

CHURCHES.
EVANGELICAL.—Services 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sabbath School at 2 p.m. W. H. Holtzman Superintendent. Cottage prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. Young People's meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30. Choir practice Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Finkbeiner Pastor.
PRESBYTERIAN.—Services 10:30 a.m. Sabbath School 9:30 a.m. J. H. Moore, Superintendent. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Davidson, Pastor.
R. C. CHURCH. Sacred Heart of Jesus.—Rev. Father Halm. Services every Sunday, alternatively at 8:30 a.m. and 10 a.m. Vespers every other Sunday at 3 p.m. Sunday School at 2:30 p.m. every other Sunday.
GERMAN LUTHERAN.—Pastor, P. Mueller. Ph. D. Services: every 2nd, 4th and 5th Sunday of each month 2:30 p.m. Every 3rd Sunday at 10:30 a.m. Sunday School at 1:30 p.m. Every 3rd Sunday at 9:30 p.m.
METHODIST.—Services 10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sabbath School 2:30 p.m. G. Curle, Superintendent. Prayer meeting, Thursday 8 p.m. Rev. J. H. McLean, B. A., Pastor.
SOCIETIES.
C. M. B. A., No. 70—meets in their hall on the evening of the second and fourth Thursday in each month. H. KEELAN, Pres.
C. O. F.—Court Mildmay, No. 186, meets in their hall the second and last Thursdays in each month. Visitors always welcome. John McGinn C. R. M. Filsinger, Secy.
C. O. F. No. 166—meets in the Forester's Hall the second and fourth Mondays in each month, at 8 p.m.
J. N. D. MILLER, Coun. F. C. JASPER, Rec.
A. O. U. W., 416, meets in the Forester's Hall, the 1st and 3rd Wednesday in each month.
L. BUHLMAN, M. W. M. JASPER, Rec.
I. O. F.—Meets on the last Wednesday of each month.
J. W. WARD, C. R. W. M. JOHNSTON, Rec. Sec.
K. O. T. M. Unity Tent No. 101, meets in Forester's Hall, on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month.
W. McCULLOCH, Com. M. JASPER, R. K.

Grand Trunk Time Table.

Trains leave Mildmay station as follows:

GOING SOUTH	GOING NORTH
Mail..... 7:33 "	Mixed..... 1:55 p.m.
Mixed..... 10 a.m.	Express..... 10:15 p.m.

LOCAL AFFAIRS.
—Miss Hart of Galt is spending a few week's holidays at her home here.
—Alphonse Guittard who has been out west this summer has returned home.
—Miss Rose Boehmer of Hespler spent Sunday at the home of her parents here.
—Joseph Herringer, who has been confined to the house with a sprained ankle for the past week, is able to hop around with the aid of a pair of crutches.
—Judge Barrett held Court of Revision here on Tuesday and disposed of the business in about an hour. Forty-four names were added to the Voters' List.
—J. J. Stiegler was in Toronto last week and purchased a stock of millinery for the fall trade. He has secured the services of a first-class milliner. See advt. this week.
—A play entitled "East Lynne" was presented in the town hall on Tuesday evening by Brownridge & Plumb's Co. The attendance was not as large as the entertainment deserved, but those who were present enjoyed the play very much.
The Mildmay Athletic Association held a meeting on Wednesday evening and straightened up the affairs of the celebration. The work of levelling the grounds will be commenced at once, and it is desired that as many as possible should lend a hand at the work.
—Last Friday evening as some small boys were playing ball on the street, Eddie Spahr had a very painful accident. Fred Weiler was repairing the sidewalk and while the boy was picking up the ball from under the sidewalk the axe in the hands of Mr. Weiler came in contact with the boy's forehead, inflicting a cut a few inches long. Dr. Macklin was called and applied two stitches to close the wound.
—The Merchants' Bank of Canada has opened a branch office in the premises where the late Carrick Financial Company carried on business. Office open on Tuesdays and Fridays from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The establishment of a branch of a chartered bank is a great convenience to the business men of the village, and also the community in general and should be liberally patronized.
—On Sunday afternoon, Sept. 4th, a great smoke arose in the north direction, and it was afterwards learned that a large swamp in Greenock had been on fire. The fire spread to Charles Merbrunn's barn and shortly after his house caught fire, and soon both buildings were in ashes. This year's crops and some implements were burned and it was with difficulty that the family escaped from the house. The insurance amounts to \$500.

—Two weeks from to-day the vote for the Plebiscite will be taken.
—J. N. Jenkins shipped a carload of butter from this station to-day.
Isaiah Kinzie of Berlin is visiting with his parents on con. 6. at present.
—A. Kramer ships a carload of apples from this station on Saturday. Summer apples bring seventy-five cents a barrel.
—Mr. James Rennie and Mrs. Thos. Mitchell of New Hamburg spent a few days last week at the residence of John Boehmer.
—Fred. Boettger shipped two carloads of lumber from this station last week. One load went to Brantford, the other to Toronto.
—Rev. M. Halm, returned to Mildmay last Friday from Milwaukee where he has been spending a few weeks. He was accompanied by his father.
—Henry Eckel has been confined to his bed for the past two weeks with an attack of appendicitis. We are pleased to hear that he is recovering.
—We are to have a new store in town after October 1st. Mr. John Spahr has decided to go into business in J. D. Miller's stand. We wish Mr. Spahr every success.
—John Curle is attending the Model school at Wakerton. David and John Berry are attending High School, studying for seconds, and Charles Johnston is taking up first-class work.
—It is generally supposed that Thos. Bennett and his outfit got stranded in the station yard the other evening, as the G. T. R. agent informs us that he heard the loud braying of asses around the depot, and naturally concluded that it was the aforementioned gang.
—Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 14 and 15 are the days of the Northern Exhibition at Walkerton. A large number of our citizens are in attendance. L. A. Hinsperger is exhibiting some of his beautiful harness, and Schuett & Sons have on exhibition a number of carriages, etc.
A week from next Tuesday, Sept. 27, is the date of our fall show and the directors are expecting the crowd of spectators and the number of entries to surpass all former efforts. Mildmay has the reputation of holding good shows and that alone is enough to bring success this year.
—The following is a list of those from Mildmay and vicinity who took in the Toronto exhibition:—Messrs Geo. H. Liesemer, J. J. Stiegler, Chas. Wendt, John Hufner, Jno. Morrison, Geo. Curle and two sons, Henry Liesemer, Philip Reddon, J. A. Johnston, Anthony Kunkel, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilson, Mrs. Butchart, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jasper.
—J. D. Miller has decided to leave town and has had bills posted up all over the township announcing this fact. He is having a bargain sale in crockery, groceries and other lines, and will have everything in shape to move away in two weeks. We are very sorry to lose Mr. Miller from Mildmay, as he is a splendid business man and a hustler. Kincaidine affords a splendid opening for another dry goods store and we wish Jake even greater prosperity than he had attained here.
There is no more serious menace to good health in the present age than kidney disorders, and it's an appalling fact, but a true one, that four-fifths of the country's people have the taint of this insidious disease with them. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills cure all Kidney disease.
Another point has been raised as to whether or not voters who voted on registration at the last provincial election would be entitled to vote on the coming plebiscite. They certainly are entitled, unless, of course, they have since moved into another electoral district. The same lists will be used as were used on the first of March last. Judges, sheriffs and other public officer and persons who under provincial law are disqualified from voting at provincial elections are nevertheless entitled to vote in the plebiscite if possessed of the usual qualifications of voters. If because of the usual disqualification mentioned, their names have been left off the provincial voters' list, they may still vote by making at the polls a declaration provided by the Dominion Franchise Act. With this exception no person is entitled to vote unless his name appears on the lists mentioned, that is, the provincial voters' list used on March 1st last.

LABOR DAY.
DESPITE the heavy rain on the morning of the 5th, the celebration of Labor Day was a good success. The grounds upon which so much work was spent, was not in the best of condition but when the sun came out the dampness soon disappeared. The attendance was good when the weather was taken into consideration, and the program was well received. The first feature on the program was a baseball game between the Cloverleaves and the Teeswater team. The Teeswater boys took a big lead in the first part of the game, but when Wesley got warmed up, only one more run was scored by their opponents. The Cloverleaves play a good steady game and won out easily by a score of 8 to 6. George Rome pitched for Teeswater. Harry Biehl acted as umpire. The game which was watched with the greatest interest was then brought off when Mildmay and Fordwich football teams lined up. Fordwich had a strong team on consisting of players from Wingham, Listowel and Fordwich, and our boys had to hustle to keep up their end. When the game started Fordwich scored the first two goals inside of ten minutes, after which the Stars went to work and made it a tie. Fordwich then scored another which was followed shortly after by a goal for Mildmay. The score then stood 3 to 2, when some dispute arose and the game was ended. Mr. H. Hamilton of Wingham refereed the game. Walkerton and Wingham baseball clubs then met on the diamond and in a game of five innings Walkerton came out victorious by a score of 13 to 2. The game was closely watched by everybody and a good exhibition of the game was seen. Geo. Paulin of Wroxeter umpired the game and his decisions were received with satisfaction. A few footraces were brought off in which Geo. Boehmer got first in the boys race, and W. Ashley came in first in the men's race.
NOTES.
Walkerton is too good for Wingham. The merry-go-round did a good business. Just wait till you see our grounds next year. They'll be spacious. The Nensadt Brass Band cannot be beaten anywhere. She's a daisy. The directors worked well, L. A. Hinsperger deserving special credit for the manner in which he stuck to the tent. The Fordwich Record has muddled up his write-up of the game, and gives us to understand that the Stars were defeated. The score was 3 to 3. Verandahs and other elevated spots which have never been used before, were brought into use and many a dime was saved. The forwards for the Stars all played well. Hartley and Moran played well together. Pete and centre forward are all right, while C. Johnston's shot from centre was the feature of the game.

BORN.
HINSPERGER—In Mildmay, on Tuesday Sept. 6th, the wife of L. A. Hinsperger, of a son.
BRAUN—In Mildmay on Thursday, Sept. 8th, the wife of Michael Braun of a son.
SAUER—In Mildmay, on Thursday Sept. 8th, the wife of Peter Sauer of a son.
A farmer named Foote, who lives in the 9th concession Whitchurch, was fined \$5 for tapping the pipes of the Stouffville waterworks. Foote tapped the pipes running through his farm without first obtaining permission from the Council. When the water was turned on too fast, the result being a burst in two of the large main pipes causing considerable damage. Notice of appeal has been given.
On Saturday evening, about 9 o'clock, the new brick residence of Mr. B. Johnston, on the outskirts of the village of Drayton, was found to be on fire. Being so far away from the centre of the village the services of the fire brigade were of little avail on account of the short water supply. The furniture was all got safely out, but the house was burned to the ground. The origin of the fire is unknown. It started in the kitchen, where there had not been a fire for hours before. The building was insured for \$800. Loss about \$1,000.

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