000,000.

Eva Leewah, daughter of a Chinese merchant in Bayonne, N. J., wants to present an aeroplane to the United States army.

White enamel furniture can be cleaned with turpentine and it will retain its gloss.

Rubber bands are not expensive, and they are useful in so many ways in the kitchen.

Warmed-over meat loses its flavor, therefore the gravy should be well seasoned.

If the layer cake insists on sliding when you are putting it together, put two skewers through the layers to hold them together.

It testifies for itself.—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil needs no testimonial of its powers other than itself. Whoever tries it for coughs or colds, for cuts or contusions, for sprains or burns, for pains in the limbs or body, well know that the medicine powers itself and needs no guarantee. This shows why this Oil is in general use.

Milk or milk foods will not scorch in the cooking if the steppan is rinsed in cold water and rubbed with a little fresh butter or lard.

When beating eggs with a Dover egg beater, try holding the beater at an angle in the bowl. The work will be accomplished much quicker.

Women volunteer reserves collecting waste paper for the Glasgow Corporation are now a familiar sight in that city.

A Remedy for Bilious Headache.—To those subject to bilious headache, Par-melee's Vegetable Pills are recommended as the way to speedy relief. Taken according to directions they will subdue irregularities of the stomach and so act upon the nerves and blood vessels that the pains in the head will cease. There are few who are not at sometime subject to biliousness and familiar with its attendant evils. Yet none need suffer with these pills at hand.

FAMOUS BRIDGES.

The Highest, Largest and Most Ornate Structures of Their Kind.

The biggest bridge in the world is the Forth bridge. The British navy can pass under it, and its biggest dreadnaught looks like a pygmy in comparison.

The highest bridge in the world is the wonderful single span which crosses the gorge discovered by Livingston, into which the mighty Zambesi leaps in a fall only matched by Niagara. This light, airy looking structure is 400 feet above the river bed, so that the dome of St. Paul's could comfortably stand beneath it.

The longest single span in the world is the span of Brooklyn bridge. It is a suspension bridge, and its supporting towers are 1,600 feet apart. Imagine the strength of the cables capable of supporting such a terrible dead weight, to which add the surging traffic of two vast cities.

The two longest bridges in the world are the Tay bridge in Scotland and the great bridge which carries the railway across the St. Lawrence at Montreal.

The most ornate bridge in the world is the Tower bridge across the Thames. In fact, it is perhaps the most beautiful bridge in existence. It is unique, too, in that it is both a girder bridge and a suspension bridge and is also like the ancient drawbridges of romance.

Its cost was £1,500,000, which is just about half the amount the Forth bridge cost.—London Chronicle.

INFLATION AS A DEFENSE.

Easy For the Puffer Fish to Bask in Natural Enemies.

The puffer fish affords a novel example of the way nature sometimes works to protect her creatures. The many different species inhabit all tropical and other warm seas and certain large rivers. Few of them reach a length of more than two feet.

The peculiar characteristic common to all of them is their ability to inflate themselves with air or water until they become almost spherical in shape. The air or water that fills the abdomen or the esophageal sac is retained by a valve in the throat and can be discharged almost instantly.

A few good sized eel were placed in one of the exhibition tanks of the New York Zoological society with a dozen puffers about two inches long. The hungry eel at once attacked the puffers, but in an instant every puffer inflated itself so completely with water that it became almost globular. All the eel could do was to knock them about like toy balloons, too big to be swallowed, too smooth to afford any hold to the jaws.

Puffers that become frightened near the surface of the sea and are inflated with air sometimes drift ashore, where they roll along the sands until they die and are dried by the sun and wind. The Japanese make lanterns of their dried inflated bodies, for the stretched skin is as transparent as oiled paper.—Youth's Companion.

Locating Icebergs.

The captain of an ocean steamer in most cases finds out when his vessel is approaching an iceberg from the men down in the engine room. That sounds queer, but it is a fact nevertheless. It appears that when a steamship enters water considerably colder than that through which it has been going its propeller runs faster. Such water usually surrounds the vicinage of icebergs for many miles. When the propeller's action therefore is accelerated without the steam power being increased word is passed up to the officer on the bridge that icebergs may be expected, and a close lookout for them is established. There are natural reasons for the propeller acting in this way, and sea captains will assert the same thing.

One Good in Flimsy Houses.

The Japanese have an easier time than their confreres in Europe. Crime in the land of the chrysanthemum is almost limited to theft and cases of bodily harm resulting from street brawls. It is next to impossible, the chief of the Tokyo police says, for a murder to be committed without some one hearing of it at the moment. This is due to the fact that the houses are composed of paper and bamboo, so any noise in a house occasioned by robbers or assassins would not fail to attract the attention of neighbors.—Dundee Advertiser.

No Hope For Them.

"Some folks fuss with the world because it won't turn to look at them," says a Georgia philosopher, "but if it should stop to hear their complaints they'd soon be fussing because it doesn't talk back. There's no pleasing them this side of heaven, and even up there the angels wouldn't know how to make 'em feel at home."—Atlanta Constitution.

Taken at His Word.

He (after marriage)—What! You have no fortune? said over and

over again that you were afraid some one would marry you for your money. She—Yes, and you said over and over again that you would be happy with me if I hadn't a cent. Well, I haven't a cent.

Too Busy.

"When a cook is making her bread she is unlike the rest of the world in one particular."
"What is that?"
"She does not want her friends to come to her in her hour of knead."

Good actions ennoble us, and we are the sons of our own deeds.—Cervantes.

BELGIUM'S BRNEFACTOR.

A Great Man Whose Name is Seldom Heard.

"Hoover? Who is Hoover?" someone asked at a war conference recently. The ignorance was excusable, for few people know who or what "Hoover" is, although, to quote the words of a member of President Wilson's Cabinet, "Hoover is the American of all Americans who has played the most important part in the great tragedy being enacted in Europe."

Herbert C. Hoover, who is head of the Belgian Relief Fund and has directed the expenditure of £10,000,000 in recent months, is one of the most brilliant engineers and financiers in the world. Europe has decorated him for his achievements in mining engineering, and he is a member of many scientific and learned societies.

His greatest engineering work has been achieved in China, where he has opened up mines and vast networks of railways. Starting life as a farmer's boy, he worked barefooted in the fields. Hoover paid for his own education, supporting himself for four years at Stanford University, afterwards qualifying for various mining appointments, achieving a reputation in Mexico and California before coming to Europe and becoming such a power in the mining and engineering world. It is a saying that where Hoover leads other men follow, and today the former farmers' boy is sought by Royalty and the business kings of the world. From his office in London he directs his huge mining operations in all parts of the globe, as well as the great relief work for unhappy Belgium.

To Regularize Marriages.

Irregular marriages in Scotland are receiving the attention of the Secretary of State for Scotland, and he has recently introduced in the House of Commons a bill to amend the present registration law. A memorandum attached to the Bill states that the present law provides that the parties to an irregular marriage in Scotland may apply to the Sheriff within three months of the marriage for a warrant to register the marriage. Owing to the neglect of the parties many warrants are not followed by registration. The number of applications has considerably increased since the war, and there is reason to suppose that the parties in a number of cases are soldiers and sailors. The Bill makes it possible for men serving with the colors to comply within the limits of a short furlough with the formalities necessary to a regular marriage. At present that is often impossible, and many who would prefer to be married regularly are compelled to resort to an irregular marriage.

National Emblems.

On the origin of the adoption of the thistle as the emblem of Scotland history is almost completely silent, but tradition is as glib as ever. According to one story, the Danes were stealing barefooted through the darkness towards the Scottish camp (in spite of their rule which regarded a midnight attack upon an enemy as unwarrantable), when one of the soldiers suddenly trod upon a thistle. Involuntarily he uttered a cry of pain, and the Scotsmen, being aroused, leaped to their feet, hurled themselves upon the Danes, and inflicted fearful slaughter upon their foes.

The origin of the "wearing of the leek" by Wales is still a matter of archaeological disputation. Welsh ecclesiastical tradition ascribes it to St. David, who caused the Britons under King Cadwaladr to distinguish themselves by wearing a leek in their bonnets when they fought against the Saxons. Shakespeare, however, ascribes its origin to an incident in the Battle of Crevy.

Colors and Heat.

In an attempt to illustrate graphically the relative values for summer wear of different colors in dress materials, an interesting experiment was recently conducted. Four strips of cloth, made of the same material and weight, but of different colors, were placed on a cake of ice and exposed to the sun. The fabrics wore white, yellow, red, and black. The result showed in a striking way how white reflects the sun's rays while black absorbs them.

The ice covered by the piece of white cloth was not melted to any appreciable degree during the test; that under the yellow strip was slightly depressed; a deep cut was formed beneath the red cloth, and a

groove approximately twice as deep as that covered by the latter was melted under the black fabric.

White-Washed Kerbstones.

Since the exigencies of war have made it necessary largely to eliminate street lighting in British cities, it has been found advisable in certain instances to whitewash the kerbs on either side of public thoroughfares so as to make it easier to discern the roadways at night.

At Norwich a pneumatic painting-machine carried on a steam wagon has been successfully employed for doing this work. The lime solution is forced through a hose under air-pressure and directed at the kerb. A nozzle especially designed so as to prevent the spreading of the wash beyond certain limits is used. With this equipment the work can be done at a rate of about three miles an hour.

Richest in Europe.

Queen Wilhelmina of Holland is said to be the richest sovereign in Europe in her own right, her income being enormous from the crown lands and from her vast colonies.

Exit Red Tape.

By the substitution of white for red tape in London Government offices a saving of \$7,000 a year has been secured.

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The first paper mill in America was established in 1690 at Roxbury, near Philadelphia. The second was erected in Germantown in 1710, and the third, founded in 1714 on Chester creek, in Delaware, was the source of Benjamin Franklin's supply.—Argonaut.

Directed.

Floorwalker—Looking for something, madam? Fat Lady—Husband. Floorwalker—First aisle to your left—male order department.

Always Smoking.

"Do you think smoking shortens life?"
"I don't think so. Look at old Vesuvius."

When life ceases to be a promise it does not cease to be a task.—Amiel.

FLYING BULLETS.

Forces That Control the Curve They Take to Reach the Ground.

The trajectory of a rifle is the curve which the bullet describes in traveling from the muzzle of the rifle to its mark at a given range. This curve is the component of two forces—first, the momentum imparted to the bullet in the rifle barrel and second, the downward pull of gravitation. Many persons have the erroneous idea that so long as a body is traveling ahead very fast it will not drop.

The fallacy of this notion can be very prettily shown by a laboratory experiment in which two rubber balls of the same size and weight are projected from a miniature catapult at precisely the same instant, but in such a way that ball A has double the velocity of ball B. Although ball A will travel twice as far as ball B before it strikes the floor, it will always be observed that the two balls strike the floor at the same instant.

High velocity, then, does not free a rifle bullet from the effect of gravity, but it does enable it to travel a greater distance ahead before it has had time to fall any given distance. That is the true reason why high velocity tends to give a low trajectory. For comparison of cartridges the height of the trajectory at midrange is generally taken as the standard.—Outing.

APACHES OF PARIS.

Strife Over an Underworld Beauty Led to Their Undoing.

The apaches of Paris are an order of the lowest and most dangerous criminals in the world. There is not a great central organization like the Italian orders and no fixed rules or assemblies. It consists merely of groups of crooks operating in different quarters of the city. These little groups or circles take their names from the quarter of the city that they inhabit and have their own conventional signs, places of meeting, leaders and the like. The members are usually young, beginning as boys of ten or fifteen years.

The women associated with these criminal bands are called marmites in the vernacular of the underworld. There was a struggle in Paris between the apache bands of Manda and Lecca, involving, like the Iliad, the abduction of a Helen. She was a famous beauty in the subterranean cafes of Paris and called, in the argot of Montmartre, La Casque d'Or. The very name has the ring of romance. She was betrothed to the leader of the Manda and was carried off by the rival band of Lecca. War followed between the bands—a bitter, vindictive, bloody feud.

This contest destroyed the apache ascendancy in Paris.—Melville D. Post.

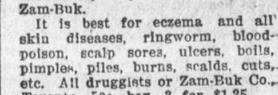
WHO IS RESPONSIBLE

for the health of the family? The mother, of course! She is naturally particular to give her children only the purest of internal medicines, but she may not always know that a remedy applied to the skin enters the child's system, by absorption, just as surely as a medicine that is swallowed. This is a fact, and the mother should, therefore, use only the purest ointment obtainable.

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COUNTY OF LAMBTON

Treasurer's Notice as to Lands

Liable for Sale for Taxes,

A. D., 1916.

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

And further take notice that the list of lands for sale as aforesaid is now being published in the Ontario Gazette in the issues thereof bearing date 8th, 15th, 22nd and 29th days of July, 1916.

And further take notice that in default of payment of the taxes in arrears upon the lands specified in said list together with the costs chargeable thereon as set forth in the said list so being published in the Ontario Gazette before the day fixed for sale of such lands, being the 16th day of October, A. D., 1916, the said lands will be sold for taxes pursuant to the terms of the advertisement in the Ontario Gazette.

And further take notice that this publication is made pursuant to Assessment Act, Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914, Chapter 195, Sec. 149, Sub. Sec. 3.

Dated at Sarnia this 6th day of July, A. D., 1916.

H. INGRAM,
Treasurer of Lambton.

ANOTHER SUCCESS

East Lambton Fall Fair Draws Big Crowd.

PLENDID EXHIBITS, GOOD RACES, FINE WEATHER, SATISFIED PATRONS.

There was a great gathering at the annual fall fair of the East Lambton Agricultural Society on Wednesday last and the fair was a grand success in every respect. The weatherman was generous and favored the fair with one of the pleasantest days of the season. The crowd did not arrive as early as some years, but doubtless this was on account of the large number of autos now in use. There were autos everywhere—ranged along the streets and parked in the grounds by the score—and many of them had come a long distance.

There was an exceedingly fine display in the exhibition hall, especially in the ladies' work department. Many beautiful specimens of work were shown, and it was the general opinion that in this department the display was equal in quality to anything seen in the city shows.

The ground floor of the hall contained a magnificent display of apples shown by the Warford Fruit Growers' Association and the interesting display of the Ontario Agricultural College. These were under the supervision of Mr. W. P. McDonald, the county agricultural representative. The rest of the floor space was taken up with a Ford exhibit and the piano men. Harper Bros. had a fine display of Mason & Risch piano players and pianos and Singer sewing machines.

In the dairy and cookery departments there was an unusually fine display, especially of butter and honey. The flowers were not as plentiful as some years, but that no doubt is accounted for by the recent frosts and the late date at which the fair was held.

The entries in the outside classes were a good average and some very fine animals were shown. The poultry class was also up to the mark.

Almost everyone predicted that the display of fruits and vegetables would be small, but a visit to the tent which contained these articles soon disillusioned the spectator. Probably the fruit entries were not as numerous as usual but some very fine samples were shown. The display of vegetables was exceedingly good.

THE RACES

The speed events were well contested and furnished excellent sport. The different events were won in straight heats.

OPEN RACE

Little Alfred, (Barrett).....1 1
Dolly G., (Eadie).....2 2
Craigie Togo, (Currie).....3 3

COLT RACE

Kerwood Boy (Humphries).....1 1
Saxbar, (Sutherland).....2 2
Lady Wesley, (Galbraith).....3 3

2.35 CLASS

Midnight, (McKane).....1 1
Hazel Mack, (McDonald).....2 3
Nettie B., (J. McDonald).....4 2
Teddy P., (Porter).....3 5
Paddy Boy, (Williamson).....5 5
Prince Pat, (Mackie).....6 4

NOTES

The prize list will be published next week.

Dr. J. B. Martyn, M. P. P., Alvinston, was an interested spectator.

The display of flags and other decorations was very creditable.

Gate receipts \$775; entries 2100; grand stand receipts \$75; concert receipts \$92.

J. D. Lourie of Sarnia, officiated as starter in his usual capable and satisfactory way.

Ray Morningstars special for the best kept Ford car on the grounds was taken by Fred Restorick.

The Klitties Band gave a good supply of inspiring music. They are always well received.

Irl Hicks' reputation as a weather prophet has gone punk. He predicted a stormy day for the fair.

The refreshment booths were well patronized and the owners were well satisfied with the business done.

The directors will meet on Saturday, Oct. 21st, to examine the prize list. After that date the prize money will be paid by the Treasurer.

The prize for best patriotic drill by a class of public school pupils was awarded S. S. No. 11, Warwick; Miss Florence Edwards, teacher.

Mrs. Metcalfe, aged 75, a successful exhibitor in the ladies' department won P. Dodds' Special for the oldest woman on the grounds.

The sheeny jewelry business, try your strength machines, try pins and swat the nigger games were not patronized much. The day for these is past.

There was keen competition for Brown's Special for best single roadster driven by a lady. Mrs. Mitchell of Glencoe was awarded the prize.

The prize for address on "What Effect the War will have on Canada?" was taken by Linda McIntosh, S. S. No. 10, Warwick, teacher Miss M. Mansfield.

The little McGregor sisters of Sarnia were just as charming as heretofore. One never tires of watching their grace and agility on the dancing platform.

The young ladies representing the Daughters of the Empire did well selling flags. Their endeavors realized a good sum for patriotic purposes. Nearly every one approached gave willingly.

The surrounding towns and villages sent good delegations and many old friends met and had a hearty handshake. There were several visitors from Michigan and Sarnia sent a goodly number.

The merry-go-round was kept busy all the time and the youngsters had a jolly

day. Some of the little ones had looked forward for many a day for the promised fun, and the directors have retrieved their lost reputation concerning merry-go-rounds.

The concert given under the auspices of the Society in the Armory was well attended and a really first-class program presented. W. A. McCutcheon, the harpist, is a pleasing artist and Robert Hannah the elocutionist and entertainer, gave some clever sketches. Miss McIntosh, the well-known and popular violinist is always welcome.

The baby show under the fraternal supervision of President Farrell passed off peacefully, the judges, who were from a distance, reserving decision until they escaped from the grounds. The winners: Mrs. V. Wellington's baby 1st; Mrs. Gordon Luckham's 2nd; Mrs. Harry Guy's 3rd. The other entries were highly commended for their good looks and exemplary conduct.

Swift's special for best 5 minute speech on "Who Started the War," by public school pupil, awarded Willie Fitzgerald, of Watford, teacher Miss Hume; Sarah Cundick, Union Section 16 and 20, Warwick and Bossanquet, second, teacher Marie Davidson; Lottie Higgins, S. S. No. 3, Brooke, Miss Mary Coke, teacher, 3rd.

BORN.

In Warwick, on Wednesday, October 11th, to Mr. and Mrs. Russel Williams a daughter.

DIED.

In Brooke, on Sunday, October 8th, 1916, Daniel Campbell, aged 41 years, 5 months and 8 days.

In Watford, on Monday, October 9th, 1916, Sarah Jane Williams, in her 78th year.

CHOP STUFF

Sarnia is to have a fish market.

Inwood school fair, Friday, Oct. 20.

Welland gained 665 in population in the past year.

Wm. H. Silk died at Petrolia last week in his 80th year.

Lieut. J. A. Harper, formerly of Sarnia, was killed in action.

The Sombra and Courtright newspaper has given up the ghost.

Wm. Gould showed a watermelon at Glencoe Fair weighing 45 pounds.

Riggie Roche, of Forest, had his arm broken at the wrist while playing.

And Karr died at Forest last Thursday. For some years he held the position of policeman at Point Edward.

Hickory nuts, chestnuts and walnuts will be very scarce this year from all accounts.

Roderick Dewar, who conducted a tailor shop in Theford for many years, is dead.

R. J. Polley has been named Sec. Treas. of Petrolia high school board at a salary of \$25.00.

Fire in the Petrolia Wagon Co. plant Sunday morning, did damage to the extent of \$30,000.

Roy Roberts has been appointed librarian of the Glencoe public library at a salary of \$75 a year.

Chas. Jeffs near Dresden had 70 hogs killed by the Provincial authorities last week, owing to hog cholera.

The Tilbury Times instead of pulling down the size of its paper or raising the price comes out every second week.

Roy Windover, 10th line Enniskillen, was run over by an auto and badly injured. He was riding a bicycle at the time.

The agreement between Forest Council and the Hydro Electric Commission, specifies that service will be given on or before Dec. 1st.

Rev. Mr. Mundy of Wanstead has bought a home in Wyoming where he will reside in future having retired from the active ministry.

The rapidly increasing use of Hydro electricity in Galt has made it necessary in commission to decide on doubling the present line capacity.

Mr. Donaldson, engineer at the electric power house at Glencoe, fell from a pole while repairing the street wiring on Thursday and severely injured himself.

Major Fred Gorman of Sarnia who went overseas as one of the company commanders of the 70th Battalion has left the service, according to cablegrams from England.

A large motor trunk laden with peaches reached Petrolia on Saturday night after ten o'clock. The owner immediately offered the peaches for sale at twenty-five cents per large basket and sold the whole lot—125 baskets—in twenty minutes.

Remember that this month is the best time to fight the bugs that would destroy your garden next year. Burn all the tops of plants—asparagus, potatoes, melons, cucumbers and tomatoes, particularly, and you will have destroyed many pests of next summer. Do not bury or plow under.

The recent frosts were more pronounced in Michigan than here and growers claim that they have spoiled all possible chances of beans giving a good yield this year. The crop in Minnesota suffered likewise, and potatoes were badly injured in both districts. One Michigan dealer claims that beans will retail at \$10 per bushel before winter is over.

Moses Simons, aged 72 years, met a tragic death on his farm near Wyoming Wednesday, the result of the caving in of a gravel pit in which he was working alone. The discovery was made by his daughter, Mrs. S. Wilkinson, with whom he lived, the fatality occurring not far from the home. Mrs. Wilkinson summoned help, and the body was promptly released, and Dr. W. Reid summoned, but life was extinct.

As Soon as you see New Styles in Toronto or London Papers we have Them with Prices your way.



Misses Dress 8709

Butterick Pattern 8709

A smart lot of New Coats for ladies open this week, new nifty styles.

Have your suit made to order in city style. Our ladies' tailor will please



Waist 8694 Skirt 8673 Butterick Patterns

A lot of new silks in black and colored, also new skirt effects, \$1 to \$1.75. Special colored poplins,



Dress 8699

Butterick Pattern 8699

\$22.00 to \$35.00

\$1.35

SWIFT SONS & CO. DIRECT IMPORTERS.

WANT COLUMN.

SECOND-HAND PANDORA RANGE for sale. Nearly as good as new. Apply to D. WATT, Watford. s29-1m

BARN SILLS for sale—Three 45 feet long, two 30 feet long. Also two vats, etc.—Apply to G. GOODMAN, Watford.

LOST on Oct. 2nd, on the 6th line, between 15 sideroad and the townline, a light-colored lap robe with flower in centre. Finder please notify GILBERT WOODS, Watford P. O.

CIDER PRESS.—TROTTER BROS., west half lot 16, con. 6, S. E. R. Warwick, will operate their cider press every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoon during the season. s15-m2

WORN OUT HORSES and fallen animals of any kind bought.—LETT BROS., fur ranchers, lot 18, con. 13, Brooke; Rural phone 4821. Watford P. O. Phone messages at our expense.

FOR SALE—10 h. p. gasoline or coal oil engine; 1 turning lathe; 1 portable logg and saw; 1 combination dimension saw; 1 shaper. All nearly new and in first-class shape. Apply to HARRY WILLIAMSON, Watford. a25-2m

PERSONS DESIRING to buy either a dwelling house property or a business property in Watford should apply to W. E. FITZGERALD, barrister, etc., Watford, who has several of such properties for sale. A stable in Watford to rent.

A SHIPMENT of Chevrolet cars expected to-day. Anyone wanting a car can get a bargain this month. If you are thinking of getting a car in the spring you will save big money buying now from R. C. McLEAV. o13-2t

NOTE AND COMMENT

Did you ever stop to think of what it means to be a Canadian? Turn it over in your mind a few times and then never forget that you are a Canadian.

Walkerton Telescope—Something of a sensation was caused in one of our schools recently when two youngsters who had been fighting were given their choice by the teacher of a strapping or fighting it out before the whole class. After some hesitation the two youngsters got up and waded in again before the class and it was no fake exhibition either.

Canada is now paying about twenty-five million per year to the wives and dependents of the soldiers who have gone to the front. Separation allowances, which a year ago totalled about one million per month, now exceeds two millions per month. In addition to this amount paid monthly by the Dominion Treasury, the Patriotic Fund is now expending about one million per month, distributed among some 7,500 families, whose normal source of income has either been cut off or seriously diminished by the enlistment of wage-earners.

WE INVITE YOU

To look over our stock of Shoes and Rubbers—just what you want for fall. Some special bargains yet for quick buyers. Come early and get a bargain.

Women's Fine Button Shoes	\$2 75
Girls' Fine Button Shoes	2 25
Boys' School Shoes	2 25
Men's Gun Metal Blucher Shoes	3 50
Men's Working Shoes	2 50

A large stock of Fancy China, odd pieces, 10c to \$4.00.

Some nice Hanging and Parlor Lamps.

A large shipment of new Wall Paper received. See the new patterns, something new.

GIVE US A TRIAL ORDER FOR GROCERIES AND BE PLEASED.

WATFORD'S BUSY STORE—

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We Do All Kinds of Printing

Guide-Advocate Want Ads. Get Quick Results

THE STERLING BANK OF CANADA

SAVE, Because---

With a savings account you are master of circumstances; without one you are a pray to circumstances.

BROOKE COUNCIL,

Alvinston, Sept. 30th, 1916
Council met pursuant to adjournment. Members all present. Minutes of former meeting read and adopted.

Engineer's report read on the proposed repairs to the Carpenter drain, estimated cost \$819.

Kennedy—Johnston—That report be adopted and by-law be prepared authorizing work and loan.—Carried.

Communications: From R. Stirrett asking Council to pass a resolution requesting the Hydro Electric Power Commission of Ontario to prepare reports showing the feasibility of constructing and operating an electric railway system extending from Strathroy to Rutherford.

Johnston—Kennedy—That clerk notify Mr. Stirrett that Council is not in favor of taking action until after the war.—Carried.

From F. W. Wilson, K. C., asking the Council to investigate and report on any fires which might occur in the Township.

LUMBER AND BUILDERS SUPPLIES

We were never better prepared and equipped to meet the wants of our customers than at the present time.

If our lumber does not fit your bill our machines will make it fit. A large number are acquainted with the quality of our stock and the efficiency of our service, to them we promise to do more for them in the future. We desire to call your attention to the fact that we are in a position to give you superior service, such as you cannot get elsewhere.

See Our Choice Cedar Posts, Lath, Shingles, Beaver Board
National Carbonless Motor Oil, Roof Paint - - for Coating
old roofs and Arco Sealit - - This Stops a leak Instantly.

WATFORD PLANNING MILLS

Est. 1870.

G. CHAMBERS EST.

Kennedy—Johnston—That clerk notify F. W. Wilson that any fires occurring in the Township would be investigated and reported.—Carried.

From Solicitor in behalf of D. Gibson re complaint of the Brooke and Euphemiea townline drain. Referred to Reeve to settle.

Charles Wilkes complained that some of the tile in the Shultus-Maddock drain were broken down and asked to have the same repaired. Referred to Commissioner.

Circular from the Secretary of the British Red Cross appealing for aid—proclaiming Oct. 19th the day collections are to be made, and asking the Council to take such steps as they deem expedient to bring the matter

to the attention of the citizens.

Annett—Johnston—That a grant of \$50 be given in aid of the British Red Cross.—Carried.

Kennedy—Bourne—That Council open as a Court of Revision on Dolbear-Gray drain with reeve in the chair.—Carried.

Two appeals: R. H. Werden, sworn, said, "do not use the drain as an outlet." Walter Brownlee's appeal being the same.

Bourne—Kennedy—That assessment made by engineer on Dolbear-Gray drain be adopted without any change and by-law be read a third time and finally passed and Court closed.—Carried.

By-law read and passed.

D. L. Fisher Commissioner on the Bourne drain reported the work com-

pleted.

Bourne—Kennedy—That the deposit of the Woolman Construction Co., contractors of the Bourne drain, be returned.—Carried.

Bourne—Johnston—That Council open as a Court of Revision on the 7th concession drain with Reeve in the chair.—Carried.

One appeal—R. Watt appealed against any allowance in estimates for farm culverts.

Campbell—Bourne—That assessment made by engineer on the 7th concession drain across lot 11 be adopted without any change, and by-law be read a third time and finally passed, and Court closed.—Carried. By-law read and passed.

By-law introduced and read to spread pro rata the sum of \$24.13 on lands and roads assessed by-law No. 13 of 1914 for the repair to the McGill drain.

Bourne—Kennedy—That by-law be read a third time and finally passed.—Carried.

By-law introduced and read to repair the Armstrong Award drain under the Municipal Drainage Act.

Johnston—Bourne—That by-law be provisionally adopted, printed in pamphlet form with copies served on each party assessed with a notice that a Court of Revision on same be held in Orange Hall, Inwood, on Saturday, Oct. 28th, 1916 at 2 p. m., Dugald Campbell to be commissioner and to serve by-laws.—Carried.

Johnston—Campbell—That John Edgar be appointed tile drain inspector with remuneration at \$3.00 per day.—Carried.

Bourne—Johnston—That Council do now adjourn to meet at Inwood on Saturday, Oct. 28th, 1916.—Carried.

W. J. WARD, clerk.



Dressing Station, Firing Line—Official Film, "Battle of the Somme."

Give and heal!

An urgent call for help again goes forth from the Motherland's mighty life-saving agency—the British Red Cross. The Empire is called upon to give greatly, give lovingly, give quickly, that the sick, wounded and suffering on all the battle fronts may not languish and perish in their hours of deepest need.

Here is a great work in which all can share. The Joint War Committee of the British Red Cross Society and Order of St. John is the only institution which carries voluntary aid to the sick and wounded of the British forces on land and sea in every region of the war. Thousands of lives of our bravest and best are saved through this splendid work. YOUR gift may save a life. Isn't it worth doing? It is. GIVE!

The Red Cross looks after the transportation of sick and wounded—it equips thousands of hospitals, rest and convalescent homes, it supplies countless requisites for hospital work, clothing and other comforts. Over 2,000 Red Cross Motor Ambulances are at work on the various fronts, while "rest stations," hospital trains, steamers and launches, food for prisoners, books, special work for the blind, etc., etc., are a few, only, of Red Cross activities.



Make "Our Day" Your
Red Cross Gift Day
Give on October 19th

The Sick and Wounded
Call For Your Help
Give on October 19th

Ontario's princely gift in 1915 of \$1,514,000 rang a clarion mercy call throughout the Empire. The British Red Cross were grateful beyond measure, and their appeal through Lord Lansdowne, President, now comes to us as to friends who sympathize and help. The need is greater to-day than a year ago—it is ever growing. Will Ontario do less than she did last year? No! GIVE—give a day's pay, give all you can, GIVE.

Your gift will go entirely to the British Red Cross, where, again, through much voluntary work, the working expenses are cut down to only 2 1/2% of the total revenue. Thus, if you give \$10, actually \$9.77 1/2 goes to the healing and saving of some stricken hero. The expenses of the Ontario Committee, advertising, printing, etc., are being met entirely by the Provincial Government.

Premier Hearst Has Seen the Work

"My visit to England and France has aroused deeper appreciation than ever of the splendid work of the Red Cross. It deserves every support, and I trust the people of Ontario will respond with their usual generosity to the British Red Cross Appeal for October 19th."

HON. W. H. HEARST,
Prime Minister of Ontario.

Mr. N. W. Rowell, K.C., Brings a Red Cross Message

"I bring a message of cheer to those who have relatives at the front and who fear they may be wounded. I believe everything human skill can do, that human care and sympathy can provide, is being done and provided each day and each night throughout the year by the Army Medical Corps and the Red Cross. It is a perfect marvel of efficiency."

MR. N. W. ROWELL, K.C.,
Leader of the Opposition.

He gives twice who gives quickly.
Your help is needed NOW!

The Motherland's only direct appeal to us for help in this great war is her great Red Cross mercy work. Ontario's response must and will be quick and generous. Give through the Treasurer of your Local Committee—or, send your subscription to the Clerk of your municipality—or, make it payable to Hon. T. W. McGarry, Treasurer British Red Cross Fund for Ontario, Parliament Buildings, Toronto.

Don't Let Your Stricken Defenders
Call in Vain, but

Give and heal!



Wounded in the Trenches—Official Film, "Battle of the Somme."

GUARD THE CHILDREN FROM AUTUMN COLDS

The fall is the most severe season of the year for colds—one day is warm the next is wet and cold and unless the mother is on her guard the little ones are seized with colds that may hang on all winter. Baby's Own Tablets are mothers best friend in preventing or banishing colds. They act as a gentle laxative, keeping the bowels and stomach free and sweet. An occasional dose will prevent colds or if it does come on suddenly the prompt use of the Tablets will quickly cure it. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Acknowledgement

The Utopia Bible Class of the Methodist S. S., Watford have adopted a prisoner of war in Germany and since June have been sending parcels and letters. Mrs. Snell, the teacher, received a reply on Saturday last as follows:—

Kriegesfangennlagen, Lichtenhorst
Soltan, Hanover, Aug. 27th, 1916
Dear Mrs. Snell: Thank you very much for your kind letter dated July 30th, and also for a most welcome parcel from your S. S. Class. It arrived in excellent condition and everything was enjoyed to the full. My home in Canada is Montreal and I sincerely hope that it will not be very long before I am back again. I am very glad that you are having good weather. Here the weather is uncertain and we have very little sun. Again thanking you for your good wishes.

L. CORP. F. W. F. CUNNINGHAM,
14th Can. Batt.

Irwin Wood of Dawn township, pleaded guilty to the charge of stealing a pair of lines from a horse in a church shed at Thamesville and was given a fine of \$16.82, jail sentence not being given because of sympathy for his family.

WOMAN ALL RUN DOWN

Made Strong and Well By Vinol

Waynesboro, Pa.—"I was all run down after a hard spell of bronchitis so it was hard for me to keep about. I had pains in my chest and took cold easily. A friend asked me to try Vinol. I did, and it built me up so I am strong and well and I am able to do my housework which I had not done for three months before taking Vinol."—Mrs. Y. R. HOBBOUGH, Waynesboro, Pa.

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Why A Child Needs Glasses

MANY children are born with a defect of vision. Unless it is very great the child does not particularly suffer until the school period. Then the young mind becomes intent upon study and any defect of vision becomes a direct strain upon the brain. To relieve this the child will squint, or turn the head, in many cases using only one eye. This habit grows until we almost have a deformity of the eye. Parents; do not let this be the experience of your child. We will gladly and thoroughly examine your child's eyes, and tell you truthfully how best to remedy it. See to it now.

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Jeweler and Optician
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"I FEEL LIKE A NEW BEING"

"FRUIT-A-TIVES" Brought The Joy Of Health After Two Years' Suffering



MADAM LAPLANTE

35 St. Rose St., Montreal, April 4th.

"For over two years I was sick and miserable. I suffered from constant headaches, and had palpitation of the heart so badly that I feared I would die. There seemed to be a lump in my stomach and the constipation was dreadful. I suffered from pain in the back and kidney disease.

I was treated by a physician for a year and a half and he did me no good at all. I tried "Fruit-a-tives" as a last resort. After using three boxes, I was greatly improved and twelve boxes made me well. Now I can work all day and there are no headaches, no palpitation, no heart trouble, no constipation, no pain or kidney trouble and I feel like a new being—and it was "Fruit-a-tives" that gave me back my health."

MADAM ARTHUR LAPLANTE.

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- Lieut. R. D. Swift, Scout Officer.
- Lieut. R. P. Brown.
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- Pte. McGarrity.
- Pte. Wilson.
- Pte. Richard Watson, Can. Engineer.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM

TIME TABLE

Trains leave Watford Station as follows:

GOING WEST	
Accommodation, 75.....	8 44 a.m.
Chicago Express, 3.....	11 19 a.m.
Accommodation, 83.....	6 44 p.m.
GOING EAST	
Accommodation, 80.....	7 48 a.m.
New York Express, 6.....	11 16 a.m.
New York Express, 2.....	3 05 p.m.
Accommodation, 112.....	5 16 p.m.

C. Vall, Agent, Watford

A Stranger In a Strange Land

He Found a Strange Custom, but Was Equal to It.

By ALAN HINSDALE

A man left an eastbound train passing through a region west of the Missouri river and inquired for transportation to a point out of the line of travel. He was unmistakably English in the appearance both pertaining to himself and his clothes. But instead of the rugged physique of many Britishers he was rather small, and his pale cheeks gave evidence of ill health.

There was a difference of opinion as to how he could best reach the point he was aiming for. Some said the road was rough and the gentleman did not look as if he had the strength to stand the jolting of a wagon. Others said that if he went on horseback he would be equally shaken up. The wit of the locality suggested that there were road agents along the line of travel and it was as much as a man's life was worth to pass over it. In saying this the joker nudged the man next him, as much as to say, "Reckon I'll skeer him out of it."

The stranger listened to these suggestions with evident interest, except the one about the road agents, this not seeming especially to interest him.

He succeeded in hiring a team to take him to his destination and was driven by the owner, who, wondering at an Englishman wearing apparel by no means like any other in that region, was inclined to question him as to why he was there. But the gentleman was tactful and gave him no satisfaction. Indeed, after the driver had abandoned his attempt to pump the stranger the Englishman asked a few questions for himself.

"I've heard," he said, "that out here there's what they call 'gun play,' that there are men who think no more of putting lead into a fellow than into a dog."

"Oh, that sort of thing used to be practiced out here," was the reply, "but we're civilized now and don't do it any more. At least it's not practiced near the railroad, where the country has been settled, and court law has taken the place of gun law. But away from the railroads there are spots where the rough element has congregated, and there's still more or less free shooting. This region where you're going is one of that kind. I wouldn't advise any man to go there without a couple of revolvers slung under his coat."

"They say," remarked the stranger, "that when there is shooting going on it's the man who 'gets the drop,' as you say out here, on his enemy and shoots quickest who comes out ahead."

"That's about it," said the other. The stranger turned from the use of the revolver to the products of the country and learned that horses were raised there and the point he was making for was a center of a horse raising territory, from the fact that it comprised fine grazing lands. The stranger asked about the price usually paid for an average horse and the best way of getting horses to market and seemed interested in getting all the information on the subject that was to be had. But he didn't admit that he was personally interested in horsemanship.

On reaching their destination—a hamlet of half a dozen houses—they drew up before a store building which was the only one in the place that was not occupied for dwelling purposes except a saloon. As the Englishman alighted he attracted the attention of a couple of men standing on the porch of the saloon.

"Just look at that, Pete," said one of these men, referring to the stranger. "Did you ever see anything so purty in your life? Do you ketch on to the glass eye—and the hat?" The Englishman wore a helmet. "Just think of you or me sportin' sich a lookin' thing as that on our heads. And see the yaller things on his shoes, all buttoned up so ladylike."

"Shouldn't wonder if we could get some fun outen him, Bill," said the other. "Let's ask him in for a drink." Meanwhile the Englishman was making inquiries for a man he had come to meet. The two men on the saloon porch approached him, and Bill addressed him in this wise:

"My friend, I don't know who you are or where you come from, but it's the custom o' this place to treat all strangers hospitable, and me and this yere gent invites you to step into the saloon and have somethin'."

"Your kind attention is appreciated, I assure you," said the Britisher. "But seeing that I don't drink I must ask

GILLETT'S LYE EATS DIRT



"You to take the will for the deed."

"That's somethin' we never do in these parts," was the reply, "especially when a man's invited to drink. Perhaps you're not aware that with us 'refusin' to liquor when invited is considered an insult."

"Oh, you mustn't take it that way. I'm not in good health, and my doctor has forbidden my drinking spirits."

"Your doctor don't know what fine whisky we have in this yere country and how much good it'll do a sick man. Come on, stranger; we'll give you the best dose o' medicine you ever tuk in your life."

"I reckon, Pete," said Bill, "that seein' the stranger is a shrieved, mistable specimen we'd better let him off. It ain't no credit to force sich a ladylike purson as don't appreciate true hospitality."

"Well, then, suppose he sings us a song?"

"I'm no hand at singin'," said the Britisher.

"There's nothin' about singin'," Pete persisted, "to hurt a man's insides even if he's sick. Now, see here, stranger; you give us a song mighty quick."

He took a revolver from his hip, cocked it and brought it to bear on the Britisher, who, seeing that he must either sing or get shot, began to do the best he could in giving "Britannia Rules the Waves." He had scarcely given a stanza before Pete put a bullet so close to his ear that he stopped at once.

"See here, young feller," thundered Pete, "we don't want any such song as that! Give us somethin' American."

"I don't know any American songs," replied the Britisher. "I might teach you some money making tricks. I know one or two that you could practice on your friends to a profit."

The prospect of getting something by which he could "do" a friend caught Pete's attention. He asked what kind of trick the stranger meant and was told that the best explanation would be to show the trick.

"Have you got a coin about you?" he asked.

Pete fumbled in his pocket and pulled out half a dollar, which he tossed to the Britisher. The latter put it in the palm of his right hand.

"You see," he said, "that it's in the palm of my right hand. I put it up my sleeve this way. Now I take it out of my sleeve and put it in the palm of my left hand. I now put it up my left sleeve and take it out and put it in my left hand."

While he was doing this he was fumbling up his right and left sleeve. After placing the coin for the second time in his left hand he pulled his cuffs down over both hands; then, with fists closed, he extended one fist toward Pete and the other toward Bill.

"Which hand is the coin in?" he asked Pete.

"The left," was the reply.

"What do you say?" Bill was asked.

"Left."

Something cracked in the stranger's right hand, and Pete fell forward on the ground.

"Hands up!" to Bill.

Bill's hands went up in a hurry.

"Would you oblige me," said the Britisher to the man who had driven him, "by relieving the gentleman of his weapons?"

The driver acceded to the request and handed two revolvers to the Britisher.

This ended the episode. Pete was picked up, dangerously but not mortally wounded. Bill agreed to call the affair, of which he had not approved, quits, shook hands with the Britisher and was handed back his weapons.

At that moment a man rode up on horseback and, seeing the stranger, asked:

"Major Hollester?"

"Yes, Mr. Grierson."

"Well, let's proceed to business."

The two men withdrew from the others and after half an hour's conversation returned to them.

"Gents," said Grierson, "this is Major Hollester of the British army. He was wounded fighting the Turks and has since been in poor health. So they sent him over here to buy horses for the British army. I have just contracted with him for a thousand head."

"I'm sorry," said Major Hollester, "to

have put lead into one of your number. I've seen enough of that at Gallipoli and don't want any more of it."

"How did you get the drop on Pete and Bill?" asked a witness to the shooting.

The crowd seeming more interested in an explanation than in the apology, the major explained. Pulling up his sleeves, he showed slung to each arm by an elastic strap a Derringer pistol.

"You see," he said, "when I shoved the half dollar up my sleeve and pulled it down again I pulled one of these little barkers with it, so that when I extended my hands I had one of the weapons in each hand. I was ready then to fire, but so disliked hurting any one that I delayed a moment, as if carrying out the trick, asking this man Pete and then the other which hand held the coin. I wouldn't have thought of carrying arms in this peaceful country, but Mr. Grierson wrote me that there were some lawless characters about this location and it was the custom to wear arms. I have found the Derringer the best weapon for short notice and fixed a pair in my sleeves."

"What's the cross you wear on your watch chain, major?" asked a looker on.

"Oh, that's what they call the Victoria."

"What's that?" asked several persons at once.

The major looked abashed and, turning, walked away toward the conveyance in which he had come.

"I think," said Grierson, "that I can explain what that is. I received a letter stating that Major Edgar Hollester, V. C., would visit me for the purpose of buying horses for the British army. Noticing the V. C. tacked to his name, when I wrote my correspondent again I asked what it meant. The reply was that it stood for Victoria cross, a decoration given by the British government for bravery. I was also informed that Major Hollester had especially distinguished himself at Gallipoli and had been decorated therefor."

Major Hollester, having completed his contract for horses, was driven to the railway station and proceeded northeastward, entering Canada.

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13,000 Masons Have Enlisted.

Masonic symbols have become realities to eighteen thousand Masons who have enlisted in the Canadian overseas force; they have thereby interpreted into deeds the teachings and ideals of the ancient order. Their Masonic training fitted them for entrance into the khaki brotherhood, and many of them have been faithful unto death, notably the late Major-General Mercer, who was a Past Master of the Masonic order.

Ten thousand Masons have enlisted in Ontario; this is equivalent to almost nine battalions or over two infantry brigades.

He Saved His Quarter.

To salvage a twenty-five-cent piece for a five-cent fee, George Storey, a ten-year-old London lad, crawled through a small, murky, gas-laden, rat-infested sewer for a city block the other day. He brought the quarter out, and was hailed out in a weakened condition by his companions. He was in the drain for a considerable time.

Different Matter.

"I'm trying to sell that house I bought last year. I thought it would be an easy matter, but it isn't."

"What made you think it would be easy?"

"Well, the agent didn't have any trouble selling it to me."—Exchange.

Advice Concerning the Baby.

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Threatened the King.

The honor of knighthood is not one which appeals to everybody. Coke of Norfolk, who considered that he had a far better claim than the speaker to the designation of first commoner of England, strongly disliked the idea of a handle to his name. This fact was well known to George IV. When Coke was chosen to head a deputation praying the king to dismiss from his person and council those advisers who by their conduct had proved themselves alike enemies to the throne and people George announced that he would get even with him. "If Coke of Norfolk enters my presence," he declared, "I swear I'll knight him." The threat was repeated to Coke, who rejoined, "If he dares such a thing I swear I'll break his sword." And as the sturdy Norfolk squire was quite capable of doing this, George refrained from carrying out his threat.

Feet of the Chameleon.

In their tongue, their feet and their eyes chameleons differ remarkably from other lizards. Their feet, though possessing five toes, are divided into two grasping groups, looking like a hand in mittens, and only by close examination you perceive the presence of the two or the three opposing respectively, but so close together as to appear like one broad one. On the padded soles or palms of these grasping limbs you can feel and see the small—may one say—palp, which enable them to grasp so firmly that it is difficult to detach a chameleon from its foothold. These clinging feet, together with their prehensile tail, enable them to sustain themselves on the branches in the strongest gale.

Needn't Go Higher.

A drawing master, who had been worrying a pupil with contemptuous remarks as to his want of skill in the use of the pencil, ended by saying:

"If you were to draw me, for example, tell me what part you would draw first?"

The pupil, with a significant meaning in his eye, looked up into his master's face and quietly said:

"Your neck, sir."—London Tit-Bits.

Mother's Work.

"Father, you always seem to be in a better humor when you come home at night than when you go away in the morning," said the daughter.

"Of course," replied the parent; "you see I have some money in my pocket when I come home."

The Fruit of Search.

"Smifkins went hunting for a peach for a wife."

"Well, what happened?"

"He picked a lemon."

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PRINCESS PATRICIA'S C.L.I.
Gerald H. Brown

18TH BATTALION
C. W. Barnes, Geo. Ferris, Edmund Watson, G. Shanks, C. Jamieson, J. Burns, F. Burns, C. Blunt, Wm. Antterson, S. P. Shanks.

2ND DIVISIONAL CAVALRY
Lorne Lucas, Frank Yerks, Chas. Potter.

33RD BATTALION
Percy Mitchell, Lloyd Howden, Geo. Fountain, Gordon H. Patterson, died in Victoria Hospital, London.

34TH BATTALION
E. C. Crohn, S. Newell, Stanley Rogers, Macklin, Hagle, Henry Holmes, Wm. Manning, Leonard Lees.

70TH BATTALION
Ernest Lawrence, — Emmerson, C. H. Loveday, A. Banks, S. R. Wholton, Thos. Meyers, Jos. M. Wardman, Vern Brown, Sid Brown, Alf. Bullough.

28TH BATTALION
Thomas Lamb, killed in Action.

MOUNTED RIFLES
Fred A. Taylor

29TH BATTERY
Wm. Mitchell, John Howard.

ANTI-AIRCRAFT
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ROADS WORK GOES AHEAD.

Ontario Government is Completing Organization of Big Scheme.

One of the significant signs of stability in the midst of the war struggle is the manner in which the different departments of the Ontario Government are continuing the ordinary routine of administration, and at the same time laying careful plans to deal with the added problems that are sure to arise as the war draws to a close.

The war necessarily called a halt to several important projects that had reached a stage when actual work was about to commence. Not one department of the Government but was obliged to suspend or curtail operations to some extent. This was particularly so in the case of the highway improvement program.

It might be pointed out that the scheme initiated by Sir James Whitney three years ago for a province-wide system of highways had been enacted into law. A million dollars has been set aside to start the important work. The former Highways Branch of the Public Works Department has now been enlarged into a Department of Highways under a Deputy Minister, who has taken over the administration of the Motor Vehicles Act and the licensing of automobiles as logically coming within the scope of this work. The failure of the Senate at Ottawa to pass the Highway Aid bill has not affected the policy of the Provincial Government towards highway improvement. The new department has gone ahead completing its organization and making a survey of the situation all over the Province.

Until the dislocation caused by the war has passed away and monetary conditions become normal it is not expected that many counties will embark upon a program of highway construction, especially while their money raising efforts are absorbed with war grants. But this will not prevent much necessary and good work being done on the township roads. These roads are feeders to the main county roads, and unless they are properly maintained the efficiency of the whole scheme will be impaired.

W. A. McLean, Deputy Minister of Highways, has prepared for distribution an admirable pamphlet road construction for township road superintendents and overseers. This manual, as it is called, sets out in simple plain language the important principles which should be applied to township road maintenance and improvement. The essential features, it is pointed out, are: (1) thorough drainage of the subsoil, natural or artificial, making a strong, unyielding foundation; and (2) a wearing surface, forming a smooth, hard, compact crust, which sheds water readily, and distributes the concentrated wheel load over a greater area of subsoil.

With this as a beginning it goes on to show that a good earth road is the first step towards a good gravel or stone road, and the various stages in this development are briefly described. Separate sections are devoted to earth roads, tile drainage, gravel roads, and working diagrams are included to make plainer the descriptions given.

After all highway betterment is largely a matter of common sense and co-operation. The Government has come forward in a large handed way to assist the rural communities to improve their roads. It will bear a considerable portion of the cost of construction in counties; it will pay part of the salary of a township road overseer; and it will contribute a portion of the annual cost for maintenance of improved county roads. But to insure the best return to the people for this investment those having to do with road maintenance must be instructed in their work.

For two years now a conference of road overseers and superintendents has been held early in the spring in the Parliament Buildings where instructive papers were read and road problems discussed. The best experience in road construction and maintenance has been reduced by the department to available form for these men, and the next few years should witness a great movement towards highway betterment in Ontario. This is in harmony with the general advance that is taking place in agriculture. The labor problem has forced the farmer to use more machinery, the Hydro-Electric as it is extended will further simplify this difficulty, the motor car and telephone brings the farmer nearer the centre of population, and the centres of population as well nearer the farm, and the connecting link is good roads. That is the economy of the whole thing.

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Gladys—Jack proposed to me so beautifully. Gwendolen—But, my dear, look at all the practice he's had.

Colleges and books only copy the language which the field and the work-yard made.—Emerson.

Refused to Make Munitions.
Canadian prisoners in Germany were sentenced to a year in jail by the Germans for refusing to make war munitions, according to a letter received in Ottawa from Corporal Ian A. Simons, formerly a prisoner in Germany, and now transferred to the internment camp in Switzerland. He writes that Corporal Harry Hogarth, of Ottawa, is one of those who refused to make munitions, and it is expected he will have to serve the year's sentence which has already been imposed upon him. Steps have been

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taken to bring it before the authorities, so that it can be investigated, as, according to The Hague tribunal, prisoners of war are not to be called upon to make munitions.

Big Ore Shipments.

The Steel Company of Canada will ship to Sarnia during the season of navigation over 500,000 tons of iron ore from the ranges near Superior and Duluth. This tonnage is the greatest ever ordered to be delivered at this port, and will require nearly a hundred shiploads. The ore will be loaded into cars at Point Edward, and will be hauled from there to Hamilton. Twelve thousand carloads will be required to move it.

Fought Eight Aeroplanes.

That Lieut. Jack Simpson of Guelph met his death when, single-handed, he attacked eight hostile aeroplanes, is the word received recently by his father, Mr. J. H. Simpson, in a letter from Flight Lieut. R. Corbett, R.F.C. The report says: "Your son went up on patrol duty and met eight hostile machines coming over the lines. He attacked, and against such heavy odds he was, of course, badly handicapped. Eye-witnesses say they watched the gallant act of a British aeroplane attacking eight hostile machines. Your son was shot in the head, so all must have been over instantly. He died a hero's death."

Time Makes Changes.

Two relics of former legislators in Osgoode Hall, Toronto, have been placed in danger by the renovating of the heating system in the King's Bench and the Common Pleas court-rooms. They are desks which were installed by the Law Society of Upper Canada in 1823, during the reign of King William IV., when students at law were required to be in attendance in the courts. The desks were for the convenience of the students, who were required to sign a register showing that they had been in attendance each day.

The desks were in use as late as 1870, and Chief Justice R. M. Meredith, who was called in 1869, entered his name in the books kept there.

Cost of Living Up.
The cost of living in Canada has gone up about 25 per cent. in the last twelve months. After the war there must be a great reaction in commodity prices, or the level of earnings, as they will be then, will be utterly insufficient. Canada must depend on its land to see it through, and be prepared to neglect nothing to develop its farm output.

Sir James Grant Honored.
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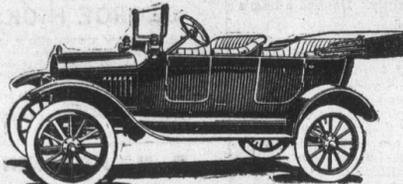
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SCHOOL REPORTS.

Following is the report of S. S. No. 9, Brooke, for the month of September.
Class IV.—Sr.—Velma Annett 351, Jennie Edgar 377, Willie McDonald 373, Ernest Dolbear 335.
Class III.—Sr.—Alleen Edgar 317, Grace Johnston 210, Gwendoline Annett 192.
Class II.—Gladys Zavity 312, Orrville Shugg 191.
Class I.—Alma Johnston 400, Beatrice Shamblaw 382, Edna Dolbear 349, Kathleen Annett 324, Clifford Edgar 282, Lolita Dolbear 201, Clayton Chittick 151.

Jr.—Gerald Chittick 98.
Primer.—Erleen Chittick 104.
LILA P. BURGESS, Teacher.
The following is the report of S. S. No. 6, Warwick, for the month of September in per cent.
Class IV.—Sr.—Alberta McNaughton 70, Harold Chambers 67.
Jr.—Mabel McNaughton 56, Mary Smith 55, Hilda Morris 54, Murray Manders 43.
Class III.—Agnes Bryce 59, Kenneth Smith 52, Arthur Harrower 50.
Class II.—Jessie Jackson 66, Russell Miller 64, Freida Manders 56, Harold Manders 52, Manville Bryce 51.
Class I.—Vera Kerr, Allan McNaughton, Bert Duncan.
B Class.—Marguerite Smith, Dorothy Morris, Gordon Jackson, Doreen Manders.
A class—Nina Chambers, Maudie Williamson, Amy Duncan.
No. on the roll 24. Average for month 21. 31.

ALBERT H. RUSH, Teacher.
S. S. 16 and 18, Brooke and Warwick, for September. Names in order of merit.
Class IV.—Estelle Acton, Edith Moffit, Cecil Moffit, Eva Leach.
Class III.—Sr.—Olive Leach, Eddie Higgins.
Jr.—Gordon Higgins, Earl Moffit.
Class II.—Cecil Hayward, Lena Bryce.
Class I.—Andy King, Stanley Hayward, Annie Higgins, Grant Kelly, Merton King.
Primer—J. Kersey, Jack Kelly, Austin Kelly, Mary Moffit.
Jr.—Ethel Moffit, Dorothy Kersey, Marjorie Leach.
Number on roll 22. Average attendance 20.

A. W. KELLY, Teacher.
The following is the report of S. S. Number 16 and 20, Bosanquet and Warwick, for September.
Class IV.—Sr.—Arithmetic, Grammar, History and Geography.—Laura Munroe 96, Minnie Fuller 76, Allan Cundick 63, Florence MacPherson 62, Fred Brander 52.
Class III.—Arithmetic, Composition, History and Geography. Sr.—Earla Evans 90, Sarah Cundick 79, Louise MacPherson 61, Perry Wilcocks 46, Ardon Curts 43.
Jr.—Pearl Eastman 72, Hazel Yorke 59, Kenneth MacPherson 36, Harold Acton 24.
Class II.—Edwin Cundick 84, Clarence McColl 81, George Fuller 80, Frank Fuller 71, Grant Evans 66, Donald MacPherson 64, Grace McColl 61, Lawrence Cates 54.
Class I.—Stars for Arithmetic and Spelling. Eddie Brander and Mildred MacPherson (equal), Mary Turner, Marjorie Munroe, Frank Cundick, Myra Evans.
Primer.—Leone Evans, Jack Foskett, Leak Welsh, Herbert Foskett, Evla Hart, Lorine Eastman.
C. MARIE DAVIDSON, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 2, Warwick, for the month of September.
Class IV.—Dallon Smith, Tommy Main, Harold Auld, equal, Gladys Sewell, George Main, Olive Corney.
Class III.—George Jones, Ella Thompson.
Class II.—Anne McElroy, Annie Main, EAc Thompson, Charles Janes, equal, Illabel Corney, Mason Leggate.
Part II.—Clare Thompson, Melvin Bartley.
Part I.—Jack Main, Edna Cooper, Mary McLeay, Mary Smith, Mary Thompson.
Primer.—Johnny Dolan, Alfred Smith, Charlie Smith, Dougal Janes.
ANNIE ROSS, Teacher.

Watford Taxes

The 33 mills on the dollar rate of taxes for the village for 1916 is composed of the following items:—
County and War Rate..... 4 mills
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Public Library..... 4/10 mills
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If the miserable coward who sent me the malicious lying letter last week will have the courage to give me his name, I will make things very interesting for him. Ever since coming to Watford I have neither said nor done anything that I am ashamed of, but judging from the dirty obscene language used in his letter my correspondent cannot say the same thing. Before he repeats his experiment let him remember that I am a free man, and I will attend to my business if he will keep to his.

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MORTGAGE SALE

OF VALUABLE VILLAGE PROPERTY
There will be offered for sale by Public Auction, under the powers of sale contained in a mortgage, at the Roche House, Watford

ON—
Saturday, October 28th, 1916
At 3 o'clock, p.m., the following property: Lot 227 on North side of Front Street in Watford.

Upon this lot there is erected a good frame house almost new.
Terms of Sale.—10 per cent. down on day of sale and the balance within 15 days thereafter. The property will be offered for sale, subject to a reserve bid. For further particulars apply to COWAN, TOWERS & COWAN Vendor's Solicitors, Watford, Ont. J. F. ELLIOTT, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE

OF LIVE STOCK
The undersigned will sell for FRANK JENKEN Lot 4, Con. 7, Warwick, Two Miles From Forest, on

Friday, October 20th, 1916
At 1 p.m., the following:—
20 Dairy Cows, 3 new milch cows, in about 6 weeks, 1 due in Nov., 1 due in Dec., 2 due in January, 3 due in Feb., 4 due in March, 2 due in April.
1 thorough bred Durham bull, 2 years old.
14 yearling and two-year-old heifers.
5 Jersey heifers coming in from Feb. 1st till May 1st.
4 two-year-old steers and 6 yearling steers.
25 spring and summer calves.
1 mare 10 yrs.; 1 mare 5 yrs.; 1 yearling mare colt.
12 brood ewes; 6 ewe lambs; 1 ram;
2 brood sows; 6 pigs about 3 months old;
7 pigs about 2 months old.
TERMS—Sums of \$10 and under cash;