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## LOCAL HAPPENINGS

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

LIVE hogs brought \$9.40 this week. GINGHAM tub dresses 98c.—SWIFTS'. KEEP in mind the Gwent concert on June 11th.

REGULAR meeting of Council next Monday night.

THERE'S a fortune in store for the person who finds a remedy for dandruff.

JUDGMENT in the Fitzgerald-Stapleford case is now expected to be given on June 6th.

WATFORD Court of Revision to-day (Friday) at 10 o'clock, in the Council Chamber.

WORK on the Carnegie library is delayed for a few days waiting for the iron columns.

LADIES' coats at wholesale prices. We are overstocked.—SWIFTS'.

NINE tailors are needed to make a man, but there are lots of chaps whose credit isn't good with one.

BESIDES the usual shipment of hogs, W. W. Edwards shipped a car of lambs to Toronto this week.

JUDGING from the school reports most children's names nowadays sound as if their mothers were novel readers.

THE Canadian mint has, since it was started, coined almost nine million dollars in silver and gold. They must have kept it all in Ottawa.

THIRTY-SEVEN fox companies representing a capital of two and three-quarter million dollars, were incorporated at the last session of the Prince Edward Island Legislature. Beats real estate.

OUR worsted suitings made to order, \$8.50 to \$27.50, have no equals.—SWIFTS' Tailoring.

THE members of the Orange Lodge of Watford with delegations from other Lodges will gather next Sunday evening in the Congregational church for divine worship. Rev. R. Stevenson will preach a special sermon.

THE infant child of Rev. D. J. Cornish, rector of Forest, died on Sunday morning from scarlet fever after about 24 hours illness. He was seized with convulsions which resulted fatally. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon.

THE law says that auto drivers must light the lamps at sunset. The rear license number must be secure to the back of the car and not project below the body and must be kept very clear or the owner of the car is liable to a fine.

SMART new tweeds for your two-piece suit.—SWIFTS' Tailoring Dept.

A SMALL quantity of carbolic acid added to paste, mucilage and ink, will prevent mould. An ounce of the acid to a gallon of whitewash will keep cellars and dairies from disagreeable odor which often taints milk and meat kept in such places.

A NEW JERSEY woman swears that she saw the soul of a man leave his body just as he expired. As she says that it issued out of his mouth we are afraid that the good woman mistook a discharge of gas from the stomach for the ethereal spark.

THE Provincial Government found that opposition to the proposed changes in the Public Library Act were so strong that they have decided to make no changes in the act at present and through the Minister of Education have so notified Secretaries of Library Boards.

THE following is a new provision in the Ontario Telephone Act: The Board may approve of regulations made by any company for the purpose of preventing willful interference with interruptions of conversations or messages over the lines of any telephone system, and any person who does so is liable to a fine of \$25.00.

New dress goods, new Bulgarian silks, new dress trimmings, new buttons.—SWIFTS'.

MONDAY, Tuesday and Wednesday, July 7th, 8th and 9th, has been announced by the Canadian Forestry Association as the date of the Dominion Forestry Convention. The convention, which will be held in Winnipeg, gives fair promise of being one of the most successful gatherings ever held in the West.

THE members of the County Council will be given a pleasant outing during the June session by Mr. H. Saunders of the Northern Hotel. They will leave Sarnia at 7 a. m., on steamer Waukena for Detroit, luncheon being served on the boat. They will be shown about the city and dinner will be served at the St. Clair Hotel, leaving about 7.30 on a special car via Rapid Railway for Port Huron.

THE new paper money to be issued by the United States treasury will be 6 inches long by 2 1/2 inches wide, instead of 4 inches by 3 inches as at present. On the backs there will not be the sign of a dollar mark or any figure of value, and no lettering except "U.S.A." under the central figure. There is no background and in the expanse of clear white paper the money will display, it will resemble the paper money of other European nations.

ANOTHER lot of 8 1/2 cent gingham and muslins.—SWIFTS'.

COUNTY COUNCIL, meets next week. THE I. O. O. E. will not meet until June 10th at Mrs. Tye's.

THE case of Werry vs. Bell will be concluded at St. Thomas on June 17th.

BIENNIAL meeting of grand council Chosen Friends in Toronto next week.

LINEN cushion cover ready for verandah and hammocks.—SWIFTS'.

THE frost on Sunday night did considerable damage to tender plants and fruit.

MR. S. B. HOWDEN will have some interesting shoe news for next week. Watch his ad.

WEATHER permitting the Band will give the first outdoor concert of the season on Friday evening next.

SWIFT, SONS & Co's change of ad. too late for this issue. They have something interesting to tell you next week.

THERE will be morning service in Trinity Church next Sunday. Holy communion and sermon for children.

ADVERTISERS will confer a favor if they will, next week, send in their change of adv. on Monday instead of Tuesday.

EXAM. times are near. This is the time of the year when the parent discovers that Jimmie didn't pass and that the teacher is a donkey.

New blouses every week, nifty goods.—SWIFTS'.

MRS. W. G. GREER and family leave for Sarnia this week, where Mr. Greer has been engaged for some time. They will make their home in that town in future.

REV. R. STEVENSON will leave Watford on Monday next for an extended preaching tour through the West. The Congregational pulpit will be occupied during his absence by the town ministers.

A SELF-STARTING auto standing at the curb of a New York street suddenly ran away. The only available explanation is that it saw a young lady coming down the street in the latest Bulgarian costume. We don't blame it either.

WILL those who owe The Guide-Advocate for small advertisements running from 25 cents to \$1.00, ordered by telephone, letter or otherwise, please call and settle for same, as they are cash items and charges cause useless book-keeping.

THE best stock of kid gloves in the county. Our dollar Albertine to long elbow \$2.50.—SWIFTS'.

MINISTERS in border towns will be entitled to increased salaries now that the new marriage law has gone into force for it will now mean the end of the hasty foreign marriages. A Windsor church has already increased the stipend of its minister.

A COUPLE of local nimrods went fishing the other day and when they got to the banks of Bear Creek found they had left their fishing tackle at home. Men sometimes take too much little bait along and are liable to forget little things like this, but Joe and Sam are not gentlemen of that kind.

THE business men of Watford are to be congratulated on the pride they take in keeping their business places so clean and tidy and the attractive appearance of their windows. The neatness and attractive appearance of our stores leave a good impression upon the minds of visitors.

REV. R. STEVENSON, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Spackman, Mrs. J. D. Brown, Mrs. Marwick, Mrs. Harrower, Mrs. Brent, Mrs. Craig, Mrs. John McCormick and Miss Hay attended the annual meeting of the C. C. W. B. M. at Forest on Friday last, and enjoyed the meeting very much.

WE answer the call for elbow length white gloves to wear with soft frocks at 60c, 75c, 85c, \$1.00.—SWIFTS'.

THE High School entrance fee of \$1.00 is to be paid to the presiding officer at each centre before the close of the first day of the examination, June 18th. The teacher's report, giving the names and standing of the pupils, is to be sent to the Public School Inspector on or before June 10th, 1913; but the fee is not to be sent with this report.

THE Victoria Day holiday, which was observed in Watford on Monday, was a quiet day. A number went to outside points by rail, but the northern lake points were not as well patronized as usual, owing to the coldness of the weather. Some spent the day visiting friends in nearby places, while others put in the time improving their premises and gardens. The baseball games in the afternoon drew a fair crowd.

THE green trees and the green grass of old Ontario are appreciated by our Western friends who come to visit us. Try and look through their eyes and enjoy the beauty of your own town. The lawns, the avenues of stately trees which we call streets, the well kept boulevards, the tender green of leaf and grass, the pink and white of the blossoms just past, and the richer colors of the lilac and flowering shrubs now greeting us on every side all make a dower of beauty for us to enjoy.

THE Ajax chemical fire extinguisher here on approval, was given a test at the Driving Park on Monday morning. A pile of brush and light boxes was lighted, and when well ablaze the chemical stream turned on, which easily extinguished the fire. The matter of purchase will be decided at the meetings of the Council and Fire Co. next week. Considering the cost of the machine there should be no hesitancy in making the purchase, as a chemical engine is a valuable aid to any fire department.

FOUR cars of logs were shipped to the Canadian Handle Co., of London this week.

SPECIAL cut on all trimmed hats at Miss Minty's, beginning Tuesday, June 3rd for the week.

THE gas well drillers report down about 525 feet and the indications are said to be favorable.

In the list of successful law students at the examinations of Toronto University, appear the names of N. L. LeSueur, (honors) and Stewart Cowan, of Sarnia.

GET your summer shoes now. Our stock contains all the new shapes and styles. We also have a bargain table in shoes, any pair for \$1.50.—P. DODDS & SON.

IT is not too late to put new wallpaper on that room. Do it at once. P. Dodds & Son have paper suitable for any room and also some remnants that can be had for a mere song.

GUIDE-ADVOCATE "Want" ads. generally bring results. Last week a house was advertised to rent, and the ad. brought a tenant within two hours after the paper was issued.

JAMES EVANS, who has been in the employ of F. Kersey, barber, for some time has purchased the business of Alonzo Evans, Arkona, and left for that place on Wednesday to take possession.

MR. JOHN FARRRELL passed through here Tuesday night on his way to Sarnia, having arrived in Quebec Saturday. He brought with him over 500 emigrants, most of whom will go into the country to assist with farm work.

REGINALD GERALD, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Walker, London, died May 24th. The funeral was held on Monday afternoon at Mount Pleasant cemetery, conducted by the Rev. Dr. Sage, of St. George's Church.

ABOUT \$600 was spent last year in Windsor in placing oil on the streets. This was largely in the nature of an experiment, but the results were so satisfactory that the board of works proposes to increase the appropriation to \$1,800 for this year.

MRS. FRANCES POTTINGER, relict of the late Samuel Pottinger, at one time a resident of Watford, died in Sarnia on Friday last. The funeral took place from her residence, Queen's street, on Sunday afternoon, May 26th, to Lakeview cemetery, and was private.

THE Rev. R. Stevenson, pastor of the Congregational church, will deliver a sermon to the Orangemen, Sunday evening, June 1st, at 7 o'clock p.m. at the usual service. Visiting brethren are invited to meet at the lodge room for lunch at 6 o'clock sharp. The Watford Concert Band has kindly consented to lead the procession to the church. A cordial invitation is extended to the ladies' lodge and all adjacent lodges. All are welcome. Seats are free. God Save the King.

THE old swindle of a rich Russian banker in prison at Madrid who will generously give up part of his fortune to anyone who will save his baggage (which is supposed to contain a large fortune in a secret pocket) from seizure, has cropped up again. Mr. John Lovell received one of the letters this week, imploring him to come to the poor prisoner's aid. Like any sensible person would do, Mr. Lovell consigned the communication to the waste paper basket. The rich prisoner has been looking for victims for a good many years now, but will not likely find one in Watford.

A COMPANY of immigrants, numbering thirty-two, landed in Watford on Tuesday afternoon from England. These were brought on by Mr. John Farrell, special agent of the Ontario government, who came with the party. The newcomers are a fine, healthy-looking lot and will undoubtedly make good settlers. During the afternoon the office of the local immigration agent, Mr. Jos. H. Hume, was a busy place, many neighboring farmers having come to town to meet and welcome the people they had previously engaged to help them with their farm work, and take the newly-arrived to the country to begin life anew in a new and glorious land.

## BASEBALL

The double header played at the driving park on Monday afternoon between Strathroy and our local nine finished with honors evenly divided, Watford taking the first game by a score of 7-3 and the visitors landing the second by a 10-8 score. Owing to the inclemency of the weather the crowd was not as large as it should have been, but those who were in attendance received their money's worth. The games were very exciting and in spots fast, snappy ball was played. Stan Rogers was the local's choice to twirl the first game and pitched air-tight ball for three innings, when he had the misfortune to have his finger broken by being hit with a pitched ball. He was forced to retire, Waddell taking his place, who finished the game with gilt-edged pitching. Fisher, who occupied the mound for the visitors had the boys fanning the air for the first few innings, but when they got wise to his shots they hammered the pill to all corners of the lot. Batteries: Rogers, Waddell and Dodds; Fisher and Lewis.

The second game was a batting bee for both sides as is evidenced by the 10-8 score. It was even more exciting than the first, one side leading for a couple of innings, then the other, but Watford forgot to take the lead in the ninth, thus

losing by the above score. Good fielding was also in evidence on both sides, some hard ones being handled without a hitch. Waddell also pitched this game for the home team, and Pearce for the visiting team.

## The Late Mrs. D. M. Ross

Mrs. David M. Ross, mention of whose death was made in last issue, passed quietly away on Wednesday morning, May 21st, at her home on Simcoe street, after hovering between life and death for many days. She had been in failing health for several years. Mrs. Ross' maiden name was Rebecca Liddy and she was a native of Warwick township, having been born there on Aug. 26th, 1837. On December 9th, 1858, she was married to David M. Ross by the Rev. Deas, and they lived continuously in the township of Warwick until they moved into town several years ago. From the union six children were born, all of whom, together with her aged husband, survive her. The children are David, of Warwick; John J., of Brooke; Edward T., of Port Arthur; Mrs. Crone, Rouleau, Sask.; Mrs. Graham, Regina, Sask., and Miss Kate, at home. One sister, Mrs. D. Lamb, St. Thomas, also survives. Mrs. Ross was a woman who had many friends and made for herself an especial place in the hearts of her neighbors by many good deeds and kind acts which will not soon be forgotten.

The funeral took place on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, service being held at the house by the Rev. J. C. Forster, pastor of the Presbyterian church, and interment made in the Watford cemetery. The pallbearers were deceased's three sons and E. Lamb, C. Tanner and F. Kenward.

## PERSONAL

Miss Agnes Currie was in Detroit this week.

Burton Mitchell, Sarnia, was home for the holiday.

Miss Murel Taylor spent Sunday in Port Huron.

Mr. W. Waddell spent the 24th at his home in Forest.

C. H. Howden and family spent the holiday in Sarnia.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Parker were in Sarnia over Sunday.

Mrs. Harris spent Sunday with her sister in St. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Kerton spent Sunday with Sarnia relatives.

Miss A. Linglebach spent over Sunday at her home in Tavistock.

Mrs. Staley, Brownsville, was a guest at Mr. S. J. Saunders' this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Andrews returned from Rockford, Ill., on Wednesday.

Miss Smith, of the High School staff, spent Sunday at her home in London.

Mrs. King and daughter, London, were the guests of Mrs. (Dr.) Newell this week.

F. Haskett left Friday last for Toronto, where he has accepted a position in a drug store.

Mrs. Geo. Gibson, Detroit, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. Watt, last week.

Miss Lillian McKenzie, London, visited her friend, Miss S. C. McKenzie, over Sunday.

Mr. W. McDonald, of the Sterling Bank staff, spent the holiday at his home in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Restorick and Miss Pearl Restorick spent Sunday with Sarnia relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Bryce, of London, visited at Mrs. Jordan McGillicuddy's over Sunday.

Mrs. Farr and son Jack, St. Thomas, are visiting at J. F. Elliot's before leaving for Edmonton.

Mrs. O. W. Fuller, London, and Mr. Roy Fuller, Toronto, spent the holiday at Mr. W. S. Fuller's.

Mr. W. E. Fitzgerald is attending the unjurious sittings of the High Court, St. Thomas, this week.

Miss McLeod, Dundas, formerly of the High School staff here, spent the week end with Miss McCaw.

Miss Lily Shields and Mrs. Fred Shields, Strathroy, spent Monday with their niece, Mrs. D. G. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Fertney, Parkhill, spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Mal. McNichol, Huron St.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Howden, Miss Essie Howden and Mr. Norman Howden, London, visited relatives here last week end.

Miss Annie Laird, of Watford, spent the week end at the home of her mother, Mrs. R. Laird, here.—Wyoming Enterprise.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Apled and Mrs. Harry Ward and daughter Marion, London, spent the holidays with Mrs. L. Millar.

Mr. Rowland Whittet, Boston, Mass., was the guest of Mr. W. J. Howden this week. Mr. Whittet taught school in Watford many years ago.

Mrs. Tharne, Port Huron, Misses Annie and Lauretta Long, Listowel, and Mr. Wm. Long, Bayfield, were the guests of Mrs. T. Woodthith this week.

Mrs. Faugh, London; Dr. Lamb, Allan, Mich.; Mrs. C. Tanner, Sarnia, and W. G. Fraser, Petrolia, were among those from a distance who attended the

funeral of the late Mrs. Ross last week.

Mr. W. R. Davis, proprietor of the Mitchell Advocate, and his son, Mr. H. D. Davis, manager of that paper, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Matthews. Mrs. Matthews is a daughter of Mr. W. R. Davis.

## HERE FOR THE HOLIDAY

Leo. Dodds, Sarnia.

Fred Taylor, London.

Harvey Blough, London.

Miss Ethel Fowler, St. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Blough, Sarnia.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wise, Sarnia.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Nash, London.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Nash, London.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Cook, Toronto.

## WARWICK.

Miss Laura Wynne, Chatham, is home for the holiday.

Ern. Crummer spent the holiday with S. Birchall, 4th line.

Mrs. H. A. Cook, Toronto, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. McLeay.

Lorne James, Toronto, spent Sunday at the home of his father, Wm. James.

Mrs. J. Blain and daughter, Miss Lena Blain spent the holiday in Melbourne.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Miller, London, spent the 24th with their brother, John Miller, 4th line.

Mr. John Bryce has remodelled his barn by putting on a new hip roof. Jas. Craig did the work.

Mrs. David Grenlees and Miss Harriet McKinley, of Camlachie, spent the 24th of May at Miss Stella Craig's, 4th line.

Charles Cundick and George Cundick, London; A. J. Cundick, Picton; W. H. Cundick, Sombra; George Cundick, Toledo, O., and A. J. Lossing, Windsor, attended the funeral of the late Albert Cundick here on Wednesday.

The congregation of Grace Church, 4th line, Warwick, held their annual garden party on the grounds of Mr. and Mrs. W. Westgate on Wednesday evening, June 11th. An excellent program will be presented and a good time is anticipated.

The Warwick Village boys celebrated Victoria Day with a fine line of sports. In the forenoon the flag was raised on the new 82-foot pole and soon after dinner the calthumpian parade headed by a nigger band caused considerable amusement. Three baseball games were played resulting as follows: Arkona vs. Warwick in favor of Arkona; Staring Town Sluggers vs. Warwick, in favor of Warwick; and another game by picked teams. Through some slight misunderstanding the races did not come off. The day's sport was much enjoyed by all, and will likely be made an annual affair.

Albert Cundick, a former resident of Warwick, who some years ago moved to Sombra, died in the Sarnia hospital on Monday last after a long and painful illness extending over three years, aged 62 years and 11 months. The remains arrived in Watford in the 12:06 train Wednesday and were interred in St. Mary's church cemetery, Warwick Village, the same afternoon. Mr. Cundick was well known in this district and had many friends who regret his death. He leaves four sons, his wife having predeceased him last year. The funeral service was taken by the Rev. W. M. Shore, and the pall bearers were A. J. Cundick, W. H. Cundick, Geo. Cundick (Toledo), A. J. Lossing, Ed. Cundick and Geo. Cundick (London).

## BORN.

In Adelaide, on Sunday, May 23th, to Mr. and Mrs. John T. Chambers, a son.

In Warwick, on Wednesday, May 28th, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bryce, a daughter.

In Hobart, Ind., on Wednesday, May 28th, 1913, to Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Kenward, a son.

In Rosanquet (4th con.) on Thursday, May 8th, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hillborn, a son.

In Warwick, on Thursday, May 15th, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. Blmer O'Neil, a son.

In Brooke, on Wednesday, May 14th, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Alderman, a son.

In Brooke, on Friday, May 16th, to Mr. and Mrs. James McKinley, a daughter.

## MARRIED.

At the home of the bride's parents on Wednesday, May 21st, 1913, by the Rev. Jas. Foote, Mr. Geo. Ryland, of Iderton to Clara Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Ford, of Rosanquet.

## DIED.

In Forest, on Tuesday, May 20th, 1913, Elizabeth Springstead, wife of Mr. C. F. Smith, in her 64th year.

In Arkona, on May 21st, Mary, beloved wife of Abraham T. Augustine, in her 96th year.

In Rosanquet, on Sunday, May 18th, 1913, Ellen Rose, wife of Wm. Addison, in her 64th year.

In Ennisville, on Saturday, May 17th, John McCaw.

In Sarnia, on Monday, May 26th, 1913, Albert Cundick, of Sombra, aged 62 years and 11 months.

At St. Joseph's Hospital, London, on Saturday, May 24th, 1913, Reginald Gerald, dearly beloved and infant son of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Walker, aged 2 years, 7 months, 10 days.

Dunville Telephone Company have applied to the Railway Commission to increase the rentals of their subscribers from \$12 to \$15 per year.

At the Experimental Farm in Ottawa they have accidentally discovered a mixture that is sudden death on the caterpillar. It consists of a mixture of one part of pyrethrum powder and four parts common wheat flour, which, after standing for 24 hours, is dusted on the nests.

## WOMAN'S MOST SUCCESSFUL MEDICINE

Known All Over The World—Known Only For The Good It Has Done.

We know of no other medicine which has been so successful in relieving the suffering of women, or received so many genuine testimonials, as has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

In nearly every community you will find women who have been restored to health by this famous medicine. Almost every woman you meet knows of the great good it has been doing among suffering women for the past 30 years.

Fox Creek, N. B.—"I have always had pains in the abdomen and a weakness there and often after meals a soreness in my stomach. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done me much good. I am stronger, digestion is better and I can work with ambition. I have encouraged many mothers of families to take it as it is the best remedy in the world. You can publish this in the papers."—Mrs. WILLIAM S. BOURQUE, Fox Creek, N. B.



In the Pinkham Laboratory at Lynn, Mass., are files containing hundreds of thousands of letters from women seeking health, in which many openly state over their own signatures that they have regained their health by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, many of whom state that it has saved them from surgical operations.

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### NOTE AND COMMENT.

If Dr. Sturm gets that \$100,000 for promoting the sale of the Freidmann serum to a syndicate he will be another man willing to admit that in one sense the cure is a success.

"Canada buys more books per head than any other English-speaking country," says a London publisher who is visiting Canada. And he added, "The encouraging part of it is that so many serious books are bought."

It is a mistake to plant a poplar tree, a willow or a horse chestnut, near a sewer, as the roots run to the water and block the pipe. It cost a Windsor man \$60 to tear up his front lawn, and investigate a blocked sewer. The pipe was choked with the roots of a poplar planted less five years ago.

There is a solemn warning for the too exciting housewife in that story of the New Jersey man who drowned himself in an abandoned quarry leaving this note for his wife: "I can't beat carpets or clean house and it ain't no use of your trying to make me. When you read this I

**Every Woman**  
 is interested and should know about the wonderful **MARVEL Whiting Spray**. The new vaginal spray. Most convenient. Ask your druggist for it.

If he cannot supply the MARVEL, write to the nearest jobber—Windsor, Ont. Write for full particulars and directions to the jobber. **WINDSOR SUPPLY CO.** Windsor, Ont. General Agents for Canada.

hope you will give up your habit of cleaning house every time you hear a robin sing."

A London Medical authority issues a warning against steaming the face and against the use of greasy ointments, pore-clogging powders and shriveling lotions. It asserts that what the skin needs is a thorough douching with stimulating cold water, followed by a couple of minutes vigorous rubbing with a soft towel; that a skin so treated can defy the weather, the dust and the microbes.

Not long ago Dr. Bradford was talking one Sunday afternoon at the Harvard Medical School, and he spoke of the dangers of prosperity. He pointed out that while the well-to-do class protected themselves well against poisons from without, the laboring class were freeing themselves from poisons generated within by the perspiration which follows hard work. The man who need not work hard, and therefore does not exerting internal poisons upon the kidneys, hence their diseases along with obesity, gout, hardening of the arteries, etc. God meant man to sweat.

### Sports and Gambling

There is a common assumption that gambling must go hand in hand with professional sport. The baseball magnates, who are the keenest group of men who have ever got together to please the public, are convinced that there is no natural relation, in fact, that in the long run the one is the foe of the other. The other day they dismissed permanently one of their big umpires who had been seen to enter a professional gambling house. Gambling, should it turn to betting on the results of games, must very seriously incapacitate an umpire for his task. Any open gambling on the results of the games has always been effectively prohibited at baseball grounds. Even private betting on the grand stand they have done their best to interfere with. Now these managers have made a rule that no one known to gamble may enter a ball field as a spectator, and tickets are sold under such provisions that they may refuse admission to whom they see fit at the gate without explanation by simply returning the cost of the ticket. This is an uncommon attitude for managers of organized sport to take, and one that they must find it difficult to maintain at law, but it has been found the only way to keep the game clean, and the players honest. It would be a great advantage if those who are trying to run professional sport in Canada, either hockey or lacrosse, could secure as good a reputation for the honesty of their players and for the honesty of their teams in action, as has been secured by the baseball owners for their men.

### Sam Small's Idea of Home

Sam Small is not so small as his name implies when it comes to painting a pen picture of home. He says, and his words contain more truth than poetry, that home ought to be the brightest, happiest, cheeriest place under the sun, on the face of the earth. Every man shows what he thinks of his wife and children by the kind of home he puts them in. A man whose home is all out of whack, the blinds down and the doors off the hinges, the steps rotten—that shows character. The husband shows character by the exterior of his home; the wife by the interior. I don't see how some men can keep pious on what they get three times a day. Spurgeon includes all human miseries under "dirt, devil debt." I have been in houses where they had twenty-five hundred dollars' worth of silverware and fifteen cents' worth of grub. I would like to be able to digest silverware but I can't. I like girls who can play on the stove as well as on the piano. Many a man has been sent to a drunkard's grave by what he had been given to eat by his wife. You give a man a biscuit that would knock down a yearling, and he's got to get drunk or something else before night. If you've got a good wife, a good home and a good cow, you are elected, as the Presbyterians say.

Worms sap the strength and undermine the vitality of children. Strengthen them by using Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator to drive out the parasites.

## Laughter From A Scientific Viewpoint

A British scientist who has been making a study of laughter has prepared a list of things that happen when a person gives way to audible laughter. On each side of the throat he explained, there is an artery called the carotid. At the level of the larynx this divides; one branch which carries blood to the brain, is called the "internal"; the other, which performs the duty of distributing blood to the face, is called the "external." These two branches are joined by the ophthalmic artery at about the level of the eyes, forming between the eyes a sort of canal.

All this in turn brings the tears of laughter and makes literal the exclamation, "He laughed until he cried." It is this communication that is the cause of the close connection between the brain and the tear glands, and really acts the same in grief as in laughter, there being but little difference in the physical results between joy and sorrow.

In reality laughter is not an easy thing. It results in a great, although involuntary effort—an effort as great as though one were lifting a great weight—and in both cases the muscles of both the throat and stomach contract.

Now, when laughter is very hearty; when it is actually excessive, the whole body is convulsed, and this means that every muscle is contracted. Here is where people "double up" with laughter. Whether it is laughing or crying, the same thing happens, if it is an excessive motion—that is, the blood congests the tear glands, and these glands overflow, forcing out the tears.

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Luck means rising bright and early ere the lusty chanticleer starts his daily hurly-burly ringing on our drowsy ear; luck means always up and doing every moment in the day; luck means stern and hard pursuing of the duties on our way; luck means quick and sure forgetting of the things which matter not, of whatever starts us fretting till we get our collars hot; luck means everlasting bumping over every kind of mile; luck means taking every thumping with a glad-to-meet-you smile; luck means lots of perspiration; luck means many a weary climb; luck means being at the station just a bit ahead of time; luck means hitching all our wagons up to motive forces high; luck means shunning flasks and flagons, keeping thus our powder dry; luck means never leaving matches where we drop them on the stairs; luck means shoes with worn-out patches got in dodging easy chairs; luck means owning half a city ere it's on the railway map; luck means shunning all self-pity while we help some other chap; luck means watching what's before us as we journey down the street, harking to no Knockers' Chorus which upon the road we meet; luck means working like the dickens setting hens on first-class eggs, never counting up the chickens till we see them on their legs; luck means trying every inning for a smashing home-run hit, and, if we are struck out, grinning till the hoodoos farther flit.

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A tack hammer has been invented which is claimed to prevent a tack being driven in any but the right way. Experts have decided that the new diamond mines in German South Africa will prove productive for decades.

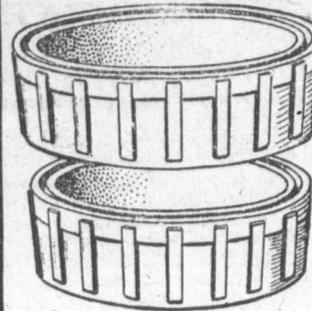
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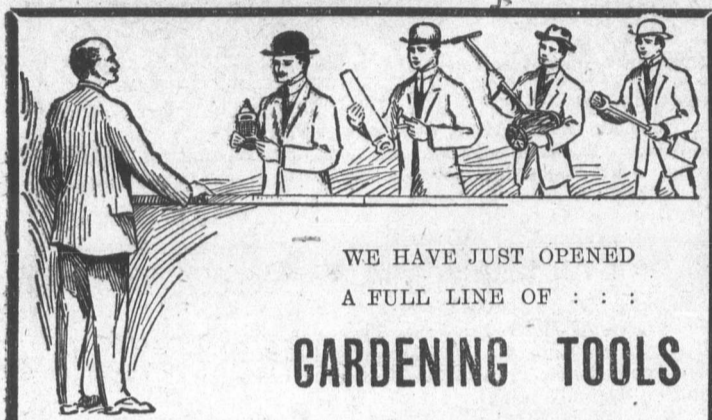
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### The Young Men's Christian Association Extending Its Activities

It is interesting to note that the Young Men's Christian Association is advancing another step in their great work of assisting young men. They are constantly reaching out far beyond their immediate membership, and are now doing a work which encircles the world in its effort to give the helping hand to any young men needing assistance.

A new department of the work recently organized in the Toronto Central Branch of the Young Men's Christian Association is one which should be known to everyone. It is a co-operative effort between the Christian churches and the Young Men's Christian Association in which they unitedly undertake to look after all young men coming to Toronto as strangers, putting them in touch with employment, good rooming and boarding houses, proper companions and with prominent young men of the church, etc.

"Key-men" are being appointed in every church in Toronto, men who assume the responsibility of looking up young men whose names may be sent to them by the Secretary of the work. "Key-men" are also being appointed in outlying municipalities whose duty it is to notify the Secretary of the Inter-Community work of any young man leaving his home town and for whom he is to work, etc. Information is also being sent in from many other sources in Canada, United States and the British Isles as to young men coming to Toronto, and hundreds are already being looked after.

Parents and friends of young men going to Toronto will be glad to know of this important move on the part of the Y. M. C. A. and the churches, and will, no doubt, take the opportunity of notifying the Secretary of the Inter-Community work. Mr. E. F. Trimble, at the Central Y. M. C. A., Toronto, of any friends going to Toronto to live.

We understand that, without any properly organized effort, the Central Branch of the Toronto Young Men's Christian Association has assisted in different ways more than 5,000 men during the year ending May 1st last, fully 1,000 of these being assisted in securing employment. That being the case, the possibilities for good in this new department, with the churches assisting in every way, are beyond calculation.

We are pleased to give this information to the public through the columns of our paper, knowing that by doing so we are assisting in one of the greatest movements the Young Men's Christian Association has ever undertaken.

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A school of dairying on an extensive scale is planned by the Argentine government.

The United States makes enough paper money each year to reach twice around the world.

### LATEST IN CINEMATOGRAPHY

Pictures Shown in Natural Colors Without Screen.

At the Scala theatre, London, Eng., will be shown the very latest thing in cinematography—a method known as kinoplastikon by which moving pictures in their natural colors are now shown without a screen. A trial run was made at the Scala theatre recently. There was no dark shadows on the faces of the actors, and no blurs or indistinctness. The figures moved and sang with a wonderful realistic effect, the figures being projected into space without screen or darkened stage.

The possibilities of the new method are almost endless. It has been proved possible to get records of living celebrities, and yesterday the audience were not quite sure whether or not they were looking at real actors. Every figure makes his or her entrance, performs his or her share, and goes out just as in an ordinary theatre. There is hardly any feeling that one is looking at a moving picture, and the stage is illuminated all the time. The idea underlying the invention has some relation to geometrical patterns and the adaptability of reflections. The name explains itself—motion photography in prismatic relief. To the onlooker the stage of the Scala theatre is almost an uncanny place. Kinoplastikon can only be seen at the Scala, the proprietors having secured the rights of this new invention, which promises to revolutionize cinematography.

### Crop Reports

Ottawa, May 14.—A bulletin issued today by the Census and Statistics Office records the condition of crops and live stock on April 30th as reported by agricultural correspondents throughout Canada.

It is estimated that in Ontario about 18 per cent. and in Alberta about 43.5 per cent. of the areas sown to wheat last fall have been winter-killed. These percentages represent a deduction of 261,000 acres from the total area sown to fall wheat, viz.:—1,086,800 acres; so that the area remaining to be harvested is now 825,800 acres.

The condition of fall wheat on April 30 was in Ontario 83.4 per cent., and in Alberta 76 per cent. of a standard representing the promise of a full crop, the corresponding percentages on the same date last year being 71.2 for Ontario and 76.2 for Alberta. For all Canada the condition on April 30 of this year was 82 per cent. of the standard representing the promise of a full crop, or 101 per cent. of the average yield of the past four years. Last year at the same date the corresponding figures were only 72.6 per cent. of the full crop standard and 87 per cent. of the average of the three previous years.

Spring seeding has made good progress throughout the greater part of Canada and was much further advanced at the end of April than it was on the same date last year. In the Maritime provinces seeding does not begin until May, but the weather was favourable and the indications were for an early spring. In Quebec there was also the prospect of an early season and about 12 per cent. of the total seeding was completed by April 30. In Ontario conditions were more variable but 40 per cent. of the total seeding was reported as finished. In Manitoba and Saskatchewan over 50 per cent. and in Alberta about 75 per cent. of spring wheat had been sown during the favourable weather of April. In Saskatchewan there is an apparent tendency to sow less wheat and devote more attention to dairying and mixed farming. For Quebec, Ontario and the three Northwest provinces the proportion of seeding completed on April 30 was for wheat 43 per cent., for oats 20.5 per cent., for barley 13.7 per cent. and for all crops 34.7 per cent.

About 22 per cent. of the area in hay and clover meadows is reported to have been winter-killed; but the average condition of these crops at the end of April was 49 per cent. as compared with 74.6 per cent. last year.

The condition of live stock remains generally satisfactory being for all Canada over 90 per cent. of a standard representing a healthy and thrifty condition.

### A MUSIC-LOVING RAT

Montreal's theatre going rat, which has been much in evidence around one of the big play houses during the season, had a merry time one night last week. His family sat on the stage and the chorus girls was not to the latter's liking. He put the music on the rough for the time, although the audience got a whole heap of fun out of the unannounced addition to the program.

The chorus was just at its height when a big grey rat—old and wise—shot into the stage from the wings. Judging from the commotion there he was being hotly pursued by some irate, blood-thirsty individual. Wildly he raced between the lines of the lightly attired dancing girls. There was something doing there in a moment. Steps were lost, music went cornerwise, some chorus girls laughed out, others wanted to scream. It was a complete mix-up for a few moments. If there is any docking for the error on the ladies' part, everybody on the stage will have to take the same medicine, for that gray rat put that number on the program out of business.

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**CHOP STUFF**

The branch of the Molson's Bank at Petrolia has been closed, owing to lack of patronage.

Closing the stores at 9 o'clock Saturday night is being advocated in Strathroy. Good move.

For the three months ending March 31st the production of oil from the Canadian oil fields was 49,730 barrels.

James Marr, a resident of Parkhill, for 21 years died last week, aged 86 years. He was a pioneer of McGillivray township.

J. M. Conway, of West Lorne, closed a \$15,000 deal with an Amherstburg fisherman last week for carp. This is without doubt the largest individual fish deal ever made along the north shore of Lake Erie.

R. G. Bruner, of Chatham, has invented an onion weeder, which is said to do well the work of ten or fifteen men. It is used as a small hand cultivator, the combs revolving across the rows, pulling out the weeds and leaving the onions.

Mr. Thomas Benstead, Strathroy, has again been asked to act as judge on roots and vegetables at the Western Fair at London this fall. Mr. Benstead has acted as judge in these departments at the Western fair for seven or eight consecutive years.

The Directors of the Oil Springs Oil and Gas Company Limited will apply to the village council for a franchise to lay mains along the streets of the village. As nearly every citizen of the place has stock in the Company there can be no doubt of their success.

Mrs. W. H. Richardson, of Essex, has been appointed to convey the greetings from the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church in Canada to the Pan-Presbyterian Council of women which meets in Aberdeen, Scotland, on June 20th.

W. H. Cherry, of Garnet, Ontario, is the proud possessor of the premier two-year-old champion cow of Canada, Peter Carnochan, late of the O. A. C. dairy school, did the testing and the results, seven days, 7.65 pounds of butter, 14 days, 42.70 and 30 days 89.43 pounds have never been equalled by any cow owned in the Dominion.

A beekeepers field day will be held on the premises of Mr. Stanley Rumpf, Theford, on Friday, June 6th, at 1.30. A qualified apary instructor sent out by the Department of Agriculture will show how to examine hives for disease, and will actually put a colony through the treatment for cure. He will also render old combs into commercial beeswax by means of the Sibley Wax Press. Other manipulations will then be shown, such as finding the queen, removing bees from supers, operating to prevent swarming, etc., etc.

Ridgetown's assessor is responsible for the statement that over eighty per cent. of the dogs in town are owned by rate-payers assessed for \$500 and under. He says he pointed out to one woman who confessed it cost at least ten cents per week to keep her dog, that it meant \$5.20 per year, or including the dog tax, \$6.20. With that sum, he informed her, she could pay for a daily paper, a town paper, be a member of the public library and have enough money left to buy a fat turkey for Christmas. The woman promised to get rid of the dog.

About five o'clock Saturday afternoon the barn of John O'Neil, Plympton township west, was struck by lightning and burned to the ground. The fire was noticed first by a nearby neighbor and he gave the alarm, but before any aid was secured the blaze was beyond control. The barn and sheds were completely destroyed and most of the implements except a few which were outside. The stock was all saved except three calves. There was a quantity of hay, straw and grain in the barn at the time. The buildings were partly covered by insurance.

Death came very suddenly on Tuesday of last week to Mrs. Shadrach Randall, of Egremont road, Plympton. During the past three weeks the deceased had complained of heart trouble, but no serious results were anticipated until Monday evening, when the symptoms became more acute and Dr. Brown, of Camlachie, was summoned. About 6 a.m. Tuesday her daughter, Muriel, who was alone with her at that hour, noticed a change for the worse, and phoned her neighbor, Mrs. Burnley, who hastened to the house, but ere she reached there life was extinct. The deceased, who was in her 47th year, leaves a sorrowing husband, two daughters, Miss Mabel, of Toledo, Ohio, and Miss Muriel, at home, and one son, Bruce, of Camlachie.

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**BROOKE**

Mr. Edward Totten raised his barn on Wednesday.

Miss Jane McLaughlin, of Alvinston, spent Sunday in Glencoe.

Miss M. Kerr spent a week visiting relatives in Wyoming and vicinity.

Mrs. Arthur Hume and Lillian visited at the home of D. McIntyre's over the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pollock spent the week-end at the home of Jas. Pollock, 12th line.

Mrs. J. McMurphy returned to her home in London, after spending the holidays with Mrs. W. S. Shugg, Walnut.

There will be service in St. James' church, Brooke, on Sunday afternoon at 2.30. Sunday school at a quarter to two.

The Ladies' Aid of Bethesda Methodist church purpose holding a strawberry social June 18th on Mrs. Wm. Moffatt's lawn.

Mrs. Gilbert Woods, Miss Bessie Hair and Miss Becca Moffatt have returned home from a very pleasant visit with Dr. and Mrs. Woods, Chelsea, Mich.

In the list of students who passed the third year Law School exams, published in last Thursday's daily papers, appears the name of Mr. G. M. Willoughby, of Walnut.

Dr. I. E. Annett spent Sunday at his home here. The doctor has located in Windsor, where he hopes to build up a lucrative practice. His many friends wish him success.

Wm. W. Gray, a farmer living on con. 2, three miles south of Alvinston, was found dead on the road opposite Alvinston cemetery with his overturned wagon lying across his chest. The accident must have happened about 10.30 o'clock Monday night. The body was not discovered until 8.30 Tuesday morning. Mr. Gray was about 40 years of age and leaves a wife and five small children.

A committee of the county council consisting of Reeves John McCallum, of Alvinston, J. P. McVicar, of Brooke, and J. McLean, of Plympton, last week examined the Sylvan bridge flats on the Aux Sables river up in the northern part of the county and also the county line between Kent and Lambton near the village of Florence. In both these cases the committee found the desired improvements much needed and are prepared to recommend that the flats road in each case be graded above high water mark.

This committee also investigated a complaint regarding the towline between Warwick and Plympton townships. In this case they did not see quite the same need of improvement.—Free Press.

**Daily Rural Mail Routes**

Leave Watford at 9.30 a.m., north by 18 sideline to Main Road, thence east to Wisbeach and townline Adelaide, north to second con., thence west to 18 sideline, south to Watford. Distance 21 1/2 miles.

Leave Watford 9.30 a.m., north by 18 sideline to Main Road, west to Warwick Village to townline Plympton, north to second con., east to 18 sideline, south to Watford. Distance 24 miles.

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A FINE brick dwelling house and several frame dwellings, all in Watford, for sale. A good farm in Warwick Tp. also for sale. Apply to W. E. FITZGERALD, Watford.

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- Three Black Suits in Coating Serge. Sizes 34, 36 and 38. Price \$20.00, Clearing at \$15.50.
- One only Grey Suit, blue box cloth trim. Size 36. Price \$21.50, Clearing at \$15.75.
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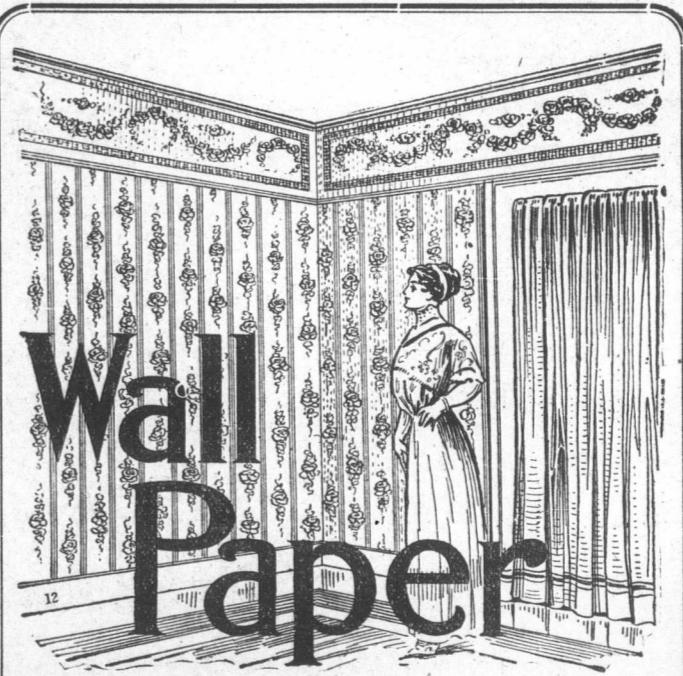
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**Interesting News Items**

St. Thomas, May 27.—Geo. Chapman, who for thirty years was station agent on the G. T. R. at Courland, was found dead in bed at his home, 35 Malakoff street here, to-day, by his sister. He had passed away during the night. He was seventy-three years of age and unmarried.

Charlottetown, P.E.I., May 27.—Gallean McInnis, aged sixty-four, a farmer of Northlakeville, near Souris, was choked to death last night by his cousin, James A. McInnis, aged forty, who caught hold of the older man, handled him roughly, pulled him out of bed, sat on him; then pulled him back into bed, squeezed him by the throat, and choked him till he died.

Brantford, May 27.—A sad fatality occurred yesterday, when little Bronie Slowak Valt, the three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Toni Valt, 66 Wadsworth street, met her death by being accidentally shot through the lungs by a small boy named Loscenski, at the home of the latter's parents, near Whiteman's Creek.



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**ARKONA**

Mr. and Mrs. A. Muxlow spent at Coldstream.  
Miss Lucy Waterman, Sarnia, is at her home here.  
Miss Rhodes, Toronto, is visiting friends.  
Several picnics from neighboring towns were held on the 24th.  
Mrs. H. J. Fair is visiting friends.  
Miss Bessie Knisley, Ailsa C. visiting her home here.  
Mrs. Sanford Lucas spent with friends in town.  
Miss Alice Keene returned to her home in London last week.  
Mr. Leonard Irwin, Simcoe, called on Arkona friends last week.  
Bibby's cream equivalent for Fuller Bros.  
Mr. Ivan Crawford, of London, the 24th at his home here.  
Mr. George Northwood spent in Theford.  
Mr. Harold Eastman spent with friends in Sarnia.  
See the handsome new dress series at Fuller Bros.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Augustine, were in town last week attend funeral of the late Mrs. Abrahamustine.  
Misses Stella and Alta Rook spent 24th with friends in Detroit.  
Miss Sadie Wood, Toronto, is in town.  
Mrs. Gillis McPherson, Jr.  
Rev. H. W. Wright, who has been spending the past two weeks in Toronto home on Friday.  
Miss Cummings, Toronto, is in town.  
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A full line of the latest styles of men's shoes at Fuller Bros. The shoe—the shoe that needs no "bushings."  
Mr. Malcolm McCall, of Forest, on Arkona friends last Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Herrington the 24th in town.  
Miss Scott spent the 24th with friends in Forest.  
Mrs. Bert Keyser returned to her home in Toronto last week.  
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 —Evening Sentinel, Arsonia, Conn. —Prof. K. Schindler, N.Y.

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 Several picnics from neighboring towns visited the Glenn on the 24th.  
 Mrs. H. J. Fair is visiting London friends.  
 Miss Bessie Knisley, Ailsa Craig, is visiting her home here.  
 Mrs. Sanford Lucas spent the 24th with friends in town.  
 Miss Alice Keene returned to her home in London last week.  
 Mr. Leonard Irwin, Simcoe, called on Arkona friends last week.  
 Bibby's cream equivalent for calves, at Fuller Bros.  
 Mr. Ivan Crawford, of London, spent the 24th at his home here.  
 Mr. George Northwood spent Sunday in Thorndon.  
 Mr. Harold Eastman spent the 24th with friends in Sarnia.  
 See the handsome new dress embroideries at Fuller Bros.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Augustine, Brooke, were in town last week attending the funeral of the late Mrs. Abraham Augustine.  
 Misses Stella and Alta Rook spent the 24th with friends in Detroit.  
 Miss Sadie Wood, Toronto, is visiting Mrs. Gillis McPherson, Jr.  
 Rev. H. W. Wright, who has been spending the past two weeks in Toronto, returned home on Friday.  
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 A full line of the latest styles in summer shoes at Fuller Bros. The Empress shoe—the shoe that needs no "breaking in."  
 Mr. Malcolm McCall, of Forest, called on Arkona friends last Friday.  
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 Miss Scott spent the 24th with friends in Forest.  
 Mrs. Bert Keyser returned to her home in Toronto last week.  
 Miss Effie McLeish, of Toronto, is visiting her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schmidt are spending a few days in Detroit.

Mr. Whittit, formerly a school teacher in the village, is renewing old acquaintances here.

A full line of McCormick's fancy cakes and sodas, at Fuller Bros.

Fuller Bros. wish to announce the millinery dept. closed for the season after June 14th.

The dedication services of the new Baptist church will be held Sunday, June 1st.

The Arkona stores will be closed on Wednesday afternoons after June 1st.

**A SAFE MEDICINE FOR THE BABY**

Baby's Own Tablets are a safe medicine for little ones. In fact they are guaranteed by a government analyst to be absolutely free from opiates or any of the drugs so harmful to the lives of little ones. The Tablets never do harm—always good and may be given to the new-born babe or growing child with equal safety. They never fail to cure constipation, indigestion, colic, break up colds and fevers and make teething easy. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

**KERWOOD.**

Mr. Geo. Dowding, of London, is spending a few days here with her son, Mr. Gilbert Dowding.  
 J. M. Brunt and Alex. Lyons left for the West on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Landsborough spent a few days with friends at Hyde Park.  
 Mr. R. A. Brunt, of Windsor, was a holiday visitor.

Mr. W. Leacock left for Detroit, where his sister, Mrs. L. McNeil, is dangerously ill with typhoid-pneumonia.

Mrs. Joiner has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Brandreth for the last few days.

Miss Ethelwyn Rogers spent the holiday under the parental roof.

Mr. Frank Wilson, of Chatham, visited his parents at the parsonage over Sunday.

St. Paul's Church, Kerwood, purpose holding their garden party on Friday evening, June 20th.

Miss Powell, graduate of McDonald

Institute will speak in the Oddfellows' Hall on June 11th, her subject being "Character Building" and demonstrating of plain and fancy sewing. A musical program will also be provided and lunch served. A cordial invitation is given to all ladies.

**MARKETS WATFORD**

GRAIN AND SEEDS—	
Wheat, fall, per bush...	\$ 85 @ \$ 90
Oats, per bush.....	30 30
Barley, per bush.....	45 50
Peas, per bush.....	75 75
Beans, per bush.....	1 25 2 00
Timothy.....	2 00 3 00
Clover Seed.....	7 00 12 00
Alsike.....	8 00 13 00

PROVISIONS—	
Butter, per pound.....	20 20
Lard, ".....	18 18
Eggs, per doz.....	20 20
Pork.....	13 00 13 00
Flour, per cwt.....	2 25 3 00
Bran, per ton.....	18 00 20 00
Shorts, per ton.....	25 00 25 00

MISCELLANEOUS—	
Wood.....	2 25 3 00
Tallow.....	6 6
Hides.....	8 10
Wool.....	13 20
Hay, per ton.....	9 00 10 00

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—	
Potatoes, per bag.....	1 00 1 00
POULTRY—	
Turkeys, per lb.....	17 20
Chickens, per lb.....	9 14
Fowl.....	6 9
Ducks.....	12 14
Geese.....	10 12

London.	
Wheat.....	\$ 95 to \$ 95
Oats, cwt.....	1 10 to 1 17
Peas.....	1 00 to 1 10
Barley, cwt.....	1 05 to 1 10
Butter.....	24 to 25
Eggs.....	20 to 21
Pork.....	13 00 to 13 00

**East Buffalo.**  
 East Buffalo, May 27.—Cattle—Receipts 50 head; firm. Veals—Receipts, 200 head; active and steady; \$6 to \$11. Hogs—Receipts, 2,000; active and 15c to 20c higher; heavy mixed yorkers and pigs, \$9.10 to \$9.15; a few \$9.20; roughs \$7.85 to \$8.00; stags, \$6.50 to \$7.25; dairies, \$8.90 to \$9.15. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 400 head; active, wethers and yearlings steady; others 15c to 25c higher; lambs, \$4.50 to \$7.50; yearlings, \$4.00 to \$6.25; wethers, \$6.00 to \$6.25; ewes, \$3.00 to \$5.75; sheep, mixed, \$5.75 to \$6.00.

**Toronto.**  
 Toronto, May 27.—The Union stockyards receipts for to-day were 169 cars, with 3,364 cattle, 256 calves, 857 hogs and 275 sheep and lambs.

The market was quite strong and active, with a heavy run of good butcher cattle offering of a high average in quality. Prices on the general run of good useful butcher cattle were steady to firm at last week's best prices, and with an upward tendency, \$7 and up being more frequently paid on good lots than a week ago. An extra choice load of heavy cattle, said to be the best in the market this season, was sold by Maytee & Wilson at \$7.32. Cows and heavy bulls were very firm.

Stockers and feeders are scarce and in good demand at \$5.75 to \$6.25. Good milk cows steady. Calves steady. Sheep and lambs steady. Hogs steady to firm at \$9.50, f. o. b., \$9.85, fed and watered, and \$10.10, off cars.

To-day's quotations.	
Export cattle, choice.....	\$ 7 25 to \$ 7 35
Butcher cattle, choice.....	6 25 to 7 10
do., medium.....	6 00 to 6 25
do., common.....	5 25 to 5 50
do., cows, choice.....	5 25 to 5 50
do., medium.....	4 50 to 4 75
do., common.....	3 50 to 4 25
do., bulls, choice.....	5 25 to 6 25
do., good bulls.....	4 00 to 4 25
do., roughs.....	3 00 to 3 50
do., feeders, 950 lbs.....	5 00 to 6 00

Feeding bulls.....	3 70 to 4 25
Stockers, choice.....	5 00 to 6 00
do., medium.....	3 00 to 3 50
do., light.....	2 75 to 3 00
Canners and cutters.....	2 00 to 2 50
Milkers, choice, each.....	50 00 to 75 00
do., com. and med.....	35 00 to 45 00
Springers.....	40 00 to 65 00
Calves.....	5 00 to 8 00
Lambs.....	7 50 to 8 50
Sheep, ewes, light.....	5 50 to 6 50
do., heavy.....	4 50 to 5 00
Bucks and culls.....	4 50 to 5 00
Hogs, fed and watered.....	9 80 to 9 85
do., f. o. b.....	9 50 to 9 60
do., off cars.....	10 00 to 10 10
Spring lambs.....	3 50 to 6 50

**Success in Life to Ladies**

often depends on good looks, and the hair plays an important part in the accomplishing of this object. Few ladies find that they have sufficient hair to accomplish what is required, as thin, broken, straight, coarse hair spotted with gray or yellow tints, prevent it. We advise all those thus afflicted to pay a visit to Prof. Dorenwend, of Toronto, who is noted as America's greatest Hair goods artist. He will be at Roche House Watford, on Thursday, June 12th. Call and have a free practical demonstration, of what he can do towards "Woman's Crowning Glory." With his wonderful devices of ladies' hair constructions, in TRANSFORMATIONS, SWITCHES, POMPADOURS, WAVELETS, BRAIDS, etc. He has a continental reputation to transform all ill-shaped heads, to an improved appearance, and transmit a soft and beautiful expression to the face. As no doubt he will be crowded with customers, while here, we advise ladies requiring hair goods to call early on day of visit.  
 Remember—the Roche House, on Thursday, June 12th.

**Brooke Farmer Drinks Carbolic Acid and is Found Dead**

The death occurred Saturday of Chas. Yorke, a farmer of Aberfeldy, from the effects of carbolic acid. Mr. Yorke went to Alvinston Saturday morning and on returning at 1 o'clock the team came home with him lying in the bottom of the

wagon. His wife unhitched and put the horses away, and, coming back to the rig, found Mr. Yorke in a dying condition. It is supposed that on his way from town he emptied the bottle of deadly poison. Mr. Yorke traded his farm a few days ago for a livery in Alvinston. Business troubles are supposed to have brought on the rash act. Mrs. Yorke is a daughter of Wm. D. Barrett, of Petrolia. One son, Russell, at home also survives.

**Sarnia Man Drowned in Lake Huron**

When the steamer Hamonic arrived at Sarnia Thursday morning the drowning of Charles Vanvalkenburg was reported to the authorities. The young man was employed on the Hamonic as a deckhand and about 8.30 o'clock Wed. night as the steamer was off Presque Isle he fell overboard in some unaccountable way and was drowned. As soon as the alarm of man overboard was given the steamer was stopped and boats launched in an effort to save the man's life. It was impossible to locate the young man in the darkness and he sank to a watery grave. Deceased was aged 22 years and was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Vanvalkenburg.

The death took place on Sunday, the 18th inst., of Ellen Ross, wife of Wm. Addison, 10th con. Bosanquet, in her 65th year. An illness extending over a long period was borne with marked Christian fortitude. Deceased was born in Caradoc, and was married to Mr. Addison in London 47 years ago. She is survived by her husband, six sons and two daughters, viz., George, of Wyoming; Peter and William, of North Ontario; Herbert, in British Columbia; John and Roy on the homestead; Mrs. Peter Campbell, Caradoc, and Mrs. Peter Caley, St. Marys. Seventeen grand-children are living. The funeral took place Wednesday morning from the home to the R. C. Church, Forest, thence to Beechwood cemetery. The service was conducted by Rev. Father LaBel, of London, and the bearers were four of the sons, George, Peter, John and Roy, and S. Clark and W. Gilliard. The sympathy of all is extended to the bereaved ones.

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"Marvelous Recovery" Montreal Man So Ill With Dyspepsia Thought He Would Die.

No more convincing evidence was ever put on paper than the following letter from one of Montreal's well-known citizens, Mr. D. R. Larose, of 238 Joliette street.

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A LEAP FOR LIFE.

It Saved Him From the Bear, but Trapped Him in Midair. STILL HIS LUCK HELD GOOD.

Swinging From a Broken Cable, With Death Almost Certain on the Floor of the Rocky Canyon Far Below, He Took a Desperate Chance and Won.

Some persons have more than their fair share of adventure. Of this fortunate—or unfortunate—class is Mr. W. G. Gilbert, the hero of an extraordinary experience told by Mr. R. J. Strong in the Wide World Magazine.

Mr. Gilbert had been exploring an unfrequented cave high up in the side of a deep canyon in Yellowstone park when he suddenly came upon a huge silver tip bear that showed unmistakable signs of displeasure at being disturbed.

The face of the canyon was almost a sheer precipice. To try to run down it was certain death, for if he did not make a mistake and go tumbling to the bottom before he had gone a hundred feet the bear would almost instantly overtake him.

A short distance away was the platform of an old aerial tramway that had been used to carry ore across the canyon to the other side.

With a shrill cry, for the bear was most upon him, Gilbert sprang forward and, with every muscle set, leaped out from the platform toward the bucket, the edge of which he just managed to grasp with his fingers.

He struggled hard to raise himself and climb in, but for a long time the swinging bucket thwarted every effort. Finally he got a leg over the edge, laboriously clambered in and sank exhausted to the bottom.

Balked of his prey, the angry bear began to claw and tear at the slender cable. In some way the animal touched the big wheel over which the cable ran.

Suddenly there was a tearing, snapping sound, and several strands of the rust eaten, weather beaten cable parted. The bucket sagged downward sickeningly.

Looking out, Gilbert saw that only half a dozen strands now sustained the weight of the bucket. If they should part he would be dashed down upon the rocky bottom of the canyon, fully 200 feet below.

It was a serious predicament. The cable might part under his weight at any minute, or the bear might strike the twisted wires a hard blow, which would almost certainly break them.

Fortunately for Gilbert a party of men passing near by heard his call and hurried to his rescue. But when they saw his plight they were at a loss how to save him.

It was a desperate chance for life, but it was his only one. Carefully, without a single unnecessary motion, he stood up in the bucket, grasped the rope, clambered over the side and began to lower himself.

a member being refused a loan for want of security and fined for not borrowing the money.—London Tatler.

Why Hair Turns White. The color of the hair is due to iron. which is picked up by the cells of the hair follicle in the little factory in the skin where hairs are made.

Great works are performed not by strength, but by perseverance.—Johnston.

EDDYSTONE LIGHTHOUSE.

Tragic History of a Famous Old World Beacon.

The romance of lighthouse construction undoubtedly centers around Eddystone, as long ago as 1696 Winstanley commenced building. Two years later the weak beams of light from the tall candle pier pierced the darkness.

This chance came on Nov. 26, 1705, when on a storm appearing imminent he set out from Plymouth. The hurricane was one of the most terrible recorded in history.

The obvious occurred after an existence of forty-seven years, it being utterly destroyed by conflagration. The next Smeaton's was of stone and lasted until 1831, a period of 130 years, when it was found that it was being undermined and a new structure, the present and fourth, was erected on an adjacent rock.

In medieval times the usual illuminant was a coal or wood fire in an open grate, which gave a fairly good light on a breezy night.

The lights not only warn the mariner of the proximity of the shore, but also give him a clue as to where he is. This is chiefly done by dimming or "shuttering" of the light for a few seconds.

Writers are always fond of dilating upon the commonplace origin of remarkable inventions. Still another instance of their accidental nature—and a most interesting one—is given by Noel T. Methley in "The Lifeboat and Its Story."

In the course of a country stroll William Wouldhave, the inventor of the self righting lifeboat, came across a woman who asked his help in lifting a heavy vessel of water just drawn from the well.

It is an experiment that any one can readily make for himself. All you require is the fourth part of a hollow "prolate spheroid," or, to put it in more homely language, the quarter of a coconut shell split from end to end.

Any child knows that if you cut up a broken rubber ball you get five or six nice little round bottomed, high ended boats. It remained for William Wouldhave to discover that these are all little self righting lifeboats.

American Gardens. Speaking one day at a color conference, in which pictures of the beautiful gardens and statuary at Versailles were shown, Carroll Beckwith, the artist, made a comparison between the methods of French and American landscape architects.

"The French are better gardeners," he said. "They have a lighter touch."

The trouble with Americans is that when they make gardens they often call in graveyard sculptors and architects. The result is that our formal gardens sometimes look like cemeteries.—New York Post.

Statement Time. When the mail man passed Johnny Jones said to Willie Green: "Look; I think he is going into your house."

"Yes," said Willie; "we get lots of letters. Sometimes we get as many as three at one time."

Naturally. "He flushed when I perused his countenance."

Well Taken. "The points in Bluks' speech were well taken, I thought."

Precaution is better than repentance.—Greek Proverb.

The Thrift of Glasgow. Glasgow sets a splendid example of thrift and enterprise to the other cities and towns of Great Britain.

Newton's Fearful Crime. At the end of a meal at Haydon's house Keats proposed a toast in these terms: "Dishonor to the memory of Newton."

Frugality. "John, dear, it's too bad that we have to pinch and save and economize on everything we buy."

The Stronger Influence. "Which do you think appeals more generally, art or literature?"

A Toast to the Girls. A health to the girl that can dance like a dream.

Hard and soft corns both yield to Holloway's Corn Cure, which is entirely safe and certain and satisfactory in its action.

How's This For an Easter Egg. Carl Nicholas, who will soon remove from the Winter Palace, St. Petersburg, to the imperial residence at Peterhoff, 16 miles west of the Gulf of Finland, has been permitting certain favored persons to see the wonderful jeweled Easter egg which he added to the czarina's collection.

Home Dyeing Has no secret for me - It's simply my delight. Even Professional Dyers can equal my Perfect Results that become sure.

CITY CIRCULATION AGENT

Of Leading Montreal Daily Endorses GIN PILLS. I have long years of suffering from Kidney Trouble—two boxes of GIN PILLS—and it's all gone.

"I had been suffering from Kidney Trouble for over five long years, I had also Rheumatism in all my bones and muscles, could not sleep nights and on some occasions could hardly walk."

EUGENE QUESNEL. GIN PILLS are gaining a world-wide reputation, by the way they conquer the most obstinate cases of Rheumatism and all kinds of Kidney Trouble.

COURT OF REVISION

THE COURT OF REVISION OF THE VILLAGE OF WATFORD will be held in the COUNCIL CHAMBER FRIDAY, MAY 30th, 1913.

COURT OF REVISION

THE COURT OF REVISION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WARWICK will be held in the Town Hall, Warwick Village MONDAY, JUNE 9th, 1913.

FARM FOR SALE

OF 12 ACRES, 12 ENNISKILLEN, 75 ACRES, about ten acres bush, balance a good state of cultivation.

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Woman Hot flashes—dizziness feeling and ill of it. The female disturbs should have immediate female constitution.

Dr. Pierce's for more than 40 years of women year after year. This wonderfully pure particularly to the organ overworked business woman of a family—all 40 years has demonstrated.

THE Largest and most modern Length 500 feet, breadth 95 feet Magnificent Steam Daily—Cleveland Leave Cleveland Arrive Buffalo.

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Flour, Oatmeal, Flaked Wheat, Feed, Grain. We have the following you close prices on SUNRISE, FIRE FIVE ROSE ROYAL HOUSE HORTON HARVEST QUEEN GOLD DUST RED ROSE, Hg NEW ERA, Sp.

SUSQUEHANNA THIS IS RECOGNIZED A WE GUARANTEE A QUOTE AS FOLLOWS: Nut Coal \$6.00 Furnace Coal.

Planing Mill We have so 4x White Cedar Sh. Established 1870.

### Woman's Danger Signals

Hot flashes—dizziness, fainting spells, headache, bearing-down feeling and ills of a kindred nature—are nature's danger signals. The female disturbance or irregularity back of these calls for help, should have immediate care and attention. Otherwise the delicate female constitution soon breaks down.

### Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription

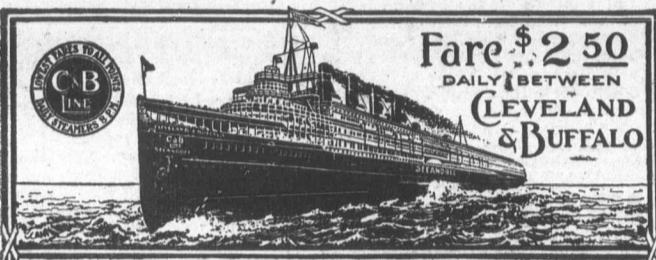
For more than 40 years has been lending its health restoring aid to thousands of women year after year throughout its long life.

This wonderfully successful remedy imparts strength to the entire system—particularly to the organs distinctly feminine. Nerves are refreshed. The "stale", overworked business woman, the run-down house-wife, and the weary care-worn mother of a family—all will gain strength from this famous prescription which 40 years has demonstrated its effectiveness—in liquid or tablet form.

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Write Dr. R. V. Pierce's Specialists at the Invalids' Hotel—Correspondence Strictly Confidential—and no charge.

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We have the following brands of Flour always in stock and can give you close prices on any quantity.

- SUNRISE, First Patent from Manitoba wheat
- FIVE ROSE do do do
- ROYAL HOUSEHOLD do do do
- HORTON do do do
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- GOLD DUST do do do
- RED ROSE, High Grade Blended Flour
- NEW ERA, Special Pastry Flour

Get our Prices. They will surprise you. Telephone or leave your order. It will receive prompt attention.

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- Nut Coal \$6.60
- Furnace Coal \$6.25
- Stove Coal \$6.25
- Pea Coal \$5.75

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We have some extra good Cedar Posts.

4x White Cedar Shingles. 3x Red Cedar Shingles. Metal Shingles.

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### Why You Get Sleepy in Church

Do you know why sermons make you sleepy? Because you hypnotize yourself, says a German professor.

Have you ever wondered why it is that you do get so sleepy in church that you sometimes think you are going straight off into a Rip Van Winkle slumber?

It is because you are too attentive. It isn't because the air is bad, the sermon is stupid, or anything of the kind. The more faithful and zealous you are the sleeper you can get.

The reason is that you gaze too hard on the preacher and hypnotize yourself. You are so attentive that you get yourself in an unnatural state and then suddenly you find that you are hopelessly sleepy and cannot remember what you have heard.

"In the early part of the service," the professor says, "there is variety—singing, reading, and so forth—but the sermon itself is utterly unbroken. Your head and body are in one position, your eyes are fastened on one point, all conditions perfectly favorable for self-hypnotism."

Apparently from the trend of the professor's remarks, the only conclusion we can draw is that, as the more attentive one is the less he hears, it would really pay one to give less attention and learn more.

The comfort of it all is that the professor proves that it is really not our fault if we cannot remember that text.

### Britain's Rising Trade

Mr. Lloyd George was so hopeful of the continuing prosperity of British trade that he refused to increase the figure of taxation altho faced with a deficit of \$30,000,000 at the end of the current fiscal year. This he expressed his confident anticipation would be met by an expanding revenue and a corresponding advance in taxation returns. The month of April has given solid ground for his optimistic outlook, exports having increased by over \$50,000,000 over those of the corresponding month of 1912. Of the increase the chief amount was due to larger exports of manufactured goods. This goes far to discount the constant assertion made in the United States and to a lesser extent in Canada, that Britain is a declining factor.

### The Beef Scarcity

The truth about the price of meat is the subject of an important article by Mr. Edward Marshall in The Housewives' League Magazine. Mr. Marshall was commissioned specially to learn the cause of the alarming rise in prices during recent years and to ascertain the effect of the monopolistic control of the market by the great packing companies. He declares that the prime cause of high prices is not manipulation but scarcity.

Since 1907 the beef cattle supply has shown a steady decline from 51,566,000 to 36,030,000. In the same period the population has increased by ten millions. Further, the shortage is world wide. Exports from the Atlantic ports to Europe have practically ceased. South America has had a series of droughts, and a variety of epidemic diseases, so the herds in that part of

### INDIGESTION FIVE YEARS

Relieved by Vinol.

Strength and even life itself depends upon the nourishment and proper assimilation of food, and unless digestion is good, the whole body suffers.

Mrs. L. D. Cook, Vineland, N. J., says: "I was sick five years with indigestion. My stomach seemed to have a heavy load in it, and at other times it seemed to be tied in knots. Nobody knows how I suffered."

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We know the great power of Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron tonic without oil, in curing chronic stomach trouble and building up all weakened, run-down persons, and that is why we guarantee to return your money if it does not help you.

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THE PERFECT SHOE for SUMMER SPORTS

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Made in Smart Styles, Suitable For Every Outdoor Occasion

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### Prices of Staple Skins

Below is a comparison of average prices of skins for the years 1882 and 1910, showing the great increase in value in 29 years. The figures are culled from the government report on fur-farming in Canada.

	1882	1910
Lynx	\$ 4.87	\$38.85
Red Fox	3.11	16.55
Mink	.73	6.34
Muskrat	.15	.87
Opossum	.16	1.95
Stone Marten	1.43	6.66
Black Fox	.632	2628.00
Sea-otter	.584	1703.33

A powder puff which folds and clasps until it resembles a purse is a novelty for feminine use.

### Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

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### GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM

TIME TABLE.

Trains leave Watford Station as follows

GOING WEST	
Accommodation, 27	8 44 a.m.
Accommodation, 29	2 45 a.m.
Chicago Express, 5	9 27 p.m.
GOING EAST	
Ontario Limited, 46	7 46 a.m.
Accommodation, 28	12 03 p.m.
New York Express, 2	3 00 p.m.
Accommodation, 30	5 16 p.m.

C. VAIL, Agent Watford.

### STAGE LINES.

WATFORD AND WARWICK STAGE LEAVES

Warwick Village every morning except Sunday, reaching Watford at 11:30 a.m. Returning leaves Watford at 3:45 p.m. Passengers and freight conveyed on reasonable terms. C. BARNES, Prop.

WATFORD AND ARKONA STAGE LEAVES

Arkona at 7:45 a.m. Watford at 8:45 a.m. Returning leaves Watford at 3:45 p.m. Passengers and freight conveyed on reasonable terms.—WILLIAM EVANS Prop.

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with premium \$1.85

Weekly Mail-Empire with premium 1.85

Weekly Farmers Sun 1.85

Weekly London Free Press 1.85

Weekly London Advertiser 1.65

Weekly Globe 1.85

Northern Messenger 1.40

Weekly Montreal Witness 1.85

Hamilton Spectator 1.85

Weekly Farmer's Advocate 2.35

Daily News 2.50

Daily Star 2.50

Daily World 4.00

Mail and Empire 4.00

Morning London Free Press 4.00

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An Insurance Policy Goes With Each "King" Hat. If you wear one of these celebrated hats for one year and it does not give you Entire Satisfaction, bring it back to us and we will refund your money or give you a New Hat. You, Mr. Wearer, are to be judge and jury. A Shape For Every Face, and you can depend upon it, that these shapes are correct in every detail.

**Youths' and Boys' Felt and Straw Hats**—Opened this week—in Natty Styles. Felts at 50c. to \$1.25. Straws, 25c. to \$2.00.

**MEN'S SUMMER UNDERWEAR AT SAVING PRICES**

The "Corker," as its name implies, is an Extra-Good Garment for the money—Well Made Fine Balbriggan—at 25c. per Garment.

Men's Extra Fine Balbriggan—Made From Pure Egyptian Yarn—in Long or Short Sleeves—50c. per garment.

Men's B. V. D. Underwear—Good Quality Linen—Combination or Separate Garments, in long or short sleeves, and knee or full length drawers—Combinations, 75c. to \$1.00 per suit; Single Garments at 50c.

Natur Wool Underwear, in summer weight, at 50c., 75c., and \$1.00 per garment.

Boys' Balbriggan Underwear, in long or short sleeves, at 25c. per garment.

**Wash Goods For Warm Weather Wear**

**Radium Foulards**—The most popular goods for summer wear—looks like but wears better than silk. Comes in spot, stripe and fancy patterns in all the new shades, also in bordered effects, at 25c. per yard.

**Plain Voles**—A light weight sheer goods—Comes in all the wanted shades, at 25c. per yard.

**Bedford Pique**—A most servicable fabric and the one you have been reading so much about in the fashion journals—Comes in tans, linen, white, blue, black and cadet, at 18c. per yard.

**WHITE GOODS ARE POPULAR**

We have never shown such an assortment of popular white wash goods.

Vestings at 15c, 20c and 25c

Bedford Cords at 18c and 25c.

Shau Su Repp at 20c.

Piques at 15c, 20c, 25c and 35c.

Shamrock Poplins at 20c and 25c.

**Irish Linen Pongee**—An ideal fabric for ladies' and children's wear, comes in linen, blue, pink and tans, 25c. per yard.

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**PURE BLOOD MAKES HEALTH**

**Disorders of the Blood are Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills**

If people would realize the importance of keeping the blood rich and pure there would be less sickness. The blood is the medium through which the nourishment gained from the food reaches the different parts of the body. If the blood is impure the nourishment that reaches nerves, bone and muscle is tainted with poison and disease follows. The blood is also the medium by which the body fights off disease. If the blood is poor and watery this power of resistance to disease is weakened.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People build up the blood. They increase the vitality of the body to resist disease. The strengthen the nerves, increase the appetite and cure every disease caused by thin and impure blood, and that embraces such diseases as anaemia, indigestion, neuralgia, nerve exhaustion, rheumatism, and many other. Every claim made for this medicine is amply proved by the grateful testimony of those who have been cured. Here is one instance. Mr. Jas. Sauger, Peterboro, Ont., says: "I began to be troubled with dizzy spells. These were especially noticeable in the morning on rising and were accompanied by a feeling as if my body had taken on two or three times its weight during the night. When I went out of doors everything would suddenly seem to get topsy-turvy for a few moments, and I would apparently see specks floating in front of me, and for a while I could hardly drag myself along. This feeling at first lasted only for a few minutes, but as time went on the duration of the spells seemed to increase. Whilst during the day I would be suddenly attacked with dizziness compelling me to hold on to something until the feeling passed. I had in the meantime been taking various blood tonics, as I was convinced my condition was due to my blood being out of order. None of these, however, seemed to have any permanent effect. For a little while I would be fairly well, but as soon as I quit using them the attacks would come back with renewed vigor. One day I came across an advertisement of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and decided to try them. I soon noticed a more decided improvement than I had felt before. The dizzy spells were becoming less frequent and less violent, and by the time I had taken six boxes I was well again. From former experience I had some fears that the trouble might return, but now, four months after discontinuing the use of the pills, I have no return of the trouble. In fact I never felt better than I do now, and I think nothing can equal the Pills as a blood medicine."

The Pills are sold by all medicine dealers or be had by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

advantage of the farmer as well as to the prosperity of the Province.  
H. A. MACDONNELL,  
Director of Colonization,  
Toronto.

**Annual Meeting of C. C. W. B. M.**

The 8th annual meeting of the London Branch of the C. C. W. B. M. was held in the Forest Congregational Church on Friday, May 23rd. There were three sessions for the day.

The morning session was for the arranging of the different committees, and the rest of the time in singing and prayer, after which dinner was served in the basement.

Devotional hour in the afternoon was led by Mrs. (Rev.) Whitmore, of London, taking as her subject, St. John 17:15 dealing principally with prayer. It was a beautiful subject. President Miss Rawlings presided. After hearing the different reports from each branch, which were very encouraging, the officers were appointed for the year as follows: President—Miss Rawlings, Forest.

Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Whitmore, London. Treasurer—Mrs. M. Dudley, London. Secretary—Mrs. Cody, Embro.

Supt. of Leaflet—Miss Horton, London. Supt. of Reading—Miss Jennie Smith, Forest.

Systematic Giving—Miss Hyde, Stratford. Supt. Associate Members—Mrs. McCormick, Kingscourt.

Mrs. Livingstone, Forest, gave the address of welcome to the delegates, and Mrs. McCormick replied. There was a good paper given on "Selfishness" after which a duet was sung by two little girls and was much appreciated by all.

Rev. Canon, of Forest, closed the meeting with prayer. Lunch was then served. The evening meeting was led by the pastor, Mr. Cannon, of Forest. After the choir sang an anthem and the offering taken, Rev. K. Stevenson, of Watford, gave an address on South America taking as his subject "Brazil." There is great need of missionaries in that field.

Nurse Halpeuny, of the Northwest mission, was present and dealt with her work in the west, among the different people there. There were delegates from Stratford, Embro, London, Toronto, and Watford present.

**From Old Subscribers.**

Mrs. J. Rogers, Bay City, Mich.:—Enclosed find renewal subscription for your paper. We would scarcely know how to get along without the weekly messenger from the old home town. We note with a degree of sadness the passing of so many of the old pioneers, who in earlier life did so much to make your community what it is to-day. May your paper live long and keep their memory green.

Sheep in Dunwich are suffering from pneumonia.

**AMERICA'S GREATEST HAIR-GOODS ARTIST**

**PROF. DORENWEND OF TORONTO "IS COMING"**

To the Roche House, Watford, on Thursday, June 12th



to replace hair on the heads of ladies and gentlemen who have lost their hair. By his beautiful, natural hair constructions, which are known all over the world, Every Woman and Man can be made to look younger and have the natural protection to the head, which means Health, Comfort and Good appearance.

"LADIES" do not miss this Opportunity. See his transformations, switches, wavylets, pompadours, full wigs, curls, etc.

**THE DORENWEND SANITARY PATENT TOUPEE GENTLEMEN (who are bald)**

protect and adorn your bald head with human hair. In order to have a conception of the wonderful achievement in the art of hair constructing, every bald man should call and see the large sample stock of "HAIR TOUPEES and FULL WIGS" which Prof. Dorenwend will be showing.

A FREE DEMONSTRATION IS EXTENDED TO ALL COME AND BRING YOUR FRIENDS TO THE ROCHE HOUSE, WATFORD, THURSDAY, JUNE 12th.



Will also be at:—Sarnia, Vendome Hotel, Mon., Tues., June 9th and 10th; Petrolia, Proquios Hotel, Wed., June 11th; Stratroy, Queen's Hotel, Friday, June 13th.

**Warm Weather is Coming**

- Richmond Refrigerators \$9.00, \$12.00, \$16.00
- New Perfection Oil Stoves \$8.00 to \$15.50
- Ice Cream Freezers . . . \$2.25 to \$3.50
- Screen Doors (any size) . . . \$1.00 to \$1.75
- Screen Windows . . . 15c. to 35c.
- Lawn Mowers . . . \$3.75 to \$6.00

This is the Famous Brockville Mower and will please you, as it cuts evenly and runs easily.

**The N. B. Howden Est.**

**MAIL CONTRACT**

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 27th June, 1913, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails on a proposed Contract for four years six times per week over RURAL MAIL ROUTE FROM WATFORD (WARWICK WAY) LAMINGTON E. R., ONT., from the Postmaster General's Pleasure.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Watford, Warwick, and at the Office of the Post Office Inspector at London.

G. C. ANDERSON, Superintendent. Post Office Department, Mail Service Branch, Ottawa, May 15th, 1913. m23-3t

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**Mail Fair Dates**

- The Western District Fair Association have fixed the following dates for the fairs of that circuit:—
- Strathroy . . . . . Sept. 15-17
- Petrolia . . . . . Sept. 18-20
- Parkhill . . . . . Sept. 24-25
- Wilmington . . . . . Sept. 25-26
- Wyoming . . . . . Sept. 26-27
- Bridgen . . . . . Sept. 30
- Alvinston . . . . . Oct. 2-3
- WATFORD . . . . . OCT. 7-8

Mrs. Wm. Lawson, of Petrolia, slipped on a banana skin on the street last Saturday and fell, breaking her wrist.

**TO THE FARMERS OF ONTARIO**

A Few Hints to Help Solve the Labor Question

Realizing that one of the most urgent needs of the farmers of our Province is an adequate supply of farm labor, the Colonization Branch has been endeavoring to meet that demand by bringing men from Great Britain and Ireland and placing them with farmers in this Province. During the past few years several thousand have been brought out and placed in this way. Instead, however, of the demand lessening, it seems to be increasing. Our observation and experience convince us that while there may be many explanations of this regrettable fact, the one outstanding reason is the practice of employing men for six or eight months of the year and then turning them out to find situations elsewhere for a balance of their time. This works out in such a way that the men who have been employed on the farms now seem to gravitate to towns and cities in the winter months and remain there, with the result that the farmer is compelled to start over again the next spring in his efforts to secure help.

Having regard to these facts, I beg to make the following suggestions, the adoption of which we are satisfied would go a long way towards relieving the stringency which exists at the present time:

(1) First and foremost, arrange to employ a man by the year. We have found that the farmer who employs his help by the year, especially if he is able to supply a house and a small piece of land, is the farmer who has the least trouble over the help problem. It is the better way for the man as well as for the farmer. If you feel your work does not warrant the employment of a man the year round, you might be well advised to consider the question of taking up a few more branches of farm work or handling additional live stock, and in this way we feel satisfied you would more than make up the extra cost of the help.

(2) Do not be too exacting about getting an experienced man. Experienced farm laborers are rare at the present time, as there is a large demand for them in the Old Country as well as on this side. If you take an inexperienced man, recognizing that he is unfamiliar with the conditions and methods in this country, and devote a little attention to training him for a few months, you will find, in nine cases out of ten, that he will prove very useful to you. Being reasonably generous in the matter of treatment and wages is essential if hired help is to be retained.

We beg to submit these suggestions to the farmers of the Province feeling satisfied that they are acted upon, the results will redound to the personal

**WALL PAPERS**

SEE OUR SAMPLES BEFORE MAKING YOUR SELECTION

Many of our patterns which are getting low are reduced in price to clear out in short order.

If it's not convenient for you to come down phone or send for one of our sample books.

**J. W. McLAREN**  
DRUGGIST STATIONER,  
Issuer of Marriage Licenses  
The Rexall Store

**Volume XXXII**

**LOCAL HAPPENINGS**

**Welcome to Watford**

Come in the evening. Or come in the morning. Come when you're broke. Or come without warn. A thousand welcomes. You'll find here before. And the oftener you come. The more we'll adore you.

**JUNE.** The month of brides and brides. We have the shirts you need. WATFORD MARKETS.—Butter 20c., wheat 85c. to 90c.

MISS MAY HARRY, of Sarnia, week end with Mrs. P. J. Dodd.

MRS. G. W. KINDER, of Stratford, visited Watford friends this week.

MR. A. WHITE, of Port Huron Sunday with his cousin, P. J. D.

SPECIAL in ladies' fall black 1 1/2 pairs for 25c.—A. BROWN & CO.

J. J. SPACKMAN has had his son Ontario street raised a couple weeks.

WORKMEN commenced laying on the ground for the armory on last.

THE local companies will annual training at London ca 18th to 27th.

REV. JOHN GIBSON, formerly forl, has been appointed rector ora, Ont.

JUNE, the month of roses a blossoms.—SWIFTS.

MR. HARVEY WHITCROFT, Mich., visited at S. J. Saund week.

W. E. FITZGERALD is in Toronto attending the meeting of Grand C. O. C. F.

The first wedding in the new Church will be solemnized on 27th morning next.

BROWNS' clearing sale of mill day. Read their advertisement.

MRS. (DR.) CHALMERS, Oil spent the week end with Mr. Front street.

MRS. R. N. McVICAR and Mr. Marwick, of Alvinston, spent Su the latter's home.

THE annual conference of the District Methodist church is in London this week.

MISS OLIVE ARMSTRONG, of London, is spending a few weeks at the home of Mr. Wm. Marwick.

New bands for your last year's "SWIFTS".

WITHIN a few months all train Grand Trunk Railway System dispatched by telephone.

MR. THURSTON was called to wall, Man., on Thursday thoo serving illness.

S. STAPLEFORD is in Toronto week attending the meeting of the C. F. as delegate from Watford.

LADIES' and misses' wash from \$1.00 to \$12.00.—A. BROWN

REV. H. E. CURRIE and Mr. Taylor are attending the Methodist conference in London this week.

MISS SHIRLEY KELLER left on day for an extended visit to Detroit, Sandusky and Clyde.

DR. H. S. MONKMAN, Veg. Alta., made a call on Watford Thursday afternoon of last week.

Mrs. LAWRENCE left Wed morning on an extended visit to friends and relatives in the West.

YOUR two-piece suit at SWIFTS the latest in hats.

MISS MAE TAYLOR, of Regina, spent a few days last week with Mrs. S. Stapleford, Ontario street.

JUNE brides will find various styles of invitations and wedding boxes at the Guide-Advocate office.

MR. BRUCE MARWICK and his Ward Zavitz, attended the opening Arkona Baptist church on Sunday.

Keep your hens at home. Neighbors' invitation to "drop in friendly" does not apply to your pen.

EVENTUALLY you will wear Century. Why not now?—A. J. & Co., Sole Agents.

REGULAR meeting of Court Lor O.L.F., Monday evening next. R. C. M. of Moose Jaw, who w Watford was an active member Court, will be present and address brethren.

The following obtained first-classificates at the faculties of education Toronto:—Olive W. Burton, M. Coke, Walter M. Hobbs, Wm. Humphries, Mabel C. McGuga Annie M. Tanner.

EXPERTS say that dehorning a really a humane act. A cow in the same sentimental regret at 1 with her horns as a man does w shaves off his moustache in the but that is about all.

BARGAINS in short ends of car SWIFTS'.