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Trains leave Mildmay station as follows:

GOING SOUTH	GOING NORTH
Express.....7:31 a.m.	Express.....9:56 a.m.
Express.....11:27 a.m.	Express.....1:43 p.m.
Express.....2:52 p.m.	Express.....8:54 p.m.

The 7:31 a.m. and 1:43 p.m. trains carry mail.

LOCAL & PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clubine of Toronto spent the holiday here.

Miss Rose Zettel of Walkerton visited Mildmay friends on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Liesemer and family of Detroit visited relatives here this week.

Mr. M. J. Muter, manager of the Royal Bank at Hanover, was in town on Monday.

WANTED—Housekeeper or experienced girl for Guelph family. Good home. Apply at this Office.

Wm. Murat of Baden and Henry, of the Central Business College, Stratford, were home over Thanksgiving.

Monday was a disastrous day for the rabbits in this section. A hundred or so were shot by our local sportsmen.

The village boys played some Halloween tricks on Tuesday evening, but no serious damage to property resulted.

Messrs. Gordon Hall and F. A. Masson, of the Merchants Bank, ate their Thanksgiving turkey at Oakville.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Diebel of Berlin and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wyard of Waterloo visited at Henry Diebel's this week.

Messrs W. H. Schoenau and A. F. Oliver of Buffalo came over on Tuesday to attend the funeral of the late George T. Schoenau.

George Schultheis of Bolton, Tony Schultheis of Parry Sound, and Henry Hoeffling of Southampton were here on Thanksgiving Day.

We have unloaded another car of hemlock lumber and it will pay you to see this stock and get our prices for same before buying elsewhere. Geo Schwalm & Sons.

Herrgott Bros. announce that their cider mill will close down for the season at the end of the next week. Those intending to have work done this fall, will kindly take notice.

There was a light fall of snow here last Thursday—the first of the season. It was enough to scare the farmers however, and they are all busy now lifting their turnip crop.

The Fortney Bros. were out hunting in Proton, on Thanksgiving Day, and shot 25 rabbits, 2 raccoons and 1 fox. They would like to hear of anyone who can beat that.

Mr. J. S. Milne went to Buffalo last Thursday to visit his brother-in-law, Mr. H. J. Schonau, who has been ill for some time. Mr. Schonau has been holding his own for the last two weeks, and considerable hopes are now held out for his ultimate recovery.

Walter Renwick's stock sale last Friday, passed off very successfully, high prices being realized. Two-year-old steers, weighing about 1,000 lbs., sold for \$60 each. Henry Torrance of Clifford wielded the hammer, and John Darroch of Lakelet acted as accountant.

Mrs. A. I. Koehmstedt of Langdon, N. D. is spending a week with former acquaintances here. Mrs. Koehmstedt was born and brought up in this township, her father, the late Caspar Fischer having owned the Culliton farm, at Kuntz's corner. It is twenty-four years since Mrs. Koehmstedt paid her last visit to Carrick.

Emerson Berry accompanied the 30th Regiment Rifles of Harrison to Dundas, and there took part in the Military manoeuvres on Thanksgiving Day. The Regiment marched about eight miles among the hills surrounding the town, and in the sham battle which followed succeeded in capturing that strong hold.

Yesterday was All Saints Day. Carrick Council will meet on Monday, November 13th.

We are offering the Gazette to Jan. 1st. 1912 for 10 cents.

Mrs. and Miss Mary Heberle visited Rodney friends this week.

Mr. John Coates visited relatives in Stratford on Thanksgiving day.

Bunnie Heimbecker of Chesley was a visitor to Mildmay over Sunday.

Miss Madeleine O'Brien of Stratford was a guest at W. E. O'Brien's this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Fink and son spent Thanksgiving Day with friends in Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Yandt, of Milverton, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Mildmay relatives.

Frank Dahms of the 6th concession lost a good horse last week. The animal was found dead in the stable.

Mr. Leo Buhlman purchased an elegant Gerhard Heintzman Piano, from John F. Schuett, the local agent.

Misses Melinda Pletsch, Pearl Wittich, and Ada Schrank, and Mr. Chas. Pletsch of Stratford spent the holidays here.

LOST—Between Mildmay and Deemerton, on Oct. 18th, a waterproof coat. Finder will kindly leave same at this office.

William Diebel returned home from Alberta last Friday evening. He went west in June, and enjoyed his sojourn in the prairie province.

W. H. McFarlane of Paisley was nominated last week as the Conservative candidate in Centre Bruce. It is expected that Mr. I. Shoemaker, the warden of the county, will be his opponent.

Stock For Sale.
G. H. Whyte, Lot 46, concession D, Carrick, has for sale a three-year old Aberdeen Angus bull, also three registered Clydesdale fillies, one and two years old. All are good quality animals.

Shooting Match.
A Grand Shooting Match will be held at Deemerton on Wednesday afternoon of next week, November 8th, when a large number of ducks and geese will be competed for. A rifle competition and blue rock match will also be held.

A New Leader.
Hon. A. G. McKay of Owen Sound, who has been leader of the Opposition in the Ontario Legislature, has retired, and Mr. N. W. Rowell K. C., of Toronto, has accepted the leadership. Mr. Rowell is a very able man, and will make a very desirable leader.

Shooting Accident.
The number of shooting accidents that have taken place in this province this fall is simply appalling. Within the past month three fatal shooting accidents occurred in this county. Last Friday morning two of our local nimrods went out rabbit shooting, and one of the n got a grain of shot in the leg, while the other's hat was penetrated by two shots. A young man named White, of Wroxeter, had his ankle bone fractured on Friday by a bullet from a small rifle. Now that the deer hunting season has opened more accidents may be looked for.

The Late Geo. T. Schoenau.
The remains of the late George T. Schoenau, who passed away at Sierra Madre, California on Wednesday, October 25th, arrived here on Tuesday and were interred in the Balaklava cemetery yesterday afternoon. Deceased was about 41 years of age and was born and brought up here. He was a tinsmith by trade, but had gone to California to go into the orange growing industry. About five weeks ago George took ill with typhoid fever, and went to the Sierra Madre Sanitarium for treatment. He was progressing favorably when his relatives heard of him on Oct. 20th, and the news of his death on the above date, therefore came as a good shock. Deceased was well known and highly esteemed here, and his death is generally lamented.

Tenders Wanted.
Tenders for the rent of the Mildmay Skating Rink will be received by J. A. Johnston, secretary of the Company, up to the 10th day of November 1911.

Auction Sale.
Auction Sale of Farm Stock, Implements and Household Furniture on Thursday, November 9th, at 1 o'clock p. m. at Lot 14, Con. A, Carrick. Thos. J. Kelly, Proprietor; John Purvis, Auctioneer.

Your Laundry.
Garfield Eickmeier, barber, has been appointed local agent for Pang John Lee's laundry, in Southampton. Patrons will leave their laundry not later than Monday evening of each week. Pang John asks that all his friends will continue their patronage to him, and guarantees satisfactory work.

Mammoth Turnip.
Henry Weber of Formosa bought in a turnip this week that has everything beaten that we have ever heard of. The turnip measured 41 inches in circumference and weighed 25 pounds. It was a well-formed, healthy turnip, and we have good reasons to believe it to be the largest grown in Carrick this year.

Death of Infant.
The home of Mr. and Mrs. Moses Filsinger was saddened this week by the death of their infant daughter, Hilda Marie, which took place on Tuesday morning. The child was never very strong since its birth six months ago. The funeral takes place on Thursday afternoon of this week, to the Evangelical cemetery, leaving the residence at 2 o'clock.

Caught Four Raccoons.
Frank P. Schmidt of the 10th concession, was fortunate enough to capture four raccoons in his bush on Thanksgiving Day. His dog treed the animals, and Frank climbed the tree and shook them down, and the dog took care of each of them as they dropped. The bunch weighed 60 lbs., so they made quite a burden to carry home. The hides of the four animals are worth \$8 00.

A Beautiful Story.
A beautiful story is depicted in the picture, entitled "Home Again," given this season with the family Herald and Weekly Star, of Montreal. It is beyond doubt the best picture ever offered with that great paper. The picture is 22 x 29 inches, ready for framing. The Family Herald and Weekly Star is growing faster and faster every year. It is the marvel of the newspaper world to-day and with such a picture as "Home Again," all for one dollar a year, it is no wonder the circulation grows. Every home in Canada should spend a dollar this season on this great bargain.

Fatal Shooting Accident.
A fatal shooting accident occurred near Walkerton on Monday, as a result of which Mert Egan, the 13-year-old son of a wholesale liquor dealer of Walkerton, died in the hospital at nine o'clock the same evening. He, with a number of other boys were shooting in a woods about three miles from town. A lad named Jasper, son of a farmer nearby, was standing on a stump, with a rifle in his hand. Through an unknown accident the gun was discharged and the bullet entered Egan's forehead. His comrades carried the boy about a mile to the nearest farmhouse, from where he was brought to the hospital, where he died shortly after. An inquest may be held.

Thanksgiving Dinner.
The ladies of the Sacred Heart Church are feeling justly proud of the success which attended their Thanksgiving Dinner, given in the Town Hall on Monday evening. It was an immense gathering of people—probably the largest ever packed into the hall on an occasion of this kind—and they were all taken good care of. The ladies furnished the fowl dinner, from five to eight o'clock, and the wants of the inner-man were well supplied. The program commenced about 8.20 with the singing of the national anthem, followed by a clever, humorous, and appropriate address of welcome delivered by Master Clifford Fedy, a young man of five summers, whose oration brought forth loud bursts of applause. The program which followed was high-class in every detail, and the audience was delighted. "Aunt Maxwell's Return," a comedy in three acts, was put on during the evening, and proved highly entertaining. The work of the orchestra deserves special mention, the rendering of the overture "Jollities" being especially praiseworthy. The proceeds of the entertainment exceeded all expectations, and will be devoted to the building fund of the new church. The ladies have requested us to thank all those who attended the supper and entertainment, and regret that the supply of eatables was so nearly exhausted before all were served. The crowd was much larger than anticipated.

Won Dinner Set.
Edward Diebel won the valuable dinner set, awarded at the entertainment in the town hall on Monday evening. The set is an exceptional handsome one, with beautiful decorations, and was a prize well worth winning.

Curlers' Meeting.
The annual meeting of the members of the Mildmay Curling Club will be held at the Commercial Hotel next Monday evening at 8 o'clock. All the members are requested to be present as important business is to be transacted.

Sheep Worried.
Isaiah Mawhinney had a sheep killed by a hound one day last week. Mr. Mawhinney bought a pair ewes at Frank Cronin's sale, and it was one of these that was worried to death. John Stroeder of the 6th concession also lost a sheep recently from the same cause.

Elections on December 11
The Provincial elections will be held on Monday, December 11th, and nominations a week earlier. The above announcement was made on Monday evening by the premier, Sir James Whitney. The present government came into power seven years ago, and have at present a majority of 70 members in the Legislature.

Rudolph Misch Found.
Rudolph Misch, the Walkerton man who strayed away from his home early in October, and hid from his friends in the swamps near Karlsruhe, was located on Wednesday of last week by Messrs. Conrad Becker and Chas. Todtz, who will receive the \$50 reward offered by the town of Walkerton. Misch evaded discovery for about three weeks, but was captured by the above named gentlemen while emerging from a large swamp and restored to his anxious relatives.

Farewell To Pang John.
Pang John Lee, the Chinese laundryman, who made his home here during the past two years, left on Monday morning for Southampton where he is going into business. The Bruce Times, in its last issue, gives vent to some of its old time spite against this town by saying that Pang John couldn't stand the abuse heaped upon him by the youngsters of this village. The Times is wrong, as usual, for it happened that by a combination of adverse circumstances the Chinaman was unable to get a suitable building in the town to continue his business, and had therefore to pack his trunk. Pang John leaves on the best of terms with nearly every citizen of Mildmay, as evidenced by the fact that a subscription list was circulated about the village, and a handsome cash donation was handed to him prior to his departure. Pang John is scrupulously honest in all his dealings, and we can cheerfully recommend him to the good people of Southampton.

Report of S. S. No. 1, Carrick

Sr. Fourth—Ludwina Kunkel, Annie Schmidt, Harry Schill.
Sr. Third—Josephine Schnurr.
Sr. Third—Clara Kunkel, Levina Zimmer, Helen Schnurr, Norman Schmidt, Edward Schill, Albin Schmidt.
Sr. Third—Rosie Schmidt, Wilfred Schmidt, Benedict Schmidt, Edward Rumig, Charlie Schnurr.
Sr. Second—Florence Kunkel, Henry Schmidt, Andrew Zimmer, Leander Schnurr, Sylvester Acker, Joseph Kohl.
Pt. Second—Nora Fischer, Loretta Schill, Alfred Schnurr, Andrew Kohl.
Sr. First—Lizzie Schmidt.
Sr. First—Annie Schill, Mary Schill, Maria Schmidt, Leo Schmidt.
John P. Phelan, Teacher.

MOLTKE.

This week it is our sad duty to chronicle the death of Mr. John Baetz Sr., which occurred on Tuesday of this week, at the age of 78 years. Deceased had been ill for the past three months. Mr. Baetz was one of the pioneer settlers of this district, and was very highly respected by all his acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. Con. Lang of Phillipsburg are visiting their son, J. Lang at present.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Caskanette spent Sunday in Riversdale.

Mr. Chas. Peter has purchased Mrs. C. Weber's farm north of here, and is offering his Carrick farm for sale.

Mr. J. G. Anderson and Dr. Clapp, the Candidates for the Legislature, have been in this vicinity recently visiting their friends and supporters. Now that the date of the election has been announced, it is expected that more interest will be taken in political affairs.

George Brown, the man who abducted Miss Gladys Price, school teacher, has been sentenced to eight years in penitentiary.

Public School Report.

For The Month of October:
Those marked with an asterisk missed one or more exams.

Subjects of examination:—Geog., Gram. Arith. and Comp.

V.—Harold Titmus 74 (honors), Gregory Thompson 63, Ephriam Bilger 61, Floyd Fink 63*.

Sr. IV.—Edna Bilger 57, Harry Gowdy 52, Olive Becker 47, Myrtle Lambert 44, George Pross 43, Clarence Witter 42, Jack Schnurr 40, Pearl Fink 55*.

Jr. IV.—Leander Bilger 56, Clarence Sieling 52, Luella Becker, 44, Alma Wittich 36, Velma Coumts 33, Alma Schneider 72*.

Sr. III.—Elda Gowdy 79 (honors), Elsie Pross 53, Leila Schnurr 46, Myrtle Yost 44, Alberta Becker 41, Edith Miller 36, Robert McNamara 24, Lloyd Doering 16*.

J. T. Kidd.

Primary Department.

Jr. III.—Ismay Miller 68, Esther Gutzke 67, Edward Harris 66, Minerva Miller 58, Edna Schnurr 40.

Sr. II.—Earl Yost 54, Dorothy Schwalm 53, Herbert Pross 46, Elmer Becker 40, Clayton Becker 35.

Jr. II.—Tabitha Hunstein 55, Herbert Miller 50, Gladys McNamara 47.

Sr. I.—Clayton Fink 87, Clarence Horst 69, Ernie Miller 68, Hilda Schneider 54, Beulah Lambert 42, Walter Schnurr 40.

Primer—Ethel Pletsch, Oliver Harrison, Viola Kidd, Louis Privat, Norman Weber, Edward Schneider, Sylvester Heath. Z. M. Liesemer, Teacher.

Separate School Report

For Month of October.

Sr. IV.—Petronilla Schurter, Juliette Brohmann, Christine Herrgott, Marie Weiler, Eulalia Herrgott, Rose Kunkel.

Jr. IV.—Magdalen Stroeder, Rose Geotz, Verena Herrgott, Madalen Brohmann.

Form III.—Antonette Schefter, Irene Uhrich, Rita Weiler, Rose Diemert, Madelene Schuett, Norman Weiler, Mary Ruetz, Arsenia Kramer, William Kunkel, William Godfrey, Irene Herrgott, Clarence Weiler, Clara Weiler, Anna Buhlman, Teresa Stroeder, Emma Schmidt, Mary Missre.

Sr. II.—Winnifred Schuett, Marie Heisz, Arthur Keelan, Simon Stroeder, Arthur Godfrey.

Jr. II.—Priscilla Schumacher, Eugene Schnurr, Magdalen Stiegler, Clara Stumpf, Charles Lob singer, Leo Weiler Helen Sauer, Joseph Diemert, Harry Schnurr, Eugene Herringer.

Part II.—Genevieve Weiler, Adeline Becker, Hilda Hingsperger, Albin Weiler Leonard Schuett, Anthony Missere, Harold Schmidt, Wilfred Fedy.

FORMOSA.

Mr. Anthony Gehl of Michigan visited his brother, the Rev. Dean Gehl, here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Noll spent Thanksgiving with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Noll.

Both the candidates for the Local House, Mr. Anderson of Lucknow and Dr. Clapp of Mildmay, were in town on Monday.

Mr. Geo. Lambertus of Teeswater has bought the Teeswater-Walkerton mail contract from Alex Kropp and took possession last Wednesday.

Mr. Jos. Bette of Carrick has sold his 200 acre farm to his son Anthony of Ambleside, and will move to Walkerton.

Valentine Weiler and Geo. Flachs jr. who went west with the Harvester's excursions returned home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Fedy and John Fedy spent Sunday in town.

The forty hour Devotions which were held here beginning last Friday morning and ending on Sunday evening were well attended. The following outside priests assisted Rev. Father Gehl Rev. Lehman of Mildmay, Rev. Montag of Deemerton Capps of Teeswater and Rev. Boenet of Walkerton.

Mr. Leander Hergott of Berlin is visiting at his home here.

The annual meeting of the Formosa Beef Ring was held last week at the residence of Mr. Lucas Zettel, and a successful year was recorded. During the season 17 cattle were killed by Mr. Zettel, the ring butcher, and an aggregate of 8235 lbs of beef was distributed among the members. The average dressed weight of the animals was 484 lbs. Lucas Zettel contributed the heaviest beef, which dressed 563 lbs. Wendell Schnurr was elected President for next year, and E. G. Kuntz secretary treasurer.

Farquhar D. McRae was sentenced at Cornwall to life imprisonment for shooting William Shaw of Carp.