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#### Local Happenings Have you had the measles?

Next Sunday is Mother's Day. Don't forget your flower. Read our add if you want cloth-

ing.—Swifts.

Miss Ruby E. Brand of London, spent the week end with Miss E. F. Newell.

Congoleum Art Rug Bargain week Read ad for special prices— A

Brown & Co. Wednesday Half-Hollidays commence next week. Do your shopping in the morning.

Read Swifts add if you want

Boys Suits.
Thirty varieties of Gladiolias, Twenty-five of Dahlias—All choice kinds—W. C. Caldwell.

Cut Flowers for Mother's Day on sale Saturday A. M.—order early J. W. McLaren. Miss Inez Steele, Sarnia spent the

week end at the home of her aunt, irs. W. Cook, Sr. Ladines Coats smart models, open Saturday \$12.00 13.50 15.00 18.50,

extra value.—Swifts.

Miss Florence Cook and Mrs. Lillian Colburn of Detroit, spent the week end at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Anderson, of Strathroy, visited Watford friends on Wednesday.

Ladies and Misses Spring Coats—

Clearing lines at \$12.95 A. Brown

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Whiting and daughter, Betty, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. W. C. Aylesworth. Real new coats at Swifts Friday

and Saturday.
Mrs. A. H. Gillett and son Albert of London spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Jessie Aylesworth. This is congolleum week special display and reduced prices—Swifts

stock reducing sale. Mr. and Mrs. Matt. Holmes and little daughter Anna, of Sarnia, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Arthur E. McKercher.

"The Case of Becky" a picture that will thrill and mystify you. Constance Binng is featured in the duel star role at the Lyceum next—

Porch dresses, 98 cts. to \$4.50-

A. Brown & Co. Miss Charlotte Dyke of Port Huron was a recent guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Fred Kemp of Plmpalso with her sister, Mrs. Hay at Watford.

Headlight overalls and Combinat-

Toronto Globe:-"Mr. and Mrs. David Roche, 397 Parkside Drive, announce the engagement of their voungest daughter. Anna Marie, to Orland P. Sullivan, son of and Mrs. John J. Sullivan, Orrillia Ont., the marriage to take place the

latter part of May." Ladies coats, and young ladies heck coats, the price starts at \$10.00 and up-Swifts.

The annual meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. McRae, on Wednesday evening, May 14th. Roll call: "How many meetings attended durthe year." Renewal of member shin Election of officers All members are requested to attend.

See our Mother Day candy speci-ls—chace box assorted chocolates with Mother's Motto at \$1.00—others up to \$3.50—J. W. McLaren "The Case of Becky" featuring Constance Binng from David Belasco's famous play will be the picture attractions at the Lyceum next

Thursday. have a dozen ladies Tailor Made Suits at stock reducing sale

The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Congregational Church of this village held its regular meeting on Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Viola McNaughton. The secretary. Miss Jean McCormick, presided over the first part of the meeting and Miss Maude Marwick read the scripture reading. An interesting paper read by Mrs. Russell Duncan, and a brief address was given by the pastor, Rev. T. DeCourcy Rayner. A short item of missionary information on Africa was given by Miss Hilda Morris of the missionary committee. The president, Thomas McCormick, presided over the second half of the

Rubber stair treads 12 1/2 cts each Double curtain poles 20 cts. 4 yard wide linoleum, \$4.00 per yard—A. Brown & Co.

TENNIS CLUB DANCE IN THE ARMORY NEXT FRIDAY

Detroit Orchestra Watford Tennis Club will give another of their delightful informal dances in The Armory next Friday evening, May 16th, Finzell's Country Club six-piece Orchestra of Detroit, will furnish the music. Dancing 9 to 3. Luncheon. Tickets \$2.00 couple. Everyone welcome.

Mr. H. Rutherford, Toronto, spent the weekend at Mrs. Tye's. Mrs. T. A. Adams, and the Misses K. C. Harris, E. Dodds, L. Dodds, M. Raynes, attended the official visit of the Worthy Grand Matron of the

the Worthy Grand Matron Order of Eastern Stars to Sarnia Chapter No. 6. at Sarnia last Monday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. George Tye and

family, London, spent Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. Tye. The ladies of the Guild and W. A. have the pleasure in announcing that as a result of their tea and sale of work held at the Rectory last week, combined with several generous gifts, they have already the sum of \$122.00 towards the new Holy Table and will be very glad to receive any further donation from members of the church who have not already contributed. The above tea was very well attended, beautifully served and greatly appreciated

by one and all. Clara Tye, R.N., Toronto, visited

at her home here last week.
As will be noticed in the council minutes appearing in another column, a street cleaning bylaw was passed at Monday night's meeting, providing for the season's mainten-ance under municipal supervision Last year's arrangement was found unsatisfactory, insofar as some business men paid considerably more than their share into the fund, while others paid less. This year the Council supervises the work and levies the proportionate rate on the property-owners benefitted. The estimated cost of the season's service is about \$3.00 per lot, but as most business occupy from one-half to one-of a lot, it will be readily seen that it cheap service. that it will be exceptionally

#### Presbyterian Y. P. S. Stage Interesting Play

"Home Ties" Wins Approval With ion Suits—The finest garments made
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Large Audiences. Total Proceeds
Over \$150

Watford Presbyterian Young Peo ple's Society upheld its past excell-ent records when its annual stage play, "Home Ties," was presented in the Lyceum on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of this week.

Large audiences greeted the mem-bers of the cast both nights and effectively demonstrated their appreciation of the efforts that have been put forth during the past several weeks to make this year's production the best yet. Total proceeds will am ount to over \$150, which will enable the Y. P. S. to continue its estimable

work. The story of "Home Ties" is on of the usual melodrama type, the leading characters being a country girl who has listened to the call of the City; her father and aunt, who fear her fate would be the traditional "downfall" of country girls in large cities; her former friends and new-found City friends who pay a visit to the old home with her.

Like most plays, the action swiftly changes from uncertainties and pathos to the richest of, comedy emitting from two local characters, Josiah Tizzard, an umbrella mender, and Mrs. Poplin, a widow with pension and apparently perpetual "symptoms" of every disorder known to medical science.

Cast of Characters: Martin Winn, with memories of the past, L. H. Aylesworth

Leonard Everett,.. a son of the soil D. J. McPhail Harold Vincent, . . . . from New York E. C. Lambert Josiah Tizzard an umbrella mender

Winn, .... Martin's daughter Kathleen Elliot.

Adma Wayne, her friend from the city, Marie Harrison.

Aunt Melissa, .... Martin's sister Annabel Cran.

Mrs. Poplin-widow with a pension and 'symptoms' May Reid. Lindy Jane, ....who helps around Anna McLean

#### Siddall Brothers Lose Mother By Sudden Death

Mrs. Mary Siddall, widow of the late John Siddall, of Lobo Township died suddenly Monday night at the family residence, 463 Elizabeth St.

London.

Deceased has enjoyed the best of health until that evening, when she was seized with a slight sickness. She retired early and her lifeless body was later found by members of the family. Deceased was born in Lobo Township and removed to this city 12 years ago.

city 12 years ago.
Surviving are four daughters, Mrs.
Wm. Cochrane, of Ailsa Craig; Mrs. Wm. Smythe, of Montreal, and the Misses Violet and Florence, at home four sons, Roy S. of Ailsa Craig John of Poplar Hill, and Dr. W. G. and Howie, of Watford; three sisters Mrs. Wm. Parker, of Lexington, Mich., and Mrs. Bella McFarland, Ailsa Craig, and four brothers Dr. James McClurg of Sault Ste. Marie; Henry McClurg, of Ailsa Craig; Arthur McClurg, of London; and Mr. Dave McClurg, of Detroit. Three brothers, Dr. John McClurg, of Bay City; William and Edward, of Lobo Township predeceased her.
Funeral services were conducted

from the late residence on Thursday afternoon. Interment in Carlyle Cem etery, near Ailsa Craig.

Citizens of Watford and vicinity unite in extending sincere sympathy to the bereaved members of the fam-

#### Watford Public School Report of March and April

Fourth Class

In order of merit. Honors-Cecil Hollingsworth, Ross Kersey, Gladys Janes, Elizabeth Spalding.

Pass —Carl A. Class, Edit1 Weight, Fern Roberts, Ora Kersey, Marguerite Collins, Jean Sharpe equal, Leslie McIntosh, Gordon Ray ner, Harvey Stapleford, Frank Jack-son, Mac McIntosh, L. J. Kersey, Jack Nixon, Frank McCrae, Bertha Durstan, Lyle McIntosh, Margaret Bayley, Doris Howden, Elizabeth Gordon Sargent, Bolbby Bruce, Henry Newell, Carmen Spald ing, Ariel Routley, Mark McTaggart. Allan Doolittle, Principal

Third Class Senior Class—Honors—Mary Hay, Margaret Edwards, Hanley Millar. Pass—Bernice Brown, Avery

Dodds, Dorothy Kersey, Elmer Doan Junior Class-Honors-Grant Lovell, Irene Janes, Allan Brown, Herbert Tait, Laird Stapleford, John Hollings

worth, Bertie Kersey.
Pass—Keith Hollingsworth, Margery Hicks, Margaret Sharpe, Hellen Nixon, Ivan Caley, Ernest Phair Marion Roberts, Kenneth Rayner.— E. Hume, Teacher.

Second Class - Helen Potter, Jessie Prangley, Earl Janes, Alexander Mc-Laren, Donald Tait, George King ston, Mabelle Spalding.

Pass—Fred Kelly, Jack Caley, Ruth Sawers, Lloyd Roberts, Mons Stapleford, Lorne Hay, Hellen Callaham, Laura Doan, Beatrice Spalding, Gladys Newell.-J. Hume, Teacher.

First Book Margaret Honors-Bruce Hay, Jackson, Edith Sawers, Phyllis Lov-ell, Catherine Howden, Mary Elliot, Freda Moon.

Pass— Florence MacKay, Jack Rogers, Doris Kersey, Frank Prangley, Dorothy Willoughby, Donald Hamper, Clarence Moon, Kathleen Laird, Roy Roberts, Audrey Janes.— L. M. Cameron, Teacher.

Primary Room Class I-Honors-Verne Williams, Anna Jean McLaren, Sidney Welch, Donald Aylesworth, (Edith Callahan and Jessie Delmage) equal, Glenn Siddall. Pass—(Grant Earley, Kenneth Kersey) equal, Wesley Hollings-

Class II-Honors-Genevieve Box rowman, Ruth Rayner, Muriel Mc-Kay, (Beulah Fulcher, LaVerne Kersey) equal, Jimmie Moon, Alma Fullcher, Harper Spalding, Clare Mc-Intosh, Kenneth Cooke, Carman Hol-

lingsworth, Verne Routly. Class III—Honors—Clarice Sid dall, La Verne Earley, George Brush, Ross Hay, Billy Richardson, Clarance Jackson, Jack Colburn. Pass—George Roberts.—M. Reid, Teacher.

#### Watford Hydro-Electric Shows Fine Returns

From the report of the Ontario Hydro-Electric auditor of municipal accounts, Mr. R. C. McCallum of Toronto, the following information is culled, which will no doubt be of

The values of equipment on hand are given as follows: Distribution system \$9,702.51; Line transformers \$3,196.65; Meters \$3,503.61; street lighting equipment \$597.42; miscel laneous equipment \$1,305.70; old plant \$657.44; the total value of the

local system being \$18,963.33. Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1923, \$2,-678.14; credit note from Hydro-Electric Power Commission of \$1,-951.77.

In the expenditures were: Power purchased \$4,176.27; Distributing system operation and maintenance \$303.02: street lighting operation and maintenance \$148.96; administration, salaries and general expense \$589.81; interest on debentures \$384.62; Debenture principal and sinking fund \$417.19; total opera-tion \$6,019.87; depreciation \$400.; which makes a total expenditure of \$6,419.87.

Receipts were as follows:-Rever ue Trom Domestic light \$3,740.23; Commercial light \$2,856.12; Commercial Power \$2,727.08; Municipal power \$284.20; street lighting \$1,365.00; making a total street lighting \$1,565.00; 365.00; making a total revenue for the year from all sources of \$10, 972.63.

Therefore, the net surplus on the year's operations is \$4,552.76. From a comparison of Watford's standing with similar towns in this district, as has appeared in the various daily papers recently, it will be perceived that we make an exceptionally good showing, and that a further reduction in domestic rates, at least, can be looked for in the near future.

#### P. J. Dodds Buys McCrae Hardware

W. L. McCrae sold his hardware business here on Monday morning of this week to his next-door neighbor Peter J. Dodds. Thus the business which was established by the late Peter Dodds some seventy years ago, now reverts back to the original family. On the death of Peter Dodds Sr. his business was divided between two of his sons; the hardware department being conducted by Thomas Dodds and the grocery and shoe

departments by Peter J.

Thomas Dodds sold the hardware about two years ago to W.L. Mc Crae and moved with his family to San Francisco. Mr. McCrae has as yet made no definite plans for the future.

After being closed Monday and Tuesday for stock-taking, the store was opened on Wednesday under the new management. Mr. Dodds has secured a well experienced manager for this department, Eric Graham of London, and patrons of this oldestablished business will continue to receive the same intelligent, prompt service to which they have been accustomed under the former management. Connecting doorways have een cut between the two stores, the entire store is being re-organized and renovated, in preparation for summer business.

P. J. (as he is familiarly known) eems to be continually taking bigger strides to prove his business ability. Not being content with one of the most efficient groceries in the town he several years ago succeeded in developing the boot and shoe department until it was recognized as the best stocked store between London and Sarnia. His activities in connection with the Watford Fruit Growers Association are well known in this district. Although he has again made a heavy addition to his business developments, he will no doubt continue to have the same optimistic smile and words of greeting that have so familiarized him with all citizens of the town and the entire countryside.

In Brooke, on Friday April 25th, to Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Kinna, a son. (Glenn Edison.)

#### DIED

In London, on Monday, May 5th, 1924, Mrs. Mary Siddall, (mother of Dr. W. G. and Howie Siddall, of Watford) in her 64th. year.

#### Dr. Reid, Wyoming, Hurt in Auto Smash

Dr. Wm. Reid, of Wyoming, brother of Misses May and Effic Reid of Watford, and well known throughout the county, was seriously injured on Wednesday when his car was struck by an American auto at the London Road crossing of the Wyoming sideroad.

He was rushed to Petrolla hospital in an unconscious condition from in-

in an unconscious condition from injuries to the head and was attended by Drs. Hamilton, of Petrolia; Houston, of Wyoming; and Kenny

of Sarnia. Miss May Reid visited him Wednesday morning and found him suff-ing from abrasions on the face and a severe cut over the left eye. He is resting much easier, but will be cin-fined to the institution for some days. Dr. Reid told the physicians that he did not know just how the

#### accident happened to him as it was all over so quickly. BROOKE

Young men's suits 2 pair trousers Snappy Style.—Swifts Stock Re-ducing Sale. Many friends of Miss Maree I.

MacLachlan will be pleased to learn that she has been made Sup-erintendent and Principal of the Nurse's Training School of the Jane M. Case Hospital at Delaware Ohio.

The St. James Guild and W. A. met at the home of Miss Victoria Newell, April 30th, 1924. After the business part of the meeting, tea was served and a social hour spent. Next meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. B. Richardson, May 28th.

One day last week Mr. Clarence Lewis of the 12th line of Brooke, had an exciting experience when he was delivering one of his cattle which he had sold. The animal took fright and left him and was captured within a short distance of Napier. But on returning home he grew quite wild, but on calling on Mr. Chester McLellan for a long rope it was soon taken care of and taken back to his own yard.

A supprise farewell gathering was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Weed, Brooke, an Friday evening, April 25th, when the neighbors and friends assembled to spend a pleasant time together and bid farewell to those who are leaving the community to reside in Alvinston. The evening was spent in games and music, during which a short program was given, Mr. Maddock acting as chairman. strumentals were given by Miss Margaret Utter of Arkona, violin selections by Orville Shugg, duet by Mrs. Shugg and Elva Weed, addresses by Fraser McDougall, Alvin Zavitz and Rev. Steadman. Mr. and Mrs. Weed and daughters, Allice and Elva, were then called forward and made the recipients of an address and gifts.

#### WARWICK

Mrs Blomfield, Grosse Point Detroit, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Kadey, 4th line.

Miss Lenda McIntosh nurse in raining, Port Huron General Hospital, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McIn-Tosh 18 sideroad.

Messrs. Charles, John, and Richard Williams of Wisbeach; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williams of Watford; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Kerton of Adelaide: Mrs. Fred Westgate and Mrs. Swanton Chambers of Warwick attended the funeral of the late Henry Williams of Harbour Beach Mich. an Wednesday.

Warwick court of Revision on Assessment Roll will be held in Warwick Village Town Hall on Mon-day, May 26th. See notice on page

William Bartley sold his farm being part of lot 14 con1 N. E. Warwick Township, to Emerson Kilmer.

A Ford sedan, filled with an American family of tourists, was badly damaged when it swerved off the main road near 21 sideroad, and struck a tree last Wednesday afternoon. The driver looked around at his children in the back seat and apparently turned the wheel un-consciously. Although not travelling at an excessive speed, the car was badly damaged. None of the occupants were seriously injured, other than various cuts from the glass, bruises and a severe shaking

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#### "Squibs by Dad"

The average small boy has no objection to taking a spring tonic in the form of a rhubarb tart,

As a rule when the office seeks the man he can be located without employing police dogs to follow the trail.

"Home Bank honeycombed with reads a headline. A few cells should be reserved for the

Numerous cases of eye strain are reported as the result of poring over seed catalogues and income tax re-

Many citizens declare that it is an task cleaning up their back yards than making out their income

The establishment of a Denver hairdresser who caters to women customers is known as a "bobber-

Printing is known as the "art pre-servative." Saving the sunface by soaking it in paints and oils might be termed the "art decorative."

Limping dogs are a common sight in Detroit, where they are vacci nated to prevent the spread of small pox. Pointers ought to be immune.

About the only interest depositors had in the \$1000 bills referred to in the Home Bank investigation as "legals" were the last three ciphers.

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A Washington editor rejoices that the warm weather enables him to display the fancy suspenders his wife presented him with Christmas.

圕 To the male members of the family an annoying feature of spring housecleaning is their inability to find their golf clubs and fishing tackle.

Canadian girls are not to be snuff-ed at, even in Copenhagen. The Can-adian bride of a Danish prince has been received with royal honors in Denmark's capital.

A Chicago woman in making a col-lection of cookbooks. She has al-ready accumulated over a thousand and may have to provide an annex for the pie and pickle sections.

The speedy boats composing Uncle Sam's fleet specially designed to chase rum-runners are painted white. "ghost" ships are expected to drive out the evil spirits.

Kansas City has a school where students are instructed in the per-suasive art of auctioneering. The "Red Flag" would be an appropriate college song, and "Going, Going, Gone," a class yell.

A Long Island motorist, whose car stalled on a busy thoroughfare, pre-sented the stubborn flivver to the traffic cop and rode home on a trolley car.

Although he is an investerate smoker himself the report submitted by General Dawes is no pipe dream. Germany is advised to put it in her pipe and take a few thoughtful whiffs.

The quarantine regulations on the Arizona border are said to be so strict that the "cowcatchers" on locomotives have to be furnigated before trains are permitted to enter the state.

An owl street car jumped the track in New York the other night and crashed through a church door. It was the first time in years many of the passengers had seen the in-

A Vienna surgeon makes a specialty of repairing broken hearts. Instead of asking a jury for heart balm in a breach of promise suit, the professor can patch up the damaged organ and send the bill to the heartless heartbreaker.

A rolling stone gathers no moss, but a rolling chair is a source of revenue. The rolling chair concession on the Coney Island board-walk was sold the other day for the price of a rajah's throne.

A Berlin scientist has discovered that bees can distinguish colors and are much more impressed by colored than by white light. When pursued by a hot-foot "bumbler" wave a red instead of a white flag.

The contest for the world's champion barber, held in New York las week, was won by Harry Odierna of that city, who completed a haircut and shave in 12 3-4 minutes, beating the former record by 2 1-2 min-

A delegation of progressive members from the prairie provinces visited the Maritimes during the Easter recess and enjoyed the novel experience of eating boiled live lob-sters. The color of the delicacy reminded some of the farmer members of the Rhode Island Reds in their own poultry wards.

#### The World Was Ours!

(For a Moment)

We had a rather pleasant surprise a few days ago on opening our morning mail. What claimed our attention was a letter in a strange handwriting and showing a postmark from the east. On opening it we discovered a bank note for a considerable amount. It almost took our breath away. A nice new crisp banknote for a cool 100,000! We snapped the note in our fingers, smelt it and put it to all the known tests for genguinity, and found it O. K.

We closed our eyes and thought we would make Peter Smith look like a piker when we flashed our 100thousand bill across the teller's eyes and call for "change."

Then we dreamed of what we would do with it. First we thought of the Great Empire Exhibition at Wembley and could see ourselves sailing with the rest of our fellowpublishers for a three months' tour of Great Britain and Europe. But then, perhaps it would be better to liquidate our debts before thinking of that. Still, after paying all, we should yet have a tidy balance to cover the tour. One hundred thousand must mean a lot of money—it makes a lot of figures—and we ought to have enough left to rent a pair of "Court breeches" and buckled slippers for ourselves and a "Court train" to pin on friend evening frock when ye editors of Canadian Weekly Newspapers are presented to King George and Albert of Belguim.

We surely had a wonderful trip, but like most dreams it had an ending and we came back to earth again, still hanging on to the note.

On examining it more closely we found it was German, and all our dreams fled. It was for 100,000 marks, and before the war would

feel that we have a grievance against Germany. Had it not been for the war we would have had almost enough to retire on when we cashed that 100, 000 note.

But it just struck us that if it hadn't been for the war we wouldn't have had the note. So we simply pinned it up in front of us on our telephone box—and may it never come back to par! Would-be thieves are respectfully requested not to damage our safe. We leave our 100,

000 note in plain view outside. Anyhow, our financial standing still—as it were—as it was before!

#### A Splendid Laxative For The Baby

Mothers should constantly be on guard to keep babys bowels working freely and his stomach sweet, for nine-tenths of the ailments from which little ones suffer are caused by derangements of the stomach and bowels. Baby's Own Tablets are a splendid laxative for the baby. They mild but thorough; contain neither opiates nor narcotics, and are absolutely guaranteed to be safe and efficient for either the newborn babe of the growing child. By their action on the bowels and stomach action on the bowels and stomach he is hindered, rather than helped, they drive out constipation and indigestion, break up colds and simple the general tariff, which tends to enhance the price of commodities in

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#### Note and Comment

"The gentleman who signs himself Scott continues to send The Guide-Advocate his letters on the subject of church union. Mr. Scott has already spent considerable money in postage alone on these letters. He would be well advised to cut The Guide-Advocate off his mailing list because he cannot get a line on the subject of church union, either pro or con, in these columns until pays the regular advertising rate. church union organizations spent their advertising appropriations with the daily papers, and still feeling the need of additional publicity, have attempted to use the weeklies without the formality of paying the charge.'

The Arthur Enterprise, discussing the measure passed at the recent session of the Legislature by which the Government assumes fifty per cent. of the cost of construction of prim ary and secondary power lines in the rural sections, express the opinion that this will not help the farmer very much unless the system of fixday when the farmer along with the city dweller will share in the blessings that are being derived from the Province's great heritage of waterpowers, that are the common property of all."

Several manufacturers affected by the recent tariff changes have announced that, after consideration, they have resolved to carry on, making the best of the situation. This is the attitude that will win public approval. In the past there has been a disposition among at least a portion of the farming community to go past the Canadian manufacturers of agricultural implements and purchase machinery of United States manumachinery of United States manufacture. The argument was: "These Canadian manufacturers are holding us up by virtue of the tariff; we will buy from the United States facturers and the customs duties will go into the Federal treasury and lighten our taxes." Now that the tariff on agricultural implements has been almost wiped out, the Canadian manufacturer may well claim the support of Canadian purchasers. Indeed the Canadian maker of farming implements could make out a strong case in support of the statement that ing period easy. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Willishiper than the tariff on the goods iams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont. he manufactures. It is good business for Canadians to purchase Canadianthe tariff on implements has been re-

duced almost to the vanishing point Canadian farmers will, we believe, see the wisdom of supporting the in dustries of their own country. The manufacturer who resolves to keep going in spite of diminished profits is deserving of practical sympathy.

"The season opened on Monday for exporting liquor to Cuba. first two cars arrived over the M. C. R. that day and were shipped from this port to their distant destination, where they will do most good."-Amherstburg Echo.

Isn't it about time this booze "exort" farce was discontinued? We are led to believe by various factions that the liquor situation in our sister province of Quebec is deplorable. We read wild tales of their licensed beer and wine shops, the Government liquor stores and the enormous amount of bootlegging. Why condemn Quebec when we see vorse conditions in every section of Ontario borderland today.

It is common knowledge that Niagara and Detroit river fronts are not the only "rum-runners" paradise." There are still a few good cases very much unless the system of fix-ing rates is altered, the present rates being practically prohibitive "Hella-"exported" from St. Clair river ports marks, and before the war would have been worth over \$25,000 in Canada, but in this day of grace and at present quotations would not buy the baby a stick of candy, let alone an ice cream cone!

How have the mighty fallen! We the form really provide have the present local and international bootlegging of yast quality. use on the farm really practicable it | national bootlegging of vast qualitwill do a lot more in hastening the and suggest Government control as

#### Strive To Help Your Local Newspaper

"Blessed are the merchants who advertise because they believe in it and in their business; for their prosperity shall increase many fold," quotes an exchange.

"Blessed are the country correspondents who send in their well written items every week; for fame of their friendly neighborhoods shall go abroad in the land.

"Blessed is the woman who sends in a written account of a party or wedding; for she shall see the de-tails of the function and the names

of her guests correctly reported.
"Blessed are all those who do not expect the editor to know everything but who call up and tell him whenever an interesting event occurs to them; for they shall have a newsy paper in their town.
"Blessed are they who get their

copy in early; for they shall occupy a warm place in the editor's heart. "Blessed are all those who cooperate with the editor in his efforts in behalf of the community; for their town shall be known far and wide as a good place in which to live."



FRIDAY, Miss McNa

Watford Girl !

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### Miss McNaughton

in Poor Health Watford Girl May Have to Re-Enter

Hospital

Result of Wound Received When Geraldine Durston Killed

(London Free Press)

Viola McNaughton, the 23-yearold Watford girl and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McNaughton, has not yet fully recovered from the revolver shot wound in the chest which she sustained when Clarence Topping and Police Constable Walter Har-pur exchanged shots at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Cook, here, last November, and there is a pos-sibility that she may re-enter Victoria Hospital for further treatment.

Dr. J. Cameron Wilson, the girl's shysican during her lengthy period the hospital following the shooting affray at the Cook home, when Ger-aldine Durston, also of Watford, was fatally wounded by Topping as the culmination of a love affair, said Saturday that Miss McNaughton had arranged to come to see him again some day this month. He said he wasn't sure that further hospital treatment would be necessary.

"Gunshot wounds are always bad," the doctor said. The revolver shot, which made a 

### Lambton's Post Offices

| According to the report of   | the           |
|--|---------------|
| Postmaster General for the   |               |
| ending March 31st, 1923, the a<br>revenue of the various post office<br>Lambton was as follows:— | ross<br>es in |

| ACCOUNTING OFFIC | CES    |     |
|------------------|--------|-----|
| Alvinston        | 3935   | 99  |
| Arkona           | 1852   | 37  |
| Brigden          | 3180   | 02  |
| Courtright       |        | 14  |
| Copleston        | 443    | 60  |
| Cairo            | 252    | 17  |
| Beecher          | 243    | 86  |
| Corunna          |        | 83  |
| Camlachie        | 1161   | 98  |
| Forest           | 7054   | 41  |
| Florence /       | 1628   | 11  |
| Inwood           | 1791   | 13  |
| Mooretown        | 1396   | 48  |
| Mandaumin        | 495    | 18  |
| Oil City         | 391    | 13  |
| Oil Springs      | 2030   | 84  |
| Petrolia         | 14499. | 2/2 |
| Point Edward     | 1629   | 04  |

Port Lambton ......... 1212

Sarnia ..... 65563

Thedford ..... 3414

Wilkesport ..... 265

Warwick .....

Watford .....

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The debenture debts of 26 of the small towns and villages of Ontario, according to latest Government returns are as follows:—

|                          | POP.   | DEBT     |
|--------------------------|--------|----------|
| Acton                    | 1742   | \$185090 |
| Acton                    | 1580   | 36734    |
| Bradford                 | . 1028 | 29614    |
| Brighton                 |        | 88070    |
| Dresden                  |        | 50462    |
| Durham                   | 1622   | 11858    |
| Essex                    | . 1591 | 9610     |
| Exeter                   | 1507   | 94881    |
| Fort Erie                | . 1556 | 51979    |
| Glenicoe                 | 835    | 3512     |
| Harriston                | 1311   | 6786     |
| Milverton                |        | 8879     |
|                          |        | 9048     |
| Mitchell                 | . 1416 | 8567     |
| New Hamburg              | . 1401 | 8408     |
| Norwich                  |        | 11607    |
| Parkhill                 |        | 4410     |
| Port Elgin               |        | 3411     |
| Richmond Hill            | .1113  | 13849    |
| Shelburne                | 1101   | 3770     |
| Shelburne<br>Southampton | . 1530 | 6621     |
| Tavistock                | . 1003 | 3470     |
| Tilbury                  |        | 9102     |
| Uxbridge                 |        | 5829     |
| Watford                  |        | 8905     |
| Winchester               |        | 3827     |

#### BISHOP OF HONAN **GUEST IN LONDON**

Rt. Rev. William Charles White Pays Unofficial Visit to City

DISTINGUISHED MISSIONARY

Is Head of First Foreign Diocese Established by Church of England in Canada

(London Free Press)

London entertained a most distinguished visitor, almost unawares, on Saturday, when Rt. Rev. William Charles White, B. B., D.D., Lord Bishop of the Anglican Diocese of Honan, China, paid a visit of a few hours' duration to the city.

Bishop White spent his short stay in town with his wife's mother, Mrs. Pethybridge, a resident of the city, and his visit was wholly unofficial. Local Anglicans, however, interested in his great work in China, will have an opoprtunity of hearing the bishop at the annual meeting of the Huron Diocesan Women's Auziliary, taking Space at Windsor this month

The Diocese of Honan is the first foreign missionary diocese undertaken by the church in Canada and Bishop White was appointed to the bishopric, as its first head, by the House of Bishops of the Church of England in Canada. Prior to his consecration he had spent some 12 years

in missionary service in China. For his splendid service to his diocese and to the general welfare of the people Bishop White holds many distinctions, medals and orders in cluding the Order of the Excellent Crop, conferred on two occasions; the Grand Codon, the Order of Brilliant Rays and the Order of Striped

Bishop White, who with his wife, is on furlough from his field left London for Brantford on Saturday

#### THE "GAS GOD"

A little band of Indians, skeptical but curious, are today mushing their mocassin-clad, snowshoe supported feet across a vast expanse of frozen snows to see the uncanny "gas god" which has just appeared near Wrangle, Alaska.

The Red Men of the Land of Midnight Sun have been lured hundreds of miles over mountains, ice-covered streams and deep snow drifts to the shrine of the newly discovered "god" A new Ford truck, is operating 300 miles from the nearest gasoline station and 600 miles from a repair shop on a regular schedule through a wilderness hitherto penetrated only

by pack mules.

The truck was sold to C. W.
Wrigleworth of Wrangle, a miner and freighter, following a demonstration conducted by J. Valentine of Knight Motors, Limited, Vancouver, B. C. It was made by the Ford Motor

Company of Canada "Indians, who christened the truck the "gas god" had tramped into Wrangle from all directions for a radius of 50 miles," said Mr. Wrigleworth. "Then they tramped back again and told others. The others are reported on their way to the Wrigleworth camp to vertify the amazing story of the new god on wheels.

When the Indians saw the truck they ran after it, being careful not to get too close for they were plain-

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"We drove the truck off the road and into the bush where not even a horse had set foot. The Indians followed us for miles. Their fears

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were allayed at seeing how readily the truck obeyed the hand that guided it and we finally succeeded in giving the more daring braves a ride

on the gas god. The truck paid for itself in one week, Mr. Wrigleworth reported later, "carrying freight 19 miles at the rate of \$250. per ton for the trip."

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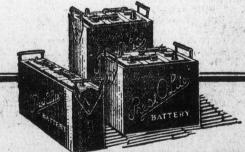
Petrolia ... Sept. 22-23 Wilkesport ... Sept. 23 Sarnia ...... Sept. 24-26 Wyoming .....Oct. 2-3 Florence ......Oct. 2-3 Alvinston ......Oct. 6-8 Indian Reserve (Sarnia) ..., Oct. 7-8

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As we have disposed of our Hardware business to Mr. Peter J. Dodds, who is now in possession, we desire to thank all our customers for the excellent patronage they have extended to us during the two years we have been in Watford. While we have constantly endeavored to give you efficient service in guaranteed hardware supplies at reasonable prices, we feel sure that our successor will deserve your support by adhering to the same principles.
All accounts must be

settled at once as we are closing our books as soon as

W. L. McCrae

#### Announcement!

Having purchased the Hardware business of W. L. McCrae, we ask the public for a continued share of their patronage. We have been very busy this week taking stock, remodelling the store and reorganizing the stock and we ask the public to watch for our announcement next week.

Come in and meet our new nanager, Mr. Eric Graham. He is an experienced hardware man and will be able to give you good service in

P. Dodds & Son

CARD OF THANKS-Mr. John Dempsey and family wish to convey their sincere thanks to all the kind friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy extended to them during their recent bereavement; also for the many beautiful floral offerings.

#### WarwickCourt of Revision

The Court of Revision for the Township of Warwick will be held in the Town Hall, Warwick Village, on Monday, May 26th, 1924, at ten o'clock a.m., to hear and decide any complaints against the assessment of the township. Interested parties N. Herbert, Clerk. m9-3t

#### Executors' Notice

Notice is hereby given that credi-HENRY ROGERS, late of the Village of Watford, in the County of Lambton, Gentleman, deceased, are to send in full particulars of such claims together with the nature of security (if any) by mailing them to Cowan, Cowan & Gray, at Wassord, on or before the fifteenth day of June, 1924, and after the said date the executors will proceed to distribute the estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have received notice.

Cowan, Cowan & Gray, Solicitors for the Executors, W. S. Fuller and Fred Rogers. Dated this 26th day of April, 1924.

#### Administrator's Notice

Notice is hereby given that creditors and others having claims against the estate of JOHN WILLIAM BLAIN late of the Township of Warwick, in the County of Lambton, Farmer, deceased, are to send in full particulars of such claims together with the nature of security (if any) by mariling them to Cowan, Cowan & Gray, at Watford, on or before the 31st day of May, 1924, and after the said date the Administrator will proceed to distribute the estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have received notice.

Cowan, Cowan & Gray, Solicitors for the Administrate Eliza Ann Blain. Dated this 19th day of April, 1924

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Port Colborne has practically doubled its population in the last ten years according to the assessor's roll just returned to the Town Clerk. The figures are 3.961.

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#### WERE COMING HOME!"

This Week's Paid Up Members

Mrs. Harry Ward, Detroit; George Apted, Detroit; Joshua Saunders, Watford; Loftus Miller, Watford; Albert Brock, Adelaide; H. W. Nixon Watford; C. P. VanAuken Hacken-sack N. J; J. Murray Mitchell Court-enay B. C; W. H. Shrapnell Watford; Willoughby, Uthaca, Mich. L. Mc Neil, Mrs. C. D. McNeil, Detroit; Mrs. W. J. Leacock, Kerwood.

#### PETROLIA

Dr. F. W. James of Strathroy impressed by the favorable oppor-tunity for practicing the medical profession in Petrolia has rented the office where Dr. Calder practised a few years ago. Dr. James will com-mence his practice immediately. W. W. McRae, Petrolia agent for

the Dutch Oil Company, received a letter from a German driller, inclosing return postage. Inquiring about opportunities for securing a position The postage on the envelope was 30,000,000 marks, and for the reply 50,000,000 were sent which before the war, would be worth \$12,000,000.

V. Smith, manager of the Petrolia canning factory, formerly of Aylmer, has moved to Petrolia and announces that the factory will soon be put in running order. Mr. Smith stated that the factory would operate every summer at Petrolia and would employ over 100 persons.

#### KERWOOD

Mrs. Waite of Sarnia is visiting her daughter Mrs. Seymour Lang-

Mr. R. E. Waltham and family spent the weekend visiting friends in Sarnia.

Mr. Thomas Chambers of Adelaide is visiting his daughter, Mrs. R. W. Swanton of Highgate.

Mrs. Jno. O'Neil spent the week- Mrs. W. A. end with her sister Mrs. Longsworth day in Sarnia.

Miss Vera, Manicom of Sarnia is last week with his sister Mrs. Craw visiting at her home on the 4th line. forth. Miss Erna Wright is visiting in Windsor and Detroit.

Miss Reta Denning has accepted retts. position at the Kerwood Telephone Central.

Mr. Marker of Toronto is assisting at the Bank of Toronto in the absence of Miss Freeda Richardson. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Corey and Clifford Waite of Sarnia, and Mrs. Robt Hall of Winnipeg were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McLaughlin re-

Mrs. R. E. Waltham D. D. P. of District No. 14 was a guest at the banquet given by Victoria Rebekah lodge No. 1 London held in the Odd Fellows Hall on Thursday evening given in honor of the Grandmaster

of Ontario. Don't forget the W. M. S. meeting to be held in the Sunday School room of the Methodist church on Thursday May 15th, commencing at 2.30 p. m. A very interesting program is being prepared. Reports from the different officers will be given which we hope may prove beneficial to all. Be sure to attend and bring a friend.

Miss Muriel Richards of Oil City and Miss Mildred Richards of Courtright were guests of Miss Hazel Patterson over the week end.

The W. M. S. met in the church parlors and elected the following officers:—

President Mrs. Seymour Langford. 1st vice president Mrs. Frank Hull. vice pres. Mrs. Frank Wright. Secretary Mrs. J. H. Richard.son Assistant sec. Mrs. M. C. Morgan. Cor. Sec. Mrs. A. Fuller. Stranger Sec. Mrs. J. W. Johnson. Treasurer Mrs. Wm. Johnson. Mite box Sec. Mrs. Fred Richardson. of Christian Stewardship Mrs. William Thompson. Supt. of outlooks Mrs. E. Edgar. Pianist Mrs. Henry Watson. Heralds Mrs. Geo. Johnston Western Canada, Mrs. A. Brush India; Mrs. Ethelford Edgar China; Mrs. Chas. Johnson French; Mrs. H. Watson

Kerwood League Officers At the last meeting of the League the following officers were elected for the coming year:— President Mr. Olarence Fuller. 1st vice. Mrs. Earl McLean. 2nd. vice Miss Mildred Morgan. 3rd. vice Mr. Harold Irwin. 4th vice. Miss Gladys Johnson. Cor. Sec. Miss Freeda Richardson. Rec. Sec. Mr. Stanley Johnson Treasurer Miss Eva Wright. Pianist Miss Anna Leacock.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

#### INWOOD

id, Mrs. Cush

friend, Mrs. Cushman.

Mr. Tom Armstrong spent the weekend at home.

Mrs. Tilk has returned to town

after spending the winter with her Mrs. W. Lloyd is improving nicely after her recent illness.

We are pleased to see Mrs. A. Richardson home again, and improving nicely after her operation.

Mrs. V. Case returned home after spending two weeks with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Otta Lehebrass.

The April meeting of the Women's Institute was held in the school room of the Presbyterian church, with the president Mrs. R. J. Richardson officiating. The district president Mrs. Shugg, of Walnut was president giving an interesting and instructive address. Several pleasing musical numbers were rendered by the fol-lowing:—Piano solos by Miss Marvel Bishop and Mabel Loosemore, a vocal solo by Mrs. Riley. Officers for the ensuing year were nominated. Election to take place at the next

meeting May 27th.

Miss Marvel Bishop is spending a
few days in Toronto this week attending the Ontario Musical Festi-

from Detroit this week, where she has been visiting her sons Eear and

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hadden called on Mr. and Mrs. Crawforth Sunday. Mr. Dougal and John McCallum of sister Mrs. Archie McLaughlin.

Mr. J. P. McVicar and J. Vance, attended the funeral of Mr. J. Patterson of Newbury an Sunday after-

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Chapman called on Mrs. Gentleman at the Petrolia Hospital Sunday.

Mrs. Nelson Dolman spent Sunday

at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Otta Lehebrass.

Mrs. W. A. Graham spent Wednes-Mr. L. Thilby of Toronto spent

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Tiffun of Bothwell spent Sunday at Mr. John Bar-

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Chapman spent Sunday in Bothwell with Mrs. Boyn-

Miss Isabell Dickson of Alvinston spent the week end with her friend,

#### Marie Dudley. THEDFORD

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Laird and children of Mt. Brydges, spent Sun-day with G. S. Paltridge.

Miss May Morrison, concession 2 Bosanquet, who has spent the past six months in Toronto, returned on

Monday.

Mrs. Madden has returned after visiting in Toronto. Mrs. Wills returned Friday after

visiting in Sarnia and Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Peter McKellar of Forest spent Friday with his sister, Mrs. A. M. Crawford.

Mrs. W. Leach and children of Ailsa Craig are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Edmunds.

Rt. Worshipful Brother A Armstrong, D. D. G. M., of St. Clair District, No. 2, will make an offi-cial visit to Cassia Lodge, No. 116 A. F. & A. M. Monday evening, May 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. James Creasey of Watford spent several days with Peter Lomazino.

Geo Davidson of West Williams was the lucky drawer for D. L. Scriven's \$64 oil stove on Saturday. Geo Traver, of this place, and David Hester, of Bosanquet, are working for A. M. Crawford. in Detroit, building a house.

Andrew Flynn has sold his barber shop in Forest, and will return to Thedford.

### DECISIONS RESPECTING NEWSPAPERS

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is taken or not.
The courts have decided that refusing to take news-papers or periodicals from the post office, or removing and having them unpaid, is prima facie evidence of of intention of fraud.

#### CHOP STUFF

The sixty-second anniversary of the Glencoe Presbyterian church will be celebrated on Sunday, June 1st.

Windsor plasterers are demanding that they be paid at the rate of a day for an eight-hour day and it

The business men of Blenheim or-ganized a Board of Trade at a ban-quet held there last week with a membership of seventy.

Jos. Desjardine, proprietor of the Holwell House, Thedford, for some time, held a sale on Saturday, and will close the hotel.

An event of great interest to the Oddfellows of Ailsa Craig and vicin-ity took place on Tuesday evening, May 6th, when the new lodge rooms

were dedicated. The memorial fountain, which is being placed on the Park at Parkhill, will soon be in position, and it will be unveiled on May 24th. It is expected that there will be a good program of sports besides the unveiling.

Brooklyn's bobbed hair bandit and her husband, Edward Cooney, were sentenced to serve from 10 to 20 years each. The girl goes to Anburn prison and her husband to Sing

The little town of Columbus Junction is an Adamless Eden as far as male officials are concerned. At the recent municipal election women candidates were elected to fill all the offices for a term of two years. It is said to be the first town in the world to be governed by women.

A Windsor contractor, London associates, has secured the contract for eight miles of concrete paving on the Longwoods Road between Lambeth and Delaware. With the London-Lambeth section, this will make 13 miles of permanent pavement out of London on the road to Windsor.

The town of Paris is considering the erection of a war Memorial at a cost of \$10,000. It is proposed to issue debentures extending over a period of 10 years to provide the necessary funds. Should such a course be adopted it will affect the tax-payers to an extent of slightly over one dollar per year on \$1800

Mrs. Ed. Rumford, of Forest, had potatoes for dinner on Tuesday, April 22, that were dug in her garden that morning. They had been in the ground all winter with no extra protection, and were firm and fresh. They could be scraped like a new potato, and when cooked were of a fine quality.

ford passed away on Thursday evening after an illness of one week, of Pneumonia, Deceased was in attendance at the bedside of his father who died just ten days before. He was taken ill on Good Friday and although everything possible was done for him, he grew steadily worse, un-til the end came. The funeral was held on Sunday afternoon to the Parkhill Cemetery and was largely

#### SEVEN LITTLE SHAMROCKS

Seven little shamrocks lay fast asleep, Within the earth so brown;

Seven little shamrocks peeped a Early one bright cold morn. And the mother smiled, on each

shamrock child. And spread her leaves to the sun.

"Oh, Mother!" cried Alice our shamrock see. She laughed and clapped a hand. How many -Oh, how many have

grown! I know what I'll do, she planned: I'll plant each one, in a pot of it's

And send them on mission grand.

So when St. Patrick's rolled around, One bloomed for a window lone; And one for a boy from the Emerald Isle.

And one for a heart of stone And each little sprite in pink and Smile out from it's three-leaved

throne. One blinked fair from a window

ledge At a cripple all day long; And one it folded it's leaves at night,

Where Irish hearts grew young,
And two leaned out where hearts
knew doubt,
And smiled till their fear was gone.

Annie Salisbury Newell.

#### NAPIER

Miss Beatrice Clothier of Strath roy spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Clothier.

The regular meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. John Clothier on Wednesday, May 14th. A paper "Life in Rural Districts" to be given by Mrs. G. Denning. Roll call to be answered by a quotation in which "Mother" is the chief thought. Election of officers is to take place and Miss Eduthe is to take place and Miss Edythe Nevins is taking charge of the pro-

Mrs. Aikens of Centre Road, is giving an address on Missionary work at the manse on Tuesday. We are sorry to hear that Mr. Fred McPhail is confined to his bed

The farmers are nearly all through seeding in this vicinity. All report they expect a good crop as the land is in excellent shape.

#### **ARKONA**

Miss M. McKay of Detroit, is vis iting her sister Mrs. O. Schmidt. Miss Iva White spent a day in

London last week. See the new range of shoes, in the

new shades—Fuller Bros.
Mr. Beamer Faulds has purchased the property of Mr. Byron Smith.
Miss L. Davidson spent Sunday
with her sister Mrs. Frank Clark on

the 4th concession. A number from town motored to Bethel on Friday evening to attend a debate given between Sylvan and

Uttoxeter Epworth Leagues. The subject of the debate was, "Resolved that the Press has more influence for good than the platform." Sylvan up-held the affirmative side of the debate, while Uttoxeter defended the negative side. The contesting parties were so evenly matched that the three judges, Rev. Garott, Forest, Rev. McGinnes, and Rev. Williams, Thedford, were closeted together for one hour, before they could come to a decision. After much hesitation Mr. McGinnes announced that the affirmative had won by a small margin.

#### PETROLIA

Mrs. C. H. Smith has disposed of her residence and the practice of her late husband, Dr. Chas. Smith, to Dr. McCallum, a native of Ontario, late of Ford's Hospital, Detroit, who will start practice at once. The price is said to be \$7500.

A deal was put through last week whereby Messrs. F. Howlett & Son acquired the cement tile plant of Messrs. Karr & McRae. It is the intention of the purchasers to operate both plants at least for a portion of the year as the township council, which wants only cement tile, has considerable work on hand.

Inspector Levans, of Toronto, paid an official visit to Petrolia High School last week. It is evident from his remarks that Mr. Levan doesn't think much of High School conditions in Petrolia, declaring it without reservation the worst school building in the province. When asked if his remarks were meant to be taken literally, the Inspector replied, "I don't know of another that is worse." He declared the work of Principal McKichan was greatly hampered by the division of work in two separate buildings and expressed his admiration of him for working under such difficulties. Inspector Levans said that under the ect of 1921, the County would pay \$40,000 towards the cost of erecting a \$100,000 school based on the pres ent county attendance of 48%.

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#### Forest Spring Horse Show

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thews, Brandon Bros. Team, agricultural—Brandon Bros William Sutcliffe, J. C. O'Donnell.

Brood mare, roadster-John Viv-

Filly, heavy draught—First and econd, Brandon Bros. The judging was done by William Doherty, of Toronto, and was highly satisfactory to all.

## The Modern Soliloguy

(Apologies to Kipling!)

To bob, or not to bob. That is the

Whether it's not better in the end. For the girl who has to bob because of others,

To let her hair grow, or, Take up arms against this bobbing, And by opposing cut for cut end it-Thus by ending put the bobbers out of busines 'Tis a consummation

Devoutly to be wished. To bob-to slash-Perchance myself to get it in the

neck Before I've finished for I never used a razor-

Aye-there's the rub; still when a Starts out a-thinking she'll not bob

'Tis like as not she'll bob it good and But will bobbing end this damn con-

fusion And the many evils that the HAIR is pestered with?

Nay, nay, Pauline; 'tis but the fore-Of marcels and debt that such a

course portends.
'Tis well, perhaps, to end the petty talk and bob it-So-and-So is bolbbing hers-

Yet hair-cutting doth appear unseem And fit only for men-who know not what their heads contain. But, twixt bobbing and not bobbing, I guess I'll bob mine, e'er I make my

### Slats' Diary

exit from the scene.

By Ross Farquhar Friday—well there was a few wirds past among I and Blisters to

day. I went and sold him a base ball mit las fall and he was to pay it in weakly installments of a nickel a weak. If he had it. but he has fell down on the Job and I had to done him for it today. well he admits that he haddent begin to pay me yet but he sed if it wood be enny Comfort to me he had begin to firry about it sum aready. Saterday— well pa

and ma had a short disagreement tonite when they was a getting reddy for a party. After ma was al drest and made up she cums down stares and pa looks at her and remarked that she diddent have enuff close on to keep a musketo warm. She replies back that she diddent want to keep enny musketo warm. They was such a pest anyways. Well she diddent add

a pest anyways. Wer she crudent and ennything to her close. To make a long story shorten up. Sunday—Well a certain resident of are community has got his self arrested for getting marryed to 2 wimmen at the same adentical time. Pa added that he new of sum fellows not menchoning enny names witch got into lots of trubble by on-

ly marying 1/2 that many wimmen. Monday. Teacher balled me out for doing sum thing wile her back was turned and after skool I up & ast her how cum she new about it. She sed, Well I can reed yure mind. I started to beet it rite off for fear she wood read it agen and get nex to what I was thinking about her. At

Tuesday-well Jake's unkle had a

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little baby cum to his house las nite. Then he had more bad luck today when he runs into a bridge with his Ford and busted his raddyater and a couple of fenders.

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Wensday-went to a weddying to nite between a lady of the fare sex and a frend of are family. The poor little bride was a balling fit to eat out her hart and I wood of went to the fellow and ast him to let her off but ma made me shut up my mouth and set still.

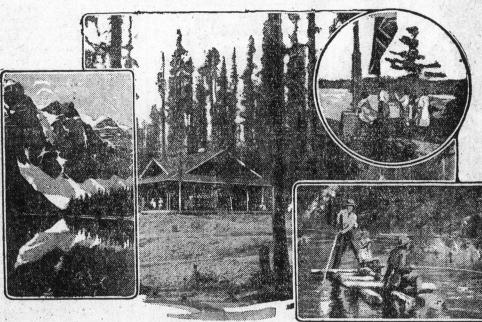
Thirsday—well I gess we are a go ing to have are telefone tuk out, the vice is a getting so bad that ma convinced.

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# **Teachers to Tour Dominion**



Included in the itinerary are Lake Louise, left; Vermilion River, centre; Nipigon, where children are seen hoisting the flag and Banff, right.

To teach the youth of Canada about Canada and do teachers. Lake Louise, called 'prebably the most perthe country justice it is first necessary that one should see Canada. That is the view of the Canadian Teachers' Federation and no one will question it. With the idea of correcting any deficiencies in this be made in daylight. respect under which its members may be labouring the Federation, accordingly, has decided to make its trip to Victoria, B. C., for this year's annual convention as a personally conducted tour, lasting from August 4th to 12th and promising a very interesting and instructive programme for the pedagogues and their friends.

Instructive programme for the pedagogues and their friends.

Arranged by Dr. A. E. Hardy, Vice-President of the Federation, and R. E. Howe, President, Provincial Association of Protestant Teachers, Quebec, in conjunction with the Canadian Pactific Railway, the tour covers as wide a field as is humanly possible in the time allotted. It will be made on a special train starting from Toronto and following the main line of the Canadian Pacific throughout. Stop-overs varying from a few hours to a day will be made at many points of interest along the route to give the teachers a full opportunity of seeing the sights at these places. Fort William and Port Arthur, the great inland grain ports of this country and the funnel through which Canada's huge crops pour out to feed the world, Winnipeg, the world's greatest grain market, and boasting the world's greatest grain grain grain grain grain

be made in daylight.

The entertainments arranged for the teachers include many automobile drives, a reception at the Twin Cities, luncheon at Winnipeg and Calgary and a re-ception at Vancouver, under the auspices of the local Teachers' Association in each of the cities mentioned, luncheon at Regina as the guests of the Premier and Government of Saskatchewan, followed by a drive around the city in automobiles provided by the Rotary Club. While in Moose Jaw, the visitors will also be taken for a drive by the local Board of Trade.

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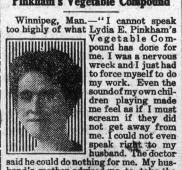
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#### "On Parliament Hill"

(By a Member of The Parliamentary Press Gallery) Ottawa, May 5th, 1924—The bus-iness of Parliament, last week, was transacted not so much in the House of Commons as in the committee-room of the Committee on Private Bills, where came under consideration a very famous bill in the name of Robert Forke, Progressive Leader—to wit, the bill to incoporate the United Charge of Canada Church of Canada.

Not in a decade—probably never before—has Ottawa seen such activity in connection with a private bill. Never before has there been crystallized behind potential legislation such a manifestation of public concern and curiosity. Never before have legislators been so given to feel the weight of public opinion. The capital is now, has been for more than a week, the camping ground of hundreds—clergymen, educationists, law-yers, prominent laymen of all walks and churchwomen of all creeds and classes and from all parts of Can-ada—all of them keeping a sharp eye on the progress of the measure sponsored by the member from Bran-don.

The whole issue covered by the bill is extremely controversial, full of "dynamite" be it viewed from any angle whatsoever. Suffice it to say that, should the bill be sent forward from the committee (and that is not at all certain, if one may judge by present circumstances) the legislat-ion based thereon is apt to provide one of the stormiest debates in the history of Canada's Parliament. In a sense, the lucky member is one who is not on the roll-call of the committee meeting under the extremely diplomatic and judicial chairmanship of Hal. B. McGiverin (Liberal member for Ottawa.)

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#### All Adelaide Township Soldiers Returned Home

NOT ONE KILLED

Clerk's List Shows 274 Middlesex Volunteers Were Buried Overseas

In going over the list of Middlesex soldiers who fell in the great war, County Court John Stuart discover ed that not one soldier who enlisted in the township of Adelaide was kill-

Mr. Stuart pointed out that Sir Arthur Currie, commander of the Canadian troops, was born in Adelaide Township and that the young men of the district were among the first to respond to the call to arms.

Middlesex soldiers who were bur-ied overseas number 274, according to a list compiled by the county clerk. Their names will be placed on a tablet of marble or bronze to be erected in the Arts building of the University of Western Ontario. This was stipulated when the county made a grant of \$100,000 to the university



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#### ALVINSTON

The Ladies' Guild of St. John's Anglican church held a successful sale of homemade baking and bazaar on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Crawforth and son Jack of Inwood, spent Sunday at the home of G. A. Hadden.

Mrs. Martyn and daughter Ella, and Mrs. Mark Burford and daughter Augusta, and Miss Mary Bindner. returned home from Toronto on Sunday where the young ladies took part in the musical festival held there this week.

The local tennis counts have been put in shape and playing will start immediately.

Mrs. M. A. Temple is spending few days as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Herbert Cole, of Detroit. Mrs. Ross McEachern and children are spending a few days as the guest of Mrs. Susan, Genge.

THE LEWIS AND STREET,

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#### Rural School Reports

The following is the report of S. S. No. 5 Brooke, for the month of March and April: Class IV-B. Oakes, 74; A Sutton 60.8; G. Smith, 58.5. Class II—A. Coristine, 62.9; \*L. Woods, 57.5; V. Watson, 53.7; V. McVicar, 52.9. Class II—W. Coristine, 83; G. Lucas, 61; D. McVicar, 45; D. Sutton, 43.

Primer A— E. Kearney, B—T. Lucas C. McVicar. \*L. Woods was absent H. M. Hamilton, Teacher.

Report of S. S. 16, Warwick, for Class IV-Grace McKenzie, Florence Bryce, Merton Bryce. Class III Sr-Harold Rivers; Elger etta Jones; Lena Bryce; Hume, Alvin Williamson. Class III Jr-Velma Claypole, Frank

Claypole, Laura Williamson. Jackson, Marjorie Sutton. Leslie Bryce. Class II Sr—Ivy Jackson. Class II Jr—Regena Williamson.

Class I—Alvin Bryce, Dorothy Clay-pole.—M. Marwick, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 6 Warwick for the month of April:— Class IV—Amy Duncan; Doreen Manders; Mary Manders; Ivy Peaslee Maude Williamson Leila Ward. Class IHSr—Mary Bryce; George Manders; John Bryce. Class III Jr—Merton Smith; Clifford

Class II-Martha Manders; Andrew Class I-Martha Bryce, Alberta

Primer Sr-Jack Manders; Allan Williamson. rimer Jr —Stanley Williamson Howard Woods. S. A. Barnes, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 8 Plympton report of S. S. No. 8 Plympton for the month of April.

Class IV Sr. Mary Cockrame, Clarence McEwen; John Hodgins\*.

Class III Sr.—Glen McEwen; Neil Minielly; Thelma Miniely; Mary Kerton; Harold Hodgins\*.

Class III Jr.—Gordon Morgan; Jack McCormick; James Cockrane\*. Class II—Leslie Minielly; Allan Mc Lean; May McCormick; Donald Min-

ielly; George Hodgins.
Class I—James Hart; Charles Mc
Ewen and Marjorie Minielly equal;
Catherine McRae. Primer Sr-Margaret Minielly; Gil-

bert Hart; Beatrice McRae; Margaret Dell; Anna Grieve; Lloyd Miniel ly; Wilhelmine Capes; Gordon McCormick; Dorothy McEwen.
Primer Jr—Orval Minielly.
F. M. McRae, Teacher

Report of U. S. S. 1 & 13 for the

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Brooke and Warwick.

IV—Jessie Woods; Jamie Beattie; Earl Gilliland; John R. Cran; Gerrard Cowan; Vera Edgar.

Class III—Alex Gilliland; John Ruth, (Laura Noxell, Graham Woods) equal; Irene Gilliland; Gordon Gilliland.

Class II Sr—Harold Edgar; John H. McNeil.

Class I Gertrude Gilliland; Keith

Cowan. Primer Sr—Ivan King. Primer Jr—Ernie Gilliland. Freida

Norval J. Woods. Teache

#### Watford Methodist W. M. S.

The Woman's Missionary Auxiliary of the Watford Methodist church held their annual meeting at the home of Miss Aitkin, the president, Mrs. D. Maxwell, presiding. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.,
Moved and seconded by Mrs.
White and Mrs. Humphries, that our corresponding secretary, Mrs. Thompson, write to the book room for literature on the work of the bible

woman.
Miss Kerr was authorized to get a receipt book for the treasurer. Mrs. Thompson and Miss Aitkin gave full and interesting report of

he year's work.

Moved and seconded by Mrs. W. Harper and Mrs. Hagle, that we have our regular May meeting. Mrs. Potter kindly offered her lawn for an

open meeting.
Members present 14, visitors 1, collection 75 cents.

and executive Prayer meeting meeting to meet at the home of Miss Kerr on Friday afternoon. Mr. Hager took charge of the meeting and proceeded with election of officers. President, Mrs. D. A. Maxwell; 1st

vice president, Mrs. Hagle; 2nd vice president, Mrs. White; cor. sec., Mrs. Thompson; rec. sec., Mrs. W. Harp-er; treas., Miss Kerr; supt. of Christian stewardship, Mrs. J. Humphries supt. of strangers, Miss Aitkin. Next meeting to be held in the church on Tuesday, May 13th.

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### Watford Council

Watford, May 5. 1924. Regular meeting of council was held with Messrs. Connolly, Mc. Cormick, Hollingsworth, Doar and

Minutes of former meeting were read and confirmed.

Brown—Doar that the communication from Ontario Motor League

be received, and the Clerk instructed to communicate with same offering. The Driving Park to Tourists free of

Change—carried.

Doar—Brown that the Court of Revision on the Assessment Roll be held in the council chamber on Monday, June 2, 1924. at 11. a. m.-

Bylaw No 3 to provide for the annual cost of cleaning main street be read a first time—carried.

Brown-McCormick that Byllaw No. 3 be read a third time and passed-carried. Finance Committee examined ac-

Fiance Committee examined acounts and recommend pays Joshua Saunders, ac. repairs. \$4.00 S. Janes, draying ......9.85 Will Kerr cinders & scraping ...72.90 Treas hydro com light ac. . . . 113.50 Russ Hollingsworth shov. cin...16.50 Peter McNaughton ac. labor...6.15 Treas. Bd. Ed. pub. school .. 600.00

J. F. Elliot salary \$15 to pay
W. Lawrence 30 cents. . . . . 15.30
J. McIntosh 37 hours scraping

22.20 A. Routley unloading cinders...6.90 C. Stumpf unloading cin.......7.05 Robt. Hollingsworth labor on

be passed and Reeve grant his orders -carried.

McCormick—Hollingsworth we adjourn-carried. W. S. Fuller, Clerk.

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