

# The Mildmay Gazette

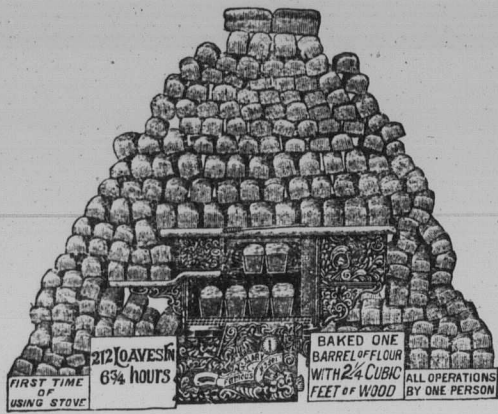
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**J. A. WILSON, M.D.** HONOR Graduate of Toronto University Medical College. Member of College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario. Office—Front rooms over Moyer's Store—Entrance from Main Street. Residence—Opposite Skating rink. MILDMAY.

**DR. J. J. WISSER, DENTIST, WALKERTON.**

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### LABOR DAY.

Another Labor Day has passed into history, and it was thoroughly enjoyed by all who attended the celebration here. The town was arrayed in ever-greens and the streets were nicely cleaned, the weather could not have been better. The program of sports was of a high order and the crowds which attended were well pleased with the day's fun.

About ten o'clock in the morning the trades' procession took place, and the business places of the town were well represented. The Teeswater Band headed the procession in which the following business men took part—A. Moyer, merchant; Geo. Schwalm, saw-miller; H. Keelan, baker; N. Schwalm, furniture; Geo. Herringer, butcher; A. Brohmann, carriages; L. A. Hinsperger, harness and the Deering Harvesting Co. The procession paraded the principal streets of the town and it was about 12 o'clock when they struck the grounds, so the morning was postponed until 1 o'clock. At that hour Teeswater and Mildmay clubs played a seven-innings game of baseball, which was full of loose playing but Teeswater had an imported battery, and they came out victorious by a score of 16 to 3. The next was a game of football between South Line and Mildmay, which resulted in an easy victory for Mildmay, the score being 4 to 0.

Walkerton and Palmerston baseball clubs then took the field and up to the sixth innings Palmerston was in the lead, but Walkerton won out. The score at the end stood 17 to 7 in favor of Walkerton. A large crowd from Walkerton were present and were well satisfied with the result of the game. George Paulin of Wroxeter umpired the game.

The Athletic Association have worked hard, and we are pleased to state, have a neat balance on hand after all expenses are paid.

#### NOTES

The Mildmay Fire Brigade paraded in the forenoon, and made a big improvement in the procession.

The Teeswater band did excellent service and received many complimentary remarks.

Walkerton turned out well.

Fordwich football club played the dirt on the association, but a better team was secured in their place.

A number of our citizens sneaked into the grounds, but they are known now, and will be watched in future.

When a little more earth is taken off the hillside, we will have a good park.

#### Huntingfield

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Harkness took in the Toronto exhibition. They thought it was grand.

Mr. and Mrs. Plant of Wroxeter spent Sunday with Mr. Mrs. Harris.

Mr. Jas. Ramsay, junior, of London wheeled up and spent a few days with friends here last week.

There has been quite a bit of talk about drawing big loads of grain lately, but Vogan Bros. of the 2nd downs them all. They drew 82 shocks of oats and 11 of barley, making 93 altogether. Who can beat that?

Mr. S. Vogan has a phenoma on his farm, in the shape of a plum tree loaded with fruit, and covered with blossoms at the same time. Isn't that a freak?

One of our 'young' men was wheeling along the other day, and he turned to see if his best girl was looking and over he went, head first. Look ahead boys.

Dr. Bradley visited friends here last Sunday.

This week will wind up the harvest for 1899. It is a good one, taken altogether. A few of the neighbors gathered at John Wynn's and helped him in with his crop, as he has had a good deal of sickness. His hired man is sick with the fever at present.

Wm. Harris, a Paisley man, hired a horse and buggy from an Elora liveryman, sold the outfit in Harriston, was captured and sentenced by Judge Chadwick of Guelph to one year and 11 mos. in the Central prison.

### Additional Locals.

—Dr. Richardson of Elora, has charge of Dr. Wilson's practice here at present.

—Mrs. Charles Wickes is at Stratford this week attending her brother-in-law who is very ill, owing to the severe injuries received in a runaway.

A Fact—I can sell you harness cheaper than any firm in the County owing to the fact that I buy leather from manufacturers in 200 side lots and can gain from 20 to 30 %. Big stock on hand.

CARD OF THANKS—Through the medium of your valuable paper I desire to thank those who kindly assisted us during the illness of my deceased wife; also to those who extended their sympathy and help on the day of the funeral. **FREDERICK GLEBE.**

—A quiet wedding took place at the residence of Mr. Wm. Helwig last Tuesday morning, Sept. 5th, when his daughter, Miss Mary, was wedded to Mr. John Kreuger of Hensall. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. Meyer in the presence of the immediate friends of the contracting parties. We join their many friends in wishing them prosperity.

### LAKELET.

The apple packers are round attending the early fruit. Wade of Fordwich has the most of the apples round Lakelet. The prices being paid are \$1 for fall and \$1.50 for winter apples. We see that in other places more than this is being paid.

The following from here attended the Toronto exhibition. Mr. Delmage and his daughter Georgina, Mr. Fred. Mahood, Miss Beatrice Mahood, Mrs. Geo. Gregg, and Mrs. W. H. Webber.

Rev. Mr. Shaw of Bayfield with wife and family are visiting at Mr. Gregg's Springbank, and Mr. D. A. Harkness of Huntingfield.

Mrs. Houston of Michigan, daughter of Mr. Cook of the berg is visiting her mother at present.

Alex. M. Hamilton, late of Elmwood, has been engaged by Mr. Dane of Gorrie as head miller in his large mill at a good salary.

Mrs. Codd of Chicago accompanied by her son Harry are visiting at Mr. J. Hamilton's at present. Mrs. Codd is a sister of Mrs. Jno. Hamilton.

Mr. Wells of Harriston, Insurance agent, was in the berg on Tuesday night setting forth the advantages to be derived from being connected with the company he represents.

The milk man who goes through here has had a couple more cans added to his number during the past week. The very high price being paid for cheese is an inducement to the people to send their milk.

Miss Ethel Scott is in attendance at the Harriston High School, and Stanley and Heber Mahood will start next Monday morning.

Quite a number of farmers took out hogs to Clifford on Wednesday. They were brought to Mr. Z. Lines of Clifford. The price paid was \$4.25 per cwt., but we hear that these days they are offering only \$4.00 per cwt. Some farmers in the vicinity who some weeks ago were offered \$5.12½ but held out for a higher figure, have now to take \$1.00 for them or keep them till next August when the price may come up.

The election trial in North Waterloo has been adjourned till the 21st of this month. The evidence taken reveals a terrible state of affairs. Money was freely paid for votes, and the most barefaced bribery practiced. There is not the least doubt that the liberal members seat was bought out and out. It is to be hoped that the bribery fund will be traced to its source and an example be made that will be a warning to bribers for all time to come. The Liberal party over the Province is humiliated and disgusted because of the iniquity practised at the bye-elections and unless the Government can clearly prove its innocence, the days of the Hardy Premiership are numbered.

### COUNTY AND DISTRICT.

A Kentuck maiden cut five acres of oats in two days and her father and brother bound it. Amid these days of fashion-following girls, it is most refreshing to see this proof that the old pioneer pays have not altogether passed away, when our grandmothers thought nothing of swinging the scythe or the sickle with the strongest men.

Many a pale weak school girl, suffering the evil effects of an exhausted nervous system, and thin watery blood, has been fully restored to the vigor and buoyancy of robust health, by using Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Food. The healthful glow on the cheek and the brightness in the eye tell of the building up process which is taking place in the body.

The Dominion Iron & Steel Company recently purchased the large iron ore deposit on Bell Island in Conception Bay, Newfoundland. It is claimed that the ore can be worked and shipped at less cost than is being done in any iron mine in the world. The ore will be shipped to Sydney, Cape Breton, where abundance of cheap fuel can be procured. Four smelting furnaces will be erected having an average capacity of about 300 tons each per day, making an output of 1200 tons of pig metal per day. Steel works are located convenient to the furnaces so that the metal can be converted into steel without being allowed to cool after leaving the smelter. Coke ovens will be erected, at a cost of about a million dollars, of the most modern design. The company expect to be able, when their works are completed, to compete successfully with the United States, and have every facility for shipping cheaply to any part of the world. Elias Rogers and Hon. Geo. A. Cox of Toronto are directors in the company.

Transvaal trouble is still unsettled. The terms of the by the Boers are unsatisfactory. Mr. Chamberlain has sent a message in which he says he understands that the concession made in President Kruger's note of Aug. 18th have been withdrawn on account of the British attitude regarding suzerainty and adds "Her Majesty's Government have absolutely repudiated the view of the political status of the Transvaal taken by the Transvaal Government, claiming the status of a sovereign state, and therefore are unable to consider any proposal made conditionally on their acceptance of this view." Mr. Chamberlain urges the necessity of an immediate reply to the British proposal for a united enquiry into the working of the franchise concessions granted by Volksraad and further says "If, however, as they anxiously hope will not be the case, the reply of the Transvaal should be negative or inconclusive, I am to state that Her Majesty's Government must reserve to themselves the right to consider the situation de nova and formulate their own proposals for a final settlement.

The Raad Irishmen have formed a corps to help President Kruger and it is said that a cablegram has been received from New York saying that ten thousand Irishmen there are ready to help the Transvaal.

The Ponton case is up again in the Courts, this time in the form of an appeal against the decision of the Judge who struck it off the lists because he was not ready to go on with the trial. This is Ponton's civil suit for fifty thousand dollars damages against the Dominion Bank. He was not ready to go on because the criminal suit against him was still pending, and until this was disposed of he did not wish to go into the box and show his hand. It is a common practice in the courts when suitors are not ready to go on, to have their cases postponed. The refusal of Judge Street to postpone Ponton's case was therefore looked upon with disfavor, and added to the dissatisfaction of the public in respect to the management of this case by the authorities. The guilt of Ponton is not yet established, and until it is, he is entitled to British fair play in the official management of his case, but the appeal for a new trial was dismissed last week in Toronto.

### 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.

Mildmay Market Report.

Carefully corrected every week for the GAZETTE:

Fall wheat per bu.....	63 to 65
Oats.....	25 to 25
Peas.....	50 to 50
Barley.....	35 to 35
Potatoes per bushel.....	50 to 60
Smoked meat per lb, sides	9 to 9
" " " shoulders	8 to 8
" " " hams	16 to 10
Eggs per doz.....	11 to 11
Butter per lb.....	12 to 12
Dried apples	5 cents per lb.

### Glebe & Seiling's Market.

Wheat.....	63 to 65 bus
Peas.....	50 to 50
Oats.....	25 to 25
Flour, Manitoba.....	\$2.25 per cwt
Family flour, No. 1.....	\$1.80 "
Family flour, No. 2.....	\$1.80 "
Low Grade.....	1.00 "
Bran.....	70c "
Shorts.....	80c "
Screenings.....	70c "
Oat Chop.....	95 to \$1.00
Corn chop.....	80 to 85
Pea Chop.....	\$1.00 to 1.00
Cracked Wheat.....	\$1.80 "
Graham Flour.....	\$1.80 "
Ferina.....	\$2.00 "

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Does it stop occasionally, or is it always going but not to be relied on for correct time? Watch Repairing is a prime feature with us. The work is well done and the Charges are moderate.

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### C. WENDT....

Mildmay and Wroxeter.