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New Spring Waists going at a Special Price at Weiler Bros.

Found—A 1921 Auto License marker. Owner can have same at this office.

Frank Dahms is moving this week to his newly acquired farm on the fourth concession.

Order your Linoleums and Rugs from Weiler Bros. this spring. Special Prices on same.

Miss Orphia McNamara, of Toronto came home last week and will remain here for several months.

Special Prices during Sale, Print 23c yd., Gingham 25c yd., Towelling 15c yd., Flannelette 37c yd., Curtain Strips 25c, at Weiler Bros.

A thoroughbred Jersey cow, at C. Waechter's sale on Monday afternoon sold for \$171. This is an evidence that cattle prices have not gone entirely bad.

Mr. Roy Wingefelder had his foot badly injured last week while engaged in filling his ice house, a block of ice fell on his toe, crushing it badly, and it is remarkable that no bones were broken.

The funeral of the late Michael Porschbacher of the 6th concession, took place last Friday to the Mildmay Evangelical cemetery and was attended by a large concourse of relatives and friends.

3,000 cars were stolen in Toronto during the past two years, valued at \$3,000,000. One out of every twenty cars in the city was in the hands of thieves or joy-riders at some time or other during the past year.

William Macke has purchased the old dwelling on Mr. John Kaufman's property on Peter street, and will have the useful parts of it removed to his farm on the 4th concession, to be used as building material.

August Lobsinger left on Tuesday morning for Collingwood to assist in a large sawmill for a few weeks. The head sawyer in this mill was injured the other day, and Mr. Lobsinger will take his place until he recovers.

The trial of the Wingham jeweller on the charge of shooting his friend and neighbor, a butcher named Loutitt came off last Thursday. He was discharged, as it was proved by the evidence that the shooting was done in mistake, and not with intent.

The thoroughbred stock sale at Walkerton on March 1st, under the auspices of the Bruce Breeders' Association, was not as successful as is usually the case. There were many splendid animals offered, but the prevailing prices were much lower than formerly.

There is a great scurry in the ice harvesting operations among our citizens and business men during the past week. The advent of the mild spring weather took away the sleighing and threatened to break up the ice in the mill ponds. However, nearly all of our citizens have their supply in now.

Mr. Jos. Hill, who is employed on Mr. John Lark's farm in Carrick, had the middle finger of his right hand amputated by Dr. Hall in Walkerton on Wednesday of last week. Hill got the finger injured some time ago and decaying of the bone set in, necessitating the amputation of the digit at the second joint.

Mr. S. Harron brought a mixed load of stock to Mildmay to sell by public auction on Saturday afternoon. His cattle were in good shape but they were somewhat slow of sale, and did not realize fancy prices. He succeeded in selling everything but two colts and they were not the right quality to find any buyers.

Rev. Dean Helm of Ayton called on friends here on Monday.

March 27th will be Easter Sunday. It is two weeks earlier than usual.

Don't miss the big values on Dollar Day at Knechtel's Friday and Saturday.

Miss Millie Schurter attended the millinery openings at Toronto last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alph. Weber, of Walkerton, visited relatives here on Sunday.

Reduced Prices in Men's and Boys' Suits, Overalls, Underwear, etc., at Weiler Bros.

Mrs. Wm. Knechtel, of Hanover, is the guest of her son, Mr. I. R. Knechtel this week.

Herbert Stemmler is preparing to move to his new farm near Newton next Monday.

Mr. Hartley Haskins, of Hamilton, spent the past week with relatives at Huntingfield.

The maple syrup season will open very shortly if the present mild spell of weather continues.

Mr. Jas. Stotheds of Toronto will ship a carload of horses from this station on Saturday next.

The trustees of Public school No. 8, Carrick, are advertising for a teacher to begin after the Easter holidays.

Rev. G. L. Gross, of Ayton, is assisting in the revival services in the Evangelical church here this week.

John Herman is recovering from an operation for hernia, which took place last week at the Walkerton hospital.

Messrs. William Kunkel and Norman Weiler and Miss Hilda Kunkel purpose leaving next week for Saskatchewan.

The price of hogs on the Toronto market on Tuesday was \$15 per cwt. Prime beef cattle sold as high as \$12.50 per cwt.

Mark Bartholmey returned to his home at Bach, Mish., after spending three months, the guest of his sister, Mrs. P. Kreitz.

Mr. William Meyer, who has been spending the past two months with relatives here, left on Monday for his home at Richdale, Alta.

Carrick Council will meet on Monday, March 21st, to appoint pathmasters and poundkeepers and to transact general business.

For Sale. Double Oil Tank lined with galvanized iron. Well made and would make excellent water tank. Price reasonable. Knechtel & Knechtel.

Mildmay now boasts a perfectly clean bill of health, every trace of the smallpox having disappeared. Anyone can now pay a visit to this village with absolute safety.

Mr. Conrad Russman of the 10th concession took three wagon-loads of moving to his new home near Listowel on Tuesday. The balance of his effects will be shipped by freight.

Constable Briggs of Walkerton was in town this week looking up evidence in connection with an alleged violation of the O. T. A. There did not appear to be much ground to the charge, so the matter has been dropped.

Mr. W. G. Liesemer, of Didsbury, Alberta, in renewing his subscription, writes as follows:—The weather with us this winter has been most beautiful cars have been running practically all winter and at the present time we are having nice spring weather, although things may change as I have seen it 30 degrees below zero in March. Business has been very quiet during the winter owing to the heavy drop on the market for the farmer's products, but we are looking forward to a fairly good business this summer although business will be curtailed somewhat owing to the price reductions. Remember me kindly to the Old Bruce Boys and you may tell them I still have fond recollections of the old town.

BORN.

Becker—In St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph, on March 4th, to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Becker, a daughter.

Zettler—In Carrick, on Feb. 26th, to Mr. and Mrs. George H. Zettler, a daughter.

Spielmacher—In Carrick, on March 5th, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Spielmacher, a daughter.

Kelly—In Coronada Hospital, Toronto on Feb. 17th, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Kelly, (nee Annie May Harrison) a daughter.

Mr. George Buhlman, operator at Moffat, was home over Sunday.

Miss Annie Dietner, of Formosa, visited friends here over Sunday.

A prominent citizen of this village is quite ill this week with his coughs. No serious results are anticipated, however.

Mrs. Thomas Staples returned to her home in Toronto on Monday, after spending the past few weeks with her father, Mr. R. McNamara.

Knechtel's Dollar Day Specials! 25 Traveller's Sample Dresses, 14 years to size 46, values up to \$15.00. Your choice at less than half price of goods by yard. Only 6.95 each.

Notice About Potatoes. We have an order for a car of potatoes for immediate shipment. Call us by phone before bringing them out. We only want a limited quantity. Price 65c a bag in trade. Weiler Bros.

Slowly but surely prices continue to fall. Information gathered by the Prices Branch of the Department of Labor shows that during the month of January there were decreases in the retail prices of nearly all the staple lines of goods.

Auction Sale. An auction sale of farm stock and implements will be held at Lot 15, Con. 3, Carrick, on Monday next, March 14th, at 1 o'clock. William Filsinger proprietor, John Darroch, auctioneer.

Mildmay Fire Brigade. The annual meeting of the Mildmay Fire Brigade will be held in the town hall on Friday evening of this week at 8 o'clock, promptly. The village fire protection is a very important matter, and every ratepayer should be present at this meeting.

Tank Collapsed. The large water tank, constructed a few years ago on Peter street, collapsed this week, and will have to be repaired as soon as weather conditions permit. A mistake was made when this tank was built by putting a wood on top, and this part of the structure rolled and caved in.

Moved to Rostock. Mr. Chas. Filsinger, who has been a resident of Carrick for about five years, has moved to a farm near Rostock, shipping his stock and implements by freight last Thursday. We join with their many Carrick friends in wishing them abundant success in their new home.

New Linotype Installed. A new Model L Linotype has been installed in this office during the past week, and a sample of its work will be seen in this issue. Our job department has been almost buried under the avalanche of work, and the installation of a labor saving machine was the only way out of the difficulty. Our facilities for doing all classes of printing are now greatly improved.

Lost Only Child. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Netzke, of Gowansville, are mourning the death of their only child, a bright baby girl of seven months. The child took sick on Wednesday of last week with bronchitis, and although it was well cared for, it succumbed on Friday evening. The remains were brought to Mildmay on Monday and interred in Evangelical cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Netzke have the sympathy of all their friends.

Power Farming. On Monday afternoon, April 4th, a very interesting and instructive address will be given in the Town Hall, Mildmay, on the subject of "Power Farming". The lecturer is a power farming expert and a graduate of the Ontario Agricultural College, and is therefore well able to talk on the subject. The lecture will be illustrated by moving pictures, showing many very interesting and entertaining views. Every person is invited to this lecture. No admission fee will be charged.

The Referendum. Temperance workers throughout Ontario are organizing for the referendum vote that is to be held on April 18th, and a gigantic campaign is being prepared for. So far there has been no action taken here, but in a few days a move will be taken to organize locally. The form of the ballot to be used has been decided upon. The wording on the ballot is as follows:—"Shall the importation and the bringing of intoxicating liquors into the province be forbidden?" The question is repeated twice with 'yes' and 'no' in the margin. A cross is put beside the answer favored by the voter. The voters' list used will be that used in 1919, and will be revised in cities and towns. The voter must have resided in the Dominion for one year, and in the Province of Ontario for two months.

Wm. Filsinger Sells Out.

Mr. Wm. Filsinger, who purchased the Beitz farm last fall, has disposed of the property to Mr. William Dahms who takes possession on March 15th. Mr. Filsinger will hold an auction sale of farm stock and implements next Monday, March 14. Mr. Dahms has had the Weishaar farm near Belmore rented for the past two years.

Allies Will Enforce Payment. The British and French Government have decided that the only method of bringing Germany to her senses in the matter of settling her war indemnity is to occupy additional German territory and enforce reparation. The Allied troops made their advance on Monday, and results will be awaited with the greatest interest.

Mail Route Sold.

Mr. Ira D. Dahms, who has carried the mail on R.R. N. 3, Mildmay, for the past year, has disposed of the contract to Richard Hotten, who starts on the job this week. Mr. Dahms has been in delicate health during the past two months, and finds it impossible to continue the duties of mail courier. He did his work well, and the patrons are sorry to lose him.

John Mewhinney Buys Farm. At the assignee's auction sale of the Wenzel farm and chattels on Monday afternoon, the farm was knocked down to Mr. John Mewhinney at \$5925. This is \$1075 less than Mr. Wenzel paid for the place two years ago. The implements and horses sold at fair prices, but the cattle, being in very poor condition, had to be almost given away. A bull was sold for \$1.00 and a yearling calf at 60 cents.

The Transfer Tax. The proposed tax of two mills on the dollar for transfer of properties will bring in a large revenue to the Provincial Treasury. The largest transfer of real estate in this locality within the past year was the sale of the Lewis farm to Mr. B. Goetz. Under the proposed legislation, which is almost certain to become a statutory enactment, this would have netted the treasury something near \$50. The seller will bear the cost of the transfer unless he specially stipulates that the buyer pays the transfer tax.

May Abolish Statute Labor.

In order to receive the Provincial grant of 20 per cent. on all monies expended by the local municipalities, many of the townships will abolish statute labor this year. The Carrick Council is wrestling with the question and will come to some conclusion in the matter at its next meeting. It is agreed on nearly all hands, that if it were not for the difficulty under any other system in keeping our winter roads open, Statute Labor should have been scrapped years ago. In some municipalities the system is being continued but those who will work will be paid, and they will be assessed the same amount in their taxes in the fall. Carrick has about 3500 days of roadwork, which at the rate of \$2 per day would mean \$7,000 n money. The Provincial grant on this amount would be \$1400.

MILDMAY COUNCIL.

A meeting of the Mildmay Council was held last Thursday evening, at which all were present except Con. Schmidt. The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

Henry Schmidt presented an account of \$95 in connection with supplying provisions to smallpox families. The Council paid him \$54 for his work. For similar work done by the late D. W. Clubine, the Council recommended the payment of \$48.

On motion of Kramer and Miller Mr. S. F. Herringer was appointed Sanitary Inspector for 1921 at a salary of \$6.00.

The Council then adjourned.

NEUSTADT.

Miss Tena Sanders of Elmira is spending a few days at her home here.

Julius Lang of Toronto, was in town on business on Monday.

Mrs. J. Kunneman of Deemerton, is spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Lang.

Dan Hill has moved to town on the premises which he bought from Wm. Brummer.

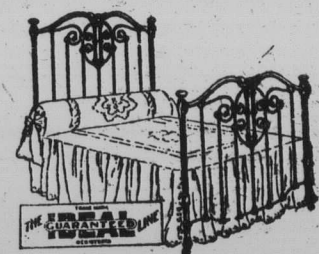
On Wednesday afternoon the marriage of Minnie, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Seim, to Mr. Fred Gerber, took place at St. Paul's Evangelical church. Only the immediate relatives and friends were present. The bride and groom left on the afternoon train for Buffalo to spend their honeymoon. Congratulations.

Mr. Christian Seeburger has bought the residence on Main st., from Mr. Julius Lang for the sum of \$900 which will be occupied by Fred Waigal, who intends to continue the grocery business.

Mr. J. W. South, a former proprietor of the Saugeen Valley Roller Mills, is starting his youngest son, Mr. Ed. South, in the grocery business in Oranville.

License Inspector White is investigating the theft of a case of whiskey stolen from the Express office at Carrick. Some time between Tuesday night and Wednesday morning the lock of the station door was pried open and the case of booze swiped. A suitcase was also taken by the thirty ones and broken open but when it was found to contain nothing but clothes it was left in an empty box car near at hand.

Renfrew town council has decided to have the total of every ratepayer's assessment published in the voters' list, the figures being placed after the names. Thus an opportunity will be given for everyone to scrutinize to a certain extent the assessment of the whole town, and if there is any sign of discrepancy further particulars may be learned by looking over the assessment roll. There are quite a number in Mildmay who would like to see the assessment figures made public, and the council might consider whether it wouldn't be wise to start this year.



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