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FRIDAY, MAY 9, 1924

"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 graft," reads a headline. A few cells should be reserved for the grafters.

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

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

The establishment of a Denver hairdresser who caters to women customers is known as a "bobbershop."

Printing is known as the "art preservative." Saving the surface by soaking it in paints and oils might be termed the "art decorative."

Limping dogs are a common sight in Detroit, where they are vaccinated to prevent the spread of smallpox. 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.

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

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 snuffed at, even in Copenhagen. The Canadian bride of a Danish prince has been received with royal honors in Denmark's capital.

A Chicago woman in making a collection of cookbooks. She has already 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. The "ghost" ships are expected to drive out the evil spirits.

Kansas City has a school where students are instructed in the persuasive 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, presented the stubborn flivver, to the traffic cop and rode home on a trolley car.

Although he is an inveterate 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 fumigated 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 interior of a church.

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 last 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 minutes. Next!

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 lobsters. The color of the delicacy reminded some of the farmer members of the Rhode Island Reds in their own poultry yards.

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 snatched the note in our fingers, smelt it and put it to all the known tests for genuineness, and found it O. K.

We closed our eyes and thought we would make Peter Smith look like a piker when we flashed our 100-thousand 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 fellow-publishers 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 spin on friend evening frock when ye editors of Canadian Weekly Newspapers are presented to King George and Albert of Belgium.

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 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 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 is still—as it were—as it was before!

A Splendid Laxative For The Baby

Mothers should constantly be on guard to keep babies 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 are 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 they drive out constipation and indigestion, break up colds and simple fevers and make the dreaded teething period easy. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Holloway's Corn Remover takes the corn out by the roots. Try it and prove it.

A Strong and Stable Position
ONE of the first principles adopted by the founders of the Sterling Bank was a policy of careful conservatism. As a result, our position to-day is strong and stable.
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191 FRONT STREET—SARNIA, ONT.
NORMAN S. GURD, President. JOHN B. PARDEE, Manager.

Note and Comment
"The gentleman who signs himself E. 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 he pays the regular advertising rate. The 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 primary and secondary power lines in the rural sections, express the opinion that this will not help the farmer very much unless the system of fixing rates is altered, the present rates being practically prohibitive. "Helping with the cost of rural transmission lines is all right," says the Enterprise; "but if the Government will adjust the rates of the Hydro-Electric Commission so as to make its use on the farm really practicable it will do a lot more in hastening the day 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."

MURINE FOR EYES
IRRITATED BY SUN, WIND, DUST & CINDERS
RECOMMENDED & SOLD BY DRUGGISTS & OPTICIANS
WANTS FOR PALE EYE, CASE BOOK, BULLOCK CO. CHICAGO, ILL.

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Ask About The G.M.A.C. Deferred Payment Plan
The Economical Transportation.
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J. H. HUMPHRIES Sales & Service
ONE BLOCK WEST OF WATFORD POST OFFICE

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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-year-old 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 Harpur exchanged shots at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Cook, here, last November, and there is a possibility that she may re-enter Victoria Hospital for further treatment.

Dr. J. Cameron Wilson, the girl's physician during her lengthy period in the hospital following the shooting affray at the Cook home, when Geraldine 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 clean hole through the girl's chest is said to have touched or partially

pierced one of her lungs and the effects are still apparent. She is said to have been in poor health since she returned to her home in Watford.

### Lambton's Post Offices

According to the report of the Postmaster General for the year ending March 31st, 1923, the gross revenue of the various post offices in Lambton was as follows:—

ACCOUNTING OFFICES	
Alvinston	\$3935 99
Arkona	1852 37
Brigden	3180 02
Courtright	1910 14
Copleston	443 60
Cairo	252 17
Becher	243 86
Corunna	987 83
Cambridge	1161 98
Forest	7054 41
Florence	1628 11
Inwood	1791 13
Mooretown	1396 48
Mandaamin	495 18
Oil City	391 13
Oil Springs	2030 64
Petrolia	14499 22
Point Edward	1629 04
Port Lambton	1212 66
Sarnia	65563 85
Sombra	1547 94
Theford	3414 36
Wanstead	1222 49
Wilkesport	265 24
Warwick	240 88
Watford	6554 41
Wyoming	3287 76

### Debenture Debts

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
Blenheim	1580	36734
Bradford	1028	29614
Brighton	1353	88070
Dresden	1456	50462
Durham	1622	118587
Essex	1591	96103
Exeter	1507	94885
Fort Erie	1556	61979
Glencoe	835	35125
Harriston	1311	67862
Milverton	1054	88794
Mitchell	1699	90481
Morrisburg	1416	85671
New Hamburg	1401	84086
Norwich	18007	116076
Parkhill	1201	44108
Port Elgin	1304	34115
Richmond Hill	1113	138490
Shelburne	1101	37702
Southampton	1580	66216
Tavistock	1003	34701
Tilbury	1851	91027
Uxbridge	1492	58295
Watford	1039	89057
Winchester	1058	38273

### 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 opportunity of hearing the bishop at the annual meeting of the Huron Diocesan Women's Auxiliary, taking place 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, including the Order of the Excellent Cross, conferred on two occasions; the Grand Codon, the Order of Brilliant Rays and the Order of Striped Tiger.

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

### THE "GAS GOD"

A little band of Indians, skeptical but curious, are today musing their moccasin-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 verify 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 plainly very frightened.

"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

## BIRD'S ROOFS



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1. Has been used and endorsed for over a quarter century.
2. Comes in three colors—slate red, slate green and bright gray.
3. Heavier than ordinary smooth-surface roofing, it is pliable and will not crack in cold weather or dry out in hot weather.
4. For warehouses, industrial and farm buildings.
5. Yields extra dividends for many years on your initial investment.

Paroid Roofing is made by Bird & Son, Limited (Est. 1795), manufacturers of Neponset and Canadian Twin Shingles, Bird's Art Craft Roll Roofing, Neponset Black Building Paper and Combination Wall Board. There's a Bird's product for every sort of building.

We are headquarters for Bird's roofing, building papers and wall board.

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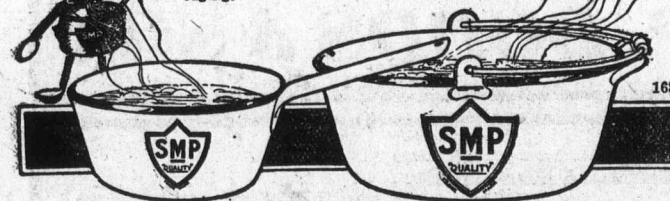
## Cook with This Ware - It Uses Less Fuel

Save money by using SMP Enamelled Ware cooking vessels. They use less fuel. To satisfy yourself try this convincing test in your kitchen. Take an SMP Enamelled Sauce Pan and one of equal size made of aluminum, tin or other metal. Into each pour two quarts of cold water. Place each sauce pan over the fire. The water in the SMP Enamelled Sauce Pan will be boiling merrily when the water in the other is just beginning to simmer. Save your money. Use

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"A Face of Porcelain and a Heart of Steel"

Three finishes: Pearl Ware, two coats of pearl-grey enamel inside and out; Diamond Ware, three coats, light blue and white outside, white lining. Crystal Ware, three coats, pure white inside and out, with Royal Blue edging.



THERE IS ONLY ONE PLACE IN WATFORD WHERE YOU CAN SECURE GENUINE "S.M.P." KITCHENWARE, AND THAT IS—

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"A Reliable Place to Buy Your Groceries and Hardware."

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SURFACE SATISFACTION

When Painting choose Scarfe's  
—not only beautifies but safeguards your home from wear and weather.

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VARNISHES PAINTS  
ENAMELS STAINS  
for every purpose

FARMERS'  
CO-OPERATIVE  
STORE  
WATFORD, ONT.

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."

### "OLD HOME WEEK"

August 17, 18, 19, 20

### FALL FAIR DATES

Stratroy	Sept. 15-17
WATFORD	Sept. 18-19
Petrolia	Sept. 22-23
Wilkesport	Sept. 23
Sarnia	Sept. 24-26
Brigden	Sept. 29-30
Forest	Sept. 30 Oct. 1
Theford	Oct. 2-3
Wyoming	Oct. 2-3
Florence	Oct. 2-3
Alvinston	Oct. 6-8
Indian Reserve (Sarnia)	Oct. 7-8

Study the Want Ads. on Page 4.

# Prest-O-Lite

## Storage Battery


—right for every car

### Coast to Coast Service

From east to west and north to south wherever motor cars are driven there is a Prest-O-Lite service station. Prest-O-Lite service is but on a par with the quality of the Prest-O-Lite Battery. Wherever you go you will find Prest-O-Lite batteries in use and Prest-O-Lite service near at hand. With rugged strength and long life built in at the factory and efficient service when ever you need it, Prest-O-Lite Storage Battery gives the utmost in battery satisfaction. You cannot get more than Prest-O-Lite gives no matter what you pay for a battery.

**R. MORNINGSTAR "WAT-FORD"**  
FORD SALES AND SERVICE GARAGE

**IN THE PUBLIC EYE**  
*Carl A. Class*



**FORE SIGHT IS BETTER THAN HINDSIGHT**  
**DO IT NOW!**

YOU can talk with many people who are advanced in years who will tell you that they wish they had consulted an expert optometrist at the first indication of eye trouble. They will inform you that they feel sure if they had that they would have been able to have worn corrective glasses that they might have discarded later on. If your eyes trouble, you let us test them.

**CARL A. CLASS**  
Optometrist

**WANT COLUMN.**  
One cent per word each insertion.  
Card of Thanks 50c.

**WANTED**  
WANTED—Plain sewing to be done at my house. Apply to Mrs. S. Fulcher, Ontario street.

**REPAIR WORK WANTED**  
I am now prepared to do upholstering and light furniture repairs. Terms: cash. J. Tomlin, Warwick and Simcoe streets. Jan. 1-1f

**WANTED**  
A few head of young cattle to pasture by the month or for the season. Apply to Geo. Fenner, Warwick Village. m2c3t

**WANTED**  
Three head of yearling cattle to pasture for season. White Wyandotte eggs, Martin strain for sale. Three hundred egg orders or over \$4.00 per 100, also a hand loom with attachments and a ladies bicycle. Apply to I. Harrison, box 233 Watford, phone 63-2.

**TO RENT**  
FOR SALE OR RENT—Stuffy and a half house on Erie street east. Apply at this office.

**FOR SALE**  
LITTLE PIGS FOR SALE—Apply to Adam Higgins, phone 66-14 Watford.

**FOR SALE**  
White Turkey Eggs at 20 cents each—Apply Jonas A. Zavits, Phone-Watford 46-2.

**FOR SALE**  
Strawberry Plants—write for particulars—John McAdam, Jr., R. R. No. 1, Arkona. 2t

**WE SELL**  
Metallic Shingles, Siding, Corrugated Iron and other roofings—Hawn & Hawes. a11-5t

**Birth Announcement Cards, Wedding Invitations, Announcements and Cake Boxes, and Memorial Cards**—All orders filled same day as received.—"The Guide-Advocate," 1f

**HATCHING EGGS**—S. C. White Leghorn hatching eggs from select breeders sired by excellent cockerels, May prices, \$1.50 per setting, \$3.00 for 50 and \$5.00 for 100 eggs. Rusk Glen Poultry Farm, Arkona, Ont. 3t

**J. McKERCHER**—offers inspected No. 1 seed corn with germination test of 90% for \$1.75 bus. Sweet clover No. 1. for \$8.50 No. 2. \$7.75, Alfalfa from \$12.00 to \$14.00. Order Now.

**A GOOD 50 ACRE** pasture farm with a running spring of water, about 3 miles from Arkona to rent or sell. Apply to W. E. Fitzgerald, Barrister. Watford.

**STRAWBERRY PLANTS FOR SALE**  
Eight different varieties, both early and late. 60 cents per 100; \$5.00 per 1000, and 5000 plants for \$22.00. Apply Telford Thompson, R.R. 5, Phone 75-24, Watford. 2t

**LAND OPPORTUNITIES**  
A party who is interested in the purchase and sale of village and farm properties in, and in the vicinity of Theford and Arkona, desires to get in touch with any person or persons desiring to buy or sell. Apply to H. Ely, Box 41, Sarnia, or to F. W. Willson at Theford on Saturday afternoons at office over Paltridge's store. m9-2t

**Thank You!**  
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 possible.  
**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, remodeling the store and reorganizing the stock and we ask the public to watch for our announcement next week.  
Come in and meet our new manager, Mr. Eric Graham. He is an experienced hardware man and will be able to give you good service in this line.  
**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.

**Warwick Court 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 please take notice.  
N. Herbert, Clerk.

**Executors' Notice**  
Notice is hereby given that creditors and others having claims against the estate of WILLIAM 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 Watford, 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. m2-3t

**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 mailing 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 Administrator, Eliza Ann Blain. Dated this 19th day of April, 1924. a25-3t

**DR. A. C. ANDERSON**  
Chiropractor.  
Watford—Mon., Wed., & Friday 9 to 11 a.m.  
Office over Mr. Rogers' Store  
Appointment other days by phoning 92w Strathroy. j25-tf

**Gold Seal CONGOLEUM Week**  
*Bargain Prices - May 8th to 17th*

Our fresh stock assures you of securing just the Gold Seal Congoleum Rug you want at big money saving prices.

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**SPECIAL PRICES ON GOLD SEAL CONGOLEUM ART RUGS AND FLOOR COVERINGS**

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- 9 x 7 1/2, Genuine Gold Seal Congoleum Rug, nationally advertised price \$11.25, this week only..... \$9.95
- 9 x 9, Genuine Gold Seal Congoleum Rug, nationally advertised price \$13.50, this week..... \$11.95
- 9x10 1/2 Genuine Gold Seal Congoleum Rug, nationally advertised price \$15.75, this week..... \$13.95
- 9 x 12, Genuine Gold Seal Congoleum Rug, nationally advertised price \$18.00, this week..... \$15.95

Gold Seal Congoleum by the yard—per square yard, two yard wide, nationally advertised price 85c, only..... 75c

**OTHER SIZES, ranging down to the 1 1/2 x 3 feet..... 45c**

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Sold us a large lot of Boys' Suits—One and Two Bloomers—At a big sacrifice in price. The goods are in stock now in the following sizes: 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 34, 35. Nine sizes and from 8 to 10 Suits of a size. The price starts at

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Smart, neatly made clothing for boys. Come as soon as possible—these should sell quick at this wonderful price. —Swift, Sons & Co.

**YOUNG MEN'S SUITS** with two pairs long trousers, in sizes 36 to 40. Snappy styles for young fellows.  
Price per suit  
**\$21.00 to \$25.00**  
Swift, Sons & Co.

**ART TAILORED SUITS**—Made to order from our own Tweeds and Coatings. Good patterns, new shadings. Cut and style correct.  
**\$30.00** a Suit and up.

**Swift, Sons & Co.**

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WHY SHIP YOUR WOOL AWAY WHEN YOU CAN GET AS MUCH AT HOME ON YOUR OWN SCALES. BRING YOUR WOOL TO

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**"WE'RE COMING HOME!"**

**This Week's Paid Up Members**  
 Mrs. Harry Ward, Detroit; George Apter, Detroit; Joshua Saunders, Watford; Loftus Miller, Watford; Albert Brock, Adelaide; H. W. Nixon, Watford; C. P. VanAuker Hackensack N. J.; J. Murray Mitchell Court-enay B. C.; W. H. Shrapnell Watford; Nathan Thorne, Sarnia; William Willoughby, Uthaca, Mich. L. McNeil, Mrs. C. D. McNeil, Detroit; Mrs. W. J. Leacock, Kerwood.

**PETROLIA**

Dr. F. W. James of Strathroy impressed by the favorable opportunity for practicing the medical profession in Petrolia has rented the office where Dr. Calder practised a few years ago. Dr. James will commence 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 Langford.

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'Neill spent the weekend with her sister Mrs. Longworth of London.

Miss Vera Maricom of Sarnia is visiting at her home on the 4th line.

Miss Erna Wright is visiting in Windsor and Detroit.

Miss Reta Denning has accepted a 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 recently.

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 16th, 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 Court-right were guests of Miss Hazel Patterson over the weekend end.

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

President Mrs. Seymour Langford.  
 1st vice president Mrs. Frank Hull.  
 2nd vice pres. Mrs. Frank Wright.  
 Secretary Mrs. J. H. Richardson.  
 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.  
 Supt. 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 Japan.

**Kerwood League Officers**  
 At the last meeting of the League the following officers were elected for the coming year:—  
 President Mr. Clarence 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**

Mrs. Henry Johnston is spending a week in London the guest of her friend, Mrs. Cushman.

Mr. Tom Armstrong spent the weekend at home.

Mrs. Tilk has returned to town after spending the winter with her son.

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. E. J. Richardson officiating. The district president Mrs. Shugg, of Walnut was present giving an interesting and instructive address. Several pleasing musical numbers were rendered by the following:—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 Festival.

Mrs. J. W. Johnston returned from Detroit this week, where she has been visiting her sons Eear and James.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hadden called on Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Sunday.

Mr. Dougal and John McCallum of Alvinston spent Sunday with their sister Mrs. Archie McLaughlin.

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

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 Wednesday in Sarnia.

Mr. L. Thilby of Toronto spent last week with his sister Mrs. Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Tiffin of Bothwell spent Sunday at Mr. John Barretts.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Chapman spent Sunday in Bothwell with Mrs. Boynton.

Miss Isabel Dickson of Alvinston spent the week end with her friend, Marie Dudley.

**THETFORD**

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Laird and children of Mt. Brydges, spent Sunday 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. Willis 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. D. Armstrong, D. D. G. M., of St. Clair District, No. 2, will make an official 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 Thetford.

**DECISIONS RESPECTING NEWSPAPERS**

Any person who takes a paper regularly from the post office, whether addressed in his name or another's or whether he has subscribed or not, is responsible for payment.

If a person orders his paper discontinued he must pay all arrears, or the publisher may continue to send it until payment is made, and then collect the whole amount whether the paper is taken or not.

The courts have decided that refusing to take newspapers or periodicals from the post office, or removing and having them unpaid, is prima facie evidence 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 \$1.00 a day for an eight-hour day and five dollars a week.

The business men of Blenheim organized a Board of Trade at a banquet 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 vicinity 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 Auburn prison and her husband to Sing 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, with 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 18 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 assessment.

Mrs. Ed. Rumpf, 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.

James Arthur McLeod, of Thetford 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, until the end came. The funeral was held on Sunday afternoon to the Parkhill Cemetery and was largely attended.

**SEVEN LITTLE SHAMROCKS**

Seven little shamrocks lay fast asleep,  
 Within the earth so brown;  
 Seven little shamrocks peeped a head,  
 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 own,  
 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 white,  
 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.



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CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS

TIME TABLE. Trains leave Watford station as follows: GOING WEST. Accommodation, 111, 8.42 a.m. Chicago Express, 17, 12.09 p.m. Detroit Express, 83, 6.51 p.m. Chicago Express, 911, 9.11 p.m. GOING EAST. Ontario Limited, 80, 7.48 a.m. Chicago Express, 6, 11.25 a.m. Express, 2, 50 p.m. Accommodation, No. 112, 6.08 p.m. G.E. McTAGGART, Agent, Watford.

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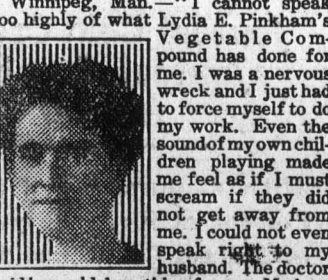
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"On Parliament Hill"

(By a Member of The Parliamentary Press Gallery) Ottawa, May 5th, 1924—The business 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 Perke, Progressive Leader—to wit, the bill to incorporate the United 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, lawyers, prominent laymen of all walks of life and churchwomen of all creeds and classes and from all parts of Canada—all of them keeping a sharp eye on the progress of the measure sponsored by the member from Brandon.

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 legislation 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. McGivern (Liberal member for Ottawa.)

AN ALL ELECTRIC PAPER MILL

There is now in full swing at historic Three Rivers, P.Q., a modern plant—The International Paper Co.—which fabricates every twenty-four hours a sheet of paper 12 1/2 feet wide and 1,161 miles long. The mill is engaged in the manufacture of newsprint paper. Between two succeeding noons it makes 300 tons of this material.

Each ton of paper calls for the consumption of about 1.3 cords of wood in its production; and the daily output utilizes the equivalent of 30 acres of standing timber. Further, to transform the logs into newsprint each ton of paper requires the expenditure of 1,347 kilowatt hours of electric current. 15 man hours of labor and supervision, and 5 1/2 minutes in its actual making. Every twenty-four hours 128,400,000 gallons of fluids must be pumped to serve this mill. In many ways the paper mill is unique in its employment of electricity, and it is said to be the only 100 per cent. electrified mill of its kind in this important industry.

For supplying the enormous amount of water necessary for paper production a pump and filter plant is installed at the river bank. This pump pit contains nine pumps with a combined capacity of 55,800 gallons per minute, or enough water to supply a city of 700,000 population. The raw water and fire pumps are below the low water level of the river. Protective devices, meters and control elements are installed on a gallery overlooking the pit, where they are out of danger due to flood-

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 discovered that not one soldier who enlisted in the township of Adelaide was killed.

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 buried 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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Ye Country Editor

THE COUNTRY EDITOR is an animal common to all parts of Canada, the United States and portions of Europe, Asia and Madagascar. He is biped, quadruped, centipede and every other kind of "ped" known to natural history. If he didn't have so many hands and legs, he couldn't perform the duties of the country editor. As a rule, the country editor is not ornamental, but is useful. Everybody uses him. The regular duties of a country editor are to gather news from all over the country, and all other countries where his subscribers have relatives living; write editorials, obituaries and accounts of weddings; to set up type, make up forms, do job work, print, fold and mail the paper, solicit ads and locals, smoke a cob pipe, swear at the "devil" and throw the shooting stick at the cat. He is also expected to attend all political meetings, church socials, baseball games and funerals of his delinquent subscribers. In addition to the above, he must, in his spare moments, cut wood, hoe in the garden, feed the pigs, sweep the floor, carry water, plant peas, patch the roof, repair the fence and put new hinges on the gate. It is also his duty to get in debt as much as possible to every merchant in town, as this will induce them to "take more space" in the paper. In the midst of all these duties, the editor is expected to have a good time, wear a ginger-cake smile, a brass finger ring and at least one "galus." A country editor of light weight can't afford to tell the truth. If he did, he'd get the staff's licked out of him every day. If the bride is hump-shouldered, freckled, cross-eyed and has a wart on her nose, the editor is expected to say that she is "beautiful and accomplished." If a candidate has a record that ought to put him in the penitentiary, the editor is expected to say he is "honest, upright and capable."

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 courts have been put in shape and playing will start immediately. Mrs. M. A. Temple is spending a 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.

Girlhood Dangers

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The anaemia of young girls may be inherited, or it may be caused by bad air, unsuitable food, hasty and irregular eating, insufficient outdoor exercise and not enough rest and sleep. It comes on gradually, beginning with languor, indisposition to exertion and a feeling of fatigue. Later comes palpitation of the heart and headaches. In the majority of cases constipation is present, and the complexion takes on a greenish-yellow pallor. The treatment is quite easy and simple. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are just the tonic to remedy this wretched state of health. They act directly upon the blood, and as it becomes rich and pure, strength and activity returns, the glow of health comes to the cheeks, and soon the trouble will disappear and good health follow. Miss Pearl Parks, R. R. 1, Reaboro, Ont., has proved the value of this medicine, and her statement will point the way to health to all other weak girls. She says—"I was very ill with anaemia. I could not sleep at night; my appetite was poor; my face and lips were very pale and my eyes dull. I got so weak that I could not go up-stairs without resting. I took dizzy and fainting spells; had no ambition whatever, and did not care to go about. I was in this condition for nearly a year. I had treatments from two doctors; but did not regain my strength, so my mother who was very uneasy about me, decided I should try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. After using the pills for awhile I felt somewhat better, and continued taking them until I had used about a dozen boxes, when I was again well and strong. I can strongly recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for the treatment of any suffering from anaemia." You can get these pills from any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cts. a box from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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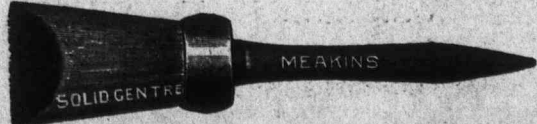
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**Rural School Reports**

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, 58.6.  
Class III—A. Coristine, 62.9; \*L. Woods, 57.6; 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 for four examinations.  
H. M. Hamilton, Teacher.

Report of S. S. 16, Warwick, for Month of April:—  
Class IV—Grace McKenzie, Florence Bryce, Merton Bryce.  
Class III Sr—Harold Rivers; Elgeretta Jones; Lena Bryce; Willie Hume, Alvin Williamson.  
Class III Jr—Velma Claypole, Frank Claypole, Laura Williamson, Cecil Jackson, Marjorie Sutton, Leslie Bryce.  
Class II Sr—Ivy Jackson.  
Class II Jr—Regina Williamson.  
Class I—Alvin Bryce, Dorothy Claypole.—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 Peaslee Williamson Leila Ward.  
Class III Sr—Mary Bryce; George Manders; John Bryce.  
Class III Jr—Merton Smith; Clifford Duncan.  
Class II—Martha Manders; Andrew Ward.  
Class I—Martha Bryce, Alberta Peaslee.  
Primer Sr—Jack Manders; Allan Williamson.  
Primer Jr—Stanley Williamson; Howard Woods.  
S. A. Barnes, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 8 Plympton for the month of April.  
Class IV Sr. Mary Cockrane, Clarence McEwen; John Hodgins\*.  
Class III Sr—Glen McEwen; Neil Mimielly; Thelma Mimielly; Mary Kerton; Harold Hodgins\*.  
Class III Jr—Gordon Morgan; Jack McCormick; James Cockrane\*.  
Class II—Leslie Mimielly; Allan McLean; May McCormick; Donald Mimielly; George Hodgins.  
Class I—James Hart; Charles McEwen and Marjorie Mimielly equal; Catherine McRae.  
Primer Sr—Margaret Mimielly; Gilbert Hart; Beatrice McRae; Margaret Dell; Anna Grieve; Lloyd Mimielly; Wilhelmine Capes; Gordon Mc Cormick; Dorothy McEwen.  
Primer Jr—Orval Mimielly.  
F. M. McRae, Teacher.

Report of U. S. S. 1 & 13 for the month of April:—  
Brooke and Warwick.  
IV—Jessie Woods; Jamie Beattie; Earl Gilliland; John R. Cran; Gerard 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 II Jr—Eugene Beattie.

Class I Gertrude Gilliland; Keith Cowan.  
Primer Sr—Ivan King.  
Primer Jr—Ernie Gilliland, Freda Edgar.  
Nerval J. Woods, Teacher

**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 the 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. Prayer meeting and executive 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. Harper; 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, McCormick, Hollingsworth, Doar and Brown present.  
Minutes of former meeting were read and confirmed.  
Doar—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 charge—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.—carried.  
Bylaw No 3 to provide for the annual cost of cleaning main street be read a first time—carried.  
Brown—McCormick that Bylaw No. 3 be read a third time and passed—carried.  
Finance Committee examined accounts and recommend payment.  
Joshua Saunders, ac. repairs. \$4.00  
S. James, draying ..... 9.85  
Will Kerr cinders & scraping. 72.50  
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 cinders ..... 22.20  
A. Newell 75 hrs scraping cin. 45.00  
A. Routley unloading cinders. . . 6.90  
C. Stumpf unloading cin. .... 7.05  
Robt. Hollingsworth labor on drain ..... 15.00  
McCormick—Doar that accounts be passed and Reeve grant his orders—carried.  
McCormick—Hollingsworth that we adjourn—carried.  
W. S. Fuller, Clerk.

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