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Jewellers report wrist watches going out of style. They had their time.

Disarmament can never be wholly effective unless it includes the jingo press.

The saddest words of tongue or pen: "When does school start up again?"

The bright side of the Russian revolution, as we understand it, is the outside.

It isn't piety that urges men to make an end of wars. Necessity is the mother of prevention.

The chief complaint of some men these days is that in dodging one tax they get hit by another.

There are many ways to touch a mother's heart, but referring to her baby as "it" isn't one of them.

If it wasn't for ill manners, some people would have no way to show the world how important they are.

King George is willing to have his income cut down. So would we be had we that kind of an income.

The only thing that has fewer friends than a wart is the man who brags that he is a knock-out with the ladies.

It is announced that Mr. Dempsey is considering a tour of Europe. One may go to the battlefields now without being in danger.

Women's ears are reported due to return, but the dear, sweet things could always hear the right question even if they had no ears visible.

The dignified Mrs. B., built in England for the United States navy, will sail on August 25th. Its date of arrival will be announced when it gets across.

It cost a man \$65 to smoke in Zion City, but it would seem that a normal man would deserve some punishment for being there even if he did not smoke.

The Iowa detective, who says he has found A. J. Small, is as sure he has the right man as that Verona constable was. One of them, at least, must be mistaken.

We do not know where the long cigarette holder originated, but we are willing to wager that it was in some country where the wearing of whiskers is a habit with smokers.

Reports now show the city boy to have the better of his country cousin in the matter of health and educational advantages. But the country lad still has the old swimmin' hole.

The hot weather that damaged grain crops is said to have been so beneficial to the turkey crop that there will be an abundant supply of the Thanksgiving birds. Another of those "bright sides" that cheer us up.

The city engineer has done a fine paving job on Clergy and Ontario streets. Now if he will only patch up Union street from Barrie to Alfred and from Wellington to Sydney, motorists will rise up and call him blessed. These blocks are in a terrible condition.

A STRANGE SITUATION.

Soviet Russia, finding a state of famine existing in the country, has appealed to the United States for relief, and the appeal did not fall on deaf ears.

A MARKET FOUNTAIN.

The Whig has in the past directed attention to the unsightly condition of market square, a condition that has been emphasized by the beauty of the city hall buildings.

IRRESPONSIBLE AGITATORS.

One of the speakers at the returned soldiers' meeting in Macdonald Park on Wednesday evening last was Rev. E. H. Burgess, pastor of Zion Presbyterian church.

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News of the Names Club. Will Rev. Louis O. Bury, of Pittsburg, please let us know if he makes a specialty of funerals. We, now and then, let a dead one into the club, and we may need his services.

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