

# THE MILDMAY GAZETTE

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MILDMAY, ONT., THURSDAY, APRIL 11th, 1929

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Mr. Alex. Hopf of Carrick was at Twistock last Saturday attending the funeral of his eldest brother, Frederick Hopf. Deceased was 65 years of age, and formerly lived at Carrick.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Kalbfleisch spent the week-end with Detroit relatives.

Dr. W. H. Huck was at Drayton on Wednesday officiating as judge of horses for the 18th time at the spring show.

Just 2 pairs left—1 Pratt's Poultry Regulator, clearing at \$2.00, also 1 Pratt's Animal Regulator, clearing at \$3.75. Lambert's.

Two big mill ponds broke away at Teeswater last Friday night. Little's grist mill had a narrow escape from being washed away.

Mr. Julius Jagolewski, who has been in Kitchener for the past month, taking treatment, returned home this week and feels much better.

The family of the late Henry Kleist wish to heartily thank their friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy during their recent bereavement.

Jos. Seifried announces that he is now ready for business in his new barber shop in the McNamara building. Ladies and Children's hair-cutting a specialty.

The bridge on the Provincial highway, opposite Adam Hossfeld's farm, collapsed during last Friday's flood, but it has been temporarily repaired, and is now open for traffic again.

Mr. Gideon Schneider of Moorefield spent last week-end with friends here. Upon his return home he found that there was very heavy rains in his section, and considerable damage done.

John Kupferschmidt's auction sale passed off successfully last Friday. Everything sold at satisfactory prices. His cattle were exceptionally choice quality and brought good figures.

Jackie Burgman, young son of the C. N. R. agent at Wingham, was drowned in the Maitland river last Saturday. He and two companions were out in a boat, when it capsized. His two companions were rescued by men nearby, but the Burgman lad was drowned.

There is a shortage of electrical power on the local system this week. A portion of the Walkerton power dam was swept away, and we are now being supplied by the large Diesel engine recently installed by the Walkerton Electric Light Co. at Southampton.

**Hatching Eggs**  
Improved Black Minorca Eggs for hatching, 15 for \$1.00. Jonas Vollick

**Refrigerator for Sale**  
A medium sized refrigerator, in good condition, for sale very cheap. Apply at this office.

**Week-End Baking Specials**  
Marshmallow Rolls, Date Cakes, Chocolate Cakes, Buns, Coffee Cakes, Parker House Rolls, Etc. Keelan's Bakery.

**Bought Carrick Farm**  
Paul Haack of Hanover, a son-in-law of Henry Both of the 10th concession of Carrick, has purchased Fred Klages' 100-acre farm, lot 28, Con. 11, Carrick, for \$10,000 and obtains immediate possession.

**Schmidt's Mill Pond Gone**  
Henry Schmidt, who was mistaken for a fortune teller last week to have parts of three fingers amputated, saw his mill on the 10th concession, just with another serious setback last Saturday morning when his mill pond was swept away. The pond cost about \$300 to repair.

**David Haskins Settles**  
David Haskins, who has been farming for quite a number of years on the 18th concession of Nowick, has sold out to his brother, Wesley, who also takes over his stock and implements, obtaining immediate possession. David is looking toward a summer home in the States, and may go into farming again later. His many friends will have a fine presentation at Lakeside on Tuesday evening.

**Contractor Moving Equipment**  
Paul Bergman & Co., who have the contract of paving the Walkerton and Mildmay Highway, is moving his equipment here this week. He is locating his camp at Henry Hossfeld's, where he is obtaining his gravel. The steam shovel arrived on Monday and other machinery is being shipped in. The steam shovel will be placed in Mildmay's gravel pit, west of the village, for a few days, and will load trucks to haul gravel to repair the Mildmay streets damaged by the flood.

**Mrs. Bergman Passes**  
Mrs. Elizabeth Bergman, widow of the late Joseph Bergman, passed away on Tuesday morning of this week, after a lengthy illness with the chronic myocarditis. Deceased was born in Carrick 68 years ago, and in her early girlhood days attended the Carlsruhe and Decemerton schools. Later the family moved to the sixth concession of Carrick. Twenty-five years ago she was married to the late Joseph Bergman, who had been a resident of this village for about the eighteen years. She was a fine, honorable woman, and had many warm friends here. Her funeral was held at the R. C. Cemetery in the village, Tuesday afternoon, at 10 o'clock, and was attended by the occurrence.

J. A. Fox, Chiropractor and Drugless Therapist, of Wingham, will be at the Commercial Hotel Monday and Thursday each week from 9 to 11 a. m.

**Seed Oats for Sale**  
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**OPENING DANCE**  
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**For Sale**  
1 Frame Building, 20x13 (must be sold by April 15th); 2,000 ft. Maple Flooring; 25 Pine and Oak Doors; 15 Window Frames; 1 Pipeless Furnace; 2 Big Cupboards. A. Schmalz, Chairman, Mildmay Sep. School.

**Village Residence for Sale**  
Very desirable Mildmay residence, recently remodelled and renovated, with new furnace, three lots, good stable and double garage, down town location. Everything in pink of condition, and price right. Apply to J. A. Johnston.

**Washed Away With Bridge**  
Clarence White of Wroxeter had a miraculous escape from death by drowning last Saturday. Driving along the county highway, White had reached the centre of the Wroxeter bridge when the structure gave way and precipitated car and driver into the Maitland river. The stream was greatly swollen from recent rains and Mr. White was carried 40 rods down the river before he managed to extricate himself from the machine and grasp a stump. Two youths who were passing at the time constructed a crude raft and brought White to safety. Heavy rains last Friday night caused the water to rise to such an extent that two dams gave way, and the abutments of the bridge became undermined by the torrent.

**Brant Lady Passes**  
Mrs. Dora Voigt, wife of Fred Voigt of Brant Township, who has been in delicate health for the past two years, passed away quite unexpectedly last Saturday evening. She had just finished her supper when she was suddenly stricken, and expired almost immediately. Deceased was a daughter of Mr. Conrad Hossfeld of Carrick, and was 63 years of age. Possessing a very kindly disposition, she was dearly beloved by her family, and highly esteemed by a wide circle of friends. She is survived by her sorrowing husband and four daughters: Mrs. Frank Rummig, Mrs. Wilfred Weber and Miss Annie Voigt of Brant, and Mrs. Milton Weber of Carrick. She is also mourned by five brothers, and five sisters. The funeral takes place on Wednesday afternoon to the Mildmay Lutheran cemetery.

**Buildings Wrecked by Lightning**  
Last Friday's electrical storm was one of the fiercest on record, and many people in Carrick will remember it for a long time. Gregor Fischer's house at Ambleside was a target for a cold bolt, smashing the chimneys, knocking down lath and plaster and partitions, putting the electric lighting plant out of commission, and doing a lot of other damage. The loss is covered by insurance in the Farmers Mutual. Wm. Kupferschmidt's residence on the 10th concession was a sad looking place after the lightning hit it. The ceilings were smashed, the floors damaged, and things were wrecked up generally. The loss will be taken care of by the Farmers' Central of Walkerton. The Lutheran Church on the 10th concession of Carrick was also badly damaged. Lightning hit the steeple, passed down the front scale of the building, ripping things up general, and several of the heavy timbers in the building are so badly splintered that it is doubtful if the church will be safe for public worship again. Wm. Glauser's barn, two miles east of Neustadt, was struck by lightning and burned to the ground. While John Kupferschmidt's auction sale was in progress by internoon, a bolt hit the driving shed where Auctioneer Purvis was engaged in selling a Ford car. There were about thirty men in the driving shed at the time. How all escaped death is a miracle. A horse tied in the building was instantly killed, and it is thought that this may have been instrumental in saving the men who had gathered there to escape the drenching rain. Daniel Reuber, who had his hand and foot on the car, was knocked senseless by the shock, and for a time his condition looked to be very critical. He recovered in an hour or so, and was able to make the journey home. Frank Siderson, who was in the act of getting out of the car when the bolt struck, was sent sprawling, and he seized the auctioneer by the arm, who also got an electrical shock. Others who were injured were John Juergens, Clem. Goetz, Anthony Lorentz, Charles Gutzke, Frank Hahn and John Kupferschmidt and his son. All recovered in a few hours. The editor of this paper, who was clerking at the time, was also in the driving shed at the time, and escaped injury, although his hair was sent flying. The entire place on Tuesday morning being covered by the occurrence.

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**Body Found**  
The body of a young child, the son of Walkerton, who was drowned near the C. P. R. station on Saturday morning, was found on the bank of the Maitland river, a short distance from the place where the drowning occurred. The body was partially covered by mud and was found by John Janke, of the Imperial Oil Company, made the discovery.

**Literary Meeting Postponed**  
The executive of the Mildmay Literary Society has been asked by many to postpone their meeting of the Society for a week on account of the floods, washouts and other exciting occurrences of the past week. The date of the meeting will therefore be changed from April 11th to April 18th. The date of the next occasion will be exceptionally interesting, and four tables of books have been secured to participate. Do not forget the date—Thursday evening, April 18th.

**Carrick Farmer Passes**  
Mr. Henry Kleist, a highly respected farmer of the 15th concession of Carrick, passed away last Saturday after a prolonged illness, which was a complication of ailments. He was born on Dec. 2nd, 1866, on the 15th concession of Carrick, and had lived in the municipality of Carrick all his life. He is survived by his widow, one son, Seraphine, on the 15th concession, and one daughter, placed in the convent Lark of Mildmay by her mother, Mrs. Prudent, and a sister, Mrs. Portage, Wis. Mr. Kleist was a member of the Woodward, Texas and Wroxeter, John F. Kleist of Lakeside, and August Kleist, of Lakeside. The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon to the Wroxeter cemetery.

**Carrick Lost Main Highway**  
Last Friday's electrical storm wrecked the township of Carrick, and on the 10th concession several bridges were washed away, several of them being very expensive structures. Several arch bridges over the Maitland river on the 8th concession were washed away, about sixty feet of the bridge, and it is estimated that the loss of the bridge will entail an expenditure of about \$5000. The bridge on the 10th concession, commonly known as the Brown bridge, was washed away, and will have to be rebuilt. Two bridges were washed away on the 10th concession of Carrick, and a bridge on the Klava sideroad between Carrick and 31, Con. D. Ammon's bridge, and two bridges along the creek on Ammon's sideroad. The concrete arch bridge on the 10th concession, opposite Daniel Reuber's property, collapsed on Sunday afternoon, and the culvert at the rear of the house of D. D. will also have to be rebuilt. In addition to the bridges, a large score of washouts have to be repaired at once. The Council held a special meeting on Wednesday morning, to prepare plans for the big job ahead of them.

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