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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

School's reopen Jan. 3rd.
If you have a bill at Swift's, pay it Saturday.

All holiday goods clearing this week.—A. Brown & Co.
Next Monday is a holiday so you will have lots of time to vote.

A Happy and Prosperous New Year to all is the wish of the Guide-Advocate.

Just a short time and we will be writing 1922 by mistake and scratching it out to write 1923.

Girls' Coats, ages 8 to 14, sale price \$7.50.—Swifts. Fine heavy garments.

Mr. Frank Brock, at one time a resident of Watford, died at his home in Carstairs, Alberta, on Dec. 1st, aged 69 years. Interment at Carstairs.

We understand that a provision in the Ontario Statutes prohibits ratepayers from the use of their municipal franchise if their taxes for that year are not paid.

A very quiet wedding took place at the Brooke Methodist Parsonage on Wednesday when Mr. John Creasey of Goderich and Miss Effie Robbins of St. Marys were joined together by Rev. T. A. Steadman.

Rudolph Valentine, the star of "The Sheik" and most talked of actor of our day will be presented with Gloria Swanson in "Beyond the Rocks" at the Lyceum Thursday Dec. 4.

The Guide-Advocate begs to acknowledge with appreciation the number of Christmas greetings sent by friends and old subscribers from far and near and extends to them all the same kind wishes.

The Women's Institute have sent another large bale of clothing to the Northern fire sufferers consisting of 10 good quilts, sweaters and coats for men and women and many other things too numerous to mention.

The roads through the country have been exceptionally good during the past week, making it convenient for farmers to keep their automobiles in service much longer this year.

Smart Overcoats at sale prices.—Swifts.

Mr. H. Y. Williams, who has been studying radio for some time, placed a radio set in his home last week and has been in touch with distant places. He hopes to have it perfected soon and would be pleased to receive orders for Radio outfits.

Elinor Glynn's gorgeous drama of Paris nights and Alpine crags "Beyond the Rocks" is one of the biggest pictures of the season. Do not miss it at the Lyceum Thursday, Jan. 4th. The cast includes Rudolph Valentine and Gloria Swanson.

The Presbyterian S.S. entertainment on Thursday and the Methodist on Friday evening filled a longed for feeling in the hearts of the little ones who acquitted themselves well in interesting programs and were duly remembered by Santa Claus.

A little son of James Brush came very near to meeting with a fatal accident on Saturday afternoon when he ran in front of an auto on Main street. Fortunately the car was moving slowly and it is hoped that no bad effects will result from the accident.

We thank our friends and customers for a splendid Christmas trade.—Swift, Sons & Co.

Saturday was one of the busiest days Watford has seen for some years. The streets were crowded with cars to such an extent that it was difficult to drive through. Our merchants did the biggest Christmas trade during the week ever recorded. Watford beats all the small towns for business.

The regular meeting of the W. I. will be held at the home of Mrs. J. McKercher, Wednesday evening, Jan. 3rd. This will be one week sooner than this month. The roll call will be responded to by "The funniest scrape in which I ever saw anyone." Members please notice the change of date.—Sec.

Now is your time to buy that overcoat at Swift's.

The closing exercises were fittingly observed in the Public School on Friday afternoon, Dec. 22nd. A program of readings, recitations, dialogues and speeches took place in the different rooms. The pupils had a treat of candy and lunch. Rev. Mr. Hosford, Rev. Mr. Workman and Mrs. T. G. Mitchell assisted in the exercises.

Men's heavy wool work socks. Atlanta Brand, four pair for \$2.00.—Swifts.

The picture show will be held next week on Thursday evening.

Year end sales.—A. Brown & Co. Large cotton Blankets 66x78, white and grey \$2.40.—Swifts.

For the convenience of those wishing oysters and brick ice cream for News Year's supper, our store will be open from 4.30 till 5.45 New Year's afternoon. Order early.—F. H. Lovell.

In the Cong'l church on Sunday the pastor will preach at 11 a.m. and his father, Rev. W. Rayner of the Cong'l church, Listowel, will preach at 7 p.m. A hearty welcome to each of these services.

A Watchnight service will be held in the Cong'l church on Sunday night, commencing at 11 p.m. under the auspices of the Y.P.S.C.E. The pastor, Rev. T. D. Rayner will preach. Everybody is welcome. Come and watch the old year out and the new year in in the House of God.

You can buy ladies coats at Swift's Cheap January Sale.

Jessie Graham, beloved wife of Mr. M. C. Willetts, died at her home in Monroe, Mich., on Tuesday, Dec. 19th. The remains were brought here to the home of her sister, Mrs. John Jackson, Huron street, and the funeral was held on Saturday afternoon at St. James' church cemetery, Brooke, the Rev. J. H. Hosford conducting the service.

Much sympathy is felt for Mr. and Mrs. Nelson (nee Leona Harper) in the loss of their nineteen months' old baby, who was taken to its eternal home on Saturday after three days' illness. The remains were brought here Sunday and the funeral held Tuesday from the home of the grandfather, W. H. Harper, to Bethel cemetery, Rev. W. K. Hager officiating. The pallbearers were Maxine Rogers, Marjory Prentiss, Florence and Olive Lovell.

A pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mrs. Rapson, Tuesday, when the young people of the Methodist church assembled to bid farewell to one of their number, Mr. Gordon Miller of the Bank of Montreal, who is being transferred to Meaford. After an hour or so of social chat and games, Gordon was called forward and Miss Florence Lovell read the address, and Wm. Fitzgerald made the presentation of a fountain pen. Gordon was taken by surprise but made a fitting reply. After the presentation the young people spent the rest of the evening in an enjoyable manner and departed for their homes, bidding Gordon farewell and God speed. Gordon left Wednesday morning on the early train.

Six dozen of Fit-U fur band caps at \$1.25 each.—Swifts.

The members of the Women's Institute met at the Public Library on Wednesday, Dec. 22nd, and packed eleven baskets and boxes of Christmas cheer to be distributed in town. These contained home made baking, jam, jelly, oranges, candy, warm clothing etc. The Institute is particularly grateful to those outside the society who helped generously with money and gifts for the boxes. A large bale was also sent to Northern Ontario in time for Christmas distribution containing a dozen quilts and quantities of underclothing etc., practically all new. These were gifts from Institute members and friends in town. The Watford Institute is ardently in sympathy with the movement to build a suitable memorial for "Our Boys" who gave their lives in the Great War. Four years ago they laid aside \$50 toward this cause, the proceeds of a dinner given in the Armory. This money has never been touched and will be a good beginning for their contribution toward the Memorial.

In the Watford churches on Sunday the services were marked by special Christmas sermons and special music and attended by large congregations. This applied to churches of all denomination. Perhaps not for many years were the services so featured by the singing of hymns and anthems and after the usual services in the Cong'l church the beautiful cantata "Around the Manger" was excellently rendered, the church being filled to capacity. At evening in Trinity church the rector preached one of the most impressive sermons ever heard in the building from part of verse 12 of Rev. 19, "And on his head were many crowns" and the choir rendered Simpers' beautiful anthem "Hosannah" in an exceedingly fine manner, Mrs. (Dr.) Howden and Mr. W. G. Connolly taking the solos in good voices. Christmas Day was ushered in with Holy Communion at 8.30 and 10.30 a.m. with a large turnout.

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Mitchell spent Christmas at Strathroy.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Callahan and son spent Christmas at Aylmer.

Mr. Wesley Shepherd, of Embro, spent the holiday at his home here.

Mr. Frank K. Matthews, Toronto, spent Christmas here with his mother.

Mr. S. Jackson, Detroit, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. R. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tye, London, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Tye.

Mr. Jos. Fulcher and children spent Christmas with relatives in Maudamin.

Mrs. W. J. Thompson is spending the holidays with relatives in Galt and Preston.

Mrs. McLean, Sarnia, is spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Neil Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Kelly, Sarnia, spent Christmas with their daughter Mrs. J. W. McLaren.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Tisdale, Brantford, were guests at T. Harris' this week.

Mr. D. Minns is spending the Christmas vacation at his home in Bracebridge.

Mr. Percy Restorick, Toronto, visited his grandfather Mr. Frank Restorick here this week.

Mrs. I. Sanders, London, visited her brother, Mr. B. H. Parker Erie street, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Aylesworth spent Christmas with Mrs. Aylesworth's parents, Petrolia.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Harper, White Bear, Sask., are spending the winter at his father's, Mr. S. J. Harper.

H. Macnally, W. H. Macnally, wife and baby, of Wallaceburg, spent the holidays at the home of the former.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Cook and family, Toronto, spent Christmas at Mrs. Cook's old home, W. McLeay's.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Howden, Kitchener, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Howden Christmas.

Mrs. Morgan left on Friday for Sarnia where she will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Goodburn.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Brown, Ottawa and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Caldwell, Morrisburg, spent Christmas at the parental home.

Major F. A. Taylor, D.S.O., and Mr. Bert Taylor of Guelph spent Christmas with their parents here, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Taylor.

Miss Lily Grist, recently arrived from Dublin, Ireland, is visiting her cousin, Rev. T. D. Rayner at the Congregational Manse.

Rev. and Mrs. W. Rayner of Listowel are spending the holidays with their son, Rev. T. D. Rayner, Congregational Manse.

Mrs. Lillian Colburn, Misses Florence and Marguerite Cooke, and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Ott of Detroit, spent Christmas at their parents' home.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Kingston Sarnia, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Campbell, Brantford, will be visitors at the home of Paul Kingston, Wall street on New Year's day.

Mr. G. A. Miller, who has been on the staff of the Bank of Montreal here for some time has been promoted to Meaford and left for that town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Carline and daughter Audrey, of Toronto, Douglas Weight, Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Smith, Royal Oak, Mich., are spending Christmas and New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Weight.

Home For Christmas
The Misses Tanner, St. Thomas.
Miss Jean Fitzgerald, Toronto.
Miss Gladys Shrapnell, Ingersoll.
Miss Isabel Harris, Welland.
Mr. O. Jacklin, Windsor.
Miss Nellie Kinnell, London.
Miss Marjory Swift, Toronto.
Miss N. Davidson, Mt. Brydges.
Miss M. Moir,
Misses Lizzie and Jean McKercher, Windsor.

Miss Jessie McKercher, Hamilton.
Miss Meryl Logan, St. Catharines.
Miss Celestine McManus, St. Catharines.
Miss Stella McManus, Owen Sound.
Miss Alice Mains, London.
Miss Stella Williamson, Lobo.
Mr. Thos. Logan, Sarnia.
Miss Clara Carroll, Amherstburg.
Miss Helen Hamilton, London.
Miss Sadie Howden, London.

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On January 12th, 1923, the Guide-Advocate purposes issuing several thousand extra copies which will be distributed throughout East Lambton addressed to almost every box holder in the district. This will be an excellent opportunity to business men to place their announcements before the public. Advertisers wishing space in this large issue should phone the Guide-Advocate as early as possible.

IN THE FIELD

REEVE
W. G. Connolly, gentleman
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John McGillicuddy, veterinary
Asa Rumford, merchant
W. G. Siddall, medical doctor
Geo. O. Stephenson, contractor
T. B. Taylor, druggist

CREASEY-ROBINS

A quiet wedding took place at the personage, Watford, on Wednesday when the Rev. T. A. Steadman united in matrimony Miss Effie Robins, eldest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Robins, of East Nissouri, and John Creasey, youngest son of Geo. Creasey, Sr., of Brooke Township. They were unattended. The bride wore her travelling suit of navy blue tricotine with hat to match. After the ceremony the happy couple left on the afternoon train for Windsor and other points west. Mr. Creasey is a returned soldier, having served with the First Battalion, where he was seriously wounded while in service in France.

WARWICK

L. M. Hall of Flint, Mich., spent Christmas with his parents Mr. and Mrs. John Hall, 21 sideroad.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Thompson and son motored to Corunna on Christmas day and had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wellington.

Master Homer Harper, of Flint, Mich., visited his cousin Harold Campbell during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tanton and children have returned to their home 2nd line north, after spending Christmas with friends in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Richardson of the 2nd line N.E.R. visited their daughter, Mrs. Jas. Brush, of Watford over the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Lithgow of Theford spent Christmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mac Luckham 4th line N.E.R.

The Christmas tree and entertainment of the Zion Methodist Sunday School, Second line, was held Thursday evening and was an unqualified success. The church was crowded, and E. Collier proved himself a most genial chairman. A splendid program of choruses, recitation, drills and dialogues was creditably given under the capable direction of Miss Florence Edwards, who had proven a most efficient trainer of the young people. At the close of the program Santa Claus made his appearance, and distributed the numerous presents from the tree.

The tax collector of Burford township was held up at his home Friday night and forced at the point of revolvers to hand over \$2,000, his collection of the previous day.

CARD OF THANKS—The family of the late Mrs. Margaret Smith wish to thank all the friends and neighbors for their kindness in their sad bereavement.

WATFORD HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING
The Annual meeting will be held on Wednesday, Jan. 10th, at 7.30 p.m., 1923, in the basement of the Library. A report of proceedings for the previous year will be given and officers for the ensuing year elected.
M. Cameron, Secretary.

FIRST O. H. A. FIXTURE

GOES TO GLENCOE 3-1
Dead Ice Slows up Game and Visitors Pick off Winning Goals Early

Watford Hockey Club held a "try out night" on Wednesday when they met the old favorites of last year, Glencoe, in the first game of the O.H.A. schedule. Fans had their first opportunity of looking over the Redmen of 1923. A general shaking up has occurred this year owing to removals, but "among those present" we find the old reliables, "Dunc" Trenouth on defense, Greer on left wing, Bruce on centre and "Soup" Irving, general utility man and sub-general. New faces show up in the limelight as those of "Nig" Roche, who is relieving "Tiny" Rogers in goal and showed up remarkably well in his debut Wednesday night; Doolittle, who dispenses learning in a neighboring rural schoolhouse, chums with Trenouth on defence; McKinnon makes a good right wing, and Stan Trenouth is one of the youngsters who are our coming players.

The ice was not in the best of shape and this slowed up the game considerably and made fast hockey impossible.

Glencoe carried their usual good luck with them and succeeded in getting a lead of two goals in the first period while the locals blanked.

The second period was much better and each team seemed to instill a little more pep into it, and each picked out a tally, making the score 3-1, which proved final in the third, as neither team nicked. The last two periods were undoubtedly the ones to size up the local in, and club officials and fans in general were fairly satisfied with the ability displayed by the various players.

Losing the first game by a narrow margin on bad ice is not in the least discouraging, as Glencoe is admitted by all the other teams in the group to hold most chances for district honors, and after sizing up the favorites as they did last night, hopes are high for a good win from Sarnia here on January 12th.

Watford plays the return game in Glencoe next Friday, Jan. 5th, and Strathroy plays here on Tuesday, Jan. 9th.

"AROUND THE MANGER"

Christmas Cantata at Cong'l Church

A rare musical treat was provided for the people of Watford on Sunday evening, when, following the regular church services, the choir of the Cong'l church, augmented for the occasion, gave a very fine rendering of the Christmas Cantata, "Around the Manger" by E. S. Lorenz. The church was crowded, with chairs down the aisles, and that the large congregation enjoyed the musical treat to the full was evinced by the rapt attention displayed throughout the cantata and the many expressions of gratification given at the close. The choir of twenty-two voices was trained by the pastor, and every number was very well rendered. Special features of the cantata were: the ladies' double quartet, "Lord, Abide with us," sweetly rendered by Mrs. J. Brush, Miss Beatrice Macnally, Miss Elsie Brown and Mrs. Hattie Brown, sopranos; Mrs. T. D. Rayner, Miss Lily Grestot, Miss Ida Richardson and Miss E. Craig, altos; also the male duet and the male quartettes, "Wondrous Night" and "To Thee—O Blessed King," given by Rev. T. D. Rayner, A. Rumford, S. Welch and W. G. Connolly. Miss Estelle Craig at the piano proved a most efficient accompanist, and the readings were well given by Russell Duncan.

The following formed the chorus choir: sopranos, Mrs. J. Brush, Mrs. Hattie Brown, Mrs. R. Duncan, and the Misses Elsie Brown, Maude Marwick, Beatrice Macnally, Alma Morris, Dora Richardson, Mildred Duncan, Daisy Macnally, Hilda Morris and Gladys Lamb. Altos: Mrs. T. D. Rayner and the Misses Lily Grestot, Ida Richardson and Jean McCormick. Tenors and basses: Rev. T. D. Rayner, A. Rumford, Dr. Geo. Hicks, S. Welch, W. G. Connolly, and R. Duncan.

SCHOOL REPORT

Honor roll for S.S. No. 5, Brooke for December. Names in order of merit. IV Jr.—Bert Oakes, Donald Kerr, Aileen Sutton. III—Grant Smith, Lyman Woods, Alice Coristine. II—Verna Watson, Ross Chambers, Verna McVicar, Gordon Lucas, (absent). I—Donald McVicar, Doris Sutton, Francis Wuyill, Willie Wuyill.—M. Lucas, Teacher.

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"In Flanders' Fields the poppies grow
Between the crosses, row on row"

And on some of the crosses are the names of Watford boys who died that Canada might be free. And their last thoughts and prayers as they went to their death were of Watford and the loved ones at home. Can Watford ever forget them? Dare we forget our gallant boys whose death assured us liberty? Then why are we so tardy about erecting a Soldiers' Memorial? Surely not because we are unmindful of the greatness of their sacrifice or ungrateful concerning it, but rather because we have been thoughtless. However now that we have the opportunity to show our gratitude we will surely vote for the Soldiers' Memorial. We must! Do you not realize that if Watford fails to carry this question by an overwhelming affirmative vote we must forever hang our heads in shame among our fellows, branded as ingrates. But the citizens of Watford will prove to the world next Monday that their liberty is more dear to them than their money. Remember that on a total assessment of over \$400,000 the cost to each individual taxpayer will be but a trifle. If the whole \$2000 is raised at once it will mean less than \$5 on a \$1000 assessment.

Remember also that our soldier heroes saved you far more than that each year on your tax-bills. If Germany had won we would have been paying exorbitant taxes to Germany for each of the past four years as well as for many years to come. This is fact not fiction, for from the commencement of the war Germany marked Canada as hers, while during the war the German school children were taught that Canada was the new German colony. If Germany had won, ten times an additional \$5 would not have paid our taxes. And to save us from this, homes in Watford were made desolate, Watford children were left fatherless, Watford wives were made widows, and Watford parents were bereaved of their sons. These boys died for us, shall we not cast a vote to their memory? Shall we not erect a Soldiers' Memorial in their honor? We cannot refuse them a memorial unless we forget our self-respect. But Watford will do her duty, yea, she will count it a privilege to carry this matter through. Let each one fall in line and give a unanimous affirmative vote.

Asthma Victims.—The man or woman subject to asthma is indeed a victim. What can be more terrifying than to suddenly be seized with paroxysms of choking which seem to fairly threaten the existence of life itself. From such a condition Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has brought many to completely restored health and happiness. It is known and prized in every section of this broad land.

NOTE AND COMMENT

The Acton Free Press says:—"This getting the municipal elections over before Christmas is a fine idea."

The bill to remove the embargo on Canadian cattle, having passed the House of Lords, received royal assent Friday.

"East is East and West is West." But in Ireland it's North is North and South is South. And the twain do not seem to be meeting any better in the latter case.

Except in the case of a few commodities sold locally, farmers place their products in the hands of others to do with as they will. This system of marketing is not conducive to the greatest degree of stability in the trade, nor is it, in the long run, the best method of building up an expert demand for what the producer has to sell.—Farmers' Advocate.

The Chatham News says: "Kent county authorities have offered a reward of two hundred dollars for information which will lead to the arrest of C. L. Johnson of Wallaceburg, alleged to be implicated in recent Wallaceburg burglaries. Police of Ontario and the States have been instructed to arrest him, if located, together with a woman, Mrs. Florence Goodchild, who police think is with Johnson."

Peterborough Examiner:—"To the people of the Northland it must be humiliating to watch the game of shuttlecock that is being played by the Government and the municipalities. They are proud folk, most of those brave souls who are trying to re-establish their homes in the fire areas. Only grim necessity would force them to accept what they feel is charity, and how galling it must be for them to know that the older part of the Province is trying to shirk its plain duty."

The postal conference between Canadian and United States postal authorities, having for its object the betterment of the postal service between the two countries, has been a great success and as a result a more official interchange between the two countries is looked for. The Postmaster-General, Hon. Chas. Murphy, announced during the conference that Canada this year would have a surplus of a million dollars from her Post Office Department, as against a deficit last year of \$1,500,000.

The prize of \$100,000 offered by Lord Atholstan, of Montreal, to the graduate or student of any recognized university who, within five years, is the first to discover a medical treatment for the effective cure of cancer, has led to 2,715 competitors filing claims already. Lord Atholstan has offered another \$100,000 for cancer research. The competition is left to the decision of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons, England, which has formulated certain conditions which applicants must comply with.

The Presbyterian Advance tells of a Presbyterian who protested against paying any honor to Saint Patrick on the ground that he was a Catholic. His "narrowness" was ruthlessly scored in the public print by one who claimed him as "a Catholic Saint." And now comes another statement that he was a pure Protestant. The truth, as the United Presbyterian says is that the noble old Christian lived and labored a thousand years before the division of the Church into Catholic and Protestant, and so can be claimed by both sides as truly as could Paul, Peter or Timothy.

J. J. Morrison was re-elected by acclamation to the office of secretary of the United Farmers of Ontario by the annual U.F.O. convention Thursday morning. The assembled delegates tendered Mr. Morrison a great ovation when the news was announced. Secretary Morrison expressed his gratitude for the confidence placed in him. He had, he declared, tried to do his duty and, if one thing more than another it was to make the farmers take their problems and to develop an active class consciousness. He desired to see the organization go on fearlessly as it had done in the past.

County Councils throughout Ontario are protesting rather strenuously against rules 22, 23 and 24 of the regulations recently promulgated at Toronto with respect to goals and goal officials. Hereafter goalers are to be appointed nominally by the Sheriffs, but actually by the Government, while their salaries are to be paid altogether by the counties instead of by the Province and counties jointly. Another annoying regulation requires the dismissal of the goaler at the age of 70 without any superannuation except the County

Council of the moment pleases to grant.

Brockville Recorder-Times:—"Is it not time we sobered down? Is it not time this mad rush should cease? Life can be lived and enjoyed without this ruthless tramping out of the lives of others. No law, no legislation can reorganize society, nor banish from our midst the selfish onrush for the fulfillment of our own desires. The cleansing must come from within, and not from one but from many, if not from all. Slow up! We are going too fast; we are skidding down the hill. At the same time there is manifest need for stricter enforcement of the laws for the safety and protection of life, and if other laws be enacted then let them be enforced with Spartan rigidity."

A warning to Canadians to keep away from wildcat schemes is contained in a letter received from Stuart Dobinson, formerly of London but now of Houston, Texas. He says he gets a number of letters from Western Ontario friends regarding oil stocks, and his advice is not to invest a cent in them. "I heard a fake oil salesman say that his friend was cleaning up on those easy marks in Canada," writes Mr. Dobinson, "and that got me going right. My advice to Canadians is to keep their money home. Houston is a rich community and they have all the money here that is needed to invest in any real proposition." Mr. Dobinson enclosed several newspaper clippings from the Houston press, which state that the sale of fake oil stocks in Texas has been effectively stopped, thanks to an effective campaign carried on by the Associated Advertising Club of Texas. The stock salesmen have now turned their attention to the selling of oil leases on land that hasn't got a paying well within miles according to the newspapers, and readers are advised to keep their money in the bank, rather than invest it in leases.

SAVE \$8 TO \$20 PER YEAR

Many a man has saved ten times the price of his subscription to The Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal by using advice or recipes given through its columns. If one buys the paper for its stories only, he saves from eight to twenty dollars a year, which the serials and other tales would cost him if bought in book form. As an investment, nothing which yields a better revenue is on the market. The huge subscription list, by far the largest in Canada, with names on it which have been there for fifteen, twenty, thirty, forty, even fifty years, is one proof of that. Family Herald readers comprise the brightest, most successful and best of the Dominion. The Family Herald is offering a choice of five useful and valuable books, cost free, with every new subscription received before January 1, 1923. A sample copy and details of the Book Offer can be obtained upon application to the publishers, Family Herald and Weekly Star, Montreal.

QUESTIONS and Bible Answers

If Parents will encourage children to look up and memorize the Bible answers, it will prove precious heritage to them in later years.

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How can we insure ourselves against want? —Psalm 34:8-10

What should a man do who desires life and many days? —34:12-14

What are some of the privileges of the righteous? —Psalm 34:15-22

To what can we compare the faithfulness and righteousness of God? —Psalm 36:5, 6

Where do we find the fountain of life? —Psalm 36: 7-9

What does a patient trust and delight in God bring? —Psalm 37:3-5

Why is a little that a righteous man hath, better than the riches of many wicked? —Psalm 37: 32-37

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IN THE NEWS

WATFORD

Good Turnout of R of Cand

Keen interest was nomination of mun Watford for the em took place in the M day evening. Town ler declared the noi 7.30 and from this hour later the nam dates supposed by th aspiring for municip into his hands in a The hall was comfo all over 30 candidat for different offices. The hour allowed having expired, Mr. nominating officer, w preside at the speaki The following nam in nomination:—

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W. G. Connolly by mick and J. G McInt
Paul Kingston by and J. D. Brown.
Thos. Adams by F. T. J. Callahan.
W. E. Fitzgerald by ford and J. Coupland
For Council
John McIntosh by T and F. B. Doan.
John Doar by T. C B. Doan.
T. J. Callahan by J and Richard Moore.
Fred Restorick by J. and G. R. McCormick.
Robt. Taylor by Jos and J. McIntosh.
Wm. Doan by W. G. C. H. Hollingsworth
H. Hollingsworth by and W. G. Connolly
Philip Fuller by W. and C. H. Hollingsworth
John Hawes by John Paul Kingston.
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Joshua Saunders by nolly and G. H. Holling
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E. D. Swift by R. H. and G. H. Hollingsworth
Frank Lowell by J. G. and Rich. Moore.
G. N. Howden by J. and J. McGillicuddy.
mick and Ray Morningstar
Geo. Stephenson by J. Cormick and G. N. How
Dr. W. G. Siddall by F and T. Collins.
Thos. B. Taylor by W ferald and R. H. Staplefo
Geo. R. Shirley by W ferald and R. H. Staplefo
David A. Maxwell by J. and Jas. Craig.
W. H. Harper by J. R. M and J. McGillicuddy.
Rev. T. D. Rayner by R. ford and W. E. Fitzgerald.
Sanford Stapleford by W ferald and S. J. Harper.
Asa Rumford by R. H. S and J. Saunders
E. A. Brown by J. Mc and W. L. Millar.
Public Utilities
W. L. Millar by J. R. M and Ray Morningstar.
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IN THE MUNICIPAL ELECTION FIELD

WATFORD AND SURROUNDING MUNICIPALITIES

WATFORD NOMINATIONS

Good Turnout of Ratepayers, Plenty of Candidates

Keen interest was shown in the nomination of municipal officers for Watford in the ensuing year, which took place in the Music Hall on Friday evening. Town Clerk W. S. Fuller declared the nomination open at 7.30 and from that time until an hour later the names of the candidates proposed by their friends to be aspiring for municipal honors poured into his hands in a steady stream. The hall was comfortably filled. In all over 30 candidates were named for different offices.

The hour allowed for nominations having expired, Mr. W. S. Fuller, nominating officer, was requested to preside at the speaking session.

The following names were placed in nomination:

For Reeve
W. G. Connolly by J. R. McCormick and J. G. McIntosh.

Paul Kingston by Angus Mitchell and J. D. Brown.

Thos. Adams by F. B. Doan and T. J. Callahan.

W. E. Fitzgerald by R. H. Stapleford and J. Coupland.

For Councillor
John McIntosh by T. J. Callahan and F. B. Doan.

John Doar by T. Collins and F. B. Doan.

T. J. Callahan by J. G. McIntosh and Richard Moore.

Fred Restorick by J. McGillicuddy and J. R. McCormick.

Robt. Taylor by Jos. McCormick and J. McIntosh.

Wm. Doan by W. G. Connolly and G. H. Hollingsworth.

H. Hollingsworth by P. E. Fuller and W. G. Connolly.

Philip Fuller by W. E. Connolly and C. H. Hollingsworth.

John Hawes by John Doar and Paul Kingston.

Russell McCormick by C. H. Hollingsworth and J. Coupland.

Joshua Saunders by W. G. Connolly and G. H. Hollingsworth.

Board of Education
Alex. Elliot by G. N. Howden and J. McKecher.

E. D. Swift by R. H. Stapleford and G. H. Hollingsworth.

Frank Lovell by J. G. McIntosh and Rich. Moore.

G. N. Howden by J. McKecher and J. McGillicuddy.

J. McGillicuddy by J. R. McCormick and Ray Morningstar.

Geo. Stephenson by J. R. McCormick and G. N. Howden.

Dr. W. G. Siddall by F. B. Doan and T. Collins.

Thos. B. Taylor by W. E. Fitzgerald and R. H. Stapleford.

Geo. R. Shirley by W. E. Fitzgerald and R. H. Stapleford.

David A. Maxwell by J. Coupland and Jas. Craig.

W. H. Harper by J. R. McCormick and J. McGillicuddy.

Rev. T. D. Rayner by R. H. Stapleford and W. E. Fitzgerald.

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E. A. Brown by J. McGillicuddy and W. L. Millar.

Public Utilities
W. L. Millar by J. R. McCormick and Ray Morningstar.

There being no other nominations for Hydro and Waterworks Commission Mr. Millar was declared elected by acclamation.

The retiring council was first called upon. Councillor W. G. Connolly said the work had not been very heavy this year although the taxes were unavoidably high. The Council had done their best to keep them down. The assessment had been raised from \$399,804 in 1921 to \$416,576 in 1922 and considerably more money raised this year than last.

The Financial Statement was not especially enlightening to the average ratepayer. The pavement was not costing one cent, as \$700 more had been received from the County Council than was required to pay the debenture.

Paul Kingston thanked his mover and seconder. Everything was now cleaned up from the first start of the waterworks. He explained the work he had done as councillor. The cinders used were got from the G. T. R. through Councillor Doar and were delivered here free of expense and most of the work was gratis work. He had done some scraping and had got value for the money spent. He was in the field for Reeve and if elected would do the best in his power for the benefit of the Village. He would give the best that was in him.

John Doar spoke of the work he had done. Got five loads of cinders from the G. T. R. free of charge and

had purchased 157 yards of gravel at \$1.10 a yard, had repaired sidewalks and built abutments. He was again in the field.

P. E. Fuller said when it came around to him there was no money left. There was much work to be done but little money to do it with. He had spent about \$164 of the ratepayers' money. He was in the field for 1923.

The new nominees were then called upon. W. G. Connolly asked for the support of the ratepayers. He spoke of several rumors that were afloat about him and explained them, also explained about the gravel placed on the fourth line east, and said council of 1921 had paid \$67 for gravel on 4th line west. If elected would endeavor to have County Council grant repeated year by year so that there would be nothing to pay on pavement. The time had come when the Council should go to the Postoffice Department and urge the building of the new postoffice. If ratepayers decided on the War Memorial would proceed to erect the same according to their wishes. If elected would continue to give full attention to the best interests of the town.

T. Adams was not in the field. W. E. Fitzgerald said he was not in the field for Reeve as he had another year to fill on the Board of Education. He had been elected 21 years to public office in Watford. In regard to school matters, he advocated doing away with one teacher in the public school. The Inspector reported that the school could be managed with one teacher less. No reason why rooms could not be combined. He discussed and criticized High School salaries and management.

Principal M. Cameron took exception to the remarks of Mr. Fitzgerald and said some of his statements were absolute falsehoods. He did not make any difference in the punishment of children, no matter to whom they belonged. At this stage the meeting became so noisy, with cheers and hooting, that the chairman had difficulty in restoring order.

John McIntosh was undecided whether he would stand for Councillor or not. John Doar was in the field and if elected would get more cinders free of charge. Thos. Callahan was not in the field. Fred Restorick, Robt. Taylor, Wm. Doan, H. Hollingsworth, John Hawes and J. R. McCormick were not present.

P. E. Fuller said if elected he promised to spend all the money the council would give him. Joshua Saunders said he had served the town for 40 years and would do his duty faithfully if elected.

W. L. Millar, hydro and water commission, gave some interesting facts and statistics about the waterworks. The waterworks were here—lets quit condemning them. Regarding mains on cross streets the matter rests entirely with the people. There were about 35 services. The system would not pay its way until put down cross streets.

The Board of Education nominees were then called upon.

W. H. Harper and Dr. Howden were not present. Dr. Siddall said he had been on the Board for six years and with that experience thought he would be able to give better service for another term. He spoke of the advantages of the High School and said the present high standard should be kept up. He would leave his name before the people.

Dr. McGillicuddy was in favor of keeping the schools up to the standard.

George Shirley was not a candidate. A. D. Elliot, E. D. Swift, F. Lovell, Dr. Howden, G. Stephenson, T. B. Taylor, D. A. Maxwell, and W. H. Harper failed to answer to their names.

Rev. T. D. Rayner had not made up his mind. He was deeply interested in the work of the Board, but remarked that the H. school here cost more per year than in cities. He would calmly consider the matter of candidature.

S. Stapleford, A. Rumford and E. A. Brown were not present.

This completing the list of nominees the chairman called upon Mr. D. Watt, secretary of the Board of Education, to read the usual report of the finances of the Board from which we take the following extracts.

Public School	
Receipts from taxes.....	\$5500.00
Legislature Grant.....	1322.28
	\$6822.28

Paid Teachers salaries.....	\$5450.00
Other expenses.....	946.63
	\$6396.63

High School	
Receipts—bal. from 1921.....	\$5023.36
From Middlesex.....	585.20
Memorial Committee.....	82.42
Interest.....	37.00
Examination fees.....	276.40
Government grant.....	1102.25
Taxes.....	4500.00
	\$11606.63

By paid teachers.....	\$11606.63
Other teachers.....	\$7530.00
Other expenses.....	2591.73
	\$10121.73

Average daily attendance 1922, 104. Increase of attendance 1922 over 1921, 43%. 1922 over 1920, 50%.	
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The meeting adjourned without any formal closing.

TOWNSHIP OF WARWICK

For Reeve
Adam Higgins
Wm. E. Parker

For Councillors
M. D. Campbell
S. B. Chambers
E. A. Edwards
B. F. Muma
H. Mansfield
J. McLellan
Ezra Sessions

TOWNSHIP OF BROOKE

For Reeve
William Annett
Albert Sutton

Deputy Reeve
A. E. Loosemore (by accl.)

Councillors (by accl.)
Robt. McCabe
D. M. Campbell
Jas. H. Johnston

ARKONA

Reeve—F. C. Eastman, Sam Rivers, C. J. Ready.

For Councillors
C. J. Ready, Robt. Fitzsimons, Jno. W. Stevens.

School Trustees—Johnson, Hugh; Chamberlain, M.H.; Lucas, C.W. (accl.)

OTHER NOMINATIONS

Alvinston—For Reeve, Robert Rilett (accl.); Council, John Smith, James Holmes, W. J. Reader, Alex. McLaughlin (accl.); school trustees, R. McDairmid, E. E. Showler, Robert McEachern, M. Burfordwater commissioners, W. J. Reader, Andrew Connor, John Wheeler.

Bothwell—Mayor, Thomas Haler, D. G. Hoover; Reeve, W. E. Beamish (accl.); councillors re-elected by acclamation as follows: John Duncan, W. D. Johnston, H. Richards, W. J. Kingston, C. J. Watson.

Wyoming—For Reeve, A. E. Wark, J. M. Wilson, James Fraser; council, Dan Senical, Thomas McKenna, Geo. Borrowman, Joseph Nickels, H. Lucas, George Brock, Malcolm McLean, Alex. Robertson; school trustees, Robert McKay, George Brown, Art. Britton, Rev. J. C. Robinson.

Enniskillen Township—Reeve, Angus Stonehouse; Joseph Hackett; deputy Reeve, B. J. Warren, Alex. Bygrove, Geo. W. Shortt; councillors, E. B. Metcalf, Milton McVicar, William Bailey, Richard Napper.

Metcalf—Reeve, Cyrus Henry (accl.); council, John Guilfoyle, Geo. Bennett, John Rowe, Christopher Moyle, Joseph Blain, John McNaughton, Chas. Osier, Peter Morrison.

Caradoc—Reeve, A. Collins (accl.) Deputy Reeve, Allan McDougall (accl.); council, D. L. McGugan, A. Cuthbert, D. McCallum.

Adelaide—Reeve, John Sullivan (accl.); council, John McLeish, Ira Bowner, Russell, Parker, John Chambers (accl.)

Plympton—Reeve, Duncan Scott; deputy Reeve, Thomas Burnley; councillors, Ernest Phelps, David Walsh, Arthur Cannan. All re-elected by acclamation.

Bosanquet—The retiring council of Bosanquet Township was re-elected by acclamation as follows: Reeve, Nicholas Sitter; councillors, Chas. Shepherd, R. D. Thomson, Olley Walden and Archibald Donald.

Oil Springs—Reeve, J. Sproule (accl.); councillors, Elwood Mott, Harry Penfound, D. A. Thompson, A. W. Parks, John Sauvey (four to be elected.)

Point Edward—For Reeve, Wm. Derbyshire, Wm. Barrett, James Mara (accl.); J. McCleister, Walter McLeister, Rich. Blackwell sr.; J. Jacks, Percy Bray, Chas. Kensley, Pat Murphy, J. Speedie, C. Menore, and D. Greenwood. School trustees, J. Crowley, William Guttridge, Capt. Foote, M. Kirkland, Walter Finch, D. Burgess.

Blenheim—For Reeve, Archibald Harley, L. E. Peterson, Hugh Cunningham; deputy Reeve, Christian C. Fry, Frederick Stickert, Wm. J. Simpson; for councillors, George Sibleck, James Dance, Solomon Markle (accl.)

Petrolia—For Mayor, E. Preston, Dr. J. A. Drummond; Reeve, James Hamilton, Bert McLeod, George Morris, E. A. Shaughnessy; deputy Reeve, Joseph Landon, J. B. Scott, Walter R. McDonald, E. D. Fletcher, councillors, John Reid, Kenneth Kerr, E. A. Shaughnessy, James Pilley, E. D. Fletcher, James Samson, Frank Church, Robert J. Clarke James Hamilton (six to be elected).

Board of Education—W. B. Smith, Wilfred Kennedy, J. B. Dale, Joseph Steadman, Thos. Truan, Russell Kirkpatrick, Rev. R. C. Pitts, Rev. Wm. Rathby, Hospital Board—Geo. Hay (accl.) Hydro commission—G. G. Cary, F. Stonehouse, Brock, (one to be elected.) Water commission—J. A. Kerr (accl.)

Sarnia—For Mayor, Thomas H. Cook (accl.); hydro commission, Jas. S. Crawford, James E. B. Phelps, Chester H. Belton. Board of Education, Thos. F. Towers, W. T. Goodison, Jack Newton, Lewis H. Richards, Rev. John R. Hall, John B. Williams, Wilfred S. Haney, Richard Brown, James Burkholder, Robert Irvine, Jno. Woolley.

A quiet wedding took place at the Presbyterian Manse, Sarnia, on Dec. 12th, when Ethel Coreen Wight, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wight, London, was married to Albert Warren, of Warwick. The young couple were attended by the bride's sister Mrs. H. Jackson and brother Norman Wight. The bride looked charming in a gown of navy blue duchess satin. She travelled in a seal doberman with hat to match. The bridesmaid wore a brown satin dress with head trimmings. After the ceremony the happy couple proceeded to the home of Mrs. Jackson where a dinner was served. After a visit in the city and eastern points Mr. and Mrs. Warren will reside on the groom's farm 4th line of Warwick.

WARREN—WIGHT

Mrs. Margaret Smith, relict of the late William Smith, passed away at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Edwards, Erie st., Watford, on Tuesday, Dec. 19th, 1922, in her 80th year. Deceased whose maiden name was Margaret Doan was married to the late William Smith in the year 1859. He predeceased her over 35 years ago. Three sons having also predeceased her. She was much beloved by her family and all who were acquainted with her, she led an earnest Christian life, thus making many friends, and was a life-long member of the Methodist church. She is survived by three sons and two daughters, namely, Ben and George of Warwick; Willard of Alvinston, Mrs. W. W. Edwards and Mrs. Geo. E. Potter of Watford. Also 22 grandchildren and eight great grandchildren. The funeral was held on Thursday, the 21st to Warwick Village cemetery where the remains were laid beside those of her husband and was largely attended, the services being conducted by the Rev. W. K. Hager and Rev. T. D. Rayner. The bearers were six of her grandsons, namely: Charles, Eric, Russell and Howard Smith, Clayton Edwards and Franklin Potter.

OBITUARY

MARRIED
At the Presbyterian Parsonage, Sarnia, on Dec. 12th, Ethel Coreen daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wight of London formerly of Thedford, to Mr. Albert Warren of Warwick.

DIED
In Bosanquet, on Friday, Dec. 15th, Jane Davidson, aged 78 years, 11 months, 15 days.

In Forest, on Wednesday, Dec. 13th, Elizabeth Martin, relict of the late Isaac Mercier, in her 77th year.

In Bosanquet, on Sunday Dec. 17th, Mary Olive, daughter of Eldon and Marguerite Laird, aged 2 months and 16 days.

In Plympton, on Sunday, Dec. 10th, Miss Catharine Johnson, aged 52 years.

In Detroit, on Saturday, Dec. 23rd, 1922, Joyce Elizabeth Crone, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nelson (nee Leona Harper), aged 1 year and 7 months.

In Monroe, Mich., on Dec. 19, 1922, Jessie Graham, beloved wife of M. C. Willetts, and younger daughter of the late Francis and Mary Graham, formerly of Belleville, and great granddaughter of Sir John and Lady Oliver, The Manor, Horsney Woods, London, Eng.

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BROOKE COUNCIL
Alvinston, Dec. 15th, 1922
Council met pursuant to adjournment. Members all present. Minutes of former meeting read and on motion of Sutton—Loosemore were adopted.

McLean—Loosemore, that Dan McNeil be paid \$13.00 for one sheep killed by dogs.—Carried.

Mr. L. Lindsay, chairman of the local Board of Health handed in his report of same.

Campbell—Sutton, that report be received and order issued for \$182. in remaneration of members and payment of expenses.—Carried.

Mr. A. E. Sutton, commissioner in charge of construction of the Lett drain reported the work completed. Receipts \$1715.00; payments \$1720.00; Overpaid \$5.00.

McLean—Sutton, that report be adopted.—Carried.

Mr. D. M. Campbell, commissioner reported the repairs to the Gray drain and outlet into the McKinley drain had been completed at a cost of \$356.36.

Campbell—Loosemore, that report be adopted and that \$292.50 be levied and collected pro rata from off lands and roads assessed for construction of the Gray drain under by-law No. 12 of 1906 and \$63.86 be levied and collected pro rata from lands and roads assessed for repairs to McKinley drain under bylaw No. 5 of 1904. The levy to be entered on 1923 Collector's roll for collection.—Carried.

Mr. D. M. Campbell, commissioner in charge of repairs to the Campbell drain reported the work completed. Receipts \$482.00; expenditures \$452.04; balance due the drain \$29.96.

Campbell—McLean, that report be adopted and balance remain to the city and eastern points Mr. and Mrs. Warren will reside on the groom's farm 4th line of Warwick.

Mr. D. M. Campbell, commissioner in charge of repairs to the Campbell drain reported the work completed. Receipts \$482.00; expenditures \$452.04; balance due the drain \$29.96.

Campbell—McLean, that report be adopted and balance remain to the city and eastern points Mr. and Mrs. Warren will reside on the groom's farm 4th line of Warwick.

Mr. D. M. Campbell, commissioner in charge of repairs to the Stewart drain, reported the work completed at a cost of \$294.30; being \$105.40 below the estimated cost made by the engineer.

Campbell—Sutton, that report be adopted and costs be pro rata on assessment as made under by-law No. 25 of 1922 and entered on 1923 Collector's roll for collection, as requested by interested ratepayers.—Carried.

Mr. A. E. Sutton, commissioner in charge of repairs to Lucas Bros. drain, reported the work completed. Receipts \$672.50; Expenditures \$649.50; balance due the drain \$23.00.

Sutton—Campbell, that report be adopted and amount due the drain be returned pro rata on lands assessed.—Carried.

By-law submitted and read to refund the sum of \$23.00 to lands assessed for repairs to Lucas Bros. drain under by-law No. 9 of 1922.

Sutton—McLean, that bylaw be read a third time and finally passed.—Carried.

Mr. A. E. Sutton, commissioner in charge of repairs to 14th con. and Kelly drains reported the work completed. Receipts \$4690.94; Expenditures \$5590.10; overpaid \$899.16.

Sutton—Loosemore, that report be adopted and overpayment be pro rata over lands and roads assessed under by-law No. 3 of 1920 and debentures issued in four equal payments to return to Township the money advanced for the work.—Carried.

Brooke Municipal Telephone System asked that \$500 be advanced for telephone purposes. Granted on motion of Loosemore—Sutton.

Tenders for repairs for No. 6-7 sideroad received from Wm. Neil for \$3485.00; John Barrett \$5000.00.

Sutton—McLean, that tender of Wm. Neil be accepted.—Carried.

Account received from John Cowan K.C. for \$62.50 retaining fee and advising.

Campbell—McLean, that account be paid.—Carried.

McLean—Sutton, that J. Y. McKeown be appointed School Attendance Officer.—Carried.

Loosemore—McLean, that adjourned Court of Revision on assessment in bylaw authorizing repairs to 12-13 sideroad and Morley-Zavitz and 8-9 con. Tile drain be reopened.—Carried.

Sutton—Campbell, that additions and reductions in assessment as made by the Court of Revision be confirmed and Court closed.—Carried.

Reeve thanked the Board for their able, efficient and courteous services during the year.

Sutton—Loosemore, that Council do now adjourn sine die.—Carried.

W. J. Weed, Clerk.

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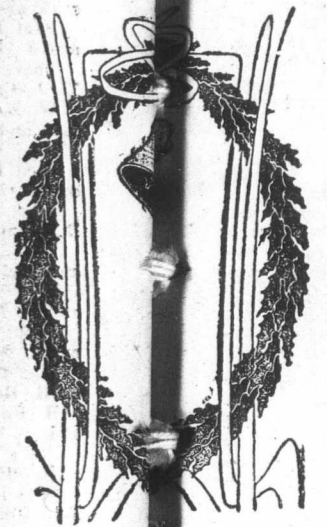
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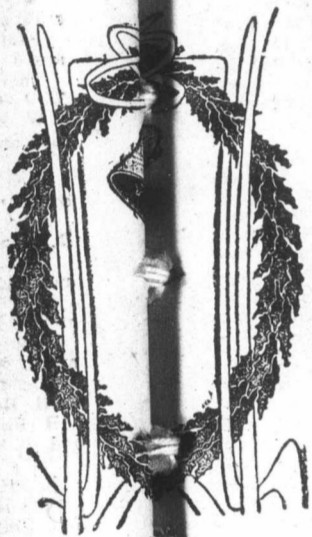
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"That wouldn't be paying the game," she told him. "I can't help you deceive him. You are the first of your breed."

"Don't say it," he cried. "Didn't he tell me wasn't?"

"Then make the fight, Don—Mr. Cafferty." She lowered her voice. "I am depending on you to stay sober and guard him. He needs a faithful friend so badly, now that Mr. Geary is away." She patted the grimy hand and left him staring at the ground. Presently he sighed, quivered horribly, and stumbled out of the patio on to the firing-line. And when he reported to Jack Webster at nine o'clock next morning, he was sober, shaking horribly and on the verge of delirium tremens, but tightly clasped in his right hand he held that five-dollar piece. Dolores, who had made it her business to be present at the interview, heard John Stuart Webster say heartily:

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As Don Juan scurried for salvation, Webster turned to Dolores. "He'll fall me now, but that will not be his fault but mine. I've set him too great a task in his present condition. Nevertheless, to use a colloquial expression, I have the Cafferty goat—and I'm going to keep it."

Webster went immediately to his room, called for pen and paper, and proceeded at once to do that which he had never done before—to wit, prepare his last will and testament. In a few brief paragraphs he made a holographic will and split his bank-roll equally between the two human beings he cared for most—Billy Geary and Dolores Rucy. "Bill's a gambler like me," he ruminated; "so I'll play safe. The girl is a conservative, and after Bill's was gone, he'd be boiled in oil before he'd prejudice hers."

Having made his will, Webster made a copy of it. The copy he placed in an envelope marked: "For Jack. Not to be opened until after my death." This envelope he then enclosed in a larger one and mailed to Billy at Calle de Concordia No. 19.

Having made his few simple preparations for death, Mr. Webster next burrowed in his trunk, brought forth his big army-type automatic pistol

"Don't Worry About Me" Tom's Assuring Message

On a little farm away up north Tom lived with his parents and one brother. His father, well up in years, found himself unable to continue the hard work of farming, so Tom took up the burden. The income was not large, and the lad signed up with a lumber gang working nearby—sawing logs, stripping bark and driving the teams. Altogether these two jobs, farmer and lumberman, kept his day so well filled that he had time for little more than sleep. Nature rebelling at this heavy burden—consumption claimed another victim.

After trying various ways to overcome his physical weakness, he went to the Muskoka Hospital. His parents are anxious about him, they send the other son to see him often, for they are old and feeble and journeying is a hazardous undertaking to them. Tom's own troubles are never so real to him that he forgets others. He asks for those about him, lives for little bits of news about his home, and never fails to send his message back. "Don't worry about me. The people here sure do treat you white."

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and secured it in a holster under his arm, for he deemed it unwise and provocative of curiosity to appear in immaculate ducks that bulged at the right hip. Next he filled two spare clips with cartridges and slipped them into his pocket, thus completing his few simple preparations for life.

He glanced out the window at the sun. There would still be an hour of daylight; so he descended to the lobby, called a carriage and took a short drive. Returning to the hotel he dismissed the carriage, climbed the three short steps to the entrance and was passing through the revolving portal, when from his rear some one gave the door a violent shove, with the result that the turnstile partition behind him collided with his back with sufficient force to throw him against the partition in front. Instantly the door ceased to pivot, with Webster locked neatly in the triangular space between the two sections of the revolving door and the jamb.

He turned and beheld in the section behind him an officer of the Sobrantean army. This individual, observing he was under Webster's scrutiny, scowled and peremptorily motioned to Webster to proceed—which the latter did, with such violence that the door, continuing to revolve, caught up with the Sobrantean and subjected him to the same indignity to which he had subjected Webster.

Once free of the door, Webster waited just inside the lobby for the Sobrantean to conclude his precipitate entrance. When he did, Webster looked him over with mild curiosity and bowed with great condescension. "Did any gentleman ever tell the senator that he is an ill-mannered monkey?" he queried coolly in excellent Spanish. "If not, I desire to give the senator that information, and to tell him that his size alone prevents me from giving him a nice little spanking."

"Fig!" the rude one answered hotly. His olive features paled with anger, he trembled with emotion and seemed undecided what to do—seeing which Webster grinned at him tantalizingly. That decided him. No Latin-American, with the exaggerated ego of his race, can bear even a suspicion of ridicule. The officer walked fiercely toward Webster and swung his arm toward the latter's face in an effort to land a slap that was "meant."

Webster merely threw back his head and avoided the blow; his long left arm shot out and beat down the Sobrantean's guard; then Webster's right hand closed around the officer's collar. "Come to me thou insolent little one," he crooned, and jerked his assailant toward him, gathered him up in his arms, carried him, kicking



Soused Him in the Fountain.

and screaming with futile rage, out into the patio and soused him in the fountain.

"Now, then, spitfire, that will cool your hot head, I trust," he admonished his unhappy victim, and returned to the hotel. At the desk he paused. "Who was that person I just bathed?" he inquired of the excited clerk.

"Ah, senator, you shall not long be kept in ignorance," that functionary informed him. "That is the terrible Captain Benavides—"

"Do you know, I had a notion it was he?" Webster replied ruminatively. "Well, I suppose I'm in for a duel now," he added to himself as he climbed the stairs to his room. "I think that will be most interesting."

John Stuart Webster changed into dry clothing and descended to the dining-room. Miss Rucy was already seated at her table and motioned him to the seat opposite her, and as he sat down with a contented little sigh,

she gazed at him with a gleam and more alert interest.

"I hear you've been having adventures again," she challenged. "The news is all over the hotel. I heard it from the head waiter."

"Coffee and pistols for two at daylight," he answered cheerily. "By the way, I have made my will, just to be on the safe side. Will you be good enough to take charge of it until after the funeral? You can turn it over to Billy then."

She fell readily into the bantering spirit with which he treated this serious subject. Indeed, it was quite impossible to do otherwise, for John Stuart Webster's personality radiated such a feeling of security, of absolute, unbounded confidence in the future and disdain for whatever of good fortune or ill the future might entail, that Dolores found it impossible not to assimilate his mood.

At seven-thirty, after a delightful dinner, the memory of which Mr. Webster was certain would linger under his foretop long after every other memory had departed, he escorted her to the open carriage he had ordered, and for two hours they circled the Malecon with the elite of Buenaventura, listening to the music of the band, and, during the brief intermissions, to the sound of the waves lapping the beach at the foot of the broad driveway.

"This," said John Stuart Webster, as he said goodnight to Dolores in the lobby, "is the end of a perfect day."

It wasn't, for at that precise moment a servant handed him a card, and indicated a young man seated in an adjacent lounging-chair, at the same time volunteering the information that the visitor had been awaiting Senior Webster's return for the past hour.

Webster glanced at the card and strove over to the young man. "I am Mr. Webster, sir," he announced civilly in Spanish. "And you are Lieutenant Arredondo?"

The visitor rose, bowed low and indicated he was that gentleman. "I have called, Mr. Webster," he stated in most excellent English, "in the interest of my friend and comrade, Captain Benavides."

"Ah, yes! The fresh little rooster I ducked in the fountain this evening. Well, what does the little squirt want now? Another ducking?"

Arredondo flushed angrily but remembered the dignity of his mission and controlled his temper. "Captain Benavides has asked me to express to you the hope that you, being doubtless a man of honor—"

"Step right here, Lieutenant. There is no doubt about it. I am a man of honor, and unless you are anxious to be ducked in the fountain, you will be more careful in your choice of words. Now then: You are about to say that, being a man of honor—"

"You would accord my friend the satisfaction which one gentleman never falls to accord another."

"That lets me out, amigo," Webster laughed. "Benavides isn't a gentleman. He's a cutthroat, a murdering little black-and-tan-hound. Do I understand he wants me to fight a duel with him?"

Lieutenant Arredondo could not trust himself to speak, and so he bowed profoundly.

"Very well, then, Lieutenant," Webster agreed. "I'll fight him."

"Tomorrow morning at five o'clock."

"Five minutes from now if you say so."

"Captain Benavides will be grateful for your willing spirit, at least," the second replied bitterly. "You realize, of course, Mr. Webster, that as the challenged party, the choice of weapons rests with you."

"Certainly. I wouldn't have risked a duel if the choice lay with the other fellow. With your permission, my dear sir, we'll fight with Mauser rifles at a thousand yards, for the reason that I never knew a Greaser that could hit the broad side of a brewery at any range over two hundred and fifty yards." Webster chuckled fensively.

Lieutenant Arredondo bit his lips in anger and vexation. "I cannot agree to such an extraordinary duel," he complained. "It is the custom in Sobrante for gentlemen to fight with rapiers."

"Oh, dry up, you sneaking murderer," Webster exploded. "There isn't going to be any duel except on my terms—so you might as well take a straight tip from headquarters and stick to plain assassination. You and Benavides have been sent out by your superior to kill me—you got your orders this very afternoon at the entrance to the government palace—and I'm just not going to be killed. Beat it, boy, while the going is good." He pointed toward the hotel door. "Out, you blackguard!" he roared. "Vaya!"

Lieutenant Arredondo rose and with dignified mien started for the door. Webster followed, and as his visitor reached the portal, a tremendous kick, well placed, lifted him down to the sidewalk. Shrieking curses, he fled into the night; and John Stuart Webster, with a satisfied feeling that something accomplished had earned a

INTERESTING NEWS OF THE DISTRICT

Coal is selling at Glencoe at \$20 a ton and at Strathroy at \$16.

Miss Frances Moss has been engaged as librarian for Glencoe's new public library.

George Loughbeed, the Bosanquet farmer accused of theft of a cow was honorably acquitted at the County Court, Sarnia.

Business men all over the Dominion are a unit in their opposition to the tax on receipts, which comes into effect on January 1st.

As the result of a little local war among the dealers, gasoline was selling at Strathroy for several days at almost give-away prices.

On Sunday, Dec. 10th, the congregation of St. John's Anglican church, Glencoe, observed the 29th anniversary of the building of the church.

The tax collector of Burford township was held up at his home Friday night and forced at the point of revolvers to hand over \$2,000, his collection of the previous day.

W. G. McKay, of London, Dominion Government butter inspector, has purchased the building and plant of the Glencoe Creamery and expects to open it for business in the course of a few days.

Entering his barn late last Tuesday morning, Alvin MacGregor, residing on the third concession, Howard, a mile and a half from Ridgetown, found the lifeless body of his father, John MacGregor, hanging from a beam.

Kent county authorities have offered a reward of \$200 for information leading to the arrest of Capt. Clarence L. Johnston, alias Burns, who is wanted on a charge of burglarizing stores in the town of Wallaceburg.

Young People of the P. & E. town line, met at the home of Wilbur Steadman to bid farewell to Miss Pearl Grey, who is leaving for Cleveland to reside with her brother. Miss Grey was the recipient of many handkerchiefs, paperies, towels, etc.

Peter A. Blackburn who has been city treasurer of Sarnia for two years, has resigned to accept the city treasurership of Oshawa, at a salary of \$2,700. There is general regret at Mr. Blackburn's decision. Mr. Blackburn is a son-in-law of A. Thomas of Arkona.

Duncan Grant, prominent grocer died at Amherstburg Christmas Day from pneumonia, in his 34th year. His widow and three children survive. Mrs. George Jameison of Sarnia; Mrs. A. W. Kelly, Watford; Miss Inez Grant, of the Windsor public school, teaching staff; Miss Virginia Grant of Washington, and Mrs. W. Davidson of Chicago, are sisters. Deceased was a member of Thistle lodge A. F. and A. M. and was active in affairs of the Brunner Mond Club, Amherstburg High School Board and the local Lawn Bowling Club.

Night's repose, retired to his room in mauve silk pajamas, and slept the sleep of a healthy, conscience-free man.

At about the same hour Neddy Jerome, playing solitaire in the Engineers' club in Denver, was the recipient of a cablegram which read:

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Neddy Jerome wiped his spectacles, adjusted them on his nose and read this amazing message once more. "Jumped-up Jehosophat!" he murmured. "If she hasn't followed that madcap Webster clear to Buenaventura! If she isn't out in earnest to earn her fee, I'm an orang-outang! By thunder, that's a smart woman. All right! I'll be implicitly obedient." Two hours later Neddy Jerome received another cablegram. It was from John Stuart Webster and read as follows:

"Hold job ninety days at latest may be back before. If satisfactory cable." Again Mr. Jerome had recourse to the most powerful expletive at his command. "Henrietta knew he was going to cable and beat the old sourdough to it," he soliloquized. He was wrapped in profound admiration of her cunning for as much as five minutes; then he indited this reply to his victim:

"Time, tide and good jobs wait for no man. Sorry. Job already filled by better man."

When John Stuart Webster received that cablegram the following morning, he cursed bitterly—not because he had lost the best job that had ever been offered him, but because he had lost through playing a good hand poorly. He hated himself for his 'dloicy.

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The young men of Glencoe will hold a dance on New-Year's night.

Thomas English, a well known resident of Wardsville, died on Friday, aged 81 years. For many years he was reeve of Mosa Township and was an active worker in municipal and political affairs. He was a resident of Mosa township for 60 years. He is survived by his widow.

Eight members of the family of Niles Jackson, of Parkhill, all took ill with typhoid fever. Three of the children were taken to Strathroy Hospital and the others taken to St. Joseph's Hospital, London. Impure well water is thought to have caused the epidemic.

Mrs. Katherine McFarlane, widow of the late Daniel McFarlane, and one of Thamesville's oldest residents passed peacefully away at the family residence, Sherman street, last Wednesday evening at the advanced age of 86 years, 6 months and 4 days.

The death of Jane Davidson occurred at her home near Ravenswood on Friday, Dec. 15th, at the age of 78 years, 11 months and 15 days. The funeral was held to the Ravenswood cemetery for interment. Service being held in the Methodist church conducted by the Rev. Pentland.

Burglars threatened the lives of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey M. Janisse and their infant baby, Amherstburg, when the family returned home late Sunday night and interrupted the robbers as they were leisurely ransacking the house. Both were robbed of their personal valuables and roughly handled by the thieves before the intruders left.

Mr. John Farrell was pleasantly surprised on Tuesday evening to receive a beautiful pair of gold cuff links, suitably engraved on the Christmas tree at the concert given by S.S. No. 7, Plympton, (Reece's Corners). Mr. Farrell was chairman of the evening, which honor he has held at this concert every year for the past twenty years.

The pupils of St. John's church Sunday school, Wyoming, held their Christmas anniversary Monday evening. An interesting feature was the reading of an illuminated address to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dale, and the presentation to each of them of a handsomely bound prayer book. This surprise was arranged in honor of the fiftieth anniversary of Mr. Dale's superintendency.

The funeral of Mrs. T. B. Pardee who died Friday night, took place Sunday afternoon to Lakeview cemetery, with a large attendance of mourners, including her sons, Senator F. F. Pardee, John B. and Henry M. of Sarnia, Mrs. Kittermaster of Sarnia and Mrs. Burrows of Detroit, daughters. Special funeral service was conducted in St. George's Anglican church by the Rev. D. W. Collins.

Mrs. Atkinson, widow of the late Wm. Atkinson, Wardsville, died at her home on Tuesday night after an illness of several years. Before her marriage she was Miss Gage, her parents living near Florence. She leaves two sons, Wm. A., at home, and Rev. Geo. Atkinson of Morrisburg; also three daughters, Miss Atkinson and Miss Margaret, at home and Mrs. Will Jackson of St. Thomas.

WEST ADELAIDE

The W.M.S. of West Adelaide Presbyterian church held their annual meeting at the home of Mrs. Walter Hall on Thursday, December 7th, with an attendance of 15 members and eight visitors. Most of the old officers were re-elected. President, Mrs. Jas. Wiley; vice president Mrs. Wilbert Murray, 2nd vice president, Mrs. W. J. McChesney (only appointed); secretary, Miss Mildred McInroy; treasurer, Miss Lizzie Watson; Ladies' Aid secretary, Mrs. L. Grogan, Messenger secretary, Miss A. McKenzie (newly appointed); Organist, Mrs. G. Cleland. Mrs. Wilbert Murray added to the program by a humorous reading. The next place of meeting has not as yet been arranged.

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ALVINSTON

Miss Minnie Carruthers is spending the holidays in Detroit. Miss Annie Calhoun of Thorndale is visiting at her home here. Miss Blanche Snell of Delhi is spending the holidays at her home. Mrs. Samuel Howard of Kitchener is spending the holidays at the home of her mother, Mrs. George. Mrs. Mary and daughter Ella, accompanied by Miss Jean Rae of Thorold, are visiting at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. W. W. LeRoy.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell, of Readlyn, Sask., arrived on Monday to spend the winter months at the home of the latter's father, Mr. Jas. Evans.

The S.S. of Hope Methodist church held a very successful Christmas concert on Tuesday evening. A feature of the program was a pageant "Every Girl" which was beautifully rendered by the Young Ladies Class.

The final meeting of the A. H. S. Literary was held in Code's Hall on Wednesday afternoon. The music for the afternoon was supplied by the school's orchestra, composed of Helen Irving, pianist; Ella Martyn and Loretta Bindner, violinists; Mary Bindner, cello; and Wm. Benner, traps. A feature of the afternoon was a debate: "Resolved that War is Necessary for the Progress of Humanity." The affirmative side being taken by Loretta Bindner, Janet Pollock, Florence McIntyre and Jack Stevenson, and the negative by Jeanette McTaggart, Bertha Oke, Bell Benner and George Whitton, the negative side winning by a close margin. The Weed sisters then played a very acceptable instrumental and Mary Bindner favored the audience with a cello solo. Another feature of the program was the reading of the school paper "The A.C.S. 'Salt Shaker'" read by the editor, Miss Jessie Whitton, and which afforded the visitors much amusement at the expense of the students on whom many jokes were sprung. The closing number was a trio by Messrs. Hugh Leitch, Alex. Moore and Wm. Benner which was much enjoyed.

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INWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Richardson and Mr. Burton Richardson, who arrived home Saturday from Hamilton, spent Christmas in Forest at the home of Mr. W. G. Milner.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley A. Graham of Sarnia and Mr. Geo. Chapman of London, were weekend guests at Mr. W. H. Chapman's. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Shibley and Miss Hilda of Haileybury, and Mr. Lionel Shibley and Miss Laura Shibley of Toronto spent Christmas at Mr. M. S. Crawford's.

Mr. Jack McVicar of Toronto is holidaying at his home here. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Atkin and daughter Reta, spent the weekend in London at the home of Mr. Brewer.

Mr. A. R. Munro of the Royal Bank, Burlington, spent Christmas at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Munro. Mr. and Mrs. George Doan were in Watford a couple of days last week.

Mr. Donald McVicar of McGill University, Montreal and Miss Bessie MacVicar of Theasalon, arrived home Friday night to spend the holidays at the manse. Christmas guests at Mr. J. W. Johnston's were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnston and daughter of Detroit, Mr. J. C. Johnston of Port Huron, and Mr. Lyle Johnston, who is home from McGill, Montreal.

We are pleased to see Mr. Robert Dawson out again after his recent illness. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Lewis of Sarnia were Christmas guests at the home of Mr. S. S. Courtright.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Sherwood of Bridgeburg spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Sherwood. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dawson and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dawson spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Singer in Sarnia.

Mr. Dawson Brooks and sister, Mrs. Alice Vance of Thamesville and niece, Miss Reta Brooks, of Merlin, were the guests of Mrs. Johnston Vance for Christmas. Mr. Jack Roberts of the Royal Bank staff spent Christmas at his home in Elora.

Dr. E. J. and Mrs. Bannister and children spent the weekend at the home of Mrs. Isaacs of Forest. Mr. W. A. Leitch was home in Oakdale for Christmas.

Mrs. Elva Penfound and friend Mr. A. Sellers of Toronto spent Christmas at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Armstrong.

PETROLEA A public library is assured for Petrolea if the citizens express themselves at the elections to be held on Jan. 1st. If a majority are in favor of a library, a library board will be chosen and given instructions to buy books and select the building for the library.

Hugo Ewart is home from Queen's University for the holidays. Beverly and Charles Fairbanks and Beverly Pollard are home for the holidays. Keith Fletcher and Maurice McGarvey are home for the Christmas holidays.

Miss Eva Fitzgerald, attending the London Normal School is home for the holidays. Petrolea Tuxis boys are to be represented at a boys' parliament to be held at Toronto on December 27, 28 and 29. Harold McLean from the Baptist Tuxis square was nominated and also Fred Portsmouth and Park Steadman from the Methodists.

WANSTEAD Mr. Russell Anderson, student at McMaster University, is spending the holidays at his parental home. Miss Mary Garnham of Sarnia Business College is at home for the Christmas holidays. Mr. John Burr of the Wark Milling Co., Wyoming, returned home for the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Johnson and daughter Elsie spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Alexander. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Coughlin of Sarnia were weekend visitors with Mr. Jas. Alexander. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Acton spent Christmas with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Anderson, 2nd line. Mr. John C. McNeil is spending Christmas in Sarnia. The public school will hold their annual meeting Wednesday, Dec. 27. The Y. P. club meets on Tuesday, Jan. 2, and the U. F. O. annual meeting will be held Jan. 6, at 2 o'clock. Why suffer from corns when they can be painlessly rooted out by using Holloway's Corn Remover.

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ARKONA

Mr. Len Irwin of Hamilton is home over the weekend. Miss Olive Oakes of Hagersville, is spending her vacation at her home here.

Mr. Albert Roy Miller of Mount Clemens, Mich., spent Christmas here. Miss Beatrice Oakes of St. Joseph's hospital, London, is home for the Christmas holidays. Mr. Ben Taylor of Corstair, Alta., and daughter, Mrs. Martin are visiting Mr. B. Morningstar. Mr. Sidney Davidson, supervisor of Windsor public schools, is here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sutherland principal of Lucan high school, are spending the Christmas vacation at the home of John Fuller. Mrs. John Hocken, Mr. Lloyd Hocken and daughter Bettie and Miss Sprey of London called on Mr. C. W. Lucas on Sunday.

Mr. Ivan Crawford, Toronto, Mr. Thos. Dowding, London, Mr. Frank Glover, Windsor, were home over the Christmas holidays. Friends of Mrs. W. Chamberlain will be glad to hear of her improvement. She has been in the Victoria Hospital, London, for over eight weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morningstar and children of Sarnia and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Morningstar of Watford spent Christmas with their mother, Mrs. E. D. Morningstar.

Miss Lovena Bryson, Windsor; Miss Nina McKim, Nova Scotia; Mrs. N. Davidson and daughter Georgina of Watford spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. R. Ggs. A sad death occurred here last Wednesday when Mrs. Emma Wilson, aged 43, relict of the late John Wilson, passed away. She leaves a family of small children to mourn her loss. Her funeral was held Friday to Arkona cemetery.

A quiet wedding was solemnized in the Presbyterian Manse, Sarnia, on Dec. 12, when Miss Ethel Wright of London was married to Mr. Albert Warren. After a brief honeymoon to western points the young couple will reside on the groom's farm near here. J. B. Burgey B.S.A., of Beamsville Ont., who is lecturing on Poultry Husbandry at Middlesex County Agricultural Extension Courses, visited the modern poultry plant of John C. Vidd at Arkona and was favorably impressed with his flock of Ferris bred-to-lay White Leghorns.

The Christmas entertainment and tree held in the Presbyterian church was a decided success. The chief number on the program was "Scotch mornologues," by Rev. D. Christie of Woodstock. The Arkona orchestra played several selections during the evening. A solo by Wm. Woolvelt, recitation and choruses by the members of the Sunday school, and the visit of Santa Claus, who distributed the presents to the expectant youngsters, completed an interesting program. Nearly all children are subject to worms, and many are born with them. Spare them suffering by using Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator, an excellent remedy.

PLYMPTON Miss Myrtle Haney who has been teaching in Essex has resigned her school and is at home for the present. The concert at Reece's school, on Dec. 19th, and the one at Kerch school on Dec. 21st, were both very successful affairs. The play "The Ministers Bride," was ably presented at Reece's, and "Polly Lou" at Kerch.

Miss Margaret MacDougall, Toronto, spent the holiday at the home of her father, John MacDougall. Mr. and Mrs. R. Peacock, Sarnia, and Mr. and Mrs. Herb. Cochrane, Detroit, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Cochrane. Miss Agnes MacDougall attended the reunion of London Normal students, Class 1922, in London on Friday evening, December 22.

Mrs. John Devar, George and Miss Mabel attended the Burnham-Nesbit wedding in Sarnia on Christmas Day. Miss Mae McDonald, Toronto, visited her sister, Mrs. P. J. McEwen. Mr. and Mrs. John Lahiff and Miss Marguerite, Pontiac, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. John Dell and family, Sarnia, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kerston. Harry Forbes, V.S., Toronto, spent the holiday at his home on the London road.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clements and daughter, Sarnia, spent Christmas at the home of John MacDougall. John Hodgins, who has been confined to bed for several weeks with inflammatory rheumatism, is progressing nicely and is now able to sit up. Mr. and Mrs. John Hillier and family spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McDougall.

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WARWICK Elect Higgins Reeve. ad. The black cows in Forest are dying out. Fred Kenzie arrived home last week after a few weeks stay in Flint Mich. Geo. Parker, Sarnia, spent Christmas at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Collier, 2nd line. Miss Muriel Doan of Hickson is visiting her cousin, Miss Mildred Brent, 12 sideroad. Bruce and Allan Collier, Toronto, spent the holidays with their uncle, J. E. Collier, 2nd line. Walter Cook, London, is spending the Christmas holidays with his uncle, Fred Cook, Main road. Mr. and Mrs. John Howard, of London, spent the Christmas holidays with Robt. Willoughby, Main road. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Brush and children of London spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Barnes. Misses Ada Minielly of London, and Elsie Minielly of Detroit, spent the Christmas holiday with their parents. Miss Freida Wiley has returned after spending the past two weeks with her cousin Miss Lois Wiley of Brantford. Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Brown and Miss Lottie Astel, Sarnia, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Collier, 2nd line. Will Luckham, Winnipeg, arrived home last week to spend the winter with his sisters, Mrs. W. Vance and Mrs. J. F. Smith. Miss Gertrude Parker, Leamington who is attending Normal School in London is spending the holidays with friends on Main road and 2nd line. Mr. Henry Turner and family, Mr. George Turner and son and Mr. and Mrs. John Cable and little son, spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cable, 4th line. The ratepayers, please take notice that the Poll for Division No. 2, will be held in the vacant houses on the West half of lot 12, con. 5, on the "Old Morris Farm" now owned by R. Manders. The entertainment given by school sections No. 19 and No. 1 last Wednesday night was a great success. The sections were favored by splendid night and a large crowd while the audience were favored by a first class program. Mrs. W. H. Luckham, who underwent an operation at Victoria Hospital, London, over two weeks ago was able to return to her home Thursday of last week and was accompanied by her daughter, Meryl, who will stay with her mother for some time. Mrs. H. Grant Small and daughter who spent two weeks at the former's old home here during her mother's illness in the hospital in London, returned to London last Thursday where Mr. Small joined them for the Christmas celebration at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Small, Tecumseh ave. As to road in Sombra Township discussed at nomination, Sombra wanted the road and were willing to pay for same in the following way: 20% by subscription, 60% by the Government and they assumed 20% covered by a ten year debenture charged to their township.—Copied from the minutes of the County Council January session, 1922. Warwick Methodist church and Sunday school will give an entertainment on Friday, Dec. 29, in the Orange Hall, Warwick. Besides drills, dialogues, etc., the main feature is a pageant entitled "The Light of the World" which was given at the International Convention at Tokio, in 1920 and in Toronto at the Provincial Convention last October. Admission 15 and 25 cents. Children of the Sunday school free. Evening service in Zion Cong'l church on Sunday at 7.30 p.m., the pastor, Rev. T. DeCourcy Rayner, will preach. Come and spend the last evening of the old year in the House of God. The W. M. S. Auxiliary of Zion Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. Jas. Wynn on Dec. 14th. There were nine members and three visitors present. It was decided to piece two quilts and have one ready for quilting at the next meeting which will be held on Jan. 11 at the home of Mrs. Fred Wynn. Roll call to be answered with a New Year's resolution.

ELECTION CARDS

To the Electors of the Village of Watford—
I wish to contradict some rumors which have been broadcast.

1. I have never advocated putting red brick or any other kind of brick on Main street between the pavement and the sidewalk.
2. I have no desire to make the keeping of cows in town illegal.
3. I have no intention of forcing ratepayers to put in water mains or take water into their houses.
4. The ploughing of part of the Federal Square for a tennis court for the children and young people of the Village had the unanimous support of the directors of the Horticultural Society.
5. I own property in the Village and pay fairly heavy taxes.

The greatest need at the present time is efficiency, and efficiency with a reduction of cost.

Efficiency does not mean greater cost and higher taxes. Our pavement is an example of this. On Sept. 22nd last \$12,500 was received by the Village of Watford from the Department of Highways to be applied to the cost of our pavement. On Dec. 12th there was deposited in the treasury of this village \$2253.19, the first annual grant from the County Council to be used to pay our first debenture on our pavement. Hence, you can readily see that the pavement has not raised the taxes of the village.

The method adopted by the Reeve and Council and every official in the village should be such as to build up the village and at the same time lower the taxes. This is not a paradox. New public institutions such as a postoffice, new private residences, together with a large population will help build up the town even as the pavement does and at the same time lower our taxes.

Economical Efficiency is my motto with emphasis on the economy, for at this time of great stringency it is imperative that the burden of taxes be made as light as possible.

I want to thank the electors of Watford for their support in the past and to say that if I am elected to the Reeve ship I will do my best to represent the Village of Watford in the County Council and elsewhere.

W. G. CONNOLLY

ELECTORS OF WATFORD
Ladies and Gentlemen—
I am in the field for Reeve of the Village for 1923 and hope my experience in municipal matters will be considered by you when casting your vote. I will do all in my power to carry out the wishes of the people.

PAUL KINGSTON

ELECTORS OF WATFORD
Ladies and Gentlemen—
Am in the field for re-election as Councillor, and hope that my record for the past year has been satisfactory. If elected I will continue to serve you to the best of my knowledge and ability.

JOHN W. DOAR

ELECTORS OF WATFORD
Ladies and Gentlemen—
Your vote and influence solicited as Councillor for 1923. With the experience I have had in municipal matters I hope my record will weigh with you when casting your vote. If elected will continue to use my best judgment for the benefit of the village.

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ELECTORS OF WATFORD
Ladies and Gentlemen—
Having served four years as Councillor and having been urged by a number of electors, I again offer my services. I ask you to look over my municipal record of the past, and I am confident you will find nothing unworthy of your support.

If you see fit to elect me I will do my best for the welfare of the town.

C. H. HOLLINGSWORTH

ELECTORS OF WATFORD
Ladies and Gentlemen—
I am again in the field for Councillor for the village and if elected will do the best in my power for the welfare of the municipality. I solicit your vote and influence.

J. R. MCCORMICK

ELECTORS OF WATFORD
Ladies and Gentlemen—
I have consented to stand for Councillor of Watford for 1923. If elected will do the best in my power to conduct the affairs of the municipality with care and economy.

JOHN G. MCINTOSH

ELECTORS OF WATFORD
Ladies and Gentlemen—
At the solicitation of many friends I have consented to stand for Councillor for 1923. You all know my record in municipal affairs, and if elected will do my utmost for the welfare of the village.

JOSHUA SAUNDERS

ELECTORS OF WATFORD
Ladies and Gentlemen—
Having had six years experience on the Board of Education, your vote and influence is kindly solicited for my election again.

D. A. MAXWELL

ELECTORS OF WATFORD
Ladies and Gentlemen—
Your vote and influence is respectfully solicited for

A. RUMFORD
as Member of the Board of Education

ELECTORS OF WARWICK
Ladies and Gentlemen—
I am in the field for Reeve for the year 1923. Having had 5 years experience in municipal work, both township and county, I feel that I am able to serve you well and in a way more economical than the system of the present time, and solicit your vote and influence. Wishing you all a Happy New Year.

ADAM HIGGINS

ELECTORS OF WARWICK
Ladies and Gentlemen—
Having consented to stand for the office of Reeve for year 1923, I would respectfully solicit your vote and influence. Thanking you for past favors and wishing you a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Yours respectfully,
W. E. PARKER

ELECTORS OF WARWICK
Ladies and Gentlemen—
I am in the field for re-election as Councillor, and hope my five year's record will warrant you giving me your support.

M. D. CAMPBELL

ELECTORS OF WARWICK
Ladies and Gentlemen—
I am a candidate for re-election as Councillor of the township and hope my past record will warrant your again supporting me for the position.

S. B. CHAMBERS

ELECTORS OF WARWICK
Ladies and Gentlemen—
Having decided to stand for Councillor for 1923 I ask your support in an honest endeavor to reduce expenditure with economy and efficiency. Wishing you the compliments of the Season. I am, yours respectfully,

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ELECTORS OF WARWICK
Ladies and Gentlemen—
Having been nominated for the office of Councillor in the Township of Warwick I respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

HENRY MANSFIELD

ELECTORS OF WARWICK
Ladies and Gentlemen—
I am in the field as Councillor for Township for 1923 and if elected will do the best in my power to further the interests of the Municipality.

JOHN McLELLAND

ELECTORS OF WARWICK
Ladies and Gentlemen—
At the request of several friends and neighbors I have consented to offer myself as a candidate for Councillor for 1923. I hereby solicit your vote and influence.

Sincerely yours,
EZRA SESSIONS

TO THE ELECTOR OF BROOKE
Ladies and Gentlemen—
Your vote and influence solicited for Reeve of Brooke for 1923. I have served you for eight years as Councillor and four as Deputy Reeve and hope my record during those years has been such that you can support me for the Reeve ship.

ALBERT SUTTON

IN THE SURROGATE COURT OF THE COUNTY OF LAMBTON
IN THE MATTER of the Guardianship of Eugene Ross Williams, the infant child of Lola Jean Williams, late of the Township of Warwick, in the County of Lambton, Married Woman, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that after the expiration of Twenty days from the first publication of this notice, an Application will be made to the Surrogate Court of the County of Lambton, for a grant of Letters of Guardianship of the person and estate of the above named infant, Eugene Ross Williams to Eugene Williams, of the Township of Warwick in the County of Lambton, farmer, the father of the said infant. Dated this Twelfth day of December, A.D. 1922.

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