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G. H. EICKMEIER.

For Bargains in Nuts, Candies, etc., come to Knechtel's.

Special for Xmas. Ladies Black Silk Hose \$1.00 per pair at Helwig Bros.

We like to sell Tanlac because it satisfies our customers. J. P. Phelan.

Mrs. Thomas Bridge, of Clifford, is spending a few days with Mrs. P. Liesemer.

New Oranges, Lemons, Grapefruit, Nuts, etc. just in at lowest prices at Knechtel's.

Mrs. J. Wesley Haines and baby Elga, of Holywood, spent the past week with relatives here.

Don't forget the Box Social and Concert at Public School No. 8, Carrick, on Friday evening.

Rev. Mr. Ballantyne of Toronto will preach in the Presbyterian church the next three Sundays.

Mr. John Jasper, of Vancouver, is here on a visit to relatives. He is a brother-in-law of Mr. Frank Reine M.P.P.

Messrs. A. Fedy, A. Buhlmaa, L. Schurr and Hy. Schmidt spent Sunday in Kitchener. They made the trip by motor.

The Mildmay Council meets in Schuett's Hall this (Thursday) evening at 7.30 for the transaction of general business.

Keep an open date for Dec. 26th. The Orchestra will furnish music for a dance to be held in the hall, Mildmay, on that date.

Ed Steffler underwent an operation for appendicitis at St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph, on Wednesday week. He is making a recovery.

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The Liberals have 117 seats in the Dominion Parliament.

Municipal Nominations will be held on Monday, Dec. 26th.

Go to Knechtel's for your Xmas Gifts and get real values.

Henry Schuett purchased a Maxwell touring car at Toronto last week.

Ladies and Misses' Winter Coats at \$10.00, \$15.00 and \$20.00 at Helwig Bros.

Remember the dance in the Town Hall, Mildmay, on the evening of Dec. 27th.

Mrs. Sophia Liesemer is spending a couple of months with her son, John, at Toronto.

Monday, Dec. 26th, and Monday, Jan. 2nd, are likely to be proclaimed Public Holidays.

Don't fail to hear the play 'Ici on Parle Francais' at Public School No. 8, on Friday evening.

The sum of \$2.00 remitted to this office will entitle you the Gazette to the end of 1922.

J. A. Johnston has two good mortgages for sale. If you have \$3000 to invest, call and get particulars.

Absolute merit and merit alone is responsible for Tanlac's phenomenal and unprecedented success. J. P. Phelan.

Mr. W. H. Huck went to Toronto on Tuesday afternoon to attend a meeting of the directors of the Agricultural Fairs Association.

Joe Lobsinger bought a heavy pig to butcher on Monday, and while unloading it here, the animal sustained a fracture of both its hind legs. It had to be slaughtered at once.

You will be well advised to check that first cold weather twinge of Rheumatism before it develops. Use the Standard Remedy, T. R. C.'s, Raz-Mah, the positive Asthma remedy also sold by J. P. Phelan.

A Mildmay lady lost her purse containing a sum of money. The empty purse was left on N. Kreitz's gate, the finder having taken the money. The guilty party is known but may avoid prosecution by returning the money to Miss M. Rettinger.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Liesemer delightfully entertained a number of friends in honor of Miss Zetta Liesemer, who expects to leave shortly for the West. About thirty guests were present including Mrs. T. Bridge, Miss C. Klemmer, Miss C. Eckel, Mrs. Connell and Mr. J. L. Taylor of Clifford. The evening was spent in music and elocution.

Chas. Biehl, of Galt, visited here last week.

Local buyers paid \$9.75 per cwt. for hogs last Saturday.

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There are happy restful homes; and then there are homes where everything is tidy and immaculate.

Mrs. Fred McLean and baby, of Harrison, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. I. R. Knechtel this week.

All taxes are due on Dec. 15th. All unpaid rates after that date will be collected by distress if necessary.

Handkerchiefs for Christmas for ladies 2 for 25c. Picture Handkerchiefs for the kiddies for 5c, at Helwig Bros.

Renew your subscriptions for daily papers with us, and save losses through sending by mail or dealing with strangers.

Mr. Jas. Bremner has leased the skating rink for the coming winter. The curlers are talking of reorganizing for the season.

Hon. W. L. McKenzie King is setting about the task of forming his Cabinet. Mr. Crerar, Progressive leader, is slated for a cabinet position.

Brant gave Findlay 556 plurality but the Liberals conceded him 600 last week. It was Carrick and Culross that put the ax in Truax's hopes.—Telescope.

Among those who attended the Guelph Winter Fair last week were: Messrs. W. H. Huck, Jas. G. Thomson, Jos. H. and Andrew J. Schnurr and Edward Steffler.

Messrs. W. F. Albrecht, secretary of the Carrick Branch Co-operative Society, and J. Scott Inglis, are at Toronto this week attending the annual U. F. O. Convention.

The weather has been a little sharper during the past week, with occasional snow flurries. Not enough snow for sleighing, but the roads are good for wheeling.

Walkerton High School Board have been presented with a bill of \$3,300 from Toronto architects who drew plans for a new building proposed some time ago, but which will never be erected.

Jos. Hundt of Carlsruhe was injured at the Neustadt railway station last week, when his horse ran away, dislocating Mr. Hundt's shoulder. The buggy was badly smashed up in the runaway.

Chas. Pletsch of Markdale was home for a few days last week. Markdale has entered a team in the Intermediate O. H. A., and expect to win the silverware. He will have a place on the defence.

The Ontario Government will not permit the publication of the names of those who apply for marriage licenses. The publicity made the newlyweds a prey to the furniture installment houses, real estate agents and book agents.

The Monday following Christmas, which falls on Sunday, will be held by all the chartered banks as a holiday as the interpretation act prescribes that notes and bills of exchange will not be payable on Monday when Christmas is the day before. It is therefore a bank holiday and by custom has been observed as a general holiday. This will be the case this year. It also suits merchants and business men generally to have all places open on Saturday.

Flax Straw Wanted. Highest prices paid for flax straw at the Hamel Furniture Factory.

Unreserved Auction Sale. Norman Seifried will hold an unreserved auction sale of farm stock and implements at Lot 1, Con. 6, Carrick, on Monday, Dec. 19th, at 1 o'clock. Mr. Seifried's lease has expired, so he must vacate the farm. John Darroch will conduct the sale.

M. O. H. Was Busy. The report of the Medical Officer of Health for the village shows that there were 62 cases of smallpox here this year; 1 meningitis; 2 mumps; 1 Erysipelas; 6 cases Tuberculosis and quite a number of whooping cough. Only two fatalities occurred from all these communicable diseases.

Xmas Trees. Leave your order for Christmas trees with Jos. Lobsinger, liveryman.

Concert and Box Social. A School Concert and Box Social will be held at Lints' School on Thursday evening, Dec. 22nd. Admission 25c. Ladies with boxes free.

New County Overseer. Mr. D. J. Izzard, who has been County Superintendent of the Good Roads System since its inauguration three years ago, has decided to retire, and Mr. Gideon Ruttle, Reeve of Huron township, has been engaged to succeed him. Mr. Ruttle has been a member of the Good Roads Committee, and is familiar with the work.

Won Prizes at Guelph. Messrs. Andrew Schmidt and Jos. H. Schnurr of Carrick were successful exhibitors at the Provincial Winter Fair at Guelph last week. In the standing crop competition, Mr. Schmidt took third prize, the first prize went to Messrs. A. and W. McKague of Culross, and fourth to Richard Wilton of Wingham. Mr. Jos. H. Schnurr won first with sweet clover seed, and fifth with peas.

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