

THE MILD MAY GAZETTE

DEVOTED TO THE INTERESTS OF EAST BRUCE AND EAST HURON.

Terms:—\$1 per year in advance; Otherwise \$ 1.25.

ADVERTISING RATES.

	One	Six	Three
	Year	months	months
One column.....	\$30	20	\$15
Half column.....	20	15	10
Quarter column.....	15	10	5
Eighth column.....	10	5	4

Legal notices, 50 per line for first and 4c. per line for each subsequent insertion.  
Local business notices 5c. per line each insertion. No local less than 25 cents.  
Contract advertising payable quarterly.

COUNTY AND DISTRICT.

The Local Option fight is on in Owen Sound. There are 800 appeals to be heard by the County Judge in the voters' list court.

A new insect is said to be at work in the apple orchards of Ontario, and several complaints have been sent to the fruit division at Ottawa regarding it. The injury is described as follows: "A hole is cut through the skin and the tissue is scooped out, usually to the depth of about one-eighth of an inch or less. Quite frequently when the injury is made when the apple is young it heals over, leaving a decided depression in the apple which renders it somewhat unsightly.

Crossley and Hunter, the evangelists, who have been preaching daily in Cobalt, have expressed both from the pulpit and to the press, their astonishment at the high standard of morals they find in this mining town. The co-operation of the people in church work ranks among the highest, they declare, and while they have heard of the existence of "blind pigs" they have not seen half a dozen drunken men in the two weeks they have been there.

A farmer in Iowa once sent his boy to town with a sack of potatoes, and after lingering around town all day he came home without selling them. When asked why he had not sold the potatoes, he answered: "No one asked me what I had in my sack." There are many merchants like that boy. They have plenty of goods to sell, but fail to tell what they have in the sack. If business men expect to make sales in this day and age of the world they must open their sacks and expose their goods to public gaze and be continually shouting their merits.

Some wise guy once said: "Time is Money," and this has been repeated time and time again. There are exceptions, however: Sometimes time is money and sometimes time isn't. If you buy anything on time, time isn't money, and when a culprit is doing time there is not much money in it. We have been waiting a long time for some of our money and still we have more time than money, and so on—time is not money excepting you invest in a gold watch or marble clock, and sometimes not even then.

An Irishman one day went into a barber shop to get shaved. After being properly seated and the lather being about half applied, the barber was called to an adjoining room and was detained for some time. The barber had in his shop as a pet, a monkey, which was continually imitating its master. As soon as the latter left the room the monkey grabbed the brush and proceeded to finish lathering the Irishman's face. After doing this he took a razor from its case and stropped it and then turned to the Irishman to shave him. "Stop that!" said Pat. "Ye can tuck the towel in me neck and put the soap on my face, but begorra yer father's got to shave me."

The main factory of the Morris Piano Co., Listowel, was totally destroyed by fire early Saturday morning. The blaze was discovered by the night watchman in the fourth floor, the origin being a mystery. The building used for the tuning and readjusting departments and general offices was only slightly damaged. The loss will probably amount to \$75,000, and is largely covered by insurance. About 75 men are thrown out of employment, a regrettable thing at this season of the year. The company have not announced their intentions as to rebuilding.

Twenty years ago when Walkerton was being staked out for a city, the late George Gould thought he would beautify that portion of the West Ward where he resided, by planting 21 shade trees. According to an old by-law, which we believe is still in force, he was entitled to 25c. for each tree planted. Being in easy circumstances he never billed the town for the amount. The trees however grew, Mr. Gould died, and the matter was almost lost track of. Fortune was not as kind as formerly to his aged widow, and she felt the need of this uncollected money. She therefor billed the town on Monday night, and although the Statute of Limitations voided her claim, yet the councillors decided not to screen themselves behind the law, and generously paid the account, which amounted to \$5.00.—Bruce Times.

THE GREAT SCHOOL

CENTRAL Business College  
STRATFORD, ONT.

Our past record and our present grade of work stamps us as the great practical training school of Western Ontario.

We have three departments:—  
COMMERCIAL  
SHORTHAND  
TELEGRAPHIC

Our graduates are in demand as Business College teachers as well as office assistants. Individual instruction. Enter now. Large catalogue free. Write for it.

Elliott & McLaughlin,  
PRINCIPALS.

FARMS FOR SALE

In order to wind up the estate of the late Noah Wenger, of the Village of Ayton, Township of Normanby, County of Grey, the following farm lands are offered at private sale.

Parcel No. 1 consists of parts of lots 14 and 15, Con. 9, and part of lot 14, Con. 10, Township of Normanby, comprising 167½ acres, of which 60 acre is a good hardwood bush. The buildings are a good bank barn, 72 x 82 ft, centre posts 36 ft high. Stone stabling underneath capable to accommodate 50 to 60 head of cattle and 8 to 10 horses. A good frame sheep stable and wagon shed, a good pig stable and a good frame house. A strong spring of fine water near buildings, so that neither pump nor windmill is necessary.

This parcel is bounded on West by G. T. R. and Ayton station in said R. R., and North by Saugeen River and Village of Ayton, on East by Wenger's Mill pond.

Parcel No. 2 consists of East part of Lot 16, Con. 9, Township of Normanby, comprises 50 acres, half of which is bush.

This Parcel is bounded on West by Wenger's mill pond, on North by Village of Ayton, on east by Sideroad. No buildings on this parcel, having heretofore been farmed with parcel No. 1. These lands are good warm soil and do not require draining.

There are many advantages with these lands, such as nearness to Station, to mill, to market, to good school and churches, etc., fuller particulars of which and other advantages will be given by letter to intending purchasers on enquiry.

Apply to Aaron Wenger, Ayton P.O., or to  
A. G. Campbell, Bar., Harriston } Execu-  
H. H. Miller, M. P., Hanover } tors.

Twenty-one persons have lost their lives in forest fires in Michigan.

Conductor Chas. P. Clark was caught while making a coupling at Hanover, and killed.

Fully one-half of the business portion of Stettler, Alberta, was destroyed by fire. Leslie Miller was asleep in one of the stores and lost his life.

The Yankee politicians complain that the baseball situation has absorbed all the enthusiasm of the nation, to the detriment of the Presidential quinquennial blowout. Everybody talks baseball. The Republican fans say it will be "Three strikes and out for Bryan," and the Democrats retort that "Taft will never reach first base," and so it goes on.

An editor died and slowly wended his way to where he thought a warm reception awaited him. The devil saw him and said: "For many years thou hast borne the blame for errors the printers have made in the paper. The paper has gone, alas, for \$1, and the \$1 has often failed to come in. The printers have deviled thee on Saturday night when thou hadst not a cent to thy name. Men have taken the paper without paying for it and then curse thee for not getting out a better one. Thou has been called a dead beat by all passenger conductors when thou hast shown thy annual pass to envious gaze. All these thou hast borne in silence. Thou canst not come in. Heaven is thy home. And besides if we let you come in here you would continually dun delinquent subscribers,—for — is full of them,—and thus create discord in my kingdom.

A farmer in a neighboring county says he has adopted a plan of advertising in the home papers which has saved him much valuable time and brought handsome returns for the money invested. He says: "when I am ready to sell I insert a little advertisement in the local paper telling what I have to sell, and if livestock, how many head of each, and when they will be ready to ship and the result is that the buyers are right after me either personally or by mail; and naturally I always get the highest market. If I wish to buy a horse, a steer, a cow or a dozen of each, I insert a little advertisement which costs may be 50c and instead of travelling around the country inquiring of my neighbors who has this or that for sale, the home newspaper does it for me at small expense, and those who have what I want manage to let me know in some way."

AT THE  
CORNER STORE, MILD MAY.



Having sold out my entire business to Helwig Brothers, the store will be closed for stocktaking on

Wednesday, - Thursday

and Friday of next week

the 28th, 29th & 30th of October

Remember the dates and arrange your shopping accordingly.



FARM PRODUCE TAKEN SAME AS CASH.

J. O. HYMMEN

General Merchant.

"How's yer husband after the accident, Mrs. Ginnerty?"

"Faith, sumtoines he's better an' sumtoines he's worse, but frum the way he swears and yills an' takes on whin he's better, Oi think he's better whin he's worse."—Puck.

Mrs. Regan—Shure, a dhrop now an' thin is a comfort; but, Mrs. Hinnessy, ar'n't ye afraid ye'll get th' habit?"

Mrs. Hennessy—Niver a bit. Me ould man's been drinkin' ut stiddy these forty years past, an' he's niver got th' habit.—Puck.

Mr. Jas. Bryan has returned from Vancouver, B. C., and has commenced his duties as Fruit Inspector, having recently been appointed to this position. He speaks in glowing terms of B. C. and is much pleased with his new home and surroundings at Vancouver.



Needless Waste

Of time and energy can be avoided by the use of our Classified Want Ads. Time and energy represent good dollars in this age. Do not exhaust them in an aimless search for good help. Use our Want Ads. and the help will come to you.

PANDORA

RANGE

Train up a girl in the way she should bake, and when she is married she will not depart from it.

"My mother taught me how to bake, and told me why she always used a McClary Range.

"Now I have a 'Pandora', and, as with mother, my troubles are few. After fire is started, I simply bring thermometer to desired heat and leave the oven in charge of the baking. It's built for faithful service.

"While housewives with other ranges are poking fire and changing dampers, I sit and read the 'Joy of Living'."

McClary's

London, Toronto, Montreal, Winnipeg, Vancouver, St. John, N.B., Hamilton, Calgary.

C. LIESEMAR & SON, - MILD MAY