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There will be no local option campaign this year in Berlin. When a committee of the council appointed to scrutinize the petition which had been presented to the council for the vote of the rate-payers at New Year's checked over the list, it was found that a number of names had been duplicated and names not appearing on the last revised voters' list as required by law for this issue had been added. Without these the petition lacked the required 25 per cent, consequently local option in Berlin will be shelved indefinitely.

**Grand Trunk Time Table**

Trains leave Mildmay station as follows:

GOING SOUTH		GOING NORTH	
Express	7:21 a.m.	Express	9:55 a.m.
Express	11:37 a.m.	Express	1:45 p.m.
Express	2:52 p.m.	Express	8:54 p.m.
Express	7:21 a.m.	Express	1:43 p.m.

The 7:21 a.m. and 1:43 p.m. trains carry mail.

**LOCAL & PERSONAL**

Trimmed hats selling at half price at Miss Schurter's.

Mr. Milne left last week for Buffalo to spend a couple of months.

Mrs. J. Coates is visiting relatives and friends in Strathroy this week.

Leo Buhlman, graduate of the Moler Barber College, Toronto, is home on a visit.

The Crockery and China sale now on at the Star Grocery is an opportunity worth taking advantage of.

Mr. Simpson, of Meaford, the Merchants Bank inspector, paid an official visit to the local bank this week.

Messrs Taylor and Nairn of the Walkerton Merchants Bank, spent Sunday, the guests of Mr. A. A. Werlich.

Over three hundred hogs were delivered to the local drovers here on Monday. The price paid was \$6 40 per cwt.

Mr. William Carnegie, who spent the past summer at Brandon, returned to Mildmay last week and will spend the winter here.

Ezra Briggs of Walkerton was here on Tuesday, posting up the proclamations for the Provincial Elections to be held on Dec. 11th.

Rev. R. C. Lehmann conducted the Sunday morning service in the Formosa R. C. church, the pulpit here being occupied by Rev. A. C. Montag of Decemerton.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Waechter and family desire to thank the numerous friends who performed so many acts of kindness and expressed sympathy for them in their recent bereavement.

Robt McPhail's auction sale of farm stock and implements was held yesterday afternoon. Mr. McPhail intends remaining on the place for a time, having leased the premises.

The Aetna Roller mill had a breakdown one day last week, which necessitated the shutting down of the machinery. The mill will be in running shape again by the end of this week.

Nothing so satisfying or economical as Sealship Oysters. Get some today at the Star Grocery.

The work of cutting the railway bank, at the crossing just north of this village, was commenced last week and the work is now well under way. The Mildmay, Walkerton and Dunkeld section crews are engaged in the work.

Rev. J. W. McNamara of Drayton occupied the pulpit in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday morning. It is likely that Rev. Thos. Davidson of Mt. Forrest will be appointed pastor of this church during the winter months.

Solomon Miller returned home on Thursday last from Alberta and Dakota where he has spent the past three months. He owns farms on both sides of the boundary, and had good crops on both. Although he was unable to thresh his crop on the Alberta side on account of the incessant wet weather, Solomon says he has 3,000 bushels of wheat standing in stocks.

Rev. Mr. Pearson of Toronto, a representative of the Dominion Alliance, occupied the pulpit in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening. There was a very small attendance, however, owing to the fact that arrangements which had been previously made to hold the meeting in the Methodist Church, were cancelled at the last minute, and it was found necessary to hold the service in the Presbyterian Church.

Millinery for bargains go to Miss Schurter's.

Mrs. Chas. Wicke visited her daughter in Harrison this week.

Rev R. C. Lehmann and C. Weber spent a few days last week in Toronto.

Pure Tellecherry Butcher Pepper—25cts a pound at the Star Grocery.

Mrs. William Stewart of London spent a week with her sister Mrs. Ferdinand Voigt.

Stirring price reductions in the crockery department, stir up business with a sharp stick, at the Star Grocery.

Thirteen good Oxford-down ewes for sale, cheap. Also timber to sell by the acre. Apply to George Nickel.

Millinery—and assortment of fall shapes going at less than half price at Miss Schurter's.

Mr. James A. Lamb has been appointed Returning Officer for South Bruce for the election to be held on Dec. 11.

Hay and potatoes struck a record price at Toronto this week. Hay sold at \$24 a ton, while potatoes retailed at \$1.69 per bag.

The many friends of Mrs. M. J. Ryan, who moved to Regina last year, will be sorry to learn that she has been very ill during the past month or two.

George Harper brought out two pigs on Monday morning that had all the others beaten a mile for weight. The pair tipped the scales at 1200 lbs.

Tom Bennett's black steed passed away this week. The old animal has been exposed to the cold weather during the past month, and the elements proved to much for it.

Mr. Thos. Godfrey, carriage builder and painter, recently completed the painting and re-modelling of two large busses for Frank Rennie, Iiveryman, Walkerton.

We learn that Mr. Peter Kreitz has purchased Ignatz Kieffer's fine brick residence in the west end of this village. This property is now occupied by Halton Harper.

Sydney Harrison returned home from Outlook, Sask., on Monday, having spent the past three months there. He brings the same old story of wet weather and unfinished threshing.

Jas. Heath has the agency for Bauman's famous steam laundry, Walkerton. Basket goes every Wednesday and returns Saturday morning. This is the best laundry in western Ontario.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. John Henderson of Walkerton is very ill with a cancer of the stomach. She was taken to the hospital last week to undergo an operation. Her many friends here will regret to hear of her illness.

Just received at the Star Grocery a shipment of delicious Sealship Oysters. Will you have some?

Hon. W. J. Hanna is said to be considering a plan whereby worthless heads of families will be placed at work on the Ontario prison farm and their earnings sent to their families. This would be a good idea. There are quite a number of eligibles in this village.

**Money Scarce.**  
The tax collectors complain that money appears to be a scarce commodity in this township this fall. There are just three weeks until the end of the municipal financial year, and \$20,000 of taxes still remain unpaid. Both collectors say that money is harder to get this year than ever.

**Hockey Meeting.**  
A meeting of all those interested in the splendid winter game of hockey are requested to attend a meeting in the Commercial hotel on Friday evening of this week, when the club will be organized for the coming season.

The Formosa Mutual Fire Insurance Company has made arrangements with the Merchants Bank at Mildmay that the policy holders may pay their assessments to the Bank for the credit of the company and the Bank will receipt the same.

The purchasing committee of the Mildmay Public Library intend purchasing a large consignment of new books for the library this winter.

**For Sale.**  
H. J. Holtzmann is offering his property, known as the Schweitzer store, for sale at a very low figure. Apply to W. H. Holtzmann, Mildmay.

**McKenzie King.**  
The Hon. W. L. McKenzie King, will address a meeting in the Town Hall, Walkerton, on Tuesday evening of next week, November 28th, in the interest of Mr. J. G. Anderson, the Liberal Candidate in the South Riding of Bruce.

**Carrick Farm Sold.**  
Mr. Edmund Teskey has disposed of his 100 acre farm on the townline to Mr. Walter Renwick, and will retire from active farm life. Mr. Teskey intends holding an auction sale soon, after which he will move to Belmore.

**Hauling Brick.**  
The building committee of the Sacred Heart Church have teams at work this week hauling brick from Bell's brickyard, near Fordwich. This is the first work in connection with the new R. C. church which is to be erected here next summer, and it is estimated that 200,000 bricks will be required. The new edifice is to cost about \$40,000.

**Carcass of Venison.**  
Mr. Chas. Schurter received a carcass of venison by express last Friday, from Webbwood, Algoma, sent to him by his daughter, Miss Elenora, who is teaching in that town. The deer dressed about 200 lbs., and will make a nice winter's supply of meat for the family. The deer possessed a beautiful head, adorned with fine antlers, and it is Mr. Schurter's intention to have the same mounted.

**A Valuable Assistant.**  
At the Winter Fair at Guelph is given information along all lines of live stock production and crop cultivation that is valuable to any farmer who desires to keep up-to-date. The Weekly Sun of Dec. 19 will contain a carefully prepared and easily understood summary of the chief points brought out at the next fair. If you are engaged in any branch of farming with a view to making money, you will find the Weekly Sun a most valuable assistant. Do not miss the issue of December 19.

**Elect Officers.**  
The Ladies Aid of the Evangelical church, Mildmay, held their semi-annual business meeting and elect of officers on the evening of Nov 8th. The following Officers were elected:—Pres. Mrs. Wittich; Vice Pres. Mrs. Schmidt; Sec. Mrs. Wm. G. Helwig; Treas. Mrs. G. Fink; Cor. Sec. Mrs. H. W. Pletsch. The past year has been a successful one and much good has been done. There were 261 sick visits reported, and the amount of money raised during the year was \$143.65. There has been a lively interest taken in all the meetings.

**Hesch—Jaglewski.**  
A happy event transpired at the Holy Trinity Church, Hanover, on Tuesday morning of this week, when Mr. Joseph A. Hesch, an enterprising young blacksmith of this village, was united in marriage to Miss Mary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Jaglewski of Hanover. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. A. Lenhard of Carlsruhe. The bride was assisted by her sister Miss Victoria Jaglewski, while the groom was supported by Mr. Fred Weiler of Mildmay. After the nuptial knot was tied, the wedding guests repaired to the home of the bride's parents, where a reception was held in honor of the young couple. The happy young couple will take up residence at once on Kleist street, Mildmay. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Hesch extend their heartiest congratulations.

**The Late Emelia Zinn.**  
Mrs. Emelia Zinn, beloved wife of Mr. Henry Zinn of Hanover, passed away at her home on Sunday, the 9th inst., aged 76 years; 10 months and 2 days. The funeral takes place this afternoon to the Hanover cemetery. Deceased was married in 1850, and came to Carrick with her husband in 1854. They therefore encountered all the hardships of pioneer life. They settled on lot 15, concession 10, Carrick, and lived on it until fifteen years ago when they retired and moved to Hanover. Mr. and Mrs. Zinn were among the founders of the 10th concession Evangelical church, and liberally supported the same. They were blessed with twelve children, ten of which survive the deceased. They are Simon of Colorado, David of Winnipeg, John of Hamburg, Henry, Peter and Benjamin of Hanover, Solomon of Carrick, Mrs. Anna Rapp of Stratford, Mrs. Minnie Hofele and Mrs. Adeline Hofele of Hanover. Deceased was a fine, neighborly, christian woman, and an affectionate and indulgent wife and mother. The bereaved family have the sincere sympathy of all their friends.

John E. Fink, butcher, keeps on hand a stock of fine mince meat.

**Auction Sale.**  
John Kreitz will hold an auction sale of new and second-hand machinery at Gpperman's hotel, Formosa, on Wednesday, the 29th of November, at 2 o'clock. See bills for particulars.

**Auction Sale.**  
Auction sale of farm stock and implements will be held at the premises of Peter Kreitz, lot 9, con. D. Carrick, on Tuesday, November 28th.

The sleighing has been fine during the past week, and the farmers have taken advantage of it by bringing in great quantities of wood. Prices rule about the same as last year.—\$2.50 for dry wood, and \$2.25 for green.

**Auction Sale.**  
Auction sale of farm stock, implements, etc., at Lot 6, Concession 7, Carrick, on Friday, November 24th, Jos. Keller, prop., John Purvis, Auctioneer. The bill states that the farm of 150 acres will also be offered for sale. Mr. Keller wants it distinctly understood, that he has sold his 100 acre farm, lot 6, concession 7, to Joseph Kunkel, who is now offering the place for sale.

**Golden Wedding.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Herrgott, Mr. Jacob Herrgott and Miss Rose Herrgott, of Mildmay, and Mrs. Illerbrunn of Decemerton, were at Waterloo last week attending the golden wedding of the parents of the Messrs Herrgott. About 200 relatives were present, and the occasion was a most enjoyable one. Mr. Herrgott is 85 years of age, and his wife is 80, and they are both in excellent health still.

**Banquet To Jos. La France.**  
The following item is from the Red Deer, Alta. News, and refers to Mr. Jos. La France, at one time a member of the Merchants Bank staff at Mildmay: "Monday evening some thirty friends of Mr. J. La France, accountant of the Merchants Bank, who has been promoted to the Saskatoon branch of that bank, met at the Alberta Hotel to bid him farewell and to give him a good send-off. The company partook of a sumptuous banquet provided by mine host "Ruttan" after which a jovial time was spent in speech-making and songs, the chair being occupied by Dr. J. Colison. Mr. La France left on the early train Tuesday for Saskatoon much to the regret of a large circle of friends as he was a genial favorite in town.

**The School Teachers.**  
Should female teachers draw the same salary as male teachers, is a question that on the face of it must inevitably be answered in the affirmative. Ability to perform a certain work is the basis upon which salaries are generally paid, yet the average trustee takes the ground that male teachers should receive more for their services than female. Of course on the other hand, the male teacher has more to do with his salary, as a rule, having in many cases a family to keep, which is not often the lot of the lady teachers. Recently the lady teachers of New York have obtained from the civic government a recognition of the principle that there should be no discrimination against their sex in the matter of pay.

**MOLTKE.**  
A gang of timber men are at work in this district.

Reeves Filsinger and Schenk were in town on Saturday, winding up their bridge business.

Congratulations are due to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Filsinger, on the birth of a daughter last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wepler and family, Wilfram Leutke and Miss Maggie Wepler, visited at W. Weigel's on Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Lantz is on the sick list this week.

Some of the farmers have not finished housing their root crop yet, and prospects are looking rather blue for milder weather.

Rev. A. Neudorffer of Mount Holly, N. J., is staying a few days under the parental roof. He will leave in a few days for India to take up missionary work.

Mr. A. Weigel has purchased the 150 acre farm from his father, and is offering his own farm on the 4th concession for sale.

Our young people are practising for a concert to be held in S. S. No. 12, Carrick.

**BORN.**  
FILSINGER—In Carrick, on November 16th, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Filsinger a daughter.

**FORMOSA.**  
Mr. Jos. C. Kramer went to Berlin last Friday to work at the carpenter trade.

August Brick had a very successful bee hauling wood on Monday.

Dr. Clapp, the Conservative candidate, was in town on Monday.

On Tuesday the marriage of Seraphine Meyer and Miss Carrie Dentinger took place at the R. C. Church here, the Rev. Father Montag of Decemerton officiating.

Rev. Father Lehmann, of Mildmay, was in charge of the services in the R. C. Church here on Sunday. Rev. Father Maddigan was at Mildmay.

Fred Lippert, of Walkerton, was in town on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Schefer spent Sunday with friends in Mildmay.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Weiler went to Berlin last Thursday to attend the funeral of the late Isaac Gehl, who was accidentally killed in a factory there. The funeral took place on Friday. The following are the particulars of the sad event:—While adjusting a belt on a pulley in the factory of the National Furniture Company at Berlin about four o'clock Tuesday afternoon, Isaac Gehl, mechanical foreman was almost instantaneously killed. His glove caught in the belt and pulled him off the stepladder on which he was standing, swinging his body around the large pulley several times before the machinery was stopped. When assistance arrived the unfortunate man was still breathing, but life was extinct when medical aid arrived. The body was mangled, and almost every bone was broken. After investigating the accident, and consulting with Crown Attorney Bowly, Coroner Honsberger decided an inquest unnecessary. Gehl was about 38 years of age, and was a careful and capable workman. He is survived by a widow and several small children.

**HUNTINGFIELD.**  
Miss Mary Stokes of Turnberry is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jas. Austin.

Sterling Haskins has been under the doctor's care for the past week. His friends hope for his early recovery.

W. J. Pomeroy returned home from Saskatchewan on Monday evening of this week. He went out in September to look after some business.

Rev. Mr. Pearson, representative of the Dominion Alliance, occupied the pulpit in the Belmore and McIntosh churches on Sunday.

The ministers who have been arranged for to occupy the pulpit, at McIntosh church, during the next two Sundays, are both candidates for the pastorate.

Albert Haskins wound up the season's threshing on Tuesday, when he finished his own work. All the threshing is now finished in this district.

The boundary line between here and Belmore is in a very bad condition this fall. We trust the Carrick and Howick councils will take the matter up early next Spring and make some improvements in this road.

Mr. James Darling sr. has moved to his new home at Belmore, having retired from the farm. Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Teskey will also move to that burg at New Year.

The phone here went out of commission here last Sunday. The line-man Mr. Fred Johann, was around on Monday morning and repaired the damage.

Election matters are very quiet here. Neither of the candidates have put in an appearance here yet.

Walter Johnson, who went west in August, is expected home this week.

**CARLSRUHE.**  
Peter Grub has sold his 100 acre farm, 50 acres was purchased by his father, Mr. John Grub, and the remaining fifty goes to Mr. William Fritz. Mr. Grub has purchased a 200-acre farm in the township of Brant.

**MARRIED.**—On Tuesday of last week Miss Ida Pochmann to Mr. John Goll.

Messrs John and Henry Lobsinger left for Stokes Bay to work in the saw mills.

Mr. Peter Girodat attended the funeral of the late Isaac Gehl of Berlin on Friday of last week.

Charles Schwan visited friends in Otter Creek last week.

Jacob Rosswurm of Hanover spent Sunday in town.

Lorenz Shelhas of Berlin is spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Jos. Montag, and other relatives.

The sleighing is pretty good in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kuntz and daughter of Formosa Sundayed in the burg.