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PAID UP CAPITAL \$6,000,000. RESERVE FUND \$2,600,000.

**THE Merchants' Bank OF CANADA**  
Has established a Branch at  
**MILDMAY, ONTARIO.**  
Open on Tuesday's and Friday's  
Weekly, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.  
Drafts Issued on all points in Canada.  
Savings Bank Department.  
Interest Allowed on Deposits.

**W. E. BUTLER, Mgr.**

HENRY TORRANCE, CLIFFORD, ONTARIO  
Licensed Auctioneer for W. Kingston, Bruce  
and Huron, is prepared to co. all sales en-  
trusted to him. Terms moderate. Orders left  
here will receive prompt attention.

**OTTO E. KLEIN,**  
Barrister, Solicitor etc.  
MONEY to loan at lowest current rates  
Accounts collected  
Office: Over Merchants' Bank  
WALKERTON ONT.

**A. H. MACKLIN, M.B.**

Graduate of the Toronto Medical College, and  
member of College Physicians and Surgeons,  
Ontario. Winner Silver Medal and Scholarship  
Office in rear of the Peoples' Drug Store.

**R. E. CLAPP, M.D.**  
Physician and Surgeon.  
GRADUATE, Toronto University and member  
College Physicians and Surgeons, Ontario.  
Residence, Flora St., nearly opposite the Elec-  
tric light plant. Office in the Drug Store, next  
to Merchants' Bank. MILDMAY.

**J. A. WILSON, M.D.**  
HONOR Graduate of Toronto University  
Medical College. Member of College of  
Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario. Office—  
Front rooms over Moyer's Store—Entrance from  
Main Street. Residence—Opposite Skating  
Rink. MILDMAY.

**DR. J. J. WISSER,**  
DENTIST, WALKERTON.  
HONOR Graduate Department of Dentistry,  
Toronto University; Graduate Royal Col-  
lege of Dental Surgeons of Ontario, will be at  
the Commercial Hotel, Mildmay, every Thurs-  
day. Prices moderate, and all work guaranteed  
Satisfactory.

**C. LOUNT, L. D. S., D. D. S.**  
SURGEON DENTIST, WALKERTON.  
Will continue to conduct the practice of the  
firm of Hughes & Lount, at the office always  
occupied by them in Walkerton.

Special attention will be given to Gold Filling  
and preservation of the Natural Teeth. Nitrous  
Oxide, Gas, and other Anesthetics for the  
painless extraction of Teeth.

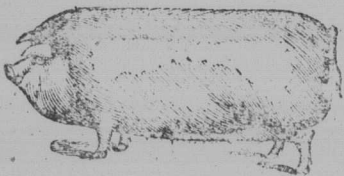
**W. H. HUCK, V. S.**  
MILDMAY, ONT.  
GRADUATE OF ONTARIO VETERINARY COL-  
LEGE. REGISTERED Member of Ontario Medical  
Association. Also Honorary Fellowship of  
the Veterinary Medical Society.  
Calls promptly attended to night or day.

**James Johnston**

Issuer of Marriage Licenses.  
Conveyancer  
MONEY TO LOAN  
On Mortgages on Farm Property  
From 5% up  
Insurance Agent.  
Township Clerk's Office.

MILDMAY, - ONT.

Snow Ball, No. 1077.



Imported Chester White Swine  
purchased from the prize winning stock  
of Ontario. Stock for sale at all times  
at reasonable prices. Visitors welcome.  
H. P. DONALD  
Huntingfield P. O.  
Ontario.

## Mildmay Market Report.

Carefully corrected every week for  
the GAZETTE:  
Fall wheat per bu..... 65 to 67  
Oats..... 28 to 29  
Peas..... 64 to 65  
Barley..... 35 to 38  
Potatoes per bushel..... 50 to 60  
Smoked meat per lb, sides 10 to 16  
" " " shoulders 8 to 8  
Eggs per doz..... 14 to 14  
Butter per lb..... 14 to 14  
Dressed pork..... 14 to 14  
Dried apples..... 5 cents per lb.

## Glebe & Seiling's Market.

Wheat..... 65 67 bus  
Peas..... 64 to 65  
Oats..... 28 to 29  
Flour, Manitoba..... \$2 25 per cwt  
Family flour, No. 1..... \$1 90  
Family flour, No. 2..... \$1 30  
Low Grade..... 1 00  
Bran..... 70c  
Shorts..... 70c  
Screenings..... 70c  
Chop Feed..... 85 1.10  
Cracked Wheat..... \$2 10  
Graham Flour..... \$2 10  
Perina..... \$2 25

## C. WENDT...

Mildmay and Wroxeter.

I have replenished my stock and you  
will find a fine assortment of

**GOLD FILLED & SILVER WATCHES**  
**CLOCKS, FINE GOLD WEDDING**  
**RIFG, R. P. CHAINS, BANGLE PINS**  
Brooches, Cuff Links, Collar  
Buttons, Thimbles, Silverware,  
Studs, G. Filled Spectacles &c.  
Every article will be sold at  
Rock Bottom Prices.

## Fancy Goods, Chinaware &c.

Large stock, good assortment in  
Albums, Photo holders, Ladies' belts  
and Pins, Shell Hair Pins, Dressing  
Combs, Side Combs, Purses, Bill  
Books, Pipes, Crochet Hooks, Tail-  
or Needles, Mouth Organs, Violins  
and Strings, Autoharps, Accordeons

Vases, China Cups and Saucers,  
Water Sets, Fruit Sets, Cake plates  
and Hundreds of other novelties.  
Take a look through. There are  
Bargains for you. Many articles  
at less than cost.

**C. WENDT.**

## THE GLOBE,

TORONTO, CANADA.

The Leading Newspaper of the  
Dominion.

## THE DAILY...

Has over 12,000 MORE regular circulation  
EVERY DAY than it had in 1897, and nearly  
1,000 more than one year ago.

IT GROWS BECAUSE IT PLEASES.

IT HAS ALL THE NEWS  
EVERY DAY.

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With its 24 or 28 pages every Saturday, its  
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features—Short Stories and Sketchy Article—  
besides having the current news of the day, has  
become a strong rival to the best monthly  
magazines.

## It is Canada's Greatest Newspaper.

You can buy THE GLOBE every day and  
the SATURDAY ILLUSTRATED for about the same  
price as you have to pay for many of the  
other dailies.

## The WEEKLY GLOBE.

Has had several new features added, has all  
the news of the week in concise form, and keeps  
its readers in close touch with every part of the  
world and more especially our own country.

Subscription rates, and full particulars can be  
had at the office of this paper, any newspaper  
dealer, or sent direct to

THE GLOBE,  
Toronto, Canada.

## BULL FOR SERVICE.

Thoroughbred Durham Bull will  
stand for service at Lots 6 and 7.  
Gen. B. Carrick. Pedigree may be  
examined.  
VOGAN BROS.

## Walkerton

Died—In Walkerton on Tuesday,  
March 8th, Mr. Conney. The funeral  
took place to the R. C. cemetery on  
Saturday.

Died—In Pinkerton on Tuesday, Feb.  
28th, Miss Ellis, daughter of Mrs. Ellis,  
of Walkerton, aged 22 years. Funeral  
took place in Walkerton last Thursday.

John Schneider, your retired livery  
man, and L. A. Hinsperger, were in  
town last week.

Mrs. McConnell's sale of household  
furniture took place at Rothwell's hall  
on Saturday. Everything went very  
reasonably.

The skating race which was held in  
the Walkerton rink last Tuesday evening  
was well attended, but only two  
outside skaters were present. Woolner  
came in first, Leslie Jones second, and  
McLeod third.

J. K. McCulloch, the world's cham-  
pion skater, will give an exhibition of  
fancy skating in the rink on Wednes-  
day evening.

Quite a number of young farmers in  
the neighborhood of Walkerton, left on  
Tuesday for the west.

## LAKELT.

Mr. Murray will haul the milk to the  
Springbank factory through the burg  
this year.

Miss L. Edwards of Belmore is back  
at Mr. Nay's for the summer.

Mr. Burns Bott is engaged with Mr.  
Jaques for the summer months at a  
good square figure.

R. McKinney finished the contract of  
cutting 100 cords of wood for Sam  
Clark on Saturday night. He was paid  
35c a cord.

Mr. Geo. Gregg visited relatives at  
Ingersoll this and the latter part of last  
week. He returned on Monday.

There was an immense lot of ice  
taken off the lake this winter. Hunt-  
ingfield people were conspicuous.

There have been special meetings  
conducted in the church here for about  
a month. They were to be continued  
this week but bad weather stopped  
them.

Tom Bennett pays our burg a weekly  
visit and always manages to get a little  
barley juice. The mule which he  
drives is getting rather shattered look-  
ing.

Mr. Chas. Wolf took three nice cattle  
to Fordwich to McLaughlin and Schaf-  
fer the other day. They were nice  
ones and brought nearly \$40 each.

A load of fine furniture came to our  
burg from Harriston the other day.  
We presume that the trips made by one  
of our young men to your burg will be  
less frequent in the near future. We  
await developments.

Our burg is booming in earnest this  
winter. The amount of chopping done  
a record breaker, the 3 and 4 cent per  
bag being a great bait to the farmers.  
Our saw mill also is flourishing. The  
logs keep coming in day after day and  
the mill yard has a big supply of logs  
within its limits now.

The lecture given in the church here  
recently by the Rev. Mr. Harvey of  
Fergus, a former pastor, was well at-  
tended and in every respect a success.  
The proceeds of the lecture will be  
given to Fred Rush, who lost his arm  
in a threshing machine last fall to assist  
him in getting an education. The  
lecture "Westward to Golden Gates,"  
was supplemented by addresses from  
Rev. Mr. Smith, present pastor and Mr.  
Dulmage. Mr. Smith also sang three  
or four suitable selections. The pro-  
ceeds amounted to about \$50.

It will be remembered that Mr.  
Avery, a candidate in the county coun-  
cil district, composed of Kincardine  
town and township, protested the elec-  
tion of Messrs. Scott and Bland by  
acclamation on the grounds of an  
irregularity in the election of the gentle-  
men referred to. The Master in Chan-  
cellery has declared Scott and Bland  
irregularly returned and has ordered a  
new election.

## Agricultural Notes.

It is a popular belief that black teeth  
in pigs are the cause of disease; but the  
fact is, they are the result of disease  
and not the cause of it. Indigestion  
and a sour stomach are the cause of  
this discoloration of the teeth. When  
this is the case a change of food is  
recommended. Two tablespoonfuls of  
raw linseed oil to each pig is also recom-  
mended, and also a bran mash not too  
sloppy, and with each food one level  
tablespoonful of carbonate of magnesia.

It is a common belief that sheep do  
not need any drink. Nothing could be  
more mistaken or injurious to the sheep.  
They need it quite as much as any  
other animal, even when on good, fresh  
pasture. A flock in a green meadow  
bordering on a large pond has been  
observed to follow a leader to the water  
daily at a regular hour, and drink their  
fill. It is a good plan to make a salt  
lick at the watering place, and they will  
not neglect the opportunity of supply-  
ing their wants with regularity.

Of late years horse breeding in  
Canada has not been given as much  
care and attention by the average  
farmer as the breeding of other kinds of  
live stock. One reason for this, no  
doubt, is the dullness which has been  
characteristic of the horse market until  
within the past year or two. The in-  
troduction of electricity and its coming  
into general use as a motive power for  
street railways, etc., caused a falling off  
in the demand for horses suitable for  
this work. While, at the same time,  
the great business depression in the  
United States, which began about the  
same period, further increased these  
adverse conditions of the horse market.

All this had its effect upon the market  
for other classes of horses, such as  
heavy drafts, carriage and saddle  
horses, with the result that farmers, to  
a great extent, practically gave up  
horse breeding.

## An Essay on Man.

Man that is born of woman is small  
potatoes and few in a hill. He rises up  
to-day and flourishes like a large weed  
and to-morrow or the next day the un-  
dertaker hath him. He goeth forth in  
the morning warbling like a lark, and is  
knocked out in one round and two  
seconds.

If the middle of life he is in debt,  
and the tax collector pursues him where-  
ever he goeth. The banister of life is  
full of splinters, and he slideth down  
with considerable rapidity. He walketh  
forth in the bright sunlight to absorb  
ozone, and meeteth a bank teller with a  
sight draft for \$257.

He cometh home at eventide and  
meeteth the wheelbarrow in his path.  
It riseth up and smiteth him to the  
earth, and falleth upon him and run-  
neth run of its legs into his car.

In the gentle spring time he putteth  
on his summer clothes, and a blizzard  
strieth him afar from home and filleteth  
him with cuss words and rheumatism.  
In the winter time he putteth on winter  
trousers, and a wasp that abideth  
therein createth excitement. He start-  
eth down into the cellar with an oleander  
and goeth backward and the oleander  
cometh after and sitteth upon him.

He buyeth a watch dog, and when he  
cometh home from lodge the watch dog  
treeth him and sitteth near him until  
rosy morn. He goeth to the horse trot  
and betteth his money on the brown  
mare and the bay gelding with a blaze  
face winneth.

He marrieth a red-headed heiress  
with a wart on her nose, and the next  
day the paternal ancestor goeth under  
with a bump, and after a brief sojourn  
in the goal cometh home to live with  
his beloved son-in-law.—Ex.

John Dunn, an eccentric old cobbler,  
who formerly lived in Ingersoll, died a  
few days ago in Middlemiss. He lived  
all alone and the neighbors prepared  
the body for burial. During the night  
several boys entered the man's shop.  
They dressed the dead man and prop-  
erly placed the body in the window. His  
clay pipe was placed in his mouth, and  
when the undertaker arrived to conduct  
the funeral he was horrified to see the  
corpse in the window.

## COUNTY AND DISTRICT.

There is no more serious menace to  
good health in the present age than  
kidney disorders, and it's an appalling  
fact, but a true one, that four-fifths of  
the country's people have the taint of  
this disease with them. Dr. Chase's  
Kidney-Liver Pills cure all Kidney dis-  
ease.

There were no cases to come before  
Judge Ferguson at the recent Bruce  
Assizes. The Grand Jury inspected  
the jail on Monday and the House of  
Refuge on Tuesday. It is very unusual  
for neither civil nor criminal cases to  
come up at the Assize Court. Bruce  
must be a model county. The jurors  
earned their two days' pay very easily.

Mr. Geo. Marlatt, of Amaranth Tp.,  
Dufferin County, shot a wildcat under  
his strawstack one morning last week.  
George was looking for a goose, and  
seeing something moving in the straw,  
he stooped down to investigate, using  
one hand to brush away the straw.  
Judge of his surprise when his hand  
came in contact with the cat and two  
gleaming eyes looked up into his, the  
beast at the same time uttering a low  
growl. George hastened to the house  
for the gun, the beast remaining in his  
hiding place. A charge of No. 6 shot at  
short range soon found a lodging place  
in the brute's head and he was dead.  
The animal is on exhibition in Shel-  
burne.

Mr. Geo. Cummings, for over 20 years  
engineer on Grand Trunk running  
between Toronto and Allendale, says:—  
The constant duty with my work gave  
me pains in my back, racking my kid-  
neys. I tried several remedies until I  
was recommended by my fireman, Mr.  
Dave Conley, to try Dr. Chase's Kid-  
ney-Liver Pills. Two boxes have com-  
pletely cured me and I feel to-day a  
better man than ever. I recommend  
them to all my friends.

Grieve's flax mill at Harriston was  
destroyed by fire last Saturday night.  
The mill was owned by Messrs. Grieves  
and was operated by a joint stock com-  
pany, it is said, solely for the purpose  
of giving employment to worthy people  
of the town. As there was no insur-  
ance on the stock the shareholders will  
lose heavily. Fortunately a large  
amount of stock was moved out on  
Thursday. The buildings were partly  
insured, but are not likely to be rebuilt.  
This industry will be missed, as it gave  
employment to a good many men and  
boys.

The Grand Trunk carried five hun-  
dred settlers to North Bay on Tuesday,  
to be forwarded to Manitoba and the  
Northwest. They were mostly young  
men in the prime of life. It is expected  
that this will be the banner year for  
emigration to our Western provinces.  
Every inducement is offered to our  
young men to settle on the fruitful  
prairie lands in these provinces. Rail-  
roads are being built, making the more  
distant parts of the provinces accessible  
and every encouragement is given to  
intending settlers to make for them-  
selves comfortable and profitable homes.

Mr. Stratton has a bill before the  
Legislature to amend the Assessment  
Act to repeal the exemption of tenant  
farmer's sons from Statute Labor. The  
Statute Labor law permits the assessor  
to accept the statements of farmer's  
sons as to how they should be assessed.  
If they say they wish to be assessed as  
joint owners with the parents, the  
assessor's duty is to comply with the  
request without asking for evidence of  
said joint ownership. This is wrong, as  
many farmer's sons will ask to be as-  
sessed in this way in order to get clear  
of an extra day's Statute Labor. Seven-  
ty five per cent of the farmer's sons  
are assessed as joint owners, where  
they have no legal claim to the same,  
and the few who are assessed as farm-  
er's sons have to perform Statute  
Labor. The law should define clearly  
what interest the farmer's son must  
have in the land in order to entitle him  
to be assessed as joint owner, and the  
assessor should have the right to de-  
mand the documentary evidence of  
ownership, before he assess the son as  
joint owner. If all farmer's sons were  
relieved from performing Statute Labor  
it would remove the temptation to  
evade the law in the matter.