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To be the best preparation on the market for the cure of all Kidney and Liver troubles, and for the purifying of the blood, is what hundreds are saying of

Dr. Bains Buchu Compound.

It is a positive cure for all Kidney and Liver troubles and is unexcelled as a blood purifier. Why suffer when you can get a sure cure for your ailments at three quarters of a cent per dose. Dr. Bains' Buchu Compound is sold by your druggist at 25¢ per package. Prepared only by H. E. EWALD, Whitby, Ont.

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Barrister, Solicitor,
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MONEY to Loan.
Office: Up-stairs in Montague's Hotel Block, MILDMAÏ.

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MONEY to loan at lowest current rates
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WALKERTON ONT.

A. H. MACKLIN, M.B.
Graduate of the Toronto Medical College, and member of College Physicians and Surgeons, Ontario. Winner Silver Medal and Scholarship. Office in rear of the Peoples' Drug Store.

R. E. CLAPP, M.D.
Physician and Surgeon.
GRADUATE, Toronto University and member of College Physicians and Surgeons, Ontario. Residence, Abbotson St., nearly opposite the Livery stable. Office in the Drug Store, next door to Carrick Banking Co. MILDMAÏ.

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 "The People's" Pharmacy, Main Street, near the Post Office. Stabling, Rink, MILDMAÏ.

C. H. LOUNT, L. D. S., D. D. S.
SURGEON DENTIST, WALKERTON.
Will continue to conduct the practice of the firm of Hughes & Lount, at the office always occupied by them in Walkerton.
Special attention will be given to Gold-Filling and preservation of the Natural Teeth. Nitrous Oxide, Gas, and other Anesthetics for the painless extraction of Teeth.

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Calls promptly attended to night or day.

JAMES ARMSTRONG,
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Next to Methodist Parsonage,
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Jos. Kunkel,
HORSESHOER AND GENERAL BLACKSMITH
Headquarters for
New Buggies, Carts and Wagons.
BUGGIES REPAINTED
Work Guaranteed
Having secured the services of August Missere, I am now prepared to turn out anything in the working line.
JOS. KUNKEL!
OPP GAZETTE OFFICE

Cook's Cotton Root Compound
Is the only safe, reliable monthly medicine on which ladies can depend in the hour and time of need.
Is prepared in two degrees of strength.
No. 1 for ordinary cases is by far the best dollar medicine known—sold by druggists, one Dollar per box.
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No. 1, or No. 2, mailed on receipt of price and two 3-cent stamps.
The Cook Company,
Windsor, Ontario.
Sold in Mildmay and everywhere in Canada by all responsible druggists.

Mildmay Market Report.

Carefully corrected every week for the GAZETTE:
Fall wheat per bu..... 85 standard
Oats..... 25 to 26
Peas..... 52 to 53
Barley.....
Potatoes..... 40
Smoked meat per lb..... 7 to 9
Eggs per doz..... 15 to 15
Butter per lb..... 14 to 14
Dressed pork..... \$5 50 to 6 00

Glebe & Stilling's Market.

Wheat..... 85 to 85c bus
Peas..... 52 to 53
Oats..... 25 to 26
Flour, Manitoba..... \$3 00 per cwt.
Family flour, No. 1..... \$2 50
Family flour, No. 2..... \$1 60
Low Grade..... 80c
Bran..... 50c
Shorts..... 60c
Screenings..... 65c
Chop Feed..... 90 1.10
Cracked Wheat..... \$2 40
Graham Flour..... \$2 40
Ferina..... \$3 00

The Leading Shoe Store.
is prepared this fall to give special value in

Boots, Shoes and Rubbers...

We have bought them right direct from the makers at the lowest prices and are selling them at the

Lowest Cash Price

We never before were able to give better values in all lines. Our experience has taught us the needs of shoe wearers and we have been very careful in selections.

In men's long boots we have just what is wanted for this time of the year. All new, clean stock bought from firms making a specialty of these lines.

Call and be convinced

John Hunstein,

L. A. Hinsperger.

Wholesale & Retail

Harnes & Top Works.

Leather fly nets 40c to \$1.00

Duster: 30c 40c 50c upwards

Best binder whips 40c

Axle grease 50c a box

Machine oil 5c a bottle

Just received several cases

blankets rugs and Robes

Blankets 50c upwards

Plush rugs all prices

Goat robes \$5 upwards

Saskatchewan buffala robes

\$6, \$7, \$8, \$9

Cow hides \$10, \$11 to \$16

Come and get Prices. Every-

thing away down. Raw furs,

hides, sheepskins as cash.

School

Opening

Our stock of School Books for both

PUBLIC and SEPARATE SCHOOLS

is Complete.

We have also on hand full lines in

School Bags, Scribblers,

Inks, Stationery, Etc.,

While we have added the above lines, we do not neglect our stock of

DRUGS AND DRUGGIST SUNDRIES.

Large assortment of Combs, Brushes, Sponges, Etc. Give us a call.

MILDMAÏ

Drug and Book Store

R. E. CLAPP, Proprietor.

Farmer's Institute.

The annual Farmer's Institute meetings were held in the town hall here on Friday afternoon and evening. There were quite a number present at both meetings, but the almost impassable state of the roads, on account of the late snow storms, caused many who would otherwise have been present, to remain at home. Notwithstanding the fact the meetings were a grand success. In the afternoon Mr. J. E. Gould of Cambridge, gave a very interesting address on "The value of Ensilage". Major James Sheppard, of Queenston, also addressed the gathering on the "Planting and care of the Orchard." The evening meeting was better attended than that of the afternoon. Mr. Gould had for his subject "Success and failure in dairying", while Major Sheppard spoke on "Window Gardening." All the addresses were both instructive and interesting. There were many pointers thrown out, which if acted upon, would create a more thorough knowledge of farming, and cause the purse of the agriculturist to expand. Those who failed to attend missed an opportunity of gaining much useful knowledge. The evening meeting was enlivened by music by Messrs. L. Waeclter and T. McGavin.

CURLING.

Friday evening our curlers played the return match with Clifford at that town. When the time came for leaving they could not secure enough players to go to make up two rinks. So as not to disappoint the Clifford brethren they decided to go with six players. On reaching Clifford the eyes of the Mildmay boys were brightened by the appearance on the scene of Pete, the Irishman. With one substitute Mildmay put up a two rink game and contrary to all expectations, both of the townspeople here and the players themselves, victory passed upon the banners of the Mildmay players. The rinks were composed of the following gentlemen:—

CLIFFORD. MILDMAÏ.

A. McIntosh J. A. Johnston

R. McIntosh W. G. Liesemer

C. Lever J. Schweitzer

M. Matheson sk. 8 E. N. Butchart sk 15

H. White W. Schweitzer

R. Gardiner T. Johnston, (sub.)

G. Lewis P. Lenahan

W. H. Scott sk 8 L. A. Findlay sk 15

A return game is expected to be played here shortly.

BELMORE

G. Edwards of Brussels spent Sunday with his parents.

P. Terriff is away at present. Some say he is in search of a wife.

R. Lane who has been laid up with a severe cold is around again.

A. and B. are still in the field. Was B. unsuccessful when away.

J. J. Abram is at Shelburne helping his brother Robert taking out timber at present.

W. Lane is taking his departure from our midst this week. We wish him good luck.

W. Adams may be seen in our burg these days. We are sorry to learn that his stay must be short.

The following is the substance of some conversation which passed between two of our fair belles.—Who is that young man I saw in the blacksmith shop? Why! that's the new apprentice, I'm going to set my cap for that fellow.

Joe, Duffy's little girl (Stella) who has been seriously ill, is rapidly recovering under the skillful treatment of Dr. Macklin. It was reported that she had the diphtheria but we are pleased to be able to state that such reports are incorrect.

We are sorry to chronicle the death of Mr. Jno. Duffy's infant child which passed away so suddenly on Tuesday the 1st inst. at the early age of two months. The funeral took place to the McIntosh cemetery on the following

Wednesday and was attended by the many friends who sympathize with the parents in their sore trial.

Annual Meeting.

The fourth annual meeting of the Farmers' Central Mutual Fire Insurance Company was held in the hall over the Merchants' Bank, Walkerton, on January 15th, 1898. Upon motion, Mr. James Tolton acted as chairman and Mr. J. J. Schumacher as secretary of the meeting. There was a good attendance of directors and policy-holders.

The minutes of the last annual meeting were read and confirmed. The directors and auditors' reports and financial statement were read, and upon motion of Mr. John S. Harper, seconded by W. H. Brockelbank, unanimously adopted.

To fill the vacancies on the Directorate, the following gentlemen were duly elected: Messrs. Wm. Rowand, Thos. Chisholm, John Gowanlock, Wm. Polfus and Daniel McGill. Messrs. James Johnston, Mildmay, and James A. Lamb, Brant Township, were appointed auditors.

At the conclusion of the statutory business, the manager took occasion to contradict the lying reports which certain rival agents were circulating about the Farmers' Central. A number of policy holders mentioned stories which they had heard, but they were all shown to be utterly groundless.

At a meeting of the board held afterwards, James Tolton of Brant Township, was re-elected President of the Company; Henry Arkell of Culross Township, Vice-President, and J. J. Schumacher, Manager. To meet the wishes of many of the members a by-law was passed authorizing the issue of policies on the one payment plan for three years, called the Advance Assessment Plan. The Company will continue to issue policies on the Annual Instalment Plan for three or four years, as formerly. Either plan may be chosen.

J. J. SCHUMACHER, Manager. JAS. TOLTON, President.

Walkerton

In response to the advertisement for additional hands a large number of boys and young men presented themselves at the office of the American Rattan factory on Friday afternoon. Over 200 names of applicants were taken.

Some individual possessed of a diamond but lacking common sense defaced the windows of the Merchants Bank on Monday night. Each of the windows on the east side have been scratched and one of them broken. Such conduct merits the severest punishment as it is wanton destruction.

Miss Schmitzler, who was so seriously injured by fire a week ago, is now pronounced out of danger. Still the doctors insist that she shall not be disturbed by any visitors even her own relatives. Mr. Schmitzler takes this opportunity of thanking the many kind friends for their sympathy especially Mrs. H. P. O'Connor who so heroically rescued his daughter from being burned to death.

A venerable resident of Walkerton passed away on Friday in the person of Mrs. Lydia McKay, mother of Mrs. Thos. Dixon with whom she made her home. She was noted for her enthusiasm in all good work and was prominently identified with the temperance cause and other moral reforms. She had passed the allotted space of life and died full of years. Her funeral on Saturday was largely attended. Rev. Mr. Moir conducted the service and bore testimony to the valuable life and hopeful death of the deceased.

Messrs. F. S. Taylor & Co, manufacturers of felt boots met their creditors in the Walker House, Toronto, one day last week and submitted a statement of their affairs. Their liabilities amount to \$10,000 and the assets are fully up to the same figure. The firm asked an extension of 3, 6, 9, and 12 months which the creditors are looking into the affairs of the firm readily granted. The

firm is an old established one and it is confidently believed that the extension will see the difficulty entirely removed. The members of the firm are honorable business men and there is small chance that any one will lose anything through them.—Herald

County and District.

Stratford's new city hall will probably cost \$30,000.

The Huron and Ontario electric railway scheme is likely to be revived.

Thieves broke into the Grand Valley rink the other night and stole a number of pairs of hockey skates and boots.

Mr. Henry Cargill has sold his trotting mare, Josephine, to an Ottawa man. We understand that Mr. Cargill has decided to go out of fast horses.

Mr. H. Blue, Invermay, met with an accident last week which nearly cost him his life. He was leading one of his cows to the stable when she became unmanageable and knocked him down, stepping on his face and cutting him badly.

A farm laborer named James Jamieson, living at Zimmerman, was struck and killed by the G. T. R. passenger train about two miles south of Minto on Monday night, while walking the track home. The body was terribly cut to pieces. Deceased left town about five o'clock badly under the influence of liquor.

Mr. Sid Kinsman, who was digging a well on the property occupied by Mr. Theo. Fennin, Lower Wingham, discovered a small vein of gold when about 12 feet from the surface. He had Mr. H. Park, the jeweler, test the dirt and declares there was gold in it. Perhaps we may have a Klondyke here without going to the far north.—Wingham Journal.

A young man named John Dickieson and his mother were driving in the village of Rockwood last Wednesday night when their horse ran away. At a railway crossing the occupants of the cutter was thrown out and the young man was struck by a passing freight train. His right arm was run over and his skull was fractured. He died in the hospital, Guelph, the same night. An inquest will be held.

The residents of Conn and vicinity are greatly excited over the mysterious disappearance of Mr. James Graham, of West Luther. It appears that on Saturday last Mr. Graham sold 100 cords of shingle bolts to Mr. W. Foster of the Conn saw mill and received \$50 in part payment of same. On Sunday night Graham left his home to go to church and afterwards, about 10 o'clock, he got a ride home with George Perry as far as his own gate. Since then he has not been seen or heard of although his neighbors have been searching everywhere for him, and a strong suspicion is entertained that Mr. Graham has met with foul play. Up to Tuesday night no trace of the missing man had been discovered. He leaves a wife and three children.—Mt. Forest Rep.

Washburn's bakery building of Paisley was badly scorched by fire on Saturday morning. Mr. Washburn had started the fire and gone to the bake-shop, and in about fifteen minutes after Mrs. W. woke to find the flames in the partition and roof, a few feet from where she and the children were sleeping. The alarm was given at once and the fire brigade was soon on hand. No damage was done by the flames to any part of the building except the roof, but the large quantity of water poured in saturated the walls, floors and the contents that had not been removed. The stock was nearly all got out without much damage. Building and contents were insured. Workmen were put on the roof a few hours after the fire, to re-cover the building, and the repairs are so far made that Mr. Washburn is again doing all his business in the old stand.