

**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. Mr. Johnson, Pastor.

**R.C. CHURCH, Sacred Heart of Jesus**—Rev. Father Halim. Services every Sunday, alternately 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 6th 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. McBain, 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. A. GISSLER, Sec. 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 McEann 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. W. WARD, C. R. W. M. JOHNSTON, Rec. Sec.

**A. O. U. W. 416**, meets in the Foresters' Hall, the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays 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 Foresters' 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
Mildmay 7:33	Mildmay 1:40 p.m.
Mixed 10a. m.	Express 10 p.m.

**LOCAL AFFAIRS.**

—Rev. Father Hauck is visiting friends in town.

—Mr. Wm. Ballah is now in charge of Peter Meyer's mill.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fraser of Clifford were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Findlay on Sunday.

—Miss Weir, of Walkerton, spent a few days in town this week, the guest of the Misses Herring.

—The Misses P. and C., and Mr. Wm. Stern of Rosworth, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Curle this week.

—The ice harvest has commenced and men are busily engaged cutting it on Glebe & Seiling's and Meyer's dams.

—We are sorry to learn that Mrs. John Hunstein is seriously ill. Her speedy recovery is the wish of her numerous friends.

—Mr. Fred Netske, of Balaklava, Mr. Kuntz and Mrs. Wm. Miller, of Noekerville, are all confined to the house by illness we are sorry to learn.

—Mildmay lost one of its most estimable young ladies in the person of Miss Bessie Curle, who left on Tuesday for Dauphin, Man., where she proposes starting in business for herself. Mildmay's loss will be Dauphin's gain.

—The stockbreeders Association is in session in Toronto this week. From reports presented at these meetings, horses have gone up 25 per cent. in price in Ontario and 50 per cent. in the North West. The reason assigned for the rise is the gold boom.

—Just at present we are enjoying a thaw. John Frost has had a bout with Old Sol, and got it in the neck. This weather will do a lot of good, as the snow will settle down and make sleighing better when the weather turns colder.

—To the ladies of Mildmay and vicinity: Sigh's system of dress cutting is a system highly recommended. In Walkerton during one month, thirty-eight scholars, including all the leading dressmakers, learned this system. Dress cutting school is open every afternoon at J. E. Mulholland's photography gallery from 2:30 until 4 o'clock. Terms easy. Call and inspect.

—The anniversary services of the Methodist Sabbath School were a success in every particular. On Sunday Rev. J. C. Seymour preached very acceptable sermons. The morning service was devoted to the children. Monday evening the regular entertainment in connection with these services was held in the church. A large platform was erected across the front of the church, and thereon the children delivered their eloquent efforts. Singing etc. was indulged in. The church was crowded to the doors by persons interested in the Sabbath School work. The officers and teachers are to be congratulated on the success of the efforts.

—Glebe & Seiling will do chopping for 4c per 100 lbs.

—Mrs. J. W. Ward is visiting with her parents in Atwood this week.

—February 22nd is only a little over a week away. Elections March 1st.

—A child's mitt has been left at this office. Owner can have same by proving property.

—Jos. Kunkel is having material placed upon the ground on his lot above the station for the erection of a house during the coming summer.

—There was a large attendance at the assignee's sale of the effects of the estate of Mr. Andrew Teskey on Tuesday. Good prices prevailed.

—There were a couple of gentlemen here on Monday looking after the Woollen Mill. We hope to see some person operate the mill this season.

—The Carrick Council will assemble for the transaction of general business on Monday next. All parties interested will govern themselves accordingly.

—25 sets of Harness to select from. All kinds of Horse collars, all warranted. Tops repaired for spring. L. A. Hinsperger. Wood and potatoes wanted.

—An Irishman was once asked by a friend to go to a concert with him. Pat consented. They had not proceeded far on the way before Pat asked how much the seats were. His friend said the front seats were one shilling each, and the back seats were sixpence each, and programs one penny each. "All right" said Pat, "I'll sit in the programs."

—How about our furniture factory. Are we going to let the matter drop. Pushing is all that is required to make it a success. There is no reason why we should not have a good paying manufactory of some kind. We have the people, the location and the money. All that is required is some energetic person to take hold of the matter and push it along.

—The many friends here of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Biehl of Teeswater, deeply sympathize with them in the loss of their infant child, which sad event took place on Monday morning. The little thing had been ill for about a week, and previous to its demise took convulsions. The funeral took place from its parents' residence in Teeswater, to the Evangelical cemetery, Mildmay, on Tuesday afternoon. A large number of citizens attended the funeral from here.

—The ladies of the Presbyterian church purpose holding an old-fashioned tea-meeting in the basement on Wednesday evening of next week. The following gentlemen are expected to be present and address the gathering:—Revs. S. Young, A. C. Stewart, J. H. McBain, M. C. Cameron, C. S. Finkbeiner and J. Malcolm. The Teeswater choir, under the leadership of Mr. James Reddon, will be present. Tea will be served from 6 o'clock. Admission, adults 25 cents, children 15 cents.

—The C. O. F. entertainment in the Town Hall on Monday and Tuesday evenings was not greeted with the audiences it deserved. The Vitasec is an invention which reflects much credit on the inventor, Edison. Those who failed to attend missed an opportunity of a lifetime. The entertainment from commencement to finish is refined. There is nothing therein to offend the most fastidious person. The Foresters deserve credit for the enterprise they displayed in bringing this company here, but it does not seem to be possible to get out a crowd to any entertainment in this town, except there is some thing to be had to eat thereat.

—This week we are again called upon to chronicle the death of another of Carrick's prominent farmers in the person of Mr. Geo. S. Inglis of lot 5, con. B., in his 65th year. The deceased was born in Wroxboroughshire in 1833, and came to Canada in 1857. He settled in the village of Glenmorris, where he conducted a blacksmithing business for some eight years. In 1865 he moved to Carrick and took up the property on which he died. His illness was of very short duration, being scarcely a week confined to his room. He leaves three sons and six daughters to mourn his sudden demise. The funeral took place from his late residence on Monday to the McIntosh cemetery. A large cortege of friends followed the remains to their last resting place, thereby showing the high esteem in which the deceased was held by his friends. The family have the sympathy of all in their sad bereavement.

—Glebe & Seiling will do chopping for 4c per 100 lbs.

—Large assortment of trunks and valises just arrived. Prices down fine.—T. A. Hinsperger.

THIS ARTICLE REMOVED

I hereby certify that I was a great sufferer of Rheumatism for more than four years. A terrible pain in my back and joints often made it impossible for me to do my work and at intervals was confined to the bed. I had also pimples and blotches on the head. I had taken a lot of different medicines but of no avail. I finally tried "five drops" and after taking about one half of a large bottle I am completely cured. I can conscientiously recommend "five drops" to all who are similarly afflicted.

Dated the 7th of February 1898  
Peter Eckel  
Mildmay P. O.

**COUNTY AND DISTRICT.**

There is a keen competition for the vacant registrarship in Waterloo County.

The dates of the Wingham fall fair for this year will be September 27 and 28.

The Doherty Organ factory, Clinton, was totally destroyed by fire on Tuesday morning.

The Ontario Gazette contains the appointment of Dr. Donald A. Kidd of Atwood as coroner.

The annual meeting of the Ontario Grand Orange Lodge West, which was called to meet at Palmerston on March 1, has been postponed to March 15.

The Presbyterian congregation, Milverton, has extended an unanimous call to Rev. D. Anderson of Guelph, offering him a salary of \$900 and a manse.

Charles Bell had his hand caught in the cog wheel of the sausage mill at T. Dodd's butcher shop in Wingham on Saturday, and had it badly lacerated.

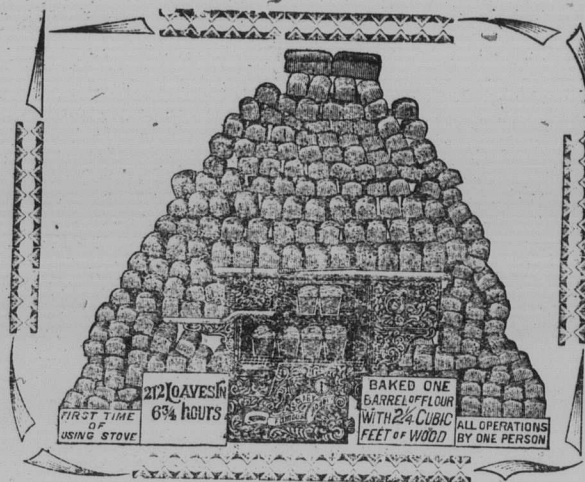
A good day's work was done last week on the farm of D. Meiklejohn, Morris, last week when two young men, Wm. Stewart of Bluevale, and Fred. Bell, of Morris, cut and piled ten cords of cordwood in nine hours. This is a good record.

The following have been appointed Returning Officers for the three ridings Bruce: South Bruce, Sheriff O'Connor, Walkerton; Centre Bruce, J. B. Campbell, Pinkerton; North Bruce, Joseph Chambers, Allenford. Judge Barrett has been appointed chairman of the Board of Registration for the town of Walkerton.

Infants and young children are peculiarly subject to this terrible disorder, and if not promptly arrested it will eventually become chronic. Dr. Chase made a special study of Eczema and disease of the skin, and we can confidently recommend Dr. Chase's Ointment to cure all forms of Eczema. The first application soothes the irritation and puts the little sufferer to rest.

Mr. Thos. Gladman, bookkeeper for Adam Hall, Esq., stove and tinware dealer, Peterboro', writes the following facts:—Have been troubled for nine years with Eczema on my leg, and at times the itching was something terrible; tried many eminent doctors and was pronounced incurable. I had given up hopes of ever being cured when I was recommended by Mr. Madill druggist, to try a box of Dr. Chase's Ointment, and I am happy to testify that after using two boxes I am completely cured.

**STOVES**



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**Richard Berry, Patentee.**

Mildmay, Ont.