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### MILDMAY COUNCIL.

Mildmay, August 16  
Mildmay Council met on the above date. Present—Reeve Phelan; Councilors Wendt, Arnold and Miller. The Reeve in the chair. The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

**Finance Report**  
The following accounts were referred to the Finance Committee and ordered to be paid:

A. Sovereign, danger sign for mill road	8 00
Hy Schutheis, cleaning ditch	2 50
A. Berberich, gravel acct, etc	86 30
Geo. Schwalm & Son, account	2 25
L. Montag, hauling gravel and filling and gravelling Ellen street	54 55
Thos Herman, 4 hrs work	1 00
P. F. Schumacher, work and cover for manhole	38 00
P. & J. Lobsinger, repairing and painting barrel	8 00
J. A. Johnston, reg. B.M.&D	2 75
Jos. Kueneman, contract gravelling and gravel	30 10
J. J. Huber, tearing up sidewalk and hauling stones	4 25

By-law No. 7 was read a first time. Miller—Arnold—That by-law No. 7 be now read a second and third time and finally passed.—Carried.

Tax rates for 1926—County rate 5 mills; Village 10; Public School 10; Separate School 7.

Wendt—Miller—That this Council do now adjourn to meet again at the call of the Reeve.—Carried.

### FORTY YEARS AGO

I've wandered to the village, Tom, I've sat beneath the tree Upon the schoolhouse playground that sheltered you and me. But none were left to greet me, Tom and few were left to know. Who played with us upon that green some forty years ago.

The grass is just as green, Tom. Barefooted boys at play Were sporting, just as we did then, with spirits just as gay. But the "master" sleeps upon the hill, which, coated o'er with snow, Afforded us a sliding place some forty years ago.

The old school house is altered some; the benches are replaced By new ones, very like the same our penknives defaced. But the same old bricks are in the wall, the bell swings to and fro, Its music just the same, dear Tom, 'twas forty years ago.

The river's running just as still, the willows on its side Are larger than they were, Tom, the stream appears less wide, But the grapevine swing is ruined now, where once we played the beau. And swung our sweethearts—pretty girls—just forty years ago.

None of our old class are left, Tom, excepting you and me. Some are in the churchyard laid,

some sleep beneath the sea, And when our time shall come, Tom, and we are called to go, I hope we'll meet with those we loved, some forty years ago. —Francis Huston

### A TONGUE TWISTER

Sylvia seemed serious, so Sammy swam six strong strokes. "So simple," said Sammy. Soon Sylvia started swimming. "Splendid!" shouted Sammy. "She swims spig-fingly!" Sylvia seemed somewhat surprised. She swam several strokes—splashed—sank! "Save Sylvia," screamed Sammy, swimming swiftly shorewards. Seizing Sylvia, Sammy shouted shrilly. Some ships saw Sammy's serious situation. Six stalwart sailors saved Sylvia. "Silly Sylvia," sighed Sammy, shivering slightly. "She shouldn't start swimming so suddenly." Sylvia swallowed swiftly. "Stupid!" she shouted shortly. Sammy seemed shocked. "Sorry, Sylvia," said Sammy. Sylvia smiled sweetly,

What has become of the old-fashioned little girl who wore a beribboned pigtail?

The citizens of Palmerston will, at the municipal elections in January next, vote on a by-law to purchase the hospital there. This has been operated for some time by Miss Magee, a registered nurse, and her sister. The former has now passed away, and her sister has decided to discontinue its operation. Many of the people of Palmerston feel the great benefit of a hospital, and are urging the town taking it over.

There is more United States currency in St. Thomas than Canadian, bankers state. This is believed to be due to the excellent tourist trade experienced this season by merchants of that place. The fact that \$100 worth of goods may be taken home by American visitors without paying duty has had an excellent effect on trade in stores. The comparative cheapness of diamonds in Canada is also playing a part, according to jewelers.

This is the season of the year when people are most likely to be canvassed by salesmen who have stocks of one kind or another to dispose of. In case any of our readers should be approached by these men, we would suggest that you investigate their claims thoroughly before making a purchase. It is quite usual for unscrupulous salesmen to take advantage of the interest created by legitimate firms to sell valueless securities or those of doubtful value to persons who are not familiar with the investment business. These "high pressure" artists have a way of making their wares appear genuine, so take no chances on any of them until you ascertain what you are to get for your money.

### NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS

The attention of advertisers who use the columns of The Gazette, is drawn to the fact that their copy must be in the office not later than Monday evening. Other news items should be in by Wednesday morning. By doing this you will help us get out on time and will not be disappointed if same does not appear.

### MOLTKE.

Threshing has begun, even if our folks looked forward to no harvest, in the spring. So far we have always been fortunate in having crops and good ones too, compared with Western folks who are often hailed out or damaged in other ways. But one crop is already harvested—the turnips. Many got sudden surprises last week on entering their fields and finding only a few dried leaves left and the louse or flea beetle making their after-dinner speeches.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Bieman are visiting in Kincardine these days. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Richardson and family and Miss Wilhelmina McDonald, of near Teeswater, Sundayed at Otto Baetz's.

The population of Normanby was increased by one last week when the stork left a son at Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Bieman's. Congratulations!

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Holm, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Holm spent Sunday in Kitchener.

Mrs. Julia Baetz is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jno. Nicoll, Con. 16, Normanby, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf. Widmeyer and Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Liebold, of Ayton, were guests at Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hill's.

Otto Baetz lost a valuable horse on Monday morning.

Mr. Justus Kaufman visited Jno. S. Baetz on Sunday.

### FORMOSA.

Misses Mary and Louise Zettel are visiting relatives at Kitchener.

Misses Olive Kraemer and Henrietta Zettel of St. Anne's, Kitchener, are spending two weeks at their homes here.

Mr. Oscar Oberle returned to Detroit on Saturday last after spending the week at his home here.

Rev. Fr. L. Kuntz, of Chicago, is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Jos. Fedy and Mr. Ralph Fedy, of Kitchener, are spending a few weeks here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hundt and family and Mr. Leo Oberle motored to Sauble Beach at the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Waechter motored to Kitchener last week.

Mr. Harvey Massel, of Rochester, and Miss Julietta Massel, of Kitchener, called on friends here last week.

Miss Lucy Beingsner, of Buffalo, motored here on Sunday and was accompanied back by her mother, Mrs. B. Beingsner.

Mrs. Alfred Goetz, of Buffalo, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Jos. Fedy.

We are sorry to report the death of Mrs. Lamme of Buffalo (nee Flora Beingsner) daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Beingsner. The funeral took place on Monday at Buffalo.

Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Beingsner motored to Buffalo with Mr. and Mrs. Val. Weiler on Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Lamme of Buffalo.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Meyer spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mrs. Edwards and Pierre returned to Buffalo on Tuesday after spending the week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Waechter.

Miss Mary Weiss spent her vacation at her home here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Buhlman, of Chepstow, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Dittner.

Messrs. A. L. Oberle and Henry Schnurr spent Sunday at Carlsruhe.

Mr. Schaefer of Windsor visited with Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Heisz last week.

Miss Vera Noll of Kitchener spent the week-end at her home here.

Miss Alice Seger, of Detroit, visited her uncle, Mr. Ben Goetz, here last week.

Mr. Gertrude of Hamilton is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Weishar.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Fedy and family of Mildmay visited relatives here on Sunday.

Miss Louise Oberle returned to Kitchener on Monday after spending her vacation at her home here and at Sauble Beach.

Most women have an aim in life, but their husbands are mostly good dodgers.

**Toast to Laughter.**  
Here's to laughter, the sunshine of the soul, the happiness of the heart, the leaven of youth, the echo of innocence, the treasure of the humble, the wealth of the poor, the bear in the cup of pleasure! Without it humor would be dumb, wit would wither, dimples would disappear and smiles would shrivel. It dispels dejection, banishes the blues and mangles melancholy, for it is the foe of woe, the destroyer of depression, the birth cry of mirth and the swan song of sadness.

### LAKELET

A week ago we thought we had ideal weather for roots, yes, and grains. Now we hear the farmers state, and all testify to the fact, that the turnip crop is going to be an utter failure. Lice have sapped the life out of the plants, and while

## Helwig Bros. Weekly Store News

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Ladies White Underskirts, lace and embroidery trimmed, values \$2.50 to \$4. While they last at 98c

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some fields are as yet attached in patches, others are done, and will be plowed under. It is a heavy loss to the farmers. The close, cloudy, damp weather of the past days have had a bad effect on the oat crop, and rust is quite prevalent.

We understand the engineer has the report re the ditch ready, but it will be some time before the public meeting will be called. Over 200 notices have to be sent out and unfortunately the Clerk of the township is not well, and unable to rush them out. Then ten days have to elapse after distribution before the meeting will be held. Our guess some time ago that there would be nothing done this year, will not be very far out. Again we repeat it is exasperating. Had the county road commissioners bought a roadway from Mr. Dickert last spring we could have a permanent road now and the cost would be trivial, as compared with the ditch costs.

Mr. Ed. Mahood of the United States, accompanied by his son, motored here and is staying a few days with his brother, Fred. Mr. Mahood taught in one of the colleges over there for a number of years, but an affliction of the throat prevented him from carrying on. He is now in the poultry business, and doing an extensive business. He is looking well and apparently is supple and active as he was over 30 years ago when we first knew him.

Miss Mary Jeffrey, of Port Elgin, former teacher here, but last year at Guelph, is visiting her friend, Miss Agnes Mahood these days.

### SACRILEGIOUS PERFORMANCES

(Kincardine Review)  
Nothing, evidently is too sacred or sinful to be exempt from the commercializing spirit of the day. A few weeks ago in St. Thomas, a circus advertised for a couple willing for a consideration to be married at the circus. To the credit of the city and vicinity, there was no applicant. The same circus not long after, at another

place, secured a couple of dupes, but outraged public opinion prevented the marriage sacrifice. Just a week ago such a stunt marriage was staged at Port Stanley. It was boomed by the London and Port Stanley Railway for the sake of getting a big excursion crowd. The bride and groom got the whole outfit and ceremony, with a pretty generous and substantial "shower" free. The officiating clergyman took a fat fee, but declined to allow his name to be published. It will become known, however, and it will serve him, right if he is boycotted by all self-respecting brides hereafter. A clergyman is the last one who should be party to such sacrilegious performances, devoid alike of dignity or solemnity, or even decency. Marriage has surely been cheapened enough without being traded on by all parties for mere gain, or cheap sensation.

### TORONTO STOCK MARKETS

Live stock receipts at the Union Yards yesterday were a little more than 600 head better than the previous Monday. In addition to the sales from the yards, 1100 cattle were billed through Ontario points. The excess consisted mostly of Western stockers.

Monday's run was just moderate for the season. Trade on the whole was slow, and while prices were steady on better grades of cattle, values for the most part looked easier on common before selling. The weigh-up at 2 o'clock tallied in the neighborhood of 2300 head and the prospects at that hour indicated a leftover for today of several hundred state cattle. Exporters were fairly active, paying \$8.25 a cwt. for one load of heavy steers. A price of \$7.50 to \$8.15 a cwt. was paid for the balance of heavies, with the bulk at 8 cents per pound.

Two loads of choice near-heavies sold at \$8 a cwt., which was fully as good as anything last week. The remainder of good to choice near-

heavies brought \$7.15 to \$7.65 a cwt. Lighter steers went a little lower, selling at from \$7 to \$7.50 for the bulk. The top of \$7.50 here against \$7.75 rapid last Monday. Common grades sold downward to \$6.50 a cwt. An odd lot of choice butcher heifers brought \$7.50 to \$7.75 a cwt. Butcher cows and baby heaves were active right from the start, with cows firm at a range of from \$5 to \$5.50 a cwt. for the choicest, with a few up to \$5.75 a cwt. Fair cows sold from \$3.50 to \$4.75 a cwt., and half a dozen canners at \$2.50 a cwt.

Bulls were steady to strong. A dozen or so real good butcher bulls included in the offerings brought \$5 to \$6 a cwt., with bologna bulls selling from \$3.50 to \$3.85. About three dozen baby beef sold steady at \$10 to \$11.75 a cwt., with two changing hands at 12 cents per lb. for top. Ten loads of Western stockers were steady with last week's values at about \$4.70 to \$5.35 a cwt. A dozen good feeders realized \$6.35 a cwt., and a few loads of fair ones \$5.25 to \$5.60 a cwt.

Calves opened strong. Most of the choice veals sold at from \$11 to \$12 a cwt., with about two score better at \$12.50 to \$13 a cwt. Medium to good veal calves brought \$10 a cwt., with grassers selling a range of from \$5 to \$5.50 a cwt.

The lamb trade was not so active as the start with the market, but less unsettled as to prices. The day trading developed a better tone and values in the afternoon session firmed up somewhat. Opening sales and the bulk of sales for lamb offerings were at \$14 to \$14.25 a cwt. An odd load showing better quality brought \$14.50. Prices generally in this division of the market are 25c to 50c a cwt. lower than at last week's close. Cull lambs sold from 10 to 15 cents per pound, with bucks at the usual \$4 a cwt. reduction. Sheep were firm at from \$7 to \$8 a cwt. for the best.

Hogs yesterday were steady with the previous week's final loadings at \$13 per cwt., off car for the Premium on select hogs, \$2