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Mildmay Market Report.
Carefully corrected every week for the GAZETTE:
Fall wheat per bu..... 82 standard
Oats..... 27 to 27
Peas..... 53 to 53
Barley..... 40 45
Potatoes..... 8 to 10
Smoked meat per lb..... 9 to 9
Eggs per doz..... 15 to 15
Butter per lb..... \$5 50 to 6 00
Dressed pork.....

Glebe & Sealing's Market.
Wheat..... 82 to 82c bus
Peas..... 53 to 53
Oats..... 27 to 27
Flour, Manitoba..... \$8 00 per cwt.
Family flour, No. 1..... \$2 50
Family flour, No. 2..... \$1 60
Low Grade..... 80c
Bran..... 60c
Shorts..... 70c
Screenings..... 65c
Chop Feed..... 90 1.10
Cracked Wheat..... \$2 40
Graham Flour..... \$2 40
Ferina..... \$3 00

The Leading Shoe Store.
is prepared this fall to give special value in
Boots, Shoes and Rubbers...
We have bought them right direct from the makers at the lowest prices and are selling them at the
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We never before were able to give better values in all lines. Our experience has taught us the needs of shoe wearers and we have been very careful in selections.
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Huntingfield
A couple of our boys were seen going East up Donney Street on Sunday night.
Fritz went up as far as the rink on Sunday night but we know not how much further, as it was getting dark.
R. says he goes back to Mr. H's on the 4th concession. Nothing wrong with this is there boys?
Any one in need of a good young dog would do well by calling at Mr. Martin Haskins'. He says they are good ones.
Quite a few of our townspeople attended the marriage of Mr. Walter Pomeroy of our town to Miss Tilda Jane McConnell of Lakelet. They report having had a good time. We join with the many friends of the young couple in wishing them long life and prosperity.

Lakelet.
There were a great many hogs passed through here on Wednesday to Clifford. They were all bought by Mr. W. Pomeroy, of Huntingfield at \$4.40 per cwt.
Messrs. T. Scott and Chas. Ruttan are going to try their hand at cheese making this summer. They will be employed by Myles Scott at the Ford-wich factory.
The promotion examinations from second and third to higher classes were held in Huron on 24th and 25th ult. There were about 20 pupils successful from this school.
The maple syrup making season was of short duration this spring. There was not very much of the sweet fluid made, but no telling what may come yet, as this is another winter.
Tom Bennett has a jackass in the cart at present, and by its side a goat. It is a wild looking affair. Any of the towns contemplating a callithumpian procession on the 24th should speak in time and secure Tom and his span.
The farmers are all having a holiday now. Everything presents a Klondike appearance as far as frost is concerned. In the majority of cases, there is scarcely any plowing done here, and of course no one would be foolish enough to sow grain yet. Up to the time of this cold, frosty weather, the fall wheat here looked first-class.

There are quite a number sick in our community. Mrs. Taylor of the 15th con. was seriously ill but these days appears to be improving. Mrs. James Wright, 17th con., is quite poorly at present. Mr. Francis Clegg, 13th con., has been ill for a month, but is at present on the mend. We trust they may all soon be convalescent.

In many of the local papers, we see during the past week, where many of the correspondents have been brought to task for some offence that they have given. It has been your correspondent's experience while acting in that capacity that while words of praise and long sentences of puff—matters not whether it is quite true or not—is written, all is fine. If, however, a harmless insinuation, or an item containing a dig at the same party is written, then, Oh my look out! However, we presume a dressing down does us good occasionally, and in all likelihood it will not be the means of our being a shorter time in this world.

"Merry was the feast and long" that took place at the residence of Mr. Robt. McConnell, of the burg, on Wednesday last, when his daughter, Tilda Jane, was united in marriage to Mr. Wat. Pomeroy of Huntingfield. The bride looked gay in a gown of cream cashmere with suitable trimmings, and was supported by Miss E. Pomeroy, sister of the groom, while Alex., brother of the bride, assisted Wat. The Rev. Mr. Hurvey of Clifford, was the officiating clergyman. After the usual congratulations, an excellent tea was partaken of by the throng which numbered some 70 or 80. The rest of the evening was spent in games, chat, and some of the boys "hoed it down." A variety of useful presents evinced the popularity of the contracting parties. Mr. and Mrs. Pomeroy will take up their abode in Clifford where we trust happiness and contentment may be their portion.

Darling's Corners.
The farmers around this vicinity are busy plowing these days.
There is a wedding on hand on the 6th con. Look out for particulars next week.
Miss Mary Kueneman from Buffalo is visiting at Mr. George Fischer's (this week).
Miss Johnston, teacher S. S. No. 7, Sundayed with her aunt, Mrs. John Darling.
Miss Sutherland, teacher, and Miss Johnston of your town gave our Corner a visit last week.
Mrs. Michael Lehman had a quilting bee last Monday and the girls reported they had a glorious time.
Miss E. Richie of Howick made a call at Mr. Thos. Darling's on Thursday for the benefit of the musical talent of our town.
Mr. Clendenning, school inspector, made his half-yearly visit at our school and was well pleased with the progress the children are making under the instruction of Mr. Lowish.
We notice that the McGann & Darling company have started up their saw and chopping mill again this spring and the roads are just moving with farmers' wagons loaded with grain and chop.
As the happenings of our Corner have not been reported for some time I thought I would drop you a few gleanings this week to let you know that we are still to the front, wishing you, Mr. Editor, all success in your new home.
The young ladies of our vicinity will be sorry to learn that Felix has cancelled his engagement with John Darling, and accepted a more lucrative situation with a builder and contractor out west, but don't fret girls, he'll come back again.
A meeting of the Carrick and Howick fresh beef union was held in the school house on Tuesday night for the purpose of making arrangements for the carrying out of the season's operations. The meeting was well represented and all expressed themselves well satisfied with the union. Mr. C. Johann is to be butcher for another season. The first animal is to be killed on the first Monday of June.
A disastrous flood on the Ohio River completely wrecked Shawneetown in Illinois last Sunday night. The Government Levee about a mile above the town gave way and an immense stream of water from 12 to 20 feet deep, swept over the town, washing the houses away in its course, and carrying a large part of the population to a terrible death. It is reported that 500 people have perished in the flood and the most appalling distress is prevalent among the survivors. The town is completely destroyed and not enough good food to make one good meal for the saved. Relief is being rushed in by trains from neighboring cities and towns but it is hard getting in supplies on account of washouts. It seems that the Level of the River is about 15 feet above the town and enormous banks are required to keep the water from flooding the place, and the giving way of the bank above the town caused the terrible disaster.
An exchange gives the following which may be of use to our readers: Every little while we read in the papers of some one who has stuck a rusty nail in his hand, knee, foot, or some other part of the body, and lockjaw resulted therefrom, of which the patient died. If the patient was aware of the remedy for all such wounds, and applied it, all such reports would cease. The remedy is simple, always on hand can be applied by anyone, and what is better it is infallible. It is to smoke the wound that is inflamed with burning woolen cloth. Twenty minutes of the smoke of wool will take the burn out of the worst case of inflammation arising from a wound. People may sneer at the remedy as much as they please, but when they are afflicted just let them try it. It has saved many lives and much pain, and it is worthy of being printed in letters of gold and put in every home.

FOREIGN NEWS.
The insurrectionists in the Phillipine Islands have met the fate which the Cuban rebels have defied as yet. The troops have killed thousands of the natives, including women and children. A rebel meeting in Manila was interrupted by the civil guards, who took 60 prisoners, and shot the unfortunate on the same day without a trial. For the present, the rebellion has been suppressed.
Great Britain has broken some records. The aggregate gross receipts from Imperial and local taxes for the fiscal year, which ended on March 31, were £118,016,894, or \$580,081,570. That is an increase of \$19,068, over the receipts of 1896-7. The total amount of capital offered to the public during the first quarter of 1898 is now \$200,000,000, the largest in many years. The ship-building boom is unprecedented. Orders have already been received at the Clyde for a tonnage almost double the whole output of 1897.
The Zola episode has the usual aftermath of recrimination. M. Clemenceau who acted as counsel for the newspaper, Aurore, in the Zola trial, now accuses the Minister of War, Gen. Billot, of attempting to coerce the Court of Appeal to sustain Zola's conviction. The lawyer says he surprised Gen. Billot in conversation with the president of the court, and when he remonstrated, Billot replied: "You are preparing the way for a revolution, of which you will be the first victim."
The Queen Regent of Spain seems to emulate the famous Zenobia of Palmyra. When she was interviewed by the Spanish Cabinet Thursday, on the war situation, she said: "I received from my husband a heritage for our son, and will never agree to have that heritage curtailed." Senor Sagasta, Prime Minister, speaking of it afterwards, said: "We went in, seven men, to see one woman, and emerged seven women, leaving a man inside." Meaning that they went in disposed to yield, but that the Queen's patriotism and firmness inspired them.

A Little Mixed.
The queerest courtship I ever heard of was told by an old man, whom I shall call Fairfield. I will as nearly as possible describe in his own words:
Robin was a steady, hard-workin' lad, till all of a sudden he seemed lazy loike, an' when I axed him what wur the matter w' him, says he: "I doesn't know disactly, but ever sin' I seed Molly Grundy, at church I ha' felt all over in sic' conflagration loike."
"Why, ye beant in love, be ye?"
"I can't say for sartin, but I does think Molly bees in love w' I."
"Then you mun mind your P's and Q's, for she ha' money. But did she speak to ye."
"Es, to be sure, an' said I wur a pratty lad."
"What did you answer?"
"Why I—I—Jaift."
"But said I, 'you should ha' made loove to her.'
"What be I to say?"
"I'll tell ye: just say this:
"O, thou most incomparable of thy sex; thy eyes of diamond light have pierced my heart's core; thy cheeks are carnation red, thy lips like coral, thy alabaster skin, thy teeth, good lack I and graceful mien, have burned up all the particles of my heart. Deign then to dispense thy passions on me alone, thy faithful swain, thou irresistible and adorable woman."
When he got to Molly Grundy's, he dropt on both his knees, scratched his head, and proceeded to make such a blunder that he lost Molly and her money too. He said: "Oh, Molly, feather ha' sent me here to dress ye. Oh, thou most unbearable of my sex, Thy eyes dimmed light and pierced my heart sore; thy cheeks are dagnation red; thy lips like mackerel; thy plaster skin, thy teeth so black, and hateful and mean, have burnt up all the articles of my heart; feign then to expand thy passion on me alone, thy hateful swine, thou detestable and deplorable woman."
And poor Robin has never had courage to go a wooing since.

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