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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Lots of men have two spare tires and no spare cash.

The family reunion and picnic is very popular just now.

Any man who contends that this is a summerless summer is evidently primed for a hot climate.

A. D. Hone has the painting of the Murby residence for A. Weller & Co. Toronto.

Half price sale of Gingham and House dresses, Bungalow Aprons and Slipovers. 100 to choose from.—Swift's.

Don't waste time finding fault with yourself, that is what your neighbors are for.

In the days before the motor car the bull was considered the most dangerous thing with horns.

We now have some very special prices in dinner sets. Don't miss this opportunity.—McCormick & Paul.

Miss Minelli will open some new sport hats Saturday afternoon. Balance of stock later. Come and see them.

A dozen young men from here volunteered for the military camp at Rock Glen and are now enjoying the pleasures of camp life there.

Several auto loads from here attended the Chautauqua at Strathroy Tuesday and Wednesday. The entertainments were good and well patronized.

The Alvinston Free Press has installed a Linotype machine. All newspaper offices in Lambton are now equipped with type setting and casting machines.

This is a fast age. In the old days many a man killed himself trying to drink up his farm; now he can do the same thing in a day's time with a single bottle of bootleg whiskey.

The famous comedian Walter Heirs will be presented in his new mirth provoking comedy "Mr. Billings Spends His Dime" at the Lyceum To-night. There isn't a sad or slow second in this love farce.

Fannie Hurst's superb new cosmopolitan picture "The Nth Commandment" a big human story with tremendous heart appeal by the author of "Humoresque" will be presented at the Lyceum next Thursday.

Don't be afraid to brag up your municipality and its officials. If worthy they deserve it and if not it might stimulate to large activities and better work. Bouquets are better than bricksbats.

During August we will make to order by the Art Tailoring, your choice of 90 suit lengths. We have a special price for first class cut, style and finish. Suits will be delivered from 20th to end of August.—Swift, Sons & Co.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found a communication from the pen of Mr. James Craig on "How the Navoo road got its name." It will be found of interest to many of our readers, especially to the older ones.

We acknowledge receipt of prize list of the eleventh annual show of flowers and fruit of the Saskatoon Horticultural Society from Mr. A.R. Brown, Botanist, secretary of the Society. The show will be held for three days next week.

A grass fire on Gold street caused the calling out of the fire brigade on Monday about one o'clock, the fire encroaching dangerously close to the buildings. A few minutes drenching with the fire hose soon put it out.

Were is not for our waterworks system we would be in a sad plight this unusually dry summer.

The autos of Mr. Nelson Hawn of Watford and Mr. Rogers of Kerwood collided on a narrow piece of road a couple of miles out of town one evening last week, with the result that each car lost a wheel and had to be taken to the repair shop. Fortunately the occupants of the cars got off with a severe shaking up and were brought home by the repair man.

A former resident of Watford, Mrs. Wm. Clutterbuck, passed away at the home of her son, Dr. Herbert E. Clutterbuck, Toronto, on Monday at the advanced age of 83 years.

Funeral service was held in Toronto on Tuesday evening and the body brought to Watford Wednesday morning. On arrival here of the 12.40 train the funeral proceeded to Watford cemetery where she was laid at rest beside her husband who died here over 20 years ago. Rev. W. K. Hager, pastor of the Methodist church here, of which the family were devout and consistent members, conducted the commitment service. Mrs. Clutterbuck is survived by two sons, Dr. H. E. of Toronto and James G. of Lakewood, Ohio.

DELIGHTFULLY COOL WEATHER FOR STRATHROY CHAUTAUQUA

The big Six-Day Program at Strathroy Chautauqua is now in full swing and with the turn to cooler weather, is being well patronized from this district, on account of Strathroy being the only town in the district holding Chautauqua programs this year.

The following is the program for Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Monday evenings:

Thursday—"Cappy Ricks," the great comedy drama.

Friday—Concert by Lieurance's Brass choir; Lecture, "The Basis of Liberty," by Frank Preston Johnson.

Saturday—"Gretchen of Holland" by the Montague Light Opera Singers Monday—Capp's Male Quartet; Entertainment Recital by Everett Kemp.

Harold Smith of London, appeared before Magistrate Trueman at Strathroy on Thursday on a charge of failing to provide for his wife, Sophie, who resides in Strathroy with her four small children. The magistrate suspended sentence on the understanding that Smith pay his wife \$10 a week for the next three months and then \$8 a week until April, 1924. After that the payments will revert to \$10 a week. If Smith fails to keep up with his payments he will face a term in jail.

"Men," writes a master plumber's wife, "have entirely too high an opinion of themselves when you consider that according to scientific investigations, the ingredients of the average man are: Fat enough for several bars of soap. Iron for a medium sized nail. Sugar enough to fill a shaker. Lime enough to whitewash a chicken coop of small size. Sufficient phosphorus to make heads for a handful of matches, and a few other things, which altogether are worth about 98 cents.

Kincardine had an Old Boys reunion a couple of weeks ago and the Reporter of that town published an excellent souvenir number to commemorate the event, which was a credit to the publisher and a booster for the town. An Old Boys Reunion would be an excellent thing for Watford and would be attended by a very large number of former residents of this district. It is 16 years since the last one was held here and it was the greatest success of any celebration ever held in Watford. Who will set the ball rolling for another one next year, Watford's jubilee year?

BROOKE

Miss Jessie Rose, London, is spending this week with her aunt, Mrs. Walter Annett.

Farm lands on the sixth concession will be sold under a mortgage at the Roche House, Watford, on Saturday, Sept. 8th. See ad.

In the report of the Middle School examinations published last week, Olive Leach should have been given 2nd in Latin composition instead of 3rd. The list was published as received from Principal Cameron.

Dr. and Mrs. R. N. Gubbins and son Robert, Ceresto, Mich., spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Annett, and also visited other friends and acquaintances in this vicinity.

Mr. Robert J. Johnston of Brooke passed away Wednesday morning August 1st. Deceased had been in ill health for the past year, but it was thought that he was recovering until a few days before his death when he was again stricken. He was a man who took an active interest in municipal affairs and was well and favorably known throughout the township. He had been a resident of Brooke for a number of years, and prior to that had resided with his family in Euphemia. The funeral was held at the Alvinston cemetery on Friday afternoon and was largely attended. He is survived by his widow and one son, Russell.

WARWICK

Miss Elgeretta Jones has returned from a visit with her brother at Acton.

Mr. Warren Jones, wife and son, Acton, are spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Jones, fourth line.

A garden party will be held on the grounds of St. Paul's church, Wisbeach, Friday, Aug. 24th. Program provided by London's Renowned Scotch Entertainers. A full evening's enjoyment assured. Admission adults 35c, children 25c. Refreshment both on the grounds.

A meeting of the ratepayers and those interested in Warwick Village School Fair will be held in the Town Hall, Warwick on Thursday evening August 23rd to make further arrangements for the Fair. The Women's Institute request that representatives be sent from the different sections.

The Kelowa, B.C. Courier of July says: "A party from Coleville, Sask., consisting of Messrs. George Close, general merchant, Reeve Donald Laing and Jack Brent, secretary-treasurer of the municipality there, motored through Kelowa last week on their way to Vancouver. Mr. Brent renewed acquaintance with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. McKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Morris, and Mrs. Geo. A. Meikle, who are old Watford, Ont., friends, and Mr. Close was driven around the district by Mr. Geo. Rowcliffe, an old Theftford, Ont., friend."

CHOP STUFF

Among the Adelaide farmers who have threshed their wheat John McNabb had a return of 36 bushels the highest yet reported. Alfred Cuddy was not far behind, with 34 bushels per acre.

While playing about the house on Monday the ten year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gould of Florence had the misfortune to run the points of a table fork into the white of his eye. While badly hurt it is thought that the eyesight will not be injured.

The little 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Holland, Leamington, who was badly scalded on Wednesday of last week, by a pail of hot water falling on her, died from the effects of same Thursday night.

After an illness extending for some time, Mrs. Alex. Anderson of Ailsa Craig, passed away on Friday afternoon. Deceased had the misfortune to fall about 10 days ago, fracturing one of her limbs and gradually grew weaker.

Running unnoticed in front of her father's binder, Verna Fowler, 3 years old, daughter of William Fowler, Bayham farmer, was so badly injured that it was necessary to amputate her right leg between the knee and ankle.

When Earle Dew and Miss Irene Lowrie of the 10th line, Plympton, were driving home in a buggy from the Ford picnic at Bright's Grove on Wednesday evening, a car driven by a young man of Enniskillen ran into their buggy, smashed it up, upset the occupants, and frightened the horse into running away. Miss Lowrie received slight injuries, her face being badly scratched and her body bruised.

About half-past four o'clock Wednesday morning the barn of Dan McAlpine lot 20, gore of Ekfrid, was destroyed by fire; cause unknown. The barn contained the season's crop as far as harvested, one cow, two calves, two horses, about ninety hens, automobile and buggy, all of which were consumed. The loss will be in the neighborhood of \$3000, with some insurance.

While standing in the doorway of his confectionary store, Thamesville, last Friday morning, Mr. Wm. Bambridge noticed a large black snake crawling along the sidewalk. He killed the reptile and upon measuring it found it to be four feet long. It is thought that the snake had wended its way through the town sewer and come up to the surface from the intake in front of Mr. Bambridge's store.

While working in the gravel pit near Ruthven, the men unearthed an old clay pot that has all the appearance of being hundreds of years old. Lorne Neville has sent the old relic to a Toronto museum where it will be examined by experts. Hundreds of flint arrow heads have also been found close by, which looks as if the place had been held by a tribe of Indians who passed to the happy hunting grounds many hundreds of years ago.

Fire believed to have been caused by spontaneous combustion completely destroyed the barn on the rented farm of Joseph Brady near Cairngorm, Monday. The fire broke out about two o'clock. The building, which was about 30x65 feet, contained the whole of this year's crop, including 25 loads of hay, 500 bushels of oats and 100 bushels of wheat. No one had been near the place for several days. The loss is estimated at over \$5,000, with insurance of \$1500.

Hearing that her father, David Dobson of Warton who had married for the second time, had gone to the House of Refuge at Walkerton, his daughter, Mrs. Boyd Simpson of Vancouver jumped on the train and crossed over the continent to take her father out of the home for aged indigents. The lady prior to her marriage, was a high school teacher, and remembering the hand that had loiled for her in other and better days, she lost no time in hurrying hitherward on hearing the drift of events.

Fourteen-year-old Queenie Anson, formerly an inmate of the Dr. Barnardo Home, Toronto, perished in flames, which totally destroyed the farm dwelling of Orville Harwood, concession eight, Township of Raleigh Friday morning, which occurred when she attempted to bolster up the flames of the kitchen stove with coal oil. The little girl had been with the Harwood family only 10 weeks, her main duties being to care for the three children of Orville Harwood, while he and his wife worked the farm. She was the only person in the house at the time.

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John French of Malden found in his field last week a stalk of corn that measured 12 feet 9 inches and is yet growing.

Rev. W. McConnell, Leamington, has accepted the position of Dominion organizer for the Presbyterian Church Association, an organization opposed to church union.

Mrs. J. A. Rice, widow of the late J. A. Rice, Wyoming, passed away at her home on Wednesday morning. Her husband predeceased her a year ago last May. He was a well-known hardware merchant. Mrs. Rice has been suffering from cancer for the last eight years.

George Tilly, a provincial traffic officer, who is at present patrolling the Longwoods Road between Delaware and Warville, laid a number of complaints under the Motor Vehicles Act before Police Magistrate Morrison the past week, convictions being registered in sixteen cases and nearly \$200 collected in fines and costs.

The Amherstburg Echo is glad to announce that the experiment that A. A. Icenhour has been carrying on for some time in the auto factory from a new machine of his own invention has proved successful even beyond his most sanguine expectations. The mayor and council were called in to observe a weekend demonstration, and witnessed the making of a sheet of glass of purest color, transparency and perfect surface, proving beyond the shadow of a doubt that Mr. Icenhour has a machine that is bound to revolutionize the glass-making industry and using the natural product found in such abundance at Amherstburg, we hope will result in the establishment and development of a manufacturing industry here of great importance to the whole community and district.

Mr. Icenhour has experienced the usual annoying delays and discouraging setbacks, but these have only served to sweeten the success that has resulted from his efforts.

OFF FOR WINNIPEG

W. S. Fuller, C.P.R. agent, ticketed the following people to Winnipeg on the Harvesters' Excursion Wednesday, Aug. 15th., Albert Johnston, Stanley MacLachlan, R. F. Blashill, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Edgar, R. G. James, Geo. Moore, J. N. Campbell, Frances Parker, Stanley Healey, Reta Healey, E. Gibbs, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mansfield, Thos. Prangle, Harold Jamieson, Wilfred Jamieson and Wm. Bettridge.

C. W. Vail, C.N.R. agent, ticketed the following:—Jas. B. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. A. DeClark; Geo. F. Hall, Clayton Edwards, Archie B. Hart, Ray S. Burman, Ivan Fitzsimons, A. Butler, Geo. Morris, P. D. Hart, Clare Manders, Jas. McClung, Wm. Kerr, J. C. Gilliland, Ben Doan, Earl Roberts, C. Carter, Fred McManus, Jack Higgins, Mrs. Jack Higgins, V. Westgate, G. A. Westgate, Mr. and Mrs. W. Elliot, Thos. Patterson.

W. I. ANNUAL PICNIC

On Thursday, Aug. 9th, at the home of the 1st vice president, Mrs. J. D. Brown, and on the spacious and beautiful lawn, gay with bright flags and streamers, pretty flowers etc, was featured the Women's Institute Annual picnic. Many of the ladies with their families and friends being present. The business of regular meeting was conducted in the usual form, after which Mrs. Leigh in her ever pleasing manner sang a solo "That Sweetheart Boy of Mine." Various lively and amusing sports were then participated in by the crowd. The picture contest proved quite exciting and ended with Mrs. (Dr.) Newell and Mrs. A. Mitchell winning first prize and Mrs. Willoughby and Mrs. Adams as a close second.

The weight guessing showed some clever thinking as four ladies, viz., Mrs. Keller, Mrs. Hay, Mrs. S. Saunders and Miss Waugh each gave correct answer.

In apple and spoon race much skill was displayed with Mrs. Kinnell reaching goal first and Mrs. Leigh second.

In guessing number of beans many answers caused much amusement, others quite well thought out, with Mrs. Millar winning first and Mrs. Stephenson second.

Many other games and races were held and a special time spent, and a very tasty and refreshing lunch served by hostess and her assistants.

With the singing of "God Save The King," the company dispersed, each thinking "we were good to have been here."

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NOTE AND COMMENT

The young women who have been appearing on the streets in short breeches doubtless realize that their costume is not pretty, but are compensated by the fact that it attracts a lot of attention. But this will wear off, and only the ugliness remain.—Orillia Packet.

The Paris fashion designers are trying to bring back crinolines and bustles. But the English women declare they won't have them, and they will probably be joined in rebellion by the women of this continent. In fact, judging from what one sees on the streets these days, the tendency in this country is very much in the direction of breeches.—Orillia Packet.

Indianapolis News: Some progress has been made on the road to permanent peace, it is believed, especially through the treaties negotiated at Washington conference, which have been finally ratified by all the contracting parties. The League of Nations also has received credit for adjusting several threatening situations in Europe. Yet, all in all, the high hopes for the banishment of war forever, so generally held at the end of the world war, are still to be realized.

Carleton Place Canadian:—Print the grandest sermon that ever fell from inspired lips, and not ten per cent. even of the professionally pious will read it; print a detailed account of some female bunco game or a sensational divorce suit in high life and ninety-nine per cent. of the very elect will make a dive for the paper before breakfast, swoop down upon it like a hungry carp upon a nasty worm, devour every word, then roll their eyes heavenward like a calf with the colic, and wonder what this wicked old world is coming to.

There must be a lot of money in this community, for we get the money to spend for luxuries. We buy autos and keep them running constantly, we spend much for dancing, and pictures, we eat cabbage, carrots and new potatoes and strawberries from the south, our girls wear silk stockings and our boys smoke cigarettes. All these things are luxuries that have become necessities within the past 25 years. And we afford them. There must be a lot of money here. And there are more solid indications. The deposits in our banks are larger than ever before except during the war years. Instead of grumbling about hard times we should be raising our voices in a continuous thanksgiving for our great prosperity.—Acton Free Press.

In its broad outline, the scheme fostered by the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' Association, for a wheat pool this year, involves the return to all farmers participating of an equal amount per bushel for their grain, according to grade; an immediate payment of as large a percentage of the value of the wheat consigned to the pool as can now be obtained upon graded storage certificates, and without financial assistance from the Government. There are yet a number of important details to be settled, but the main points of the proposal have been fixed upon, according to A. J. McPhail, Secretary of the Association. In Winnipeg a sales organization will operate. Its activities will likely be confined to selling on the floors of the grain exchange. For this year, at least, export machinery is not likely to be set up. The final returns to the farmers participating will be on the basis of the average price obtained through the season for the grades of wheat with which each is credited. Everyone will be dealt with alike. Whether he has shipped carloads or only wagon-loads he will receive per bushel the average price obtained by the pool.

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COAL—A BURNING QUESTION?

Where do we stand in regard to Next Winter's Fuel Supply—Some Facts as to the Merits of Alberta Coal and Some Figures on the cost of Transportation as Furnished by a St. Marys man with a Personal Knowledge of the Matter.

(St. Marys Journal-Argus)

There is no other question of greater importance before the citizens of St. Marys at this hour—there is no other problem affecting the Province at large to a greater extent to-day, than the coal supply for the coming winter. The repetition of last year's coal scarcity, and the certainty of increased coal prices are already staring us in the face and yet the days are passing, rapidly passing, and nothing is being done to save us from last winter's bitter experiences. True Government commissions, appointed to investigate the coal situation, have favored the development of Canadian coal fields as a means of relieving the coal scarcity in Ontario, but their suggestions have been absolutely worthless in solving the real problem, which has always been one of transportation. Alberta, with its millions of tons of choice anthracite coal, is in need of a market for its produce; Ontario, with its ready market, is in dire need of other coal channels than the Pennsylvania route and Canada with her boundless store of mineral wealth, can ill-afford to watch the endless outpour of shovels from the pockets of her citizens into the vaults of United States coal barons. The Governments of Alberta and Ontario and the Federal Parliament must fully realize that a cheap rate for haulage for Alberta anthracite is the key to the problem, but their contributions to that end have so far been nugatory. Sir Henry Thornton tried to meet their demands half-way, and his offer was censured as exorbitant, but nevertheless the C.N.R.'s \$9.00 a ton proposition is the only practicable step, as yet, in the direction of lower transportation cost.

Both as to the comparative merits of the American anthracite and the Alberta coal and the cost of transportation, our townsman, Mr. J. Watford Peart, from a wealth of personal experience as a Western man, furnishes us in the facts published in his letter below, convincing evidence that Alberta coal meets our every requirements and that transportation charges are not necessarily an embargo to its use. Read his letter:—

Journal-Argus, St. Marys, Ont.

Dear Mr. Eedy,— I am frequently asked with regard to Alberta coal. Possibly you would be good enough to give a little space in your paper to the matter of tests and also to my personal experience with the Alberta product. Isolated tests or the experience of users with one particular lot of coal are no criterion by which to form judgment of this whole problem. Anthracite coal of last winter was worse than any Alberta coal I have ever seen, and on the other hand many lots of Anthracite are superior to many lots of Alberta coal.

Tests made by the Government covering a number of cars of Western coal showed an average of 10,987 B.T.U.'s (British Thermal Units) per pound. A test conducted by the St. Marys Cement Company showed 12,405 B.T.U.'s while I have before me a copy of tests made by the City of Regina in 1921, showing results ranging from 12,760, 12,910, 12,987, 13,190 up to 14,450; a fair average I would say being around 13,500 B.T.U.'s. The Government test of Anthracite was 13,910 B.T.U.'s. Ash tests made by the Cement Company showed 7.37 per cent. against 11.3 per cent. in Anthracite, while the Regina tests made over several cars ran from 7.08 per cent to as low as 5.5 per cent.

The proof of any product which is universally used is in the experience of the average user and I would like to state that after using Western (that is Drumheller or Banff and not Western Lignite coal) for about ten years, I would very willingly pay an equal price with Pennsylvania Anthracite coal for domestic use. I make this statement based on all the circumstances. It is true that with the Western coal one has to occasionally dump the fire to clean the fire-box of clinkers, but this has to be done with Anthracite as well. It is also true that the Western coal makes it necessary to more frequently clean the flues and the chimneys. But for actual value in heat from the two coals I would sooner burn our own coal.

Granting, however, for the sake of argument only, that there were some advantage in using the Anthracite coal, will the people of Canada persist always in gauging their patriotism by a few cents in the ton value of coal or by the necessity for a little additional labor during the winter months? Personally I am not the least bit interested in any particular coal dealer's handling of the Western product, but I am interested, intensely

interested in educating the Canadian people to a knowledge of the tremendous wealth which this country possesses in its coal areas and to the fact that coal equally as good as what we are now importing to the value of hundreds of millions of dollars can be had right in our own country.

And might I say a word with regard to freight rates. Public opinion when properly aroused will force these rates lower. It is 2280 miles from the Alberta coal mines to Toronto, and a fair train-load on the average grades covered would be fifty 40-ton cars or 2000 tons. We are still told that the railways can not give a \$6.00 per ton freight rate, which would be \$12,000.00 per train-load, notwithstanding that the C.P.R. average cost per train mile on general freight is \$3.58 or \$7136.40 for a 2000-ton train to Toronto, a gross profit (over operating charges) of \$4,863.60 on a train-load, which profit would undoubtedly be increased on a straight car of one product.

A lot of prejudice must be overcome, a lot of ignorance banished and a lot of very careful and open-minded individual tests made before Alberta coal will come into common use, but come it will, and that very soon if the Government and the railways do their part in meeting the situation fairly and with the patriotism that is necessary.

Yours truly, J. W. Peart

St. Marys, Ont., August 2, 1923.

P. S.—May I add that in spite of all that is said to the contrary, the furnaces, hot water boilers and flues in Western Canada are not constructed specially for Western coal. Western coal will burn just as well here as there.

THE WESTERN FAIR

London, Sept. 8th to 15th, 1923 The new Manufacturers' Building at Queen's Park is about completed. This building has been erected for Manufacturers' Exhibits and contains about 350 exhibits spaces. It has cost the Western Fair Association \$165,000.00. To see this building and its contents will be well worth a visit to the Exhibition.

The Pure Food show will be on the second floor as well as a lot of other exhibits of interest. The Canadian National Institute for the Blind has taken space and will have several workers making baskets, brooms, aprons, etc. during the exhibition. The lower floor will be occupied by heavier Exhibits such as Stoves and Furnaces, Electric Washers and other household utensils Automobiles etc. This building will be of special interest and will be visited no doubt by everyone attending the Exhibition. All information at the General Offices, London, Ont.

SAVE THE CHILDREN

Mothers who keep a box of Baby's Own Tablets in the house may feel that the lives of their little ones are reasonably safe during the hot weather. Stomach troubles, cholera infantum and diarrhoea carry off thousands of little ones every summer, in most cases because the mother does not have a safe medicine at hand to give promptly. Baby's Own Tablets relieve these troubles, or if given occasionally to the well child will prevent their coming on. The Tablets are guaranteed by government analyst to be absolutely harmless even to the newborn babe. They are especially good in summer because they regulate the bowels and keep the stomach sweet and pure. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25c a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

FAT AND LEAN PEOPLE

It is a striking fact that most people want to weigh more than they do and measure their health by their weight, as if a man were a pig, valuable in proportion to his heaviness. The racer is not fat, the plow horse has but a moderate amount of flesh. Heavy men are not those which experienced contractors employ to dig railroads and ditches. Thin men the world over, are the men for work; for endurance they are wire and hardy; thin people live the longest; the truth is, fat is a disease, and as a proof, fat people are never well a day at a time—and are not suited for hard work. Still there is a medium between being as fat as a butter ball, and as thin and juiceless as a rail. For more looks a moderate roundness is most desirable, to have enough flesh to cover angularities. To accomplish this in the shortest time a man should work but little, sleep a great part of the time, allow nothing to worry him.

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SEVEN YEARS 1918 Mrs. Anna Ross' Key to the Clouds (Continued from last week.)

This year I spent in Canada. But in January I received a touching letter from California, from a member of the Women's prayer meeting that I had there. She said,—

"Dear Mrs. Ross, will you not pray for us that rain may be sent? There has been no seed-time, and the pasture is all gone, and the poor cattle are suffering terribly. Please pray for rain for us."

This letter touched and troubled me. I have felt, in praying for rain, I needed to have the community or a distinct part of it, with me. I did not feel that I could take covenant hold here in Canada at the call of one woman in California. So I wrote to her, explaining my difficulty, but added, "But one thing I can do, I can pray that you who are on the spot may be given faith and courage to take covenant hold for yourselves. I also sent her my little book on the covenant, marking the 10th chapter, and charging her to show that chapter to the leader of their prayer meeting that he might lead them all out to take the covenant hold for the needed rain. The reader will please take notice that Covenant prayer is not identical with ordinary prayer. In covenant prayer we take hold of a Covenant promise, and are as sure of the answer before it comes as after.

Early in February I got her answer. It ran thus: "Dear Mrs. Ross, surely Covenant prayer goes straight up to heaven. I took the little book to the Minister Sabbath morning. At prayer meeting on Thursday evening he read us the most of that chapter, and asked us all to unite with him for the covenanted rain. There were only eight of us present, but we all prayed audibly except one little girl, and she was too timid. We knew that night that the rain was coming.

"Friday there was no change. But on Saturday the wind changed right round, and blew strongly from the South-west. That night as I went into the postoffice, I met the Minister. I said, "Mr. L. the wind has changed." "Yes," he answered, and the rain is coming. That night the rain came, nearly an inch and a half. Then was had a day or two of sunshine, and then another inch and a half of rain."

A few days later came a card, saying that 6 inches more had fallen. So a ten months' drought was broken. The world did not know it, but we who had been taking hold, we

did. The great difficulty is, how can we help other people to understand? Strassbourg, Sask. (Sgd) Anna Ross June 4, 1923.

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Blats' By Ross Parq (Crowded out last Friday—Ma got so smart today on account of queschu him. He about a few egg hatched him. W hatch ti self & I sed Wei I am a mash ti doing a real ma Satu a tawk day ar Little C ing with plaint. It sounds kind me because the baby over a yr. old so h how to complain a wether ennyways at t Sunday—Got my e combed my hair and tie all with out help when I showed it t twisted my hed a cu then sed uh huh and sed Hurry on to I wish sum fokes w mouth as tite shut v her mad as she does v them. Monday—Pa has giggered up to econter. He thot it up v frum ma. Ma ast him idea and he sed We

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Blats' Diary

By Ross Farquhar
(Crowded out last week)

Friday—Ma got sore at Mr. Redcomb today on acct. he give her a smart answer to a queschn she asked him. He was a tawking about sending off a few eggs to get them hatched & she sed to him. Why dont you hatch them your own self & he replied and sed Well I wood only I am a fraide I wood mash them up in so doing and it made ma real mad at him.

Saturday—Jane was a tawking to me today and she sed her little Cuzzen is suffering with summer Complaint. It sounds kinda ridiculous to me because the baby is only a little over a yr. old so how wood it no how to complane about the hot wether ennyways at that yung a age.

Sunday—Got my ears washed & combed my hair and tied my necktie all with out help from no 1 and when I showed it to ma she just twisted my hed a cupple times and then sed uh huh and nodded her hed and sed Hurry on to Sunday skool. I wish sum fokes wood keep their mouth as tite shut when you make her mad as she does when you please them.

Monday—Pa has got a nother way figgered up to economise next winter. He thot it up without no help from ma. Ma ast him what was his idea and he sed Well we will send

yure fokes the same kind of Christmas presents as what we all ways send to my fokes. Ma sed O you make me tired.

Tuesday—Went up to the golf link and Caddyed for Mr. Bolt. Ma ast me did he tip me. I shud say not. The only thing that man ever tipped was a pear of scales I xpect.

Wednesday—Blisters says he isnt afrade to swim the crick a crost & back agen. And he has got the nerve to try it if enny 1 has. In fact they are only 3 things he is afrade of and that is like follows. His daddy and soap and Caster Oil.

Thursday—Ma drug pa to a nother bridge party tonite vs. his Will. Pa says he hates partys and socyty and Etc. because he has to stand around and smile so much. The only bridge party he likes is the kind we both like where you set on the bridge and let yure ft. hang over and a can of fresh wirms the side of you and the fish biting good. O boy.

Friday—I was a getting drest up for the party tonite and I dissided to ware my Pam beech pants and when I had got all done dressing ma perused me over very carefully and then she sed Why I can see rite thru them pants. You better get on up stares and put on yure gray ones. But I told her she diddent heed to go wirrying her self in my be½ because I told her I was not deformed in enny way. She just laffed at my joak.

Saturday—Went to the pitcher show tonite and just when it got good and Xcit-

ing the lights went out and evry buddy held there Breaths and it was so quiet you cud here each another winkin prity near. Then I took my weeks wages and put ¼ of it in the saving bank and spent the other 60 cents for ice cream and treated pa and ma for witch they was Dooley grateful.

Sunday—The gas was turned off today and ma got up a cold dinner and she sed it was as easy as rolling over a log and she sed she got that dinner without ¼ trying. Pa sed. I thot so. And she gets sore and now I Xpect we wont have no supper a tall.

Monday—Joe Burch suprised evry 1 of his friends and others today when he returned back from his vacation. People thot he never was a going to get married but low and he hold here he cums a walking in with a wife all complete.

Tuesday—Pa was late getting home tonite and when ma wanted to no why was it he sed there was 1 spark plug missing. So ma give me a wink and I slips out and counted them and they was all there. And he wasent able to exclaim it to ma neather. To her Satisfaction at lease.

Wednesday—Ma was telling pa he better get a lot out at the cemetery to be berried in if enny thing shud happen to 1 of us. Pa sed No he diddent want no lot. He figgers on gitting Cremated. Not recently how ever.

Thursday—Ma was a cusinge pa today of having lost his temper yesterday when he broke off a corner of his tooth with his knife. But this afternoon when him and me was a takeing a ride and got a flat tire I dissided he haddent lost very much of it. Or else it had reoperated.

Read the Want Ads on Page Four.

SYMPTOMS OF ANAEMIA An Inherited Tendency to Anaemia May be Overcome.

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FALL FAIR DATES

- Wilkesport, September 18.
- Strathroy, September 17, 18, 19.
- Indian Reserve, Sept. 19, 20.
- Watford, September 20, 21.
- Petrolia, Sept. 24, 25.
- Sarnia, Sept. 26, 27, 28.
- Bridgen, October 1, 2.
- Forest, October 2, 3.
- Wyoming, October 4, 5.
- Florence, October 4, 5.
- Theford, October 4, 5.
- Alvinston, October 9, 10, 11.

How the "Navoo" Got Its Name

The road known as the "Navoo" which reaches from the townline of Warwick and Brooke to the seventh concession of Brooke about five miles in length is the eighteenth sideroad diverted one hundred and twenty rods to the west on account of the many hills and streams that lay in its rightful course. The road then, as it is now, was the main thoroughfare for the early settlers of Brooke township and as there is a little story in connection with the naming of it I will try and tell what I know about it.

Away back in the thirties one Joseph Smith, a renegade preacher, a native of Ohio, founded the religion called Mormon. One of his accomplishments was mesmerism which he practiced to his own advantage in his dealings with his converts. The people in those days were simple and easily led and in a few years this man had a large following.

About the year 1844 or 45 there came into the townships of Warwick and Brooke a Mormon missionary (they were called elders) named Borrowman. He was well qualified for his job, he would harangue his hearers till he had worked them up to a high pitch of excitement, then he would work off some magical movements and finish up by shouting out some lingo that no one could understand; afterwards he would tell them that he was speaking "with tongues".

As he was one of the first preachers in the new settlement he succeeded in making quite a few converts. His drawing card was the name "Navoo the Promised Land." At that time the Mormon headquarters was at a place called Navoo in the State of Missouri. This place was shown up to the new converts as their future home, a land flowing with milk and honey and they were invited like the people of old to go over and possess it.

During the winter of 1846 the new converts were warned to prepare to start on their overland trek in March. The rendezvous was somewhere in the township of Warwick and as the road to Alvinston (then called Gardener's Mills) was little better than a sleigh track through the woods the Mormons volunteered to improve it so they could get out from the south with their covered wagons to the place appointed to start from. These people were so zealous and jubilant that they could think of little else but their home at Navoo. They talked of it by day and dreamed of it by night and finally by some means or someone the name was tacked on the road and it stuck and there it remains till this day and will I presume till the end of time.

Those who had little or no means were not wanted in the ranks of the faithful. One or two of that kind started with the caravan as camp followers but only got as far as Port Huron when they were turned back by the leader. In the meantime there was trouble at Navoo, the outlying settlers began losing their stock; at first it appeared they were being driven off by Indians but later it was discovered that the Mormons organized bands of young men disguised as Indians. They called them Danites and they were sent out to raid the outsiders to whom they gave the name of Gentiles.

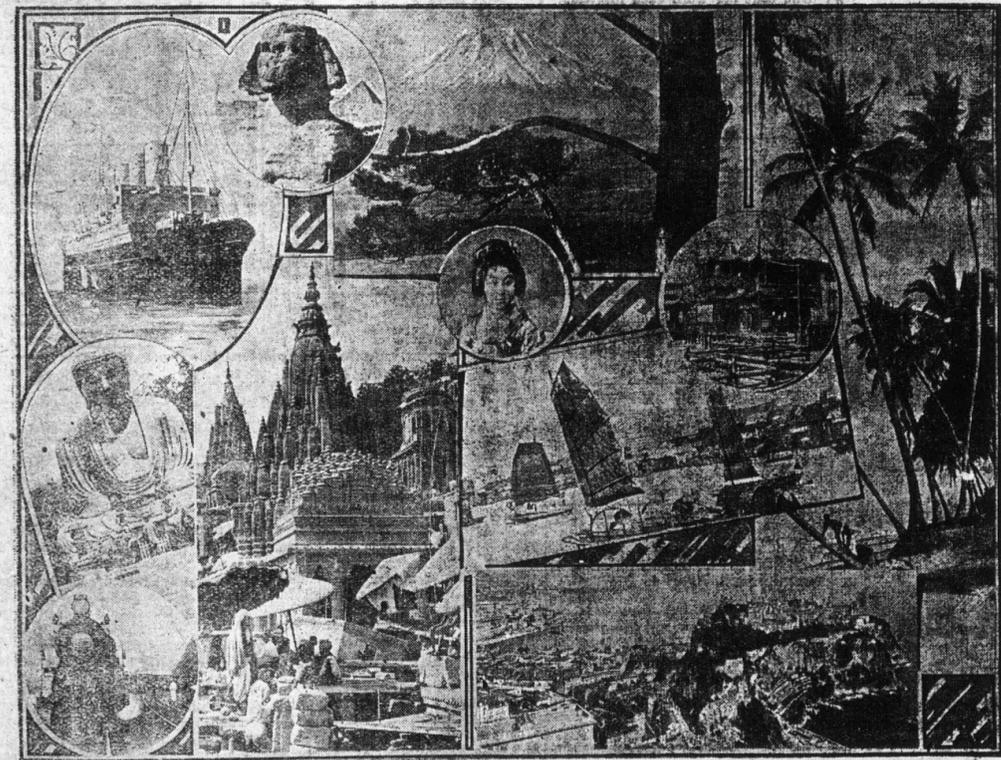
The people became so incensed that they had the Prophet Smith arrested with some of his lieutenants and placed in Carthage jail, but some of the most bitter of the Gentiles fearing the law would miscarry formed themselves into a vigilance committee, surrounded the prison and the Mormon founder was shot through a window of the jail. The fatal bullet was fired by a man named Clark whose wife the Prophet had enticed away from her home and husband.

The death of their prophet was a sad blow to the Mormons but the renowned Brigham Young showed up at that time. He was elected Prophet preist and leader. He led them across the prairie to the State of Utah where they founded the great Salt Lake City, introduced polygamy as part of their religion. He organized the Danite bands and preyed on travelers going to and from the gold fields of California. For several years they flourished in wealth and numbers till the U. S. government prohibited polygamy and obliged them to come under the laws of the land.—An Old Settler.

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Palatial Canadian Pacific Liner To Go On Big Cruise



In the upper left-hand corner is shown the Canadian Pacific palatial liner Empress of Canada, which will make the cruise of the world this winter and early spring. Other scenes depicted are some of the features that will be shown the travellers as they sail the seven seas.

The Sphinx is the majesty of the Pyramids of Ghizen. Then comes Mount Fujiyama, sacred mountain of Japan. Nestling under the spreading branch of the tree is a Gelsia girl, and on her left is a willow tea house near Shanghai.

The famous cruise of the Canadian Pacific steamer Empress of Canada, posted for this coming winter, is attracting much attention not only in Canada but in the United States and Mexico. The big 21,500 ton liner is especially adapted to world cruising and having won the speed record of the Pacific, the company has chosen this boat to be the flagship of cruisers for the winter months.

The circumnavigators on the Empress of Canada will return laden with the rich experience and mental treasures gathered from vision of eighteen different countries and contact with the costumes, crafts and civilizations of fifty different races. It will be a tour to ports of a thousand romances, unfolding the pageant of the world from the cultured west to the barbaric splendor of the east. Shrines, mosques, temples, cathedrals, palaces, and the sacred treasures of the fabled Orient will be revealed to the gaze of these fortunate voyagers.

Leaving New York at a time when the inclement weather drives those who can afford to escape to more equable climes, the Empress of Canada is due to reach nine days later the balmy shores of Madeira, an

Island of mountains thrown up as high as six thousand feet above the sea by volcanic action from the still unathomed ocean bed.

Junks and sampans are shown on the Canton river, while palms throw the coast of Ceylon into shadow.

Immediately over the Canadian Pacific locomotive is shown the Dabulata of Kanakura, better known here as Buddha.

The gates of Benares, with countless minarets in the distance, will offer age-old lore for visitors, and the lower right-hand picture is of Monte Carlo, with the greatest casino in the world.

fields of Europe. The tables at the Monte Carlo casino are forbidden to the twenty thousand local inhabitants who, however, have the consolation of being exempt from taxes.

Naples is the next port of call, the largest, busiest and most populous port in Italy. Here opportunity is given to see the chief points of interest in the city and to visit Pompeii.

Port Said and then Cairo and while the boat proceeds to Suez the passengers will be given four days in the land of the Pharaohs.

BRITISH OUTPOSTS.

From there, the visitors move on down the Red Sea, past Aden, another British outpost and on across the Indian ocean to one of the greatest ports in the world, Bombay. A stay of a week has been allowed for this port, and many trips inland have been arranged.

After leaving Bombay the passengers will know where they are going as several hundred miles out from the shores of Ceylon, the heavily scented and spicy breezes indicate the longitude and latitude of the big liner. Three days are booked for this port.

The trip to Rangoon, the greatest rice port in the world, and also one of the great lumber districts of the

south of Asia, is also one of interest. Singapore, the busy capital of the Malay states, is the next port of call and Britishers on the trip will be shown the foundation of the new naval base which is to be built there soon.

OVER EQUATOR.

Crossing the equator the Empress of Canada will then go to Batavia, the capital of the Dutch East Indies.

With her nose turned north the liner will steam for Manila, the capital of the Philippine Islands, and one of the greatest educational centres in the world. Money bylaws for schools are always passed in this insular settlement.

From Manila the travellers will be taken to Hong Kong, Canton, Macao and then to Shanghai, and special arrangements have been made to see China as China is.

The next port of call will be in Japan, where all the leading ports will be visited and the Japanese Government is making preparations to demonstrate to the visitors that Japan is a friendly little nation.

From Japan the liner will go to Honolulu and on May 24 will terminate her cruise at Vancouver, the passengers going overland from here to their various destinations.

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BORN

In Brooke, on Sunday, July 29th, 1923, to Mr. and Mrs. John Bourne, a daughter.

In Plympton, on Saturday, Aug. 4th, 1923, to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Harrison, a son.

In Petrolia, on Aug. 1, 1923, to Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Harrison Jr., a son.

MARRIED

At the Baptist parsonage, Forest, on Wednesday, Aug. 1st, by the Rev. Thos. Doolittle, Mary Jane Cowan to William H. Norwood, both of Forest.

DIED

In Watford, on Thursday, Aug 9th, 1923, Mrs. Charles Andrews of Rockford, Ill.

On August 13th, at the residence of her son, Dr. H. E. Clutterbuck, Toronto, Mary Clutterbuck, widow of the late William Clutterbuck, of Watford, Ont., in her 84th year.

IN MEMORIAM

Bryce—In loving memory of Wesley McKeown Bryce, who departed from this life one year ago today, Aug. 18.

Memory's hand is reaching back one year ago today, When one we all so dearly loved, so quickly passed away; It was hard to part, but 'twas God's will.

And we are very lonely still. —Father, Mother and Sister.

Mr. Fred Weeks of Botany delivered sixty-one hogs to a Ridgetown buyer last week, for which he received the handsome sum of \$1170.

CLAIM PART OF SPRINGER ESTATE

The Shaw Family of Watford State They are Direct Descendants

The descendants of the late Dorman Shaw who died here some years ago, John W. Shaw, Henry Shaw, Mr. W. Phair and Mrs. Arthur Dixon have entered a claim as heirs in the estate of the late Christopher Springer of Wilmington, Delaware, which is estimated at from fifty to five hundred million dollars. The grounds on which they claim they are entitled to participate in the division of the estate is their descent from Dorman Shaw, whose mother's mother was the daughter of Elizabeth Springer, whose father was David Springer, the son of the owner of the estate.

Dorman Shaw, who died some years ago here, would have been the direct heir to the estate had not the estate become void for some time owing to the complications of a 99 years' lease. At the time of his death he is alleged to have said that he could still prove his title to the estate and advised those related to him to safeguard their rights by record for the time when the estate should be again cleared of all legal entanglements.

Others of the family are residing in Owassa, Detroit and London.

The Sarnia ferries moved 2000 autos across the river Saturday and Sunday last.

Mrs. Duncan A. Graham who conducted a millinery store in Strathroy died last week. She leaves a husband and one son to mourn her loss.

Geo. Taylor's residence, Wallaceburg, was entered Wednesday night while the family were at the theater and several pieces of jewelry and money were stolen. There is no clue.

Constable Peters of Chatham is on the job.

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Neptune Holds Court on a Famous Canadian Ship

A REMARKABLE photograph of the ceremonies that took place when the Canadian Pacific steamer "Empress of France" crossed the line on her recent "round-the-world" tour. Neptune accompanied by his royal barber, and other officials came aboard in the early morning and duly initiated those who were crossing the line for the first time. His Majesty's stay on board was short, but the same cannot be said of the little god Cupid. He came on board early and stayed until the end of the trip, as may be gathered from the fact that out of a total of 800 passengers on that famous 30,000 mile cruise, no less than forty came to the end of the trip as engaged couples. This fine photograph of Neptune's court was made by Miss Margaret Miller of Waterbury, Conn., who was one of the ship's passengers.

Indians Celebrate Opening Banff-Windermere Road



1. Indians, gaily caparisoned, await the judges' pleasure. 2. Lieutenant Governor Nichol smokes the pipe of peace—to the delight of the oldest members of the tribe (3). 4. Car-No-Sic-Klmeest and the Indian chief.

THE Indian, though reticent and undemonstrative, is ever ready to show his appreciation of the fact that the pale face is a friend, a brother to him. More often than not, he takes advantage of his feted days to show this appreciation and good-will in simple ceremonies which honor the white man by bestowing upon him the name of one of their own, and a seat in their family and council circles.

The opening of the Banff-Windermere Motor Highway on June 30th occasioned the gathering of a large number of Kootenay Indians from various reserves, at Invermere, B.C. Here they entertained and were entertained by a host of visitors to the district who, having attended the opening ceremonies were easily induced by the glories of the country to stay for a few days. On this occasion the Kootenays honored Lieutenant Governor W. C. Nichol of B.C., who had officiated, with Lieutenant Governor Brett of Alberta, at the opening,

by making him an honorary chief of their tribe. Robert Randolph Bruce, a leader in Windermere and Kootenay development was also asked to enter the circle, and after the smoking of the ceremonial pipe and listening to the liturgy in the Kootenay language, was dressed in all the panoply of power, head-dress and beaded clothes, and accepted into the tribe as full chieftain, being given the name of Car-No-Sic-Klmeest, which signifies "Red Sky". After a famous council chief of the tribe who has long since passed away. Mr. Bruce expressed his pleasure in a largesse of tobacco and a gift of a one-hundred dollar bank note for the celebration.

This being over the sports were resumed and prizes were awarded to the best-costumed Indian on foot, the best costumed squaw, the best caparisoned Indian on horseback, and to others for neatness of tepees and best travois and papoose in baby trap, and for their demonstrated skill in athletic sports.

Production at the Canadian factory ending July 31st, as compared with the previous 12 months. The total output for the fiscal year that ended July 31 was 70,323 cars, against 45,000 completed in 1922. Read the Want Ads on Page Four.

THE LONESOME WOMAN

"No Chance to Exercise My Tongue," Is Her Complaint.

Was This Farmer's Wife Correct?—Is There Any Respite From Monotony in the Life of Rural Women?—What Is the Panacea for Farm Loneliness?—Handling Cream for Butter.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

I called at a farm home one day in search of water for an overheated motor. Rapping gently on the kitchen door, I was met by the good lady of the house.

"May I have a pail of water?" I asked.

"You may," she said, handing me a pail and pointing to the pump. I noticed that her index finger and her chin seemed to work in unison when she indicated the direction of the pump.

"Shrewd old girl," I thought, as the water flowed into the pail. "I will try and draw her out. I wonder how she puts in the time. What is she thinking about anyway?"

A Farm Woman's View of the Quiet Life.

After filling the radiator with the clear, cold water, I returned to the door with the borrowed pail. No need of rapping this time. She met me with a kindly smile.

"You have a nice farm here," I said. "You must have a nice quiet life in the country where everything about you is just plain wholesome nature."

"Quiet life!" she said with some emphasis. "Just plain nature?" "Yes just too much so, so much so that we want to get away from it all, and be natural."

Somewhat surprised at her expressions, especially the "be natural," I had always thought that if there was any place where a person could be natural it was on the farm.

The Monotony of Farm Living.

I asked, "Why do you want to get away?"

She replied, "We have no life here. My husband and I get up at five o'clock every morning. He at once goes to the barns to feed the stock, while I get the breakfast and attend the poultry. We hurry through breakfast, and then he rushes away to the barn or fields, returning at noon for one half hour in which to eat his dinner. After dinner he is away again until supper time, when he returns tired from work in the fields, pretty well worn by the long monotonous day of heavy labor. As for me, why, I attend the house work. Yes, I attend the house work in silence all day long, and that is what gets my goat. I do not hear the sound of another voice from one day's end to another. No woman to talk to, no neighbor handy by where I could call for a chat. No chance to exercise my tongue.

Farm Women Fed Up With Silence.

"We farm women get fed up with so much silence. It is somewhat different with the men, they are working with animals and do not feel the loneliness as we women do. Once a week is not often enough for women to get together. Being kept apart so long is it any wonder that our tongues wag at both ends when an opportunity to talk does come."

Is There a Panacea for Rural Loneliness?

After hearing that little sermonette, I unconsciously started for the car that I had left standing on the roadway. Coming to my senses after a time, I began to think, just what there was in what the lady of the farm home had to say, and repeated to myself her words, "No chance to exercise my tongue, so much silence."

Perhaps, after all, the farm is too lonely a place for the average woman of to-day, and with the trend of modern living it will be a more lonesome place in the future unless something happens to change ideas and ideals.

Can anyone suggest a solution of the problem?—L. Stevenson, O. A. C., Guelph.

Handle Cream for Butter Carefully.

Cream may be a little sour, but, if it is clean and free from foreign odors and tastes, it will make fancy butter in the hands of an expert butter-maker. Cream approaching rancidity and carrying with it particles of dirt, whiffs of undesirable odors, and a taste of the barnyard or cellar never loses its identity. The butter it enters into is that which drags on the market and sells at a low price. To argue that because certain neighbors are careless with their cream provides a reason why no one needs to be careful is illogical. Produce and handle your cream in a careful, cleanly manner, deliver it frequently and then demand a price in keeping with the quality.

Sores Flee Before It.—There are many who have been afflicted with sores and have driven them away with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. All similarly troubled should lose no time in applying this splendid remedy as there is nothing like it to be had.

DEATH OF MRS. CHAS. ANDREWS

Mrs. Charles Andrews of Rockford, Ill., passed away on Thursday afternoon, after a brief illness with pneumonia, at the home of her niece, Mrs. F. W. Mahony, Front street, with whom she was visiting. The body was taken to Rockford, Ill., on the 9.10 train Friday evening for burial.

The deceased was born in Portsmouth, England, in 1853, moving to Hamilton, Canada, in 1869. She was married to Charles Andrews in 1872. In 1877 she left Hamilton with her husband for Rockford, which has since been her home.

In June of last year Mr. and Mrs. Andrews celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. Besides her husband, four sons and two daughters survive. Charles, Jr., Arthur and Frank, all of Rockford; Alfred of Hartford, Mich., and Mrs. George Grieves of Rockford, and Mrs. B. McGraw, Janesville, Wisconsin.

Mr. Andrews was the founder of the Andrews Wire and Iron Works, Rockford, Ill., and established the Watford plant.

TWO WANSTEAD LADS INJURED BY EXPLOSION OF DYNAMITE CAP

Clayton Graham May Die and Kenneth Pye Badly Burned On Face.

Clayton Graham, of Wanstead, aged about 15 years, is in the Petrolia hospital with wounds in the abdomen that may prove fatal and Kenneth Pye, aged 12, also of Wanstead, is suffering from burns on the face and chest following the accidental explosion of a dynamite cap used in blasting stumps which occurred while the former was playing with the cap shortly after nine o'clock this morning.

Graham and his companion were on the second line of Plympton just outside of Wanstead when the former started to handle and play with the cap which he had carried in his pocket, according to reports received here, when it suddenly exploded and Graham received practically the full charge of the blast. He received a gaping wound in the abdomen and one of his hands was so seriously shattered that it may be necessary to amputate.

Pye, who was standing nearby, escaped with powder burns on his chest and face. The former was rushed to the Petrolia hospital where he was attended to by Dr. Newell of Watford and Dr. Reid of Wyoming and reports received here at noon indicated that the wound might cost him his life.

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Flushing sows.

Flushing ewes at breeding time to increase the number of twin is an ancient practice among stockowners, but not till recent years have swine raisers paid much attention to this practice. Prof. Edward, of the Iowa Experiment Station, has been investigating its practicability with pigs, and reports that the sows making the most rapid gain at the time of breeding, produced on the average 2.1 pigs more per litter than those making the slowest gain. Another practical conclusion reached as the result of this same set of observations is that if large litters are looked for, it is well not to breed the sow until the first period of heat after weaning, when two litters are raised in one year.

An extra gallon of gas carried in a can or bottle under the back seat of your car will save you a walk some day.

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FOREST

Rev. S. Anderson and family left Tuesday for a month's visit with their son, near Englehart, New Ontario.

The marriage took place quietly at the Baptist parsonage, Forest, on Wednesday, August 1st, of William H. Norwood to Mary Jane Cowan, both of Forest, the Rev. Thos. Doolittle officiating. They will reside on Gore street north.

Richard Davis, who has been on the local staff of the Bank of Commerce for some time, has been transferred to Strathroy. Dick's friends are sorry to hear of his removal.

Corn are painful growths. Holloway's Corn Remover will remove them.

Mr. W. E. Freese, who recently purchased R. J. Vincent's business here, has bought from Glen Van Valkenburg, his building lot on Prince street, next to Frank Kimball's residence. It is Mr. Freese's intention to erect a modern residence on the property.

Rev. and Mrs. Walker left last week for New Hamburg where they will celebrate the 40th anniversary of their wedding at their daughter and son-in-law's home, Ralph and Mrs. Hillborn. Mr. and Mrs. Walker will spend a week or two in Toronto before returning home.

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A BOSANQUET PIONEER PASSES

Another of the pioneers, the oldest and last surviving member of her family, in the person of Margaret Deegan, relict of the late Wm. Leonard, of Bosanquet, passed away at the family residence, in Forest, early Monday morning after a week's illness. She was born in County Wicklow, Ireland, Sept. 29, 1842. She came with her parents, the late Michael and Catherine (Healy) Deegan, in 1847 to Township of King, near Toronto, where they remained until 1850, when they moved to Bosanquet. She was married in Sarnia by the late Rev. Fr. Kerwin in January, 1860, to Wm. Leonard, who predeceased her about 15 years ago. There were eleven children born of the union, three only surviving her, viz., Miss Catharine, John and Phillip of Forest. Four sons grown to manhood predeceased her, viz., Dennis, Michael, George and James, of Bosanquet. Eight grand-children also survive her. She cheerfully shared with her husband all the hardships of pioneer days in the Township of Bosanquet, where she resided until about three years ago, when she and her family moved to her late residence on Washington street, Forest. The sorrowing family has lost an affectionate mother, the community a faithful friend and neighbor and the Catholic church a devoted member. Her genial disposition and unbounded hospitality won for her the esteem of a large circle of friends, who extend their sympathy to the bereaved ones.

The funeral took place to St. Christopher's church, where solemn Requiem High Mass was celebrated by her pastor, Rev. G. J. Labelle, assisted by a deacon and a sub-deacon, after which the remains were interred in Beechwood cemetery. The bearers were her three grandsons, Clare, Alphonsus and John Leonard; two nephews, William Deegan and Joseph Maelley, of Sarnia and Hubert Hotschert, who spent seven years of his early life at her home.

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ENNISKILLEN'S OLDEST RESIDENT

Enniskillen's oldest living resident is John Morrison, 85 years old, a wealthy farmer who resides on concession 10, lot 10, on the corner of Lawyer's sideroad at 10th line. He was born near Hamilton, Wentworth county, and is the son of John and Margaret (McGregor) Morrison. The parents were born in Scotland and came to Canada while still young. They were married in Lower Canada near St. John's, in 1834, settled first on Lower Canada then in Wentworth county and later in Lambton county.

Wild bush land had to be cleared and family experienced all the trials of pioneer life. The first home was a log house but later more commodious buildings were erected and they made a comfortable home where the father and mother lived out their days. John Morrison was the oldest of a family of eleven children, and after acquiring the education offered by the district school assisted his father on the farm. He was sole manager of the place 20 years before his father's death.

The earlier buildings of his farm were burned in 1902 but were at once replaced by a large brick house and brick barns. The property is one of the finest places in Enniskillen. In January 1902, Mr. Morrison married Mrs. May Baker and two daughters blessed the union.

Mr. Morrison clearly recalls the days when Enniskillen was a wilderness, when there was no Petrolia except for a farm house occupied by a family named Ephland where the old east end fire hall now stands.

Mr. Morrison was only four years old when he came to Enniskillen and has resided on the farm where he has lived for eighty years.

During these long years he has seen wonderful changes take place in Enniskillen and Lambton. There were not more than a half dozen families in the township at first and there was not a road, but only an Indian trail over which they used to drive their oxen.

Sarnia was the nearest centre and the journeys to that place were long and tedious because the journey had to be made on foot, and the produce was carried in packs on their backs and in the rough homemade vehicles.

In those pioneer days the neighbors were several miles apart but nevertheless they formed a community and exchanged work. The neighbors helped each other in cases of sickness and death and religious services were held although there was no minister.

Later on Uncle Joe Little, the famous district preacher, became known throughout Lambton county and he used to make the rounds of the farmhouses where he was always a welcome visitor. There were no doctors and in case of serious illness doctors often arrived too late from the large centres. Funerals were conducted in primitive style, the caskets were of rough timber and homemade. The first known hearse in the township was the old four seated democrat owned by John Morrison and this was the first manufactured vehicle brought into Enniskillen.

Mr. Morrison recalls the jolly times they used to have at husking bees, barn dances, logging bees and suppers, when all the neighbors for fifteen miles around would gather for the work which was followed by merry-making.

The first school in Enniskillen township was erected in 1852 in Petrolia 200 feet north of where the Salvation Army barracks now stands. This log school house was presided over by Joe Osborne and became the centre of all the folk dances and public meetings. The school was attended by the late Henry Goodman and John Morrison and many other old residents. Mr. Morrison even recalls the time before Enniskillen was surveyed as a township and was joined with Brooke township. The old log houses were covered with trough roofs which are now not known. Mr. Morrison has always been a very shrewd man and politically he supports the Conservative party but has never been an office seeker. He is a member of the Presbyterian church and throughout his long life has never smoked or used intoxicating beverages. He has prospered in all his undertakings and is a highly esteemed representative of a family always regarded with much respect throughout Lambton county.—Petrolia Advertiser-Topic.

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ITEMS FROM FAR AND NEAR

Some Wise, Some Otherwise Some Newswy, All Readable.

Mrs. D. D. Moshier, wife of a former public school inspector for West Lambton, died on August 2nd, in New Zealand, where they have been spending several months.

Through the efforts of Ontario's new Minister of Health and Labor, Hon. Dr. Forbes Godfrey, diabetics throughout the Province who require and are unable to pay for insulin, Dr. F. G. Banting's new discovery, are to receive it free.

There are so many stories about the Ford car that one hesitates to say that any story he hears is a new one. Silas Hocking, in his new book, tells this one: It is said Mr. Ford has invented a new kind of speedometer. When the car is travelling 30 miles an hour it shows a green light; at 40 an hour it shows a red light; at 60 it plays "Nearer, my God, to Thee."

Let's get the matter straight: When the price of hogs drops the price of bacon advances. When the price of hogs advances, the price of bacon advances. When the price of hogs remains stationary the price of bacon advances. Everlastingly and always, forever and forever, world without end, the price of bacon advances. Why? Because we get bacon from hogs.

Dr. J. C. Lawson of Los Angeles, made the prediction that the world is not far away from the time when the doctors will be teachers of health instead of doctors of disease. He contends that disease was not an entity, but an abnormal condition. Fear and pessimism in civic and physical life were destructive and had to be overcome by their opposites—optimism and knowledge. When people knew what health was and how it could be maintained, there would be no need for fear. He instanced the various conceptions of disease and how they all had one common cure.

Many of the so-called accidents to motor cars on the highways prove that gasoline and booze are not good mixers. A scurry for the tools to attend to repairs after the smash often reveals the bottle. A man who attempts to drive a car while under the influence of grog should have his car confiscated and six months incarceration in prison for himself. "Thou shalt not kill" is still one of the Ten Commandments, and sober people have no right to travel in fear and trembling of meeting some crazy Ike running a car at 50 miles an hour, and forgetting the rights of other folks.

The return of the kinds, quantities and values of fish caught during 1922 in the public water of Lake Huron proper, included in the report of the game and fisheries department for 1922 discloses that the total value of the catch for Lambton county, including the St. Clair river, was \$36,207.03. Pickerel led with a yield of 143,723 pounds, herring placed second with 130,627 pounds and other catches were: whitefish 20,012 lbs., trout 5,180 lbs., pike 1,204 lbs., sturgeon 9,135 lbs., perch 5,428 lbs., catfish 1,150 lbs., carp 3,902 lbs., mixed and coarse fish 73,302 lbs., caviare 604 lbs., pickerel blue 10,969 lbs.

In about three year's time the Canadian National Railway may have ceased to be a burden on the pockets of the tax payer, Sir Henry Thornton, chairman of the Government railways, declared in an interview at Montreal. He added, however, the proviso that such would be the case if no unforeseen disaster struck Canada. Sir Henry explained that the different lines making up the Canadian Government system, formerly rivals and mostly weak, could not be co-ordinated and brought into harmony in a few months, but progress was being made. Net receipts were already improving greatly and showed signs of continuing to improve.

By the cancellation of the contract given by Hon. F. C. Biggs in the dying hours of the Drury Government for 1924 motor markers, the Ferguson Government considers that it is saving the Province \$50,000. The total amount involved was approximately \$57,000. A probe of the contract for 1923 motor license plates resulted in the discovery that Hon. Mr. Biggs had accepted the tender of the Canadian Colortype Company, of Hamilton, at 28 cents in spite of the fact that other tenders submitted ranged down to 11 cents. The other bidders swore in evidence that they had sworn with the departmental specifications, and that their products were giving every satisfaction in other Canadian provinces.

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Accommodation, 111.....8.42 a.m.
Chicago Express, 17.....12.40 p.m.
Detroit Express, 83.....6.51 p.m.
(a) Chicago Express.....9.11 p.m.

GOING EAST

Ontario Limited, 80.....7.48 a.m.
Chicago Express, 6.....11.22 a.m.
Express.....2.50 p.m.
Accommodation, 112.....5.38 p.m.
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News of East Lambton

PETROLEA

Reeve McLeod has decided to locate in Toronto.

It is estimated that the upkeep of the Petrolea High School this year will take \$4,000 more than last year. This is due to the fact that owing to the growth of attendance the Jubilee Public School has been rented to hold the pupils.

Messrs. W. S. Lawrence and son, Richard, have returned from their auto trip to the maritime provinces having travelled in all 3180 miles. The return trip of 1230 miles from Fredericton, N.B., to Petrolea was made in sixty hours.

G. W. Currie, manager of the local hydro system since its installation, has resigned, effective September 1, and will take a position as electrician with the International Petroleum Co. in Columbia.

Mr. Charles Beresford, many years ago one of Petrolea's best known citizens was drowned in the Detroit river on August 6th.

Mrs. John Heaver who has been ill at her home on Queen street with a sore limb for the past four weeks, is able to be around again.

FAMILY BIBLE SAVES HOME FROM DESTRUCTION

The story of the way in which an old family Bible saved the home of a Londoner is told by G. W. Pollock, of 864 Stedwell street, London.

Mr. and Mrs. Pollock, together with their 12-year-old daughter, on returning from a holiday in Watford, were met with a rush of gas on opening their front door. Later on, going through the house, Mr. Pollock found that it had been ransacked, that the gas had been left on, and that a candle, presumably left by the burglar alight, had fallen against the old family Bible, which stood just beside it and which served to extinguish it and prevent the burning of the home.

Every room in the house, with the exception of that occupied by Miss Pollock, in which she had left \$25 in a bureau drawer, had been visited. A sum of \$1.25, which was in the pocket of Mr. Pollock, was all that the invader got. The police, who have so far no clue, are investigating the affair. As Mr. Pollock said today, but for the old Bible, out of which was read a chapter every night, the house would surely have been gone. The Pollocks have lived in London eighteen years.

WANSTEAD

Mr. Chas. Patterson left Wednesday for a six weeks trip to the West. Miss Doris Napper of Sarnia is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Miss Bailey, Forest, has been engaged to teach in the local school for the coming year.

Remember Wednesday, Aug. 22nd Wanstead Farmers' Club Field Day. The Club will load hogs again on Saturday, Aug. 18.

ALVINSTON

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hope and Miss Ethel Cann of Detroit are visiting with relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. Charles Bindner of Detroit is visiting at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Auckett and daughter Marion, of Rodney spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. L. Tedford.

Mrs. Mark Burford and daughter Augusta, have returned home after a short visit with relatives in Pontiac.

Misses Jean McCallum, Eva McCallum, Clara Boughner, Mary Pavey, Effie McCallum and Vera Leitch have returned home after a delightful week's outing at Bright's Grove.

Mrs. M. A. Temple is visiting her son Frank who is seriously ill in a Hamilton hospital.

Miss Clara Boughner returned to her home in London after a few weeks' visit at the home of John McCallum.

Mr. Clifford Jones, of Detroit, spent a few days at his home here.

Miss Mary McCormick of Watford spent a few days last week as the guest of Mrs. Herb Leitch.

Mr. Ross McRoberts is spending his holidays with relatives in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Schaffer and son, Junior, of Detroit, spent the weekend at the home of Wm. McNally.

The Oil of the People.—Many oils have come and gone, but Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil continues to maintain its position and increase its sphere of usefulness each year. Its sterling qualities have brought it to the front and kept it there, and it can truly be called the oil of the people. Thousands have benefited by it and would use no other preparation.

BANK DIRECTORS TO ADJUST ASSETS FROM RESERVES

Standard Bank Officials Announce Plan To Meet the Financial Situation

STEP COMMENDED

Toronto, July 31.—The directors of the Standard Bank of Canada issued the following statement this afternoon.

"The board of directors of the Standard Bank of Canada, in a notice going forward to shareholders, announce a plan for a readjustment of the assets of the bank. The advisability of carrying out the plan has been suggested by the continuation of the business and agricultural depression which has so severely affected the operations and standing of some of the customers of the bank.

Draw on Reserves

"In order to effectively meet the situation the directors recommend drawing on the large reserves of the bank for an amount of \$1,250,000 and suggest further the creation of a contingent fund of \$1,000,000. The bank will then have a reserve of \$2,750,000, a contingent fund of \$1,000,000, and a paid-up capital of \$4,000,000.

As regards the dividend policy, the board suggests that future distributions should be on the more conservative basis of 12 per cent. and that any additional distribution should take the form of bonuses from time to time.

"In banking circles this action on the part of the bank, which places it in an absolutely sound position, has been very strongly commended and will tend to inspire confidence in our Canadian banking system."

Inspire Confidence

W. Francis, president of the bank, announces the appointment of N. L. McLeod to the position of general manager of the bank, succeeding C. H. Eason, chief executive, who had requested permission to retire. Announcement is also made that Norman C. Stephens and G. N. Brown have been appointed assistant general managers.

The new general manager has been in the service of the Standard Bank for many years, during which time he has occupied several positions of importance, including that of western superintendent and latterly as an executive officer at the head office.

Mr. Stephens has had a long career with the bank. Mr. Brown has been in the employ of the bank for fifteen years.

There is a movement on foot among the towns and villages of Western Ontario to induce early shopping on Saturday night.

ARKONA

D Co's Lambton Regiment under command of Major W. A. Williams went into nine days training on Monday at Rock Glen. The company being about forty strong represented by men from Watford, Forest, Thedford and Arkona. Training was begun in real earnest on Tuesday morning. Capt. W. P. Boles, M.O., of the Lambton Regt., claims they are the most active group of young men to be found for militia training.

Rock Glen being a suitable camp affords great pleasure for the men when off duty. Bathing, boating and fishing passes the time quickly.

Lt. Col. C. S. Woodrow of Sarnia O.C., Lambton Regt. is expected to visit the camp and inspect it.

Mr. Otto Schmidt and family are taking a motor trip through the Niagara district. They have a complete camping outfit and are tenting by the wayside.

Mr. W. H. Sitlington is taking Mr. Schmidt's place in the hardware store.

Miss Sarah McKay is spending her holidays in Sarnia and vicinity.

Mr. Geo. Fuller, who has been in Pittsburg, Penn., the past year, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fuller this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Boles have returned from an extended motor trip through eastern Ontario, visiting Ottawa, Toronto and Muskoka.

We have what you need for the picnic basket, Fuller Bros.

Rev. and Mrs. Andrew Barnes of Toronto are in town. Mr. Barnes preached in the Baptist church both morning and evening last Sunday.

The "Canadian Girls in Training" of the Methodist church have returned after camping a week at Hillsboro.

A new oil well is being opened at Rock Glen. Drilling is going on continually, as there is both a night and day shift at work.

New fall line of Women's Classic shoes just opened at Fuller Bros.

The Arkona Band in conjunction with the soldiers who will be in camp at Rock Glen, are holding a big day on Civic holiday, Wednesday, Aug. 22nd. The morning and afternoon will be devoted to baseball and sports. In the evening a concert will be the attraction.

Internal parasites in the shape of worms in the stomach and bowels of children sap their vitality and retard physical development. They keep the child in a constant state of unrest and if not attended to, endanger life. The child can be spared much suffering and the mother much anxiety by using a reliable worm remedy, such as Miller's Worm Powders, which are sure death to worms.

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Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

PLYMPTON
 Mr. Arch. Williamson has purchased a new Ford sedan.
 Misses Mary and Ella Grieve have returned from visiting relatives in London.
 Miss Eliza Minielly, Watford, spent the weekend with her nephew, A. G. Minielly.
 Mrs. J. M. McCormick and son Duncan have returned from visiting in London.
 Miss Agnes MacDougall has returned from London where she has been visiting friends.
 Rev. W. G. Richardson, Deseronto, preached at South Plympton on Sunday. The congregation always welcome their former pastor back.
 The Kertch girls went to Cam-lachie last Friday night and played a friendly game with "The Blue Bonnets." The final score was 20-14 in favor of Camlachie. After the game all went to Bonnie Doon where they enjoyed a weiner roast and played games in the sand.

VISITED WAR STREWN AREA
 J. M. Denholm, of the Blenheim News-Tribune, who is on a tour of the continent says in a letter to his paper: One can travel for, I suppose a hundred miles (I don't know how many more) and never be out of sight of the land of devastation. Practically every town, village and city in fifty miles or so we traversed on Sunday, part on each side of Arras, had been wiped right off the map except as piles of ruins. Everywhere we could see gaping holes left in the old walls not yet rebuilt, giving a little conception of what shell-fire must have meant. The French and Belgians have been a very busy and hard-working people since the close of hostilities, however, and now one may pass through hundreds of towns, from small villages to large cities where every building in the place is either built all new or rebuilt from bricks and stones picked up in ruins. But it is not alone in the ruins and rebuilt buildings that the hand of the devastator is seen. There are other things too numerous to be mentioned. For instance, the French were very proud of the large forest areas, and miles upon miles of avenues of tall and handsome trees were systematically laid out not only in the cities but on the country roads as well. Now one may go on and on and find nothing left but black bare limbs where there are trees left, shot to death with shell fire, nevermore to bear a leaf.

SOLILOQUIES OF THE PRINTERS DEVIL
 I picked a galley here the other day,
 Before the bloomin' thing went to press.
 I picked the measly thing up right away,
 And put it back together just by guess.
 The make-up man he chucked it in the form;
 The thing went through. Oh! golly, what a storm!
 "John Smith will sell at 20 Prospect street
 At the bride's home on Wednesday at high noon,
 An old daughter, beautiful and sweet
 With spotted feet, and coming two next June."
 So help me, that's the way the darn thing read,
 I saw it, and I nearly fell down dead.
 That ain't the worst. The thing went on to say:
 "Mike Dolan died last night at half-past eight;
 No fire insurance carried, so they say;
 Loss total, but the value was not great."
 You'd ought to hear the widow tear and rave—
 It makes me sick the way some skirts behave!
 "A son was born to Dr. Richard Voss
 A glossy black, and weight four thousand flat;
 His mother was by Danby, out of Rose—
 With gloves to match, and wore a picture hat."
 The foreman threw three fits and clawed the air;
 For once he was so mad he couldn't swear.
 "The Park House burned to ashes Tuesday night,
 The cause, they say, was softening of the brain;
 The noble firemen made a gallant fight
 In satin duchess, made with fishtail train."
 Ain't that the everlasting limit? Gee!
 The way the whole darn bunch jumped on to me!
 The boss he had me on the carpet too.
 Goah! He can dress a feller to the ground!
 I sneaked his office feelin' mighty blue,
 When all at once I heard a funny sound.
 The boss was all alone—I'd give my hat
 To know just what that guy was laughing at!

INWOOD
 Miss H. Thompson has gone to Detroit.
 Mr. Joe McClurg spent Monday in Alvinston.
 Mrs. Ben Neal returned last Friday from West Lorne.
 Mr. E. Dudley is spending a few days with his parents.
 Mr. F. W. Winnett of Oil Springs was in Inwood Saturday.
 Mrs. Geo. Silk, Sarnia, called on friends in Inwood Thursday.
 A large number from here attended the Ford and Shetland picnics.
 Miss B. McAuslan is spending her vacation at her home at Sunnyside.
 Mr. and Mrs. White and Mrs. Drysdale and family are visiting at Neala.
 Little Barbara Johnston is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. J. W. Johnston.
 Mrs. McGregor of the 10th line was the guest of Mrs. Gower last Thursday.
 Miss M. Tait, Toronto, is visiting at the home of her grandfather, Mr. J. Tait.
 Mrs. Cathers returned home Saturday after spending a week at Springfield.
 Miss L. Shibley, Toronto, visited her sister Mrs. M. S. Crawford last week.
 Mrs. Chas. York and Mr. and Mrs. R. York, Petrolia, are visiting at Mr. John Barrett's.
 Mrs. Bobbin and children of Newbury are visiting Mrs. Dobbin's sister, Mrs. McCabe.
 Mr. Robt. Dudley has returned home after spending a week at Bright's Grove.
 Mr. John Hill of Detroit spent the week end with his father Mr. J. Hill who is seriously ill.
 Mr. and Mrs. C. Atkin spent the weekend at Bright's Grove, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. White.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. Munro and Mrs. E. Bannister were visitors at Watford on Saturday.
 Miss Gertrude MacVicar visited her friend Miss Lenore McCoubrey, Sunnyside, last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. A. White and Mr. and Mrs. W. Chapman are spending a week at Bright's Grove.
 Miss Blossom Johnston spent last week at Bridgen with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Vosburg.
 Mr. and Mrs. Earl Knight and family of Dunnville spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Duquette.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dixon and children of Chicago are visiting Mrs. Dixon's brother, Mr. E. Flannery.
 The re-union of the Neal family was held at Woodgreen near Glencoe last Sunday. Thirty-eight were present.
 Quite a number from here attended the sacred concert given by the Forest band at Crinnian's Grove on Sunday.
 The Misses Margaret and Annie Armstrong have returned home from Detroit where they spent the past few months.

KERWOOD
 Miss Jessie Gordon of Petrolia is visiting her friend Miss Gladys Johnson.
 Mr. and Mrs. Brockband of Strathroy spent Sunday with Miss Carmody.
 Miss Muriel Richards, Melbourne, is spending a few days with her cousin Miss Hazel Patterson.
 Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Waite, Mrs. Wilson and daughter, Elsie, of Detroit, visited at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Seymour Langford recently.
 The W. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. W. Thompson Aug. 9th, with the president in the chair and seventeen in attendance. Mrs. W. Brigham read the scripture lesson. The heralds of India and China responded with short readings. Mrs. W. Thompson gave a selection on the victrola which was very much enjoyed. Mrs. George Johnson gave an instructive paper out of the study book, Mrs. J. A. Edgar, a reading on "Woman's part in the Liquor fight", and Mrs. J. W. Johnson read a letter from a missionary in Japan. Mrs. Wilson of London read a letter from her daughter in China, she also gave an interesting talk on china and exhibited several beautiful pieces of fancy work, fancy purses, bookmarks and hand-painted china from that foreign field. The next meeting is expected to be held at the home of Mrs. J. J. Earley, Sept. 13. All are cordially invited to attend.

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Dishes for Threshing see the special prices—w lines. A few dinner sets — P. Dodds.

Grocer—"Did that w sold you do for the wh Customer—"Very nearly is still calling.

Do you know that w to be more up-to-date those old posters about pulled down?

Don't forget to be a odies church next Sund at 2:30 and hear Mr Jones of Wyoming.

Some cracks that ha the Main street paveme this week with tarvis their spreading.

When a widower m iner for a dressmaker h figuring on getting back his first wife spent.

Service will be held in School room on 1 Aug. 26th, morning an at Knox church in the s

Mr. J. H. Mahon, lat the Watford public sch engaged by the Port S board as head of the p that place.

Around the circle—r per, paper makes m makes banks, banks loans make poverty makes rags.

The rain showers of Tuesday were very ve householders who we water but were a little of much benefit to the

Sir William R. Me Justice of Ontario, of Scarborough Beach, Mai was holidaying, died Victoria Hospital, Mon day in his 84th year.

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The members of of way of the C.N.R families picnicked Park on Saturday. T what marred by ra less a very enjoyabl About 2000 were from Watford retu p.m. train well pleas outing.

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