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Thanksgiving DAY

FOWL DINNER

Town Hall, Mildmay,
5 to 8 P. M.

Everybody Welcome.

Next Monday will be Thanksgiving Day.

Commissioner Clubine is levelling off the foundation of the new concrete sidewalk in the East end, and is having the gravel put in, ready for the cement. The concrete work will not be done until spring.

George Schoenau is Dead.
Mr. J. S. Milne has just received word that Mrs. Milne's youngest brother, George T. Schoenau, died suddenly of typhoid fever, at El Reposo Sanatorium, Sierra Madre, California. The family, however, were aware of his illness in that Sanatorium, as he had gone there for treatment on September 27th. Mr. Milne expects the remains to arrive at Mildmay about Tuesday next, in which case the funeral will take place on Wednesday, but the funeral announcement will be issued later.

Communication.

Mr. Editor.—

Kindly allow me space for a few words in reply to the article last week, as to raking the stones off the roads. It appears to me that all the local papers should take the matter up and remind the councillors of their duty to the travelling public. It is certainly a disgrace for townships such as Normanby and Carrick and others, to have their roads heaped up high, and left with deep ditches on either side to cause accidents and upsets. Stones nearly as large as a man's head are common, and the approach to nearly every bridge or culvert needs filling up to prevent breakage and damage to rig. What are the Councillors elected for, but to look after and keep our roads in repair. As the article suggested last week, the rolling stones should be raked off the roads at least twice a year.

The worst piece of road work that I have seen this year was the gravelling on the 10th concession of Carrick, near the Lutheran church. Instead of gravel being put on the highway, stones and sand were hauled on to the road, and the travelling is made much worse in consequence. Did you Councillors or path-masters ever stop to think what a burden it is to your horses to be pounded by the wagon tongue from one side to the other, caused by the incessant number of stones on the road, and the pitch holes. If our councils will not give us good roads, a strict law should be passed compelling them to do so.

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Grand Trunk Time Table

Trains leave Mildmay station as follows:

GOING SOUTH	GOING NORTH
Express.....7:31 a.m.	Express.....8:55 a.m.
Express.....11:37 a.m.	Express.....1:43 p.m.
Express.....3:52 p.m.	Express.....5:54 p.m.

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

LOCAL & PERSONAL

Carrick Council will meet on Monday, November 13th.

A song service will be held in the Methodist church next Sunday evening.

Mrs. A. Murat is spending a week with her daughter Mrs. F. E. Welker, at St. Jacobs.

Here the anvil soloist in "Jollities" Overture, in the Opera House, Monday, October 30th.

Rev. A. R. Gibson of Knox College, Toronto, will occupy the pulpit in the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning.

Hogs sold at \$5.75 per cwt. here on Monday. That was the highest price paid in this part of the country this week.

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

A number of farmers in the vicinity of Decemerton loaded a car of sugar beets here last week for shipment to the Berlin factory.

Mr. Henry M. Frey, who operated an apiary on an extensive scale in the township for several years, has gone to reside with his brother, in Waterloo.

Jos. C. Thomson, of the Elora Road, missed a good heifer from his herd a couple of weeks ago. This week he found the animal lying dead in his bush.

Garfield Eickmeier, our popular tonorial artist, has purchased a fancy driver from Conrad Russman of Carrick. The animal is one of the famous Brino strain.

Dr. Doering and Chas. Buhlman returned home last Friday from their duck hunting trip to Fisherman's Bay, near Port Elgin. They brought back a couple of dozen birds with them.

Don't miss seeing the disappointment of Mrs. Seymour in "Aunt Maxwell's Return," a three act comedy, at the Thanksgiving Day entertainment. Admission 25c.

Pang John Lee, the laundryman, who has been in Mildmay for the past eight months, has decided to locate in Southampton, and will move to that town next week.

We regret to learn that Anthony Waechter, who has been suffering for several months with a tumor on his shoulder, is not improving. He will be taken home to-day.

The farmers are still busy with their root crops, and every fine spell of weather is taken advantage of. Mangels are a fine crop this year, and turnips are also turning out well.

Messrs L. Heisz and L. Buhlman were at Drew on Saturday examining the quality of the brick made at that place, with a view to purchasing a supply for the new R. C. Church here.

At the Thanksgiving entertainment in the Town Hall next Monday evening the rendering of the "Overture Jollities," grand descriptive music of a forge, a hunt etc., will be well worth hearing.

J. A. J. Kupferschmid, general merchant, of Decemerton, has an advt. in this issue. Mr. Kupferschmid is working up a fine trade. He keeps nothing but first class merchandise, and his prices compare with anything in the county.

This is the season of the year when so many shooting accidents occur. Next Monday a large proportion of our population will take to the woods to hunt, and it behooves them to take a little timely warning, and be very careful in handling their fire-arms, and be sure of what they shoot at.

Postmaster Murat is on the sick list this week.

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

John Hohnstein has drilled a well for E. Witter & Co., at the grist mill.

At Milwaukee a steer was killed, dressed and hung ready for market in four minutes and one second. A Record.

We regret to report that the condition of Mr. Hirman Schoenau of Buffalo, who has been ill for some time, is not as hopeful as his friends could desire.

The by-elections rendered necessary by Ministers of the Borden Cabinet taking office are dated for November 3rd; nominations, October 27th.

Stray Sheep.
Aged ewe, came to the premises of Anthony Diemer, Lot 25 con. 4 Carrick about August 20th. Owner can have same by proving ownership, and paying expenses.

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.

Auction Sale.
Walter Renwick of the Howick town-line, is holding an auction sale of farm stock on Friday afternoon of this week. Fifty young cattle will be disposed of, as well as a lot of pure bred sheep. H. Torrance of Clifford will wield the hammer.

Obituary.
After an illness with heart trouble, extending over several years, Mrs. Theresa Rich, widow of the late Christian Rich, passed away on Monday morning of this week at the age of 66 years. Mrs. Rich has been living with her son Gregory, near Formosa, for some time. The funeral took place yesterday morning to the Formosa cemetery and was largely attended.

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 guarantee satisfactory work.

Contracts in Hanover.
Schwalm & Sons have taken the contract of erecting two residences in Hanover, and have their carpenter gangs at work in that town. This firm's reputation for satisfactory work has got abroad, for they have had to turn down a number of good building contracts in that town.

Accidentally Shot.
Last Friday a young farmer named Provelske was accidentally shot and killed while hunting rabbits with a companion on the fourth concession of Elderslie, a few miles from Paisley. He got up on a stump to get a better view of his quarry, when the stump gave way. In falling the gun exploded and, being pointed towards himself, the bullet entered the abdomen.

The Fight is on.
The two candidates for the local legislature, J. G. Anderson and Dr. Clapp, are among the electors, and the fight is on in earnest. Dr. Clapp is spending the week in Walkerton and Brant, while Mr. Anderson is making the acquaintance of the Carrick electors. The writs have not yet been issued, but it is expected that the election will be held between the 5th and 15th of December.

Moving Week.
Many of the westenders are moving this week. Wellington Richards will inhabit the Harron property west of the village. John Devlin is moving to Mrs. Alt's residence, and Mrs. Hart will occupy the house vacated by Mr. Devlin, she having purchased same. Mrs. Geo. Duffy is moving from Carrigg this week to Mrs. Hooey's house, and Mrs. Ernewein is moving from Noeckerville to Jas. H. Thompson's house. John Weber is moving to the house vacated by Mrs. Ernewein.

Thanksgiving Rates.
On account of Thanksgiving Day, Monday, Oct. 30th, the Grand Trunk will sell return tickets at single fare, good going Friday, Saturday or Monday and to return on Wednesday.

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.

\$50 Reward.
S. A. Rife, mayor of Walkerton, has offered a reward of \$50 for the capture or recovery of Rudolph Misch of that town, who strayed away from his home about the 9th inst. He was last seen in the vicinity of the Evangelical Camp Grounds in Carrick.

More Sheep Killed.
Last week we reported that several sheep belonging to Joseph Hundt of the 6th concession, had been worried by dogs. Since last issue several more sheep belonging to Mr. Hundt were killed by canines. After the dogs' first appearance Mr. Hundt set a trap for the animals in the hope of catching the offenders. On nearing the place where the trap was set, a day or so later, Mr. Hundt noticed an animal in the trap, but what he supposed was an entrapped canine, turned out to be a very large skunk.

Dr. Clapp Nominated.
The South Bruce Conservatives, at the largest convention in the history of the organization held at Formosa, selected Dr. Clapp, of Mildmay, as their standard-bearer at the provincial election to be held in December. The hall selected for the meeting was found to be too small, and an adjournment was made to a larger one. Several complimentary nominations were made, but all rejected except John Joynt of Lucknow, and Dr. Clapp, of Mildmay. A vote was taken and the latter received two-thirds of the votes cast, after which Mr. Joynt moved that the nomination of Dr. Clapp be made unanimous. The choice of the convention once before carried South Bruce.

Charge Against Constable Maurer.
Constable Maurer of Clifford started out on Saturday to take a prisoner to Guelph from Palmerston. Seating his man on the inner side of the seat in the car, Maurer went to sleep, and the prisoner, Daniel Gillen, calmly stepped off at Drayton, the officer waking up when Guelph was called. The prisoner was captured by High County Constable Green, and brought to Guelph on Monday afternoon. Gillen is on the Indian list and was sentenced to three months because he would not tell where he secured the liquor. On being brought to Guelph by Constable Green, he told the Magistrate that the liquor had been supplied by Constable Maurer, and he was allowed to go. Constable Maurer will now have to face a charge of supplying liquor to a man on the prohibited list.

Fire Narrowly Averted.
What might have proved a very disastrous fire was narrowly averted on Sunday evening of this week. About 5.30 in the home of Mrs. Fedy, a fire broke out, caused by the upsetting of a kerosene heater, and matters looked very serious for a time. Mrs. Fedy threw the burning stove out into the hall, and then gave it a vigorous kick down stairs. This was perhaps the wisest course to pursue, although the oil which streamed from the stove, saturated the hall and stairway, which were instantly in a mass of flames. At this juncture every thing gave promise of a conflagration, and the fire brigade turned out, with the engine and hose reels. Fortunately, through the heroic efforts of Mrs. Fedy, and her brother-in-law, John Fedy, the flames were extinguished before any great damage was done. Two young ladies who were guests at the Fedy residence on Sunday afternoon, bolted down the back stairway and succeeded, by breaking several windows, in making their escape from the burning building. One of the ladies, however, had her arm badly cut while making her escape through a broken window.

Back From the West.
Albert Haslkins returned home from Saskatchewan on Tuesday evening of this week after spending two months in the West. He went out on the harvesters' excursion, and secured a good job, although labor was very plentiful. He managed a threshing outfit, making \$7 per day, but he was compelled to give it up, owing to blood poisoning in his hand. It will take another month to finish up threshing in Saskatchewan, and there is still considerable standing grain in Alberta and Manitoba. On Sunday Regina and Winnipeg.

Death of Mrs. Millen.
The death of Mrs. Clara Millen of the 7th concession of Carrick, took place on Friday morning of last week, after an illness extending over several months. Deceased was about seventy years of age, and suffered with a cancer of the bowels. Last Friday morning while taking her breakfast, she was taken suddenly ill with apoplexy, and expired half an hour later. She leaves to mourn her death, a sister, one son, John, at home, and three daughters, Mrs. John Weiler of Belmore, Mrs. Alois Gutcher of the 5th concession, and Mrs. Andrew Kempel of Riversdale. The funeral took place on Monday morning to the Formosa R. C. Cemetery.

A Man Hunt.
Rudolph Misch, the man who mysteriously disappeared from his home here some ten days ago, is still at large and is believed to be hiding in the swamps near Karlsruhe. About fifty from town and an equal number from the country organized themselves into searching parties on Sunday and the woods and swamps around Karlsruhe were searched in vain for the missing man. Nothing was seen or heard of him until Tuesday afternoon, when it was reported that Geo. Fisher and John Becker while driving home, had seen him about two miles northeast of Decemerton, standing in a gravel pit eating an apple. He was described as having both his face and hands blackened his hat pulled down over his eyes and a blue handkerchief wrapped around his neck. The parties who saw him, hastily put away their horses and started back to capture him, but on returning to the spot, they found he had gone and no further trace of him, we understand, has yet been found. It is evident he is subsisting on apples and turnips secured probably from the adjacent fields, and although the weather has been anything but favorable for out-door life, he apparently shows no signs of wishing to return home or permit himself to be found by the searchers. Grief over financial loss which he sustained some years ago, is said to have affected his mind and to be responsible for his present unhappy condition. —Bruce Times.

AMBELSIDE.

Mr. Jos. Trautmann is now one of the largest land owners in this section, having purchased the 100 acre farm on the Culross townline from Frank Cronin. His lands now total up to 300 acres.

Frank Cronin left on Tuesday for his new home in Carrigg. Frank's pleasant smile and cheerful greeting will be greatly missed by his many friends and neighbors, who all join in wishing him the best of success in his new venture. We hope soon to hear of Frank enlarging his family circle.

Miss Charlotte Kelly spent a few days in Ashfield with her sister Mrs. Gilmore.

Mr. Henry Weber of Formosa, has commenced plowing on the Kelly farm, which he recently purchased.

Alex Becker has leased Louis Meyer's farm at the Ambelside Corner, at present occupied by Anthony Batte. Tony has purchased his father's farm, and gets possession of the same next spring.

W. P. McGee, the popular teacher at Separate School No. 10, Carrick, was fortunate enough to secure two racoons one evening last week.

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G. Lambert.

NEUSTADT.

Dr. Bruce of Toronto performed an operation for appendicitis on Jas. Ford last week.

Mr. R. Waken is on the sick list.

Adam Wagner has moved into town, and is occupying Jacob Well's house.

Principal Patterson attended the Teachers' Convention at Durham last Thursday and Friday.

Harvest Home Services were held in the Baptist Church last Sunday.

There is no trace of Rudolph Misch of Walkerton, who is supposed to be in this vicinity.

An operation for appendicitis was performed on the daughter of Mr. Jacob V. Schaus, at the Fergus Hospital, and is recovering nicely.

For Thanksgiving Day, the Post Office will be open from 9 to 10 a. m., and from 2 to 3 p. m.

CARLSRUHE.

The funeral of the late David Schwan, which took place on Tuesday morning of last week, was largely attended, a large number of friends and relatives from a distance attending, among them being: Wm. and Frank Schwan, Mrs. Alex Oberle and Mrs. John Hundt, of Hanover, Louis Schwan, of Fort William, Mr. and Mrs. Herrick, Mr. and Mrs. Herteis, and Mrs. Geierbiel of St. Clements, Mrs. Herrgott and son Albert of Waterloo. The deceased was born in Waterloo, and ran a brewery here for the past thirty years.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Wojekowski visited friends in Sullivan township last week.

Mrs. Karl Halter of New Germany is visiting relatives here.

Jos. Montag and John Lobsinger attended the conservative convention at Formosa last Thursday.

A Shooting Match will be held in this burg on Thanksgiving Day.

BORN—On October 16th, to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hundt, twins. One of the twins died shortly after death.

MOLTKE.

The death of Mrs. Conrad Lanz of this village, took place on Friday evening of last week, after an extended illness. Mrs. Lanz was seized with a paralytic stroke five years ago, which rendered her an invalid, as well as totally depriving her of her power of speech. During the past three weeks she suffered with drowsy. The funeral took place on Tuesday morning to the St. Paul's Lutheran cemetery in Normanby, and was largely attended. Deceased was very highly respected in this community.

Miss Molly Dietz who has been working for Wm. Weigel for the past 18 months, has gone to Waterloo to make her home with her sister.

The farmers in this neighborhood have all finished their fall threshing. The threshing machine syndicate report a record in the threshing line, having threshed 300 bushels in an hour, for Mr. John Koenig, with just three hands. Their machine is a good one, and the result of their work shows that the 6th concession men are able to keep up their end with any in the township.

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