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LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

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

PROBS—Fine and warm. HAVING has commenced. SEE our new motor scarfs.—**SWIFT'S**.

THE Dominion is 45 years old on Monday, and getting sturdier every year.

DR. WM. REID, Wyoming, has been appointed a coronor for the County of Lambton.

MONDAY next is Dominion Day and a statutory holiday. All places of business will be closed.

THE old-established butcher business of Fuller & Cooke is advertised for sale in our Want Column.

TAILORING right at Swift's. Our cutter is first-class.

THE Congregational Church Sunday School picnic at Rock Glen on Tuesday and spent a very pleasant time.

THE July meeting of the Daughters of the Empire appointed for the home of Mrs. Swift has been postponed on account of illness.

THE efforts of the Reeve were successful in getting the 11.19 p.m. train to stop here last Friday to take home the talent at the garden party.

SWINGS and lawn seats. Just a few left. Will be sold cheap as the season is well advanced.—**HARPER BROS.** 28-29

HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL, L. J. WILLIAMS is in Alvinston this week presiding at the Departmental Examination for Entrance to Normal and Matriculation.

THE women over in Brockton, Mass., have petitioned the city council to prohibit men from smoking on the streets. What about chewing gum?

TRINITY Church building committee opened the tenders for the erection of the new church on Tuesday morning and awarded the contract to Messrs. Hume & Higgins.

It is said there is a time in every boy's life when he is about 19 years old that he needs one good licking. If he doesn't get it he will believe for the rest of his life that he can lick his father.

LADIES' and children's gingham dresses.—**SWIFT'S**.

THE first half-day mid-week holiday will be observed by the merchants on Wednesday afternoon next, when all the stores will be closed. A baseball game will likely be arranged for the occasion.

A PHOTO of the Howard house being removed by J. Sharp along Main street was taken by our local artist, Mr. L. H. Aylesworth. It makes an interesting picture. The Old Pioneer is handling the ribbons.

PARTIES sending in notices of church socials or other entertainments will please remember that the charge for insertion is five cents per line. When bills are printed one good local will be given free.

YOU "WAIT for your change" after making a purchase don't you? Wouldn't be a thrifty habit not to, even if the amount due you were to be small, would it? Not to read and study the ads. is a habit of non-thrift on a par with not waiting for your change.

SPECIAL 10 per cent. discount on white wear. See window.—**SWIFT'S**.

THE Forest Standard appeared last week in a new dress of type. The Standard is a good, readable paper, and is going ahead surely and steadily. We congratulate Editor McIntosh on his success in producing a paper that is so popular with its subscribers.

THE Watford Silver Band will hold their second annual picnic to Idlewild resort, Fort Frank, on Dominion Day. Last year they had a most enjoyable time and they are looking forward to another jolly day this year. A number from here will accompany them.

THE custom in vogue in the Canadian militia for years, to always show respect when the national anthem "God Save the King," is rendered in public, has been amended by the militia department, that hereafter it is an order for soldiers to come to attention at the rendition of the anthem. The order states that no matter where the soldier may be, whether in service or otherwise, he must show respect.

SPECIAL shipment of black and blue worsteds, made to order \$18.50 to \$24.00. **SWIFT'S** Tailoring Dept.

THE baseball club is making arrangements for a game with the Alvinston club on the first Wednesday afternoon holiday. The Alvinston boys beat our boys in Alvinston by 8-7 but as Watford has strengthened since then, a good game may be looked for. The Band will be at the Park all afternoon so come out and enjoy the first holiday and see the ball boys in their new uniforms.

WATFORD CAMP, Woodmen of the World, to the number of thirty-five, attended the Presbyterian church in a body on Sunday evening last, and listened to an interesting and instructive sermon, the theme of which was "Brotherhood" preached by Rev. E. B. Horne, M.A. After service the brethren returned to their lodge room, where a resolution was passed thanking the reverend gentleman for his excellent discourse and encouraging words.

86 IN the shade Tuesday. **COUNCIL** MEETING Monday night. **THE** new hats for 1st July.—**SWIFT'S**. **SEVERAL** from here talk of taking in the Dominion Day celebration at Petrolia.

NO coal in sight yet, but no one is worrying much about it during these sultry days.

THE village property of Mrs. Sarah Hull, put up at auction Saturday, was not sold.

SLEEP eight hours out of the twenty-four; eat three meals a day and walk on the sunny side of the way.

JUST RECEIVED a new line of pillow-sham holders for iron or wooden beds. Call and see them.—**HARPER BROS.** 28-29

A MAN may be engaged to a woman ten years, but he will never hear that she has duties she owes to her relatives until after he has married her.

ON account of the Presbyterian social the meeting of Havelock Lodge A.F. & A.M., was postponed until this (Thursday) evening. Installation of officers.

SPICK and span new blouses for the 1st July. See display Saturday.—**SWIFT'S**.

THIS is Imperial year at the Canadian National Exhibition and H.R.H. The Duke of Connaught will perform the opening ceremonies on Monday, August 20th.

TENDERS have been let for the new armory in Norwood. This, we believe, is on the same plan as proposed for Watford. Local builders are anxious to see tenders called for the Watford building.

MRS. FRANK SEAGER, and children, left for Bridgen on Friday to meet her husband, who has returned there from Port Arthur so as to be under the medical care of his father, Dr. Seager. Mr. Seager is convalescing slowly.

THE church membership roll may be a good place to search out a man's moral standing, but the church's subscription list would be a mighty poor place for an assessor to hunt out the financial standing of many "good" people.

NOW and again obituary poetry is sent to this office for publication and the sender wonders why the verses do not appear. We have stated in these columns time and again that we do not publish so called obituary verses, except at so much per line.

MR. WM. CLYDE, Petrolia, and Mr. W. H. Shrapnell, are presiding at the Departmental Examinations at the High School this week. The exams. now going on are Entrance to Faculty of Education, Entrance to Normal, and Matriculation. 35 candidates are writing.

A MAN who was much in need of sleep rolled out of bed during the night. He did not awake him thoroughly, and his hand wandered in exploration. It encountered the mesh of some protruding springs and a sturdy iron corner post.

"In jail at last," he murmured, as he passed off into a heavy sleep.

TENT CATERPILLARS, a small insect which destroys the foliage on trees and shrubs will be very numerous this summer is the prediction of Dr. C. G. Hewitt, Dominion Entomologist. A warning is issued to all people who would retain the welcome shade offered by the trees during the summer months to go out with a lighted torch and burn the homes of these pests before their damage can be carried to any great extent.

WE are in receipt of a letter asking when we could let an honest man's debt outweigh and if such a person is justified in indulging in unnecessary luxuries. We are of the opinion that an honest man's debts are never outlived because an honest man will always pay up enough to clear his debt before it is sold acknowledge his debt before it is sold and he is outlived. An honest man will also make proper provision for the security of his creditors before indulging in any luxuries.

THE lodges that are expected to celebrate the 12th of July this year in Forest are:—Granton, Lucan (2) and band, Maple Grove, Grunway, Parkhill and band, Crediton, Kettle Point, Jura and band, Arkona, Warwick, Uttoxeter, Inwood, Watford and band, Wanstead, Brooke, Alvinston, Sutorville, Petrolia (2), Sarnia (4) and Coranna, Marthaville, Dawn, Bridgen, Wyoming, Wilksport, Old Springs, Pt. Edward, Dawn and Port Huron.

THE lawn social given by the ladies of the Presbyterian church on Tuesday evening was a most enjoyable event. The pretty grounds of Mr. R. C. McLeay were beautifully illuminated with arc lamps and Chinese lanterns and prettily decorated with bunting and flags. After a profusely and richly served lunch the program was taken up and was enjoyed by all. Miss McDonald, elocutionist, was in splendid form, her readings being much appreciated, and she was obliged to answer repeated encores. A duet by Mrs. Horne and Mrs. Prentiss was very pleasing; a solo by Mr. Luckham was well rendered, and R. J. McCormick, M.P.P., was in his usual good platform mood and was well received by the audience. The Watford Silver Band was present and gave some well-rendered music. The band is certainly in good shape this season and it is to be regretted that the people do not show their appreciation of this excellent organization by applauding the selections more than they do. The sale of home-made cooking was a profitable feature of the evening. Proceeds \$80.10.

CHERRIES are on the market. **THE** wheat market is a little easier this week.

THE strawberry season is well advanced.

THE soldier boys are expected home Friday afternoon.

OLD hay is coming down rapidly. If you have any sell at once.

THERE were 55 railway tickets sold for the circus in London Friday.

REV. W. M. SHORE, rector of Watwick, will preach in Trinity church next Sunday evening.

WM. IRVING, a resident of Alvinston since 1875, died there on Sunday last. He was at one time bailiff and tax collector.

JOHN ROCHIE, Alvinston, is shipping two horses to Bridgen for the Dominion Day sports. The horses are Topsy Mac and Casey Jones.

ALL OWNERS and occupants in town are required to cut down all weeds on their premises here to avoid the penalties for not doing so.

MISS ALICE M. TANNER, who has been teaching in St. Mary's Collegiate, has been engaged as Commercial and Art Teacher in Strathroy Collegiate.

TENDERS for the construction of granolithic sidewalks here and tenders for the purchase of the hay on the Park and Watford Cemetery property are to be considered at our town council meeting next Monday evening.

COMPLAINTS have been made that certain parties are in the habit of violating the Lord's Day Act by working after 12 o'clock on Saturday nights. Interested parties should be careful in future and thus prevent being prosecuted.

MISS McDONALD'S selection at the Presbyterian social in which the Irish lady had a conversation with the station agent, did not happen in Watford. Our local agent is different, and anyway, she couldn't get across—the fence is there.

MRS. (DR.) AULD and two sons left on Wednesday for Los Angeles, Cal., where they will make their home in future. Mr. Auld has been a resident of Watford for over twenty years and the numerous friends she has made are sorry to part with her.

AMONG the shipments made at the G. T. R. station this week were the following:—Belton Bros., car cattle to Toronto; Walter Throver, car cattle to Toronto; W. V. Edwards, car hogs and sheep to Toronto; Jas. McManus, car horses to Toronto; J. S. Clark, car of cheese to Stratford; C. B. Matthews & Son, 2 cars flour, and E. S. Phelps, a car of cheese to Stratford.

A DOLLAR BILL may carry to its receiver the vilest infection. It is a sponge that takes up filth and disease germs from every hand through which it passes, and from everybody with whom it comes in contact. We hope delinquent subscribers are not holding back their dollar bills for fear they may carry some contagious disease to us. If they are we assure them we are safe, having had the mumps, smallpox and a variety of other diseases. So bring on your dollar bills, no matter how badly they are infected with diseases and we will give you a nice clean receipt for them.

AN exchange advertises a plan whereby young ladies attending church in the evening can register their names in the church vestible, so that the young men in the habit of lingering around the church door can see whether or not their best girl is present and thus set a troubled brain at rest. The plan would undoubtedly be a great convenience to a certain class of young men and would work well in many places, but if a girl has any snap in her she will insist on the young man attending the services or else go without her company.

A KIND word to local autoists, as we hear some complaints—Go slow within the corporation limits. Children playing on the streets give a great deal of trouble to the driver, and other people crossing the streets are sometimes heedless. Better go a little slow than to injure child or grown person. Time is not so valuable that you cannot proceed at a decent speed while in town. Everybody is pleased to see the increasing number of autos, but it increases the risk and drivers should be careful. The majority of local auto drivers try to be careful and do keep the speed down in town, but some are not so careful.

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NOTE AND COMMENT.

There are twenty-nine counties in Ontario working under the Highway Improvement Act and approximately 1500 miles of road have been constructed at a cost of \$2,681,000, the province contributing \$894,000 of this amount.

We are not all born with the sunshine in our hearts, as the Irish people prettily term it, but we can coax some of it in there if we only try.

General Booth, the head of the Salvation Army, who recently underwent an operation for the removal of a cataract from his left eye, will henceforth be totally blind. He is eighty-three years old.

The Royal Society of Canada sent a delegation to wait on Premier Borden to ask that the number of months be increased from 12 to 13 in a year, with 28 days in each month. This would result in each day of the year coming every year on the same day of the month.

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HOW TO GROW VEGETABLES.

Seeds Should Never Be Sown Just After a Rainstorm.

Just after a rain is a poor time to sow seeds. It is better to wait until the ground can be raked or harrowed easily. When transplanting is to be done, first wet the ground thoroughly. Then it will be possible to take up a good ball of earth with the plant, and the roots will not suffer.

Corn and melons should not be cultivated deeply. The roots grow near the surface, and merely stirring the soil sufficient to create a dust mulch is all the plants require.

It is important to have the garden tools sharp. Some people never think of sharpening the blade of a hoe, but it is altogether worth while.

Squashes keep best if allowed to remain on the vines as long as possible before the season of hard frosts. Then they get thoroughly ripened and the shell well hardened.

Poultry manure is a good dressing for the vegetable garden if scattered over the ground in the spring and cultivated in. It is particularly good for forcing the growth of onions.

Seeds of beets, parsnips and carrots germinate slowly. Often weeds come up thickly before the plants appear, but the gardener is afraid to cultivate. A few radish seeds sown with the others will obviate this difficulty by marking the rows within a few days.

Some gardeners greatly improve their lettuce, Swiss chard and spinach by growing them under a canopy of cheesecloth held about five feet above the ground by stakes or a light frame.

An excellent way to economize labor in watering plants is to sink a tomato can into the ground at the base of each plant, having first punched the bottom full of holes. The water poured into the can will reach the roots directly and not be wasted. Weak manure water may be given this way to excellent advantage if the plants need feeding.

Generally speaking, the depth to plant should be four times the diameter of the seeds.

Black Gingerbread.

A delicious old recipe for black gingerbread calls for two cupsful of Porto Rico molasses, one cupful of shortening, one of boiling water, one egg, a tablespoonful of soda, a tablespoonful of ginger and flour enough to make a fairly stiff dough. Pour the boiling water over the soda, add it to the shortening and stir in the molasses. Sift the ginger with a cupful of flour and mix that in also, then add about three more cupfuls of flour or enough to make a batter that can be easily stirred. For a ginger cake without eggs use a cupful of shortening, a cupful of boiling water, two of molasses, three and a half of sifted flour, a tablespoonful of soda and one of ginger.

Trees.

Trees have about them something beautiful and attractive even to the fancy, since they cannot change their places, are witnesses of all the changes that take place around them and as some reach a great age they become, as it were, historical monuments, and, like ourselves, they have a life, growing and passing away, not being inanimate and unvarying, like the fields and rivers. One sees them passing through various stages and at last, step by step, approaching death, which makes them look still more like ourselves.—Humboldt.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the county than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronouncing it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment.

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Craft of the Gypsies.

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PICKPOCKETS.

Tricks of Their Trade and How They May Be Avoided.

A veteran pickpocket who was recently arrested gave a description of the methods of his craft and told how a person may prevent his pocket being picked.

A common fallacy is that pickpockets slip up to a man, insert their hands in his pockets, seize whatever they can and run," he said. "A man with a thousand dollars in his pocket is safe if he keeps out of a crowd. No matter how sick a pickpocket is, he will never attempt to rob a person until the victim's attention is drawn so strongly toward something else that he won't feel the hand in his pocket.

"The commonest method of preparing the victim is to have one of the pickpockets 'accidentally drop' a handful of small change on the ground. There is no person living who would not be absorbed at once. While the lead man is gathering his money and jostling about one of the others gets the victim's purse.

"Carry your money loose in your pocket. Pocketbooks are the only things pickpockets will take. They won't take the chance for a dollar or two.

"Never carry paper bills. If the Government would stop issuing paper money the pickpockets would go out of business.

"Never become disconcerted in a crowd. If any one drops a package or any money in a crowd or especially when several persons are boarding a car, let him pick it up.

"Don't hurry to board a street car. Let the crowd get on first and you will have plenty of car fare where one who wanted to be sure of seats may not.

"If you are attracted by a crowd stand on the outskirts.

"Never exhibit money on the street, and, above all things, never leave a bank with a roll of bills still in your hands. Pickpockets wonder why persons are such fools as to put money into their pockets on the street."

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The scenery along the Danube is as varied as the people that dwell on its banks. There are stretches whose beauty rivals that of the picturesque parts of the castled Rhine; then comes the monotony of the wide plain; then it breaks once more through mountain chains and again the scene is wild and beautiful.

There is more of the beautiful Blue Danube connected with Austria-Hungary than with any other state, and this river and its tributaries cement the heterogeneous parts of that composite country more naturally and more firmly than laws and treaties can. Far more freight is moved on the Danube than in and out of the Austrian Adriatic ports, so that in spite of the possession of a strip of coast the monarchy may be called an inland state. Unfortunately for this Government, the all important Danube slips from it by flowing far beyond the borders of the land, yet it has even in politics a directing influence. The eyes of Austrian statesmen are turned eastward. Economically and politically the Danube is of such dominating significance to Austria-Hungary that it has been suggested that this conglomerate state be called not the dual monarchy, but the Danubian monarchy.

The Danube was the scene of Roman colonization, of the fierce inroads of the migration of the Huns, the Avars and the Magyars; of the advance of the crusaders to the east, of that of the Turks toward the West, and more recently of the growth of the house of Hapsburg and of the disintegration of the Ottoman realm. What causes this frequent reference in history to the Danube and its valley? A glance at the map will account for it. Stretching from the headwaters of the Rhine, the Rhone, the Elbe, and the Oder to the Black Sea, the Danube forms and for ages has formed the connecting link between the orient and the occident.

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The young lady said coaxingly, "Come, Mary, give me a kiss." But the child hid her face on her uncle's arm. The young woman urged the child to come to her, saying again, "Won't you give me a kiss?" The little girl said, "No, I don't want to." Then she brightened up and said, "Uncle Fred, you do it."

Russia's Royal Train.

The Russian royal special train is the heaviest and the most luxurious in Europe. When it was constructed it was devised to stand a charge of dynamite, and it cannot be taken fast over most of the European lines because their rails are too light. The train contains a chapel, a library, bathrooms, drawing room, dining room and bedrooms. The servants' quarters are at the rear and consist simply of an ordinary vanlike carriage arranged with sleeping bunks as if on board ship. The train is so made that it can be changed to fit the Russian or the mid-European gauge.

Tobacco Antedated America.

At Cawdor Castle there is an old carved mantelpiece the figure of a fox with a pipe (quite distinct) in his mouth. The mantelpiece is said to be of considerably earlier date than that of the introduction of tobacco into the country—a fact, if so it be, which must have struck many as passing strange.

Too Much Lumber.

Mr. Carney, new timber inspector of the district of British Columbia, bounded by the Okanagan water shed, states that the dumping of American lumber has made the prospects for the coming season dull. He says 300,000,000 feet have been thrown in the prairie market by United States manufacturers.

Natural.

"I say, I have just come from my landlord's, and would you believe it, I had the greatest difficulty in the world to get him to accept a little money."

"Nonsense! And why, pray?"

"Because he wanted a lot."

Kindness to Animals.

Don't be discouraged because you see so many unkind things being done, says Our Dumb Animals. Just keep on being actively kind to animals yourself and the number who follow your example will continually grow.

Ferdybody's Gams.

Figeems hovering about the London streets are everybody's prey; for, having no owners, the police say that they cannot and will not take action against any person killing the birds.

Mary Was Right.

"There's no coal left in the cellar, ma'am."

"Why didn't you tell me before, Mary?"

"Because there was some, ma'am."

—London Punch.

Value of Time.

Know the true value of time; snatch, seize and enjoy every moment of it—no idleness, no laziness, no procrastination. Never put off until to-morrow what you can do to-day.—Lord Chesterfield.

Why, Indeed.

"Why, oh, why," remarked the observer of events and things, "will a woman smile with delight when she sees a hat in a milliner's window and frown when she sees the same hat on her neighbor's head?"

Aide to Gordon.

Major Henry Octavius Brown, who was at one time A.D.C. to "Chinese" Gordon, and who received from the Chinese Government the rare order of the Imperial Dragon, died recently in New Westminster, aged 74 years.

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No More Dandruff. Falling Hair, Scalp Itch, Bald Heads or Dull Faded Hair.

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If you have dandruff, if your hair is getting thin and falling out, if your scalp itches and your hair isn't bright and lustrous, bear in mind this fact: that **PARISIAN SAGE**, now sold all over America, is guaranteed by T. B. Taylor & Son, to give the limit of satisfaction if used for any of the above hair or scalp troubles or money back.

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 Neither procure nor part with friends in haste.
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Every Woman
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With Biliousness and Sick Headache

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94 ACRES, BEING EAST PART OF LOT 10, Con. 2, Township of Brooke, The land is good rich soil. There is a fair orchard and about ten acres of bush. On the premises are a good brick house, good outbuildings, and a never-failing supply of water. Possession given at any time. For further particulars apply on the premises.
 Brooke, June 21st, 1912. JAMES GRIFFITH.

FARM FOR SALE

100 ACRES, BEING WEST HALF OF LOT 24, Con. 2, Township of Plympton. The land is good rich soil, good orchard, 20 acres of good bush, beech, maple and elm. On the premises are a new two story brick cottage, main building 20x25, kitchen 18x18, concrete cellar under all the house, 6 rooms, 2 clothes closets. Bell telephone in the house. Good barn 60x18 and other outbuildings. 2 wells (one flowing), 8 acres of fall wheat in. For further particulars apply on the premises.
 MRS. FRANK ALEXANDER,
 Plympton, June 7, 1912. Box 33, Wainstead P.O.

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WATFORD, JUNE 28, 1912.

OUR GREAT DOMINION.

Forty-five years ago the Canadian Federation was established. The West was a wilderness, British Columbia a solitude. Much of Ontario was but newly settled. As nations count, we have gone a great way in brief time. The southern part of this Province is a veritable garden. New lands of wonderful fertility and of vast extent have been opened in the north. Manitoba has progressed from pioneering to prosperity. The prairie has given us two splendid Provinces of great possibilities. British Columbia has found herself, and we have a noble hinterland that in itself might be regarded as an Empire. Immigration is filling our vacant lands. Towns are created in a night. Railway facilities are increasing with amazing rapidity. There is every prospect that Canada will become a strong and virile nation; that its progress will be comparable only to that of the United States.

Every natural condition is favorable. The ancient Laurentides and the Rockies have mineral wealth untold. The forests are magnificent; the arable land is of striking fecundity. Fresh water abounds, and ten thousand rapids and waterfalls give promise of an electrical development unparalleled in the history of the world.

Our people are industrious and cautious. Pauperism is almost unknown. Manufacturing has developed hand in hand with agriculture and our place in the British Empire is no longer insignificant.

As Canadians let us be alert, active and optimistic. Such a land is worthy of patriotic effort and of abounding pride.

Camp Notes.

Divisional Camp, Goderich, June 25th, 1912.

We feel sorry for the fellows who stayed at home. The weather has been ideal. Not a drop of rain has fallen since we came to camp.

Last Saturday was field day in camp. Corp. Jack Higgins, of the Watford Troop 1st Hussars, won the prize for being the swiftest man to saddle a horse. He ran 30 rods, saddled his horse and returned to starting point in 4 minutes.

Clifford Sisson is the champion wrestler in the Regiment.

We march out seven miles to Fall's Reserve Wednesday night and bivouac (sleep in the open) for the night and start back at 5 a.m. and fight our way into camp. It looks like the "real thing" boys.

Training camps have changed since former years. More practical work and less drill. We march far into the country every day and practice the war game. Major Gordon Hall, of the Imperial army, was sent out a year ago and has brought about the change.

The 27th Regiment is a little weak in numbers but what we lack in quantity we make up in quality. We are the best shooting Regiment in camp, also the best marching Regiment, and the way the Regiment wheeled into position on Saturday drew forth complimentary remarks from Colonel Hughes, Minister of Militia, who was on a tour of inspection.

Officers' Ball at the Menequet Summer Hotel Thursday night. Perhaps Watford's young officers will not attend?

Sgt. Gavigan and his troop of Hussars are making good and the way they can obtain food at farm houses shows they are great favorites with the ladies.

Tents will come down Thursday afternoon and we will again bivouac and start for home on the Hamonic very early Friday morning and thus will end one of the most orderly, profitable and enjoyable camps ever held in Canada.

ARKONA.

Mrs. John Muma left last week for Spokane, Wash.

Mr. Smith, of Watford, is visiting his daughter Mrs. (Dr.) Hume.

A number from Arkona took in the social at Bethel last Monday evening. Rock Glen is nicer than ever. The picnic season is now on. Over two hundred picnicked there last Saturday.

Mrs. Foster and Miss Bell, of Wilmette, Illinois, are visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, of Pt. Huron are visiting at Mr. Harry Langan's.

All kinds of picnic supplies on hand at Fuller Bros.

Extra special value in ladies' long silk gloves at Fuller Bros.

Mrs. Angus Wigle, of Kingsville, while reaching for something from the top of a cupboard, stepped on a chair which turned with her, causing her to fall heavily upon the floor. In falling, she sustained a fracture of her right arm just above the wrist joint.

Mr. Eugene Mason, Wyoming, is seriously ill.

WANT COLUMN.

Five lines and under 25 cents. Over five lines five cents per line.

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SCRANTON COAL for the month of July only:—nut, \$7.00 per ton; stove and egg, \$6.75 per ton. Cedar posts.—Wm. WILLIAMSON. je28-3t

FOUND on the 4th line west, one day last week, a man's sweater. Owner can have same by calling on Fred Williams, Kingscourt and paying for this adv.

W. E. FITZGERALD, Barrister, &c., has a few dwelling house properties in Watford that will be sold at a great reduction in price to quick purchasers. Mr. Fitzgerald also has a good convenient dwelling here to rent.

Dr. Warner Cornell, the well-known eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, of Port Huron, will resume his visits to Watford, and will be at the Roche Hotel on Friday afternoon, June 26th, when he can be consulted on all diseases of those organs. Glasses properly fitted, if wanted.—Saml. Belt Finishers, for axe, pick and sledge handles; Gang saw men; Bolter saw men and ordinary laborers. Good wages and steady work for steady men. Write us or call us up by phone.—THE CAMERON, DUNN MFG. Co., Limited, STRATHROY, ONT. je28f

BORN.

In Watford, on Monday, June 24th, 1912, to Mr. and Mrs. E. Dowling, a son.

In Watford, on Monday, June 24th, 1912, to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wykesmith, a daughter.

In Theford, on the 15th June, 1912, to Mr. and Mrs. David Dellow, a daughter.

In Glencoe, on Tuesday, June 18th, to Dr. and Mrs. R. J. Mumford, a son.

In Waskada, Man., on the 25th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. R. Ashmore (nee Maude M. Harris) a son.

MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's father, Plympton, on Wednesday, June 12th, 1912, by the Rev. H. J. Fair, Warwick, assisted by the Rev. J. A. Rosa, Wyoming, Rev. John D. Bannatyne, pastor of the Presbyterian church, Duart, to Miss Edith Armstrong, daughter of Mr. Wm. Armstrong, Plympton.

At the residence of the bride's uncle, Mr. R. H. Wilson, Finchurst Farm, Arkona, on Monday, June 24th, 1912, by the Rev. C. Edmunds, Miss Maybell Treadgold, daughter of Dr. E. Treadgold, to Mr. Otto A. Burger, of Minneapolis, Minn.

DIED.

In Petrolia, on Monday, June 17th, Edward Tanton, in his 56th year.

In Plympton, on Sunday, June 16th, Mary Cameron, wife of George Symington, aged 63 years, 2 months and 27 days.

In Toronto, on Friday, June 14th, Mrs. E. Harrison, beloved mother of Mrs. C. A. Stone, Oil Springs, in her 83rd year.

In Bosanquet, (Jericho) on the 15th June, Elijah Caily, aged 88 years, 2 months and 7 days.

In Theford, on the 15th inst., Margaret, relict of the late Noah Shippman, aged 70 years, 4 months and 22 days.

A municipal telephone system will be installed on Pelee Island.

Mrs. Fletcher will erect a handsome new block west of the Fletcher House, Petrolia.

Alvinston streets are being sprinkled for one dollar per day for each day they are sprinkled.

The case of McPhail vs. Brock at the County Court recently, resulted in the plaintiff being awarded \$280 and costs.

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Tenders for Granolithic Sidewalks

SEALED TENDERS will be received up to July 1st, next, for the construction of granolithic sidewalks in Watford as per By-law and Specifications with the undersigned.
W. S. FULLER,
Clerk,
Watford.

June 18th, 1912. 2t

NOTICE.

The First Annual General Meeting of the subscribers of the **Brooke Municipal Telephone System** will be held in the Council Chamber, Alvinston, on Friday, the 28th Day of June, 1912, at the hour of 8 o'clock in the afternoon, to receive the Report of the Commissioners, the Election of Officers for the ensuing year and for all other business that may properly come before the meeting.
H. R. GARRUTHERS,
Secretary.

Alvinston, June 18th, 1912. 2t

TEACHER WANTED

FOR S. S. NO. 12, WARWICK NORMALITE. State experience and salary. Duties to commence after summer holidays. Applications received up to Saturday, July 20th.
WM. McLEAN,
Secretary, Treasurer
Watford P. O.

Warwick, June 28th, 1912. 2t

TEACHER WANTED

FOR SCHOOL SECTION NO. 12, BROOKE. Experienced Normalite. Duties to commence after holidays. Applications to be in by July 1st, 1912, and state salary expected.
ALEX. WATSON,
Secretary,
Walton P. O.

June 13th, 1912. 2t

TEACHER WANTED

FOR UNION SCHOOL SECTION NOS. 1 AND 12, Brooke and Warwick, Normal certificate. State experience. Duties to commence after midsummer holidays. Applications received up to July 1st, 1912. Apply to
ISAAC J. COWAN,
Secretary, Treasurer,
Watford P. O.

June 13th, 1912. 3t

The Sarnia Business and Shorthand College.

had over 60 calls for its students during the months of April and May. Into these positions it placed 28 of its students. These are results that prove the efficiency of our work better than anything else.
Write for information.
W. F. Marshall, Principal.

DARK ROOM TESTING



Every child on reaching the age of seven years should have the eyes examined. Many children have defective vision, and it often happens that one eye only is affected. This throws all the work on the better eye while the other through disuse frequently loses its function entirely. With proper lense correction this trouble will be wholly overcome. If accompanied by parents we will be glad to examine children's eyes free of charge.

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The working shoes sold at this store are built to last. While every attention is paid to appearance—the main point is durability. It has been said that strong horses could not pull our shoes apart.

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DIVIDEND No. 44.

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend at the rate of six and one-half per cent. (6½) per annum has been declared on the Paid Up Capital of the Company for the six months ending June 30th, 1912. The same will be paid on and after July 2nd, next. The transfer books will be closed from June 15th to June 30th, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board.
D. N. SINCLAIR, MANAGER.

The Misses are visiting at Mrs. Geo. F. with friends. Miss Olive with her sister. The business take a half August on W. Miss Lou M. London and W. Mr. Ray E. Sunday at hon. Young men's Brown Bros. Mrs. Geo. F. is visiting her Mr. and Mrs. ford, and Mr. Thomas, spent their days in town. Mr. Newton address the Methodist Church All are welcome. The Misses I of St. Louis, M. Wm. Bartram's Miss Rae, of of Edmonton, Christie's b. fresh.—Brown. The Rev. Ha on "Baptism" All are welcome.

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ARKONA

The Misses Treadgold, of Minneapolis, are visiting at Mr. Rich. Wilson's. Mrs. Geo. Fair is spending the week with friends in Poplar Hill.

Miss Olive Langstrath spent Sunday with her sister in Strathroy.

The business places of Arkona will take a half holiday during July and August on Wednesday afternoons.

Miss Lou Moore is visiting friends in London and Woodstock.

Mr. Ray Eastman, Lakeshore, spent Sunday at home here.

Young men's stylish two-piece suits.—Brown Bros.

Mrs. Geo. Fair, sr., of Durand, Mich., is visiting her daughter Mrs. Wm. Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller, of Theford, and Mr. and Mrs. Shipman, of St. Thomas, spent a day last week with friends in town.

Mr. Newton Tripp, of Forest, will address the Epworth League of the Methodist Church next Friday evening. All are welcome.

The Misses Barbara and Mary Hastings of St. Louis, Mich., are visiting at Mr. Wm. Bartram's.

Miss Rae, of Sarnia, and Mrs. Cox, of Edmonton, are visiting at Dr. Hume's.

Christie's biscuits, always crisp and fresh.—Brown Bros.

The Rev. Hare will preach a sermon on "Baptism" next Sunday June 30th. All are welcome.

CHILDHOOD DANGERS

No symptoms that indicate any of the ailments of childhood should be allowed to pass without prompt attention. The little ailment may soon become a serious one and perhaps a little life passes out. If Baby's Own Tablets are kept in the house minor troubles can be promptly cured and serious ones averted. The Tablets are guaranteed absolutely safe and can be given to the new-born babe as well as the growing child. Mrs. Arthur Drapeau, Mont. Carmel, Que., says: "I can give Baby's Own Tablets to my little one without fear, well knowing the beneficial results that will follow their use." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Burger—Treadgold.

Pinehurst Farm, the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wilson, Arkona, was the scene of a happy event Monday evening when their niece, Miss Maybell Treadgold, became the bride of Mr. Otto A. Burger, of Minneapolis, Minn. The Rev. C. Edmunds, of Arkona, performed the ceremony in the presence of about twenty-five guests, most of whom were near relatives of the bride. The wedding march was played by Miss Estella Wilson, and, at six o'clock to the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March the bride leaning on the arm of her father, Dr. E. Treadgold, came from the house to the grove in front where the groom, accompanied by Mr. C. J. Ready, Dr. E. Treadgold, and Miss Estella Wilson, awaited her. The bride looked very charming in a beautiful gown of white crepe de meteor, trimmed with princess lace, and carried a bouquet of white roses. The bridesmaid, Miss Nellie Treadgold, wore a pink silk gown trimmed with Venetian lace and carried carnations. After the wedding ceremony and the happy couple had been showered with the good wishes of those present, all repaired to the dining room where a sumptuous repast was served. The bride received many beautiful gifts, including china, linen and silver. Among the out of town guests present were: Dr. and Mrs. Treadgold; Forest; Mr. William McMurray, Cassville, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. E. McKim, Wildwood; Mr. and Mrs. W. Ready, St. Mary's; Miss Nellie Treadgold, Minneapolis; Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Hunt, Thorold; and Mrs. Grace Harrison, Climax, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. Burger left for Forest where they boarded the train for Pt. Huron, Chicago and other western points. After a short honeymoon they will return to Minneapolis, Minn.

INWOOD.

Mr. John Collins visited his daughter in Petolea over Sunday.

Miss E. Thomas is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. McKenzie, in Warwick.

Mrs. (Dr.) Singleton and daughter Marvel are visiting friends in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Thomas called on friends in Watford and Warwick last Tuesday.

Mrs. C. Auld, of Essex, is spending a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. T. Mathews.

Eighty tickets were sold here at the

COAL SHINGLES CEDAR POSTS BUILDING MATERIAL

It's too bad we have to burn our money, but let's save as much as possible. We have to buy coal, why not buy the best while the price is at its lowest. For June the following prices will secure your winter's supply—Chestnut, \$7.00; Stove and Egg, \$6.75.

If you purpose doing any roofing we have on hand any kind of a roof you may wish, viz Slate, Steel, Red and White Cedar Shingles, or Asphalt Felt for flat roofs. The price varies according to quality. The quality and price cannot be beaten.

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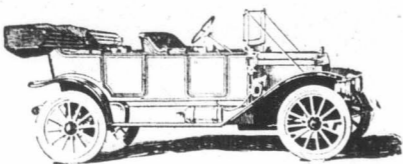
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TAYLORS' WHERE QUALITY AND VALUE MEET

M.C.R. station Saturday morning for the circus in St. Thomas.

Miss Minnie Switzer and Miss Parker, of Toronto, are spending a few weeks with the former's brother, H. A. Switzer.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Aylesworth and daughter Edna, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leander Griffith, near Watford.

Dr. and Mrs. Eccles and niece, of London, and Mrs. Wm. McLeay and daughter, Mattie, of Watford, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Thomas over Sunday.

The local socials under the auspices of the Presbyterian Church held on the lawn of Mr. Thos. Armstrong last Wednesday evening, as usual drew a large crowd. Total proceeds \$160.00.

While Mr. Gus McLaughlin was working in the gravel pit last Monday the bank fell in, completely covering him, and it took some time before the men could release him. He was not injured as seriously as was thought at first but will be confined to his bed for some time. Much sympathy is expressed for Mr. and Mrs. McLaughlin as they had only returned from their "honeymoon trip" a few days before.

NAPIER.

A number of Napierites took in the Kerwood garden party.

F. L. Kadey, M.B. of C., Stratford, visited his sister here last week.

Mrs. Moore, who has been in Strathroy for some time under the doctor's care is home for a week.

Moonlight picnic June 28th on Dr. Sawyers' lawn. London Highland Pipe Band, Harry Bennet, Toronto, comedian.

Miss Ethel Field is spending a few days in Strathroy having finished writing her Junior H.S. Entrance at that centre.

Mr. Hibbert Denning, who is home from London for his vacation, passed his Collegiate examinations with honors. Congratulations!

The public school closes Friday afternoon for the summer vacation. Promotion examinations are held Thursday and Friday, 27th and 28th.

Rev. J. Ure Stewart exchanged pulpits with Rev. N. A. Campbell, of Inwood, Sunday evening, when the latter addressed the W.F.M.S. of Chalmers' Church, Brooke.

Mr. Fred Gough who has been attending London Normal arrived home Saturday evening to spend his vacation at his home here. Miss Mary Gough, of Strathroy Collegiate is also home.

KERWOOD.

Mrs. Robt. Galbraith and daughter leave on Wednesday for Montreal, where they will sail on Friday, June 28th, on the steamer, Empress of Britain for an extended tour through the British Isles and on the continent, visiting Holland, Belgium, Germany, Switzerland, France, and Italy. They expect to be abroad three months. Their many friends wish them a safe and happy voyage.

Petolea Masons attended church last Sunday. Rev. W. T. Hill preached to them.

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At Four O'Clock

Story of a Narrow Escape
By CLARISSA MACKIE

Jaros Wostokow stared sullenly at young Mattland as the paymaster shoved his pay envelope through the little grated window.

"You dock me that day I lose?" he growled threateningly.

"It's the rule of the company, you know, Jaros," he said patiently. "If it's worth a day's pay to you to get drunk it's your own fault. Take my advice and leave the run alone. Then you'll get full pay. Move along and give the other chaps a chance."

Jaros flung a backward glance of hate toward the paymaster and the cashier as he went out, and he saw something in that brief glance that caused a light to flicker into his dull gray eyes.

The men had all received their pay, and the paymaster and the cashier were alone. Mattland was gazing down at the girl with an unmistakable look in his eyes, and the girl, Miss Lane, was blushing consciously.

Jaros Wostokow turned away satisfied, and the paymaster, with a look upon his face which Jaros would have recognized as a look of triumph, turned back toward the corner of the street beyond the Fleck foundry, she was approached by a fearful young girl, who inquired the way to the nearest hospital dispensary.

"My mother—she is suddenly ill. She is dying just beyond here. I know not what to do!" she wailed in a voice with a foreign accent.

Edith looked at her quickly. She was young and pretty and evidently poor. The neighborhood was one inhabited by many of the foreigners who worked at the foundry.

"Take me to your mother," she said hastily. "Perhaps I can revive her while you run for a doctor. There must be a drug store near by. The druggist will direct you to a doctor."

At 10 o'clock that same evening Dick Mattland received a telephone message from Edith's home.

"Have you seen Edith?" asked Mrs. Lane anxiously. "She hasn't been home since noon."

"Not since noon? Why, she left the office at 5 o'clock, as usual—said she was going out to play cards this evening. What can have happened?" Dick was anxious.

"I'll call up all of her girl friends and see if she has stopped anywhere, but it is unlike Edith to do anything like that. She is so thoughtful."

"Call me the instant you get a word from her," said Dick. "I'll wait here till you phone again."

He hung up the receiver and paced the floor with a worried frown creasing his forehead.

What had become of Edith Lane? Had she met with an accident on her way home and was lying dead or dying and quite unknown in one of the city hospitals? He would inquire of each one.

He leaped to the telephone again, for it was ringing madly. A girl's voice came to his ear, strained and rather frightened, but he forgot the tones in the words that came over the wire.

"Come, come to me. I am in great trouble, in danger—No. 8 Vroon street. Come at once. Help!"

It was Edith calling to him for help! He dashed into his outer garments, paused to notify Mrs. Lane of the discovery and that he was on the way to Edith, and then he was down in the street jumping into a taxicab.

Vroon street was miles away, the driver told him, on the outskirts of the city, and it would take a half hour to get there at a fast clip.

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"You'll not regret it!" snapped Dick, and the man earned the money.

Vroon street was a pit of blackness, lighted by a solitary lamp post halfway down its length. There was a dark bulk of frame tenements against the sky with long spaces of vacant lots between.

The cab stopped before a small detached cottage standing in the midst of a large empty lot, and Dick bade him wait, but the man refused.

"I've got another fare waiting for me," he protested and pocketed the money Dick paid him. "There's a car line three blocks east of here. You can walk that easily."

The machine moved away, and Dick felt in his pocket for his revolver. It was there. He approached the cottage with a sinking heart.

It was dark and gloomy, but somebody within the house had been watching for him, for the door opened inward, and as he passed through something soft and thick was tossed over his head, tied tightly about his neck, and he was grasped in strong arms and his hands and feet bound, and he was tossed in the corner of a room on to bare boards.

Footsteps crossed the room heavily and left the house, and the front door was locked, and some person left the premises.

A great silence fell upon the cottage. The bag which was tied tightly over Dick's face acted as a gag until he worked his jaws sufficiently to free himself. Then his lips parted stiffly, and he called Edith's name once, twice, three times.

"Is that you, Dick?" came her hysterical voice at his elbow. "How did you get here?"

"You phoned for me to come, didn't you?" he asked.

"No; I haven't had a chance! I've been abducted, Dick, and you must be too, for you are all tied up, and that dreadful thing is there!" She began to sob.

Dick's strong teeth tore at the bag until he made a hole in it. Little by little he worked until his eyes appeared at the aperture he had made. What he saw caused him to sink back almost fainting.

A small kerosene lamp was placed on a kitchen chair and threw a feeble light around the bare, dirty room. Near him, leaning against the wall, was Edith Lane, still wearing her street attire, but looking white and distraught with a great fear. Her ankles and wrists were tied securely, but her face was free. She was staring wildly at something on the floor not three feet distant from them.

There was something cylindrical in shape, and attached to it by wires was an ordinary nickel alarm clock ticking away in the most resolute manner. The hands pointed to past 11 o'clock.

"Tell me everything you know about the matter, dear," commanded Dick as he recognized that they were to be the victims of a dynamite plot and whenever that clock's hands reached the fateful point there would be the end of the world for them.

Edith told him in a voice that she vainly tried to steady of the girl who had lured her to a tenement building under plea of a dying mother and how when the tenement had been reached she had been bound and gagged and made to wait until darkness came when she was taken blindfolded in a carriage to this cottage.

A man and a girl, both foreigners had arranged the time clock that operated the deadly machine, and they had told her that at 4 o'clock in the morning she and her lover would be in eternity. Then the girl had gone forth for awhile and returned to say that Dick was on his way.

"Then it was not you who telephoned to me?" demanded Dick.

"No; I haven't had the opportunity."

"It must have been some one who knew me—who knew us both. Did you recognize either of them?"

"No; they were masked. Of course I could guess that the girl was the one who had lured me, but the man I did not know, only it seemed as though one of his hands was familiar—a bird scar like a cross on the back of the right hand. It was a workman's rough hand."

"You saw it at the paymaster's wicket, dear," said Dick quietly. "Jaros Wostokow has a scar like that. He's been sore on me for a long time, but I can't see why he wants to include you in his devilish scheme of revenge."

"As a lure to bring you, Dick."

"He said the thing would go off at 4

o'clock?" asked Dick.

"Yes. What can we do? I can't stir hand or foot."

"If he said 4 o'clock it was to delude us with the belief that we had plenty of time to free ourselves. It's probably set for midnight." Dick's teeth gritted at the bag that partly enveloped his head. After a few minutes of frantic effort his head was thrust through, and then, rolling over on his side, he worked his way along the few feet of space that separated him from the clock. When he was near enough to study the alarm dial on the face he saw that he was right. It was set for 12 o'clock, and it was now fifteen minutes before midnight.

How he reached the lamp Dick never knew. It required heroic effort to brace himself against the chair without knocking it over. He held his bound wrists above the flame in the chimney and did not wince as his flesh scorched. After an eternity of waiting the heavy cord that bound his wrists charred through and broke away under the strain of his muscles.

"The rest is easy!" he called cheerily to the girl. He found his pocket-knife, cut himself free from the bag and the cords at his feet and hastened to release his sweetheart. For an instant they stood in thankful appreciation of their deliverance from death; then they prepared to leave.

"There isn't time to put this thing out of business and save our lives, too," explained Dick hastily. "To tell the truth, I don't know just what to do, and there's danger of killing us both if I meddle with it. I'll take a look around and see if the house is empty. If there's no other living being here we'll have to cut out and run. It's a good thing the cottage stands alone. The explosion won't harm much else except the building."

The house proved to be entirely empty. In fact, there were "To Let" cards in the windows. Dick extinguished the lamp, led Edith to the door, and in a moment they were hastening down the street toward the car line.

Their car was bouncing down the avenue at good pace when a clock struck midnight. Almost at the same instant there came from the direction of Vroon street a muffled roar.

Dick's hand closed tightly on that of his sweetheart. It was the working out of Jaros Wostokow's revenge, and by God's grace they had been saved from death.

Jaros never went back to the foundry to work. When the police sought him he and his daughter had disappeared, and later it was learned that they had returned to their old home in Russia.

Met Him Halfway.

"I am so glad I have met you, as I have two favors to ask of you."

"What are they?"

"I want you to lend me \$10 and not to say a word about it to any one."

"Two favors at once, man! That's too much of a good thing. One of them—yes. I won't breathe a word of this to a living soul."

The Conditions Different.

Husband (with newspaper)—When I'm at home you're forever hammering at that piano or else your tongue is running like a trip hammer. It wasn't so before we were married.

Wife—No, it wasn't. Before we were married you held my hands so I couldn't play and kept my lips so busy that I couldn't talk.

A Question of Judgment.

Two men were hotly discussing the merits of a book. Finally one of them, himself an author, said to the other: "No, John, you can't appreciate it. You never wrote a book yourself."

"No," retorted John, "and I never laid an egg, but I'm a better judge of an omelet than any hen in the state."

Striking an Average.

"Why didn't you get a younger turkey?" demanded the husband.

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A Nihilist Episode

It Occurred at a State Dinner at St. Petersburg

By PAUL MURIANIEF

I don't know any woman who has a better chance to see the upper world than the wife of a diplomat. She takes her social rank from the diplomatic service and often is admitted where nobles cannot go. Quite frequently there are functions wherein the number of invited guests is limited, but from which the representatives of other countries cannot be left out.

One of the posts where my husband was stationed was St. Petersburg, Russia. He was not the minister plenipotentiary, but secretary of legation. Even this subordinate position admitted us to the larger ceremonies, and there was a period when the minister was called away and we were advanced during his absence to his privileges.

On one occasion we attended a state dinner given at the Winter palace. I believe that my husband and myself were the only persons present except the representatives of the French republic who were not noble. I was taken in to dinner by the secretary of the German legation, and my husband took in the wife of the British ambassador. There was a large company assembled, and of course all were either nobles or high government officials or members of the diplomatic corps.

Never did outside appearances more belie the actual condition. The czar and zarina fulfilled their duties as hosts as well as their imperial position with that dignity which was required of them, while they were living on a mine that was liable to explode at any moment. There were also officials present whose lives were in danger. The only persons who had cause to feel perfectly safe were we of the diplomatic corps, and even we were liable through sympathy or deception to become mixed in some revolutionary plot involving assassination from the consequences of which the government we represented would not save us.

It was impossible in looking about among the brilliantly liveried attendants to know who were servants and who were spies, special guards, members of the secret police or persons otherwise connected with the felling of attempts to assassinate either the emperor, some of the royal family or important officials of the empire.

Opposite me sat a dignified man whom I noticed that all who came in contact with treated with great respect. I asked who he was and was told that he was the governor of Finland. I caught my breath, for at that time the province of Finland was undergoing a terrorism from the imperial government that had excited against it a very bitter feeling. But to look at this man conversing glibly with his dinner companion one would not dream that many a citizen of the province he governed would be delighted to plunge a knife into his heart. Possibly his composure was assumed, possibly he had become used to danger as a soldier who continually faces death, but the most probable solution was that the servant who waited on him was a trained protector, who was watching the slightest motion of every one near his chief.

There was a fascination for me about the young lady who sat next to the governor that I could not well account for. Never have I seen such a face, such eyes, such an expression. She was not beautiful, at least according to the Anglo-Saxon's conception of beauty. She was rather impressive. I asked also who she was and was told that she was the daughter of a prominent general in the Russian army.

The emperor and his consort leave the dining room at state dinners before their guests. Indeed, their presence there is but one of the many formalities to which they are slaves, though masters of millions of subjects. All the guests rise while the imperial couple pass out and remain standing till they have disappeared. During this passage all eyes were turned upon them. Mine, however, had found something that interested me more than they, and there was a little drama being enacted before me. I saw the girl I have mentioned turn and give a quick glance at a servant who stood behind her chair. I did not note her expression, but I did note the expression of the servant. His eyes were fixed upon her with a look I shall never forget. At no time in my life have I seen the human eye express so much. The only idea I can give of what it expressed is the feelings of a cat that is about to pounce upon a mouse.

When we were seated a change had come over the young lady. It was

evident that her mind was bent on extricating herself from some danger. Furthermore, she gave me a look which spoke as plainly as words an appeal for help. It was a woman's appeal to a woman, an appeal involving much to the one who made it. Knowing the conditions existing in St. Petersburg at that time and from what I had seen, I would have been very obtuse had I not made one of those quick inferences that come to us in moments of great importance as to the underlying cause. I knew that the girl was in danger from the waiter and had a vague idea that it was from some political complication. More than this I could form no opinion.

But what a position for me to occupy! Appealed to by one of my own sex, to refuse was repugnant to me, to mix myself up with some revolutionary incident would not only endanger my being sent to Siberia, but also involve my husband, who was a representative of the United States bound in honor to keep aloof from anything that did not concern his government. I made no decision as to how I should act, not knowing what would be required of me, but I kept my eyes open at what was going on both concerning the waiter and the young lady.

The latter was pale as death, but managed to appear composed to all save me, who was watching her. I alone saw the commotion going on within her in her restless eye, now darting hither or thither like some wild animal at bay, now moved by fear, now by desperation and now by a cold, calm purpose.

Presently I saw her, when something attracted the attention of those about her, take a pin, on the end of which was a sapphire, from her corsage. The hand that grasped it fell beneath the table. I glanced at the waiter behind her and was convinced that he had seen the move she had made. Neither he nor I could see what work her hands were engaged in, but from her position at a certain moment I saw that she had reached under the table almost if not quite to its middle.

There are born in us impulses that under certain circumstances are capable of working our ruin. I got an idea that the girl was fighting for her life, and an uncontrollable impulse dominated me to help her. I deliberately, in full view of the waiter, put my hand under the table and felt for something I believed the girl had placed there. I came upon a pin stuck in the under side of the table. I drew it out, and with it came a bit of folded paper. Between my fingers the latter felt gritty. Before withdrawing it from where it was hidden I endeavored to get rid of this gritty substance.

Looking at the waiter, I saw him watching me with a puzzled expression on his face. He doubtless knew me for one of the diplomatic corps and understood that I had rights entirely different from any one else. I glanced from him to the girl and saw a look of gratitude that repaid me for the frightful risk I ran. I held in my hand a jeweled pin and a bit of paper, to which still clung enough of some substance for any chemist to tell what it was.

There are fortunate or unfortunate incidents that determine our happy or adverse fate. One of these occurred at this important moment to me. Cigarettes were passed. In Europe the women as well as the men smoke cigarettes. We American women usually do not. I had never smoked a cigarette in my life. But now a device came to me for getting rid of the paper I held in my hand. I accepted a cigarette from the servant who offered it to me, but instead of lighting it from the wax taper he handed me I held it in my hand, as if deliberating whether or not I should smoke it. Watching for an opportunity, when my dinner companion lighted a cigarette from a match he took from a silver box he carried in his pocket, I waited till the match was nearly burned out; then, acting as if there was not sufficient fire left to light my own tobacco from it, I ignited the bit of paper I held in my hand and just before it was all consumed touched its flame to my cigarette.

There were three persons present, only one of whom positively knew what had been done by the destruction of this paper. The girl opposite looked radiant. The waiter seemed to consider that something had occurred to thwart his interests. I did not attempt to solve the problem. I only knew that the girl opposite me had desired to get rid of it or what it had contained.

This, so far as the state dinner was concerned, ended the episode. We continued at table for a short time longer. Then, the dinner being ended, the party broke up.

A long while passed before the matter was explained to me. Then on one of my at home days I was honored by a call from Mrs. General Katzkoff. On withdrawing she took my hand in hers and left in my palm a bit of folded paper. I had become accustomed to the chicanery common in Russia, and had presence of mind not

to appear to notice what she had given me. After all my callers had departed I took what she had left me to my bedroom, locked the door and, opening a little note, read it.

It was written by the daughter of the lady who had brought it to me and expressed, as I could not express it in my own words, heartfelt thanks for the service I had done her, stating that I had saved her from the dreaded Siberian mines. Many years later I met the writer in England, and she confessed to me that she was a Finland and had purposed to slip a poison powder into the wine of the governor. Discovering that she was watched, she knew that if she did not get rid of the powder it would condemn her. I had taken a terrible risk, but had saved her from the consequences of a crime that had not been carried out.

I begged to return the jeweled pin with which she had fastened the paper to the table, but she insisted on my keeping it as a souvenir. We became fast friends, the girl declaring that, having saved her from what was far more to be dreaded than death, I virtually owned her. I naturally became much interested in her and begged her to refrain in future from such attempts as had miscarried under my observation and the possible consequences of which I had prevented. But I secured no promise.

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Beans, per bush	2 25 2 25
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Clover Seed	7 00 12 00
Alsike	8 00 13 00

PROVISIONS	
Butter, per pound	20 20
Lard	15 15
Eggs, per doz	19 19
Pork	11 50 11 50
Flour, per cwt.	2 50 3 25

MISCELLANEOUS	
Wood	2 25 3 00
Tallow	6 6
Hides	8 10
Wool	18 20
Hay, per ton	11 00 13 00

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT	
Potatoes, per bag	1 75 2 25
POULTRY	
Turkeys, per lb.	18 20
Chickens, per lb.	10 12
Ducks, per lb.	14 15
Geese, per lb.	10 11

London.

Wheat	\$ 1 00 to \$1 05
Oats, cwt.	1 57 to 1 60
Peas	1 00 to 1 10
Barley	1 50 to 1 50
Butter	22 to 23
Eggs	22 to 22
Pork	11 50 to 11 50

Toronto.

Toronto, June 25.—Early receipts at the City Cattle Market this morning were 61 cars, containing 800 cattle, 456 sheep, 400 hogs and 493 calves. The class of cattle offered the opening of the market was rather poor and buyers were not tempted. Sheep and lambs were steady and butcher cattle higher.

Export cattle, choice	\$ 8 10 to \$ 8 40
do, medium	7 25 to 8 00
do, bulls	5 00 to 6 50
Butcher cattle, choice	7 60 to 8 10
do, medium	7 00 to 7 40
do, common	5 00 to 6 50
do, cows, choice	6 00 to 6 50
do, medium	4 50 to 5 75
do, canners	2 50 to 3 50
do, bulls	5 00 to 6 50
Feeding steers	5 00 to 6 50
Stockers, choice	5 00 to 6 35
do, light	5 00 to 5 25
Milkers, choice, each	40 00 to 75 00
Springers	40 00 to 60 00
Sheep, ewes	5 00 to 5 50
Bucks and culls	3 00 to 4 00
Lambs	9 50 to 10 50
Hogs, feed and water	8 25
do, f. o. b.	7 90
Calves	4 00 to 8 00

East Buffalo, June 25.—Cattle—Receipts 50 head; active and steady. Veals—Receipts, 200 head; active and 25c higher; \$4.50 to \$9.75. Hogs—Receipts 2000 head; active; 10 and 15c higher. Heavy, \$8.15 to \$8.20; mixed, \$8.10 to \$8.20; yorkers, \$7.75 to \$8.15; pigs, \$7.65 to \$7.75; roughs, \$7.00 to \$7.10; stags, \$5.00 to \$6.00; dairies, \$7.85 to \$8.10. Sheep and lambs—Receipts 600 head; active and steady; unchanged.

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Address and Presentation.

On the afternoon of Friday, June 21st, the pupils of S.S. No. 5, Brooke, bade farewell to their teacher, Miss Burton, and the following address was read by Miss Katie McLachlan and the presentation made by Miss Stella Higgins:—
To Miss Burton, Teacher in S.S. No. 5, Brooke.

Dear Teacher:—
We have learned with the deepest regret of your intended departure from our midst and cannot let the opportunity pass without expressing our regard for you, and appreciation of your faithfulness, and the earnest and unselfish efforts in advancing the work of the school.

We, your pupils are deeply grateful for the uniform kindness and attention shown during your sojourn of two years in this section, where your amiable disposition and cheerfulness has inspired our best efforts, realizing that we had a kind friend as well as an able instructor. You have never hesitated to give your time and patience to the interest of your charge and spared no pains to make the lessons interesting and instructive to us. We would ask you to accept this bracelet on behalf of the school, trusting that it will remind you of the many friends who leave behind. In saying farewell we sincerely hope that happiness and prosperity may ever attend you and that you will find as many true friends in your new sphere of life as you leave behind in S.S. No. 5, Brooke.

Signed on behalf of the school—
KATIE McLACHLAN
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Miss Burton made a very appropriate reply expressing her sorrow in departing from their midst, and her gratitude for the many kindnesses shown to her by both parents and pupils during the time she has occupied the position of teacher of the school.

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The Thamesville Council has accepted a tender for watering the streets at 60 cents an hour.

Warwick Women's Institute.

Miss E. J. Guest, M.A., Belleville, Ont., will address the members of the Warwick Branch of the Women's Institute and their friends, on the afternoon of Wednesday, July 3rd, at 3 o'clock in the Forester's Hall. All ladies cordially invited to be present. Miss Guest has had practical experience in a farm household and is a specialist and M.A. from Toronto University. Miss Guest is in charge of the English Department of the Belleville Collegiate Institute. Her activity in the Parkhill Institute did much to make towards success in that organization, and since going to Belleville her efforts have resulted in the formation of a Mother's Club Women's Institute in that city. With a broad outlook and deep sympathy coupled with her commonsense, practical methods, she can be depended upon to have something of special value for the Institute which she may visit. She is especially interested in child welfare.

SUBJECTS.
"Vacations for Girls."
"The Mother: What She Owes to Herself, the Home and the Community."
"Squaring the Institute to the Needs of the Community."
"Teaching Boys and Girls About Money."
"The Unseen Background of Life."

Gasoline Tank Explodes.

Sarnia, June 23.—About 7.30 this morning a gasoline tank at the Imperial Oil Company exploded with terrible force. The explosion could be heard for a long distance, and many people were drawn to the scene. The tank was nearly full of oil, which caught fire, and burned for several hours. The fire assumed dangerous proportions for a while as several tanks filled with oil are very close to the destroyed one, but through the efforts of the company's fire brigade and the brigade from Sarnia, the fire was confined to the one tank. Dozens of windows in the surrounding buildings were smashed but no person was hurt. The cause of the explosion is thought to have been spontaneous combustion.

SCHOOL REPORTS.

Report of No. 3, Metcalfe, for June, in order of merit. IV.—Ethel Field, Gordon Lightfoot, Meleta Moore, III.—Muriel Quick, Walter Beer, Alvin Lightfoot. II.—Bessie Tompkins, Lulu Taylor, Sadie Bowie, Louis Carroll, Nina Gough. I.—Sr.—Winlow Beer, Malcolm Toohill, Arthur Grimes. I. Jr.—Mary Miller, Dick Miller, Russell Lightfoot, Gordon Lightfoot, Ella Quick, Warren Winter, Charlie Lightfoot.—L. KADEV, Teacher.

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