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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 unequalled 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 25c per package. Prepared only by H. E. EWALD, Whitby, Ont.

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MONEY TO LOAN. Office: Up stairs in Montague's Hotel Block, MILDMAY.

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Barister, Solicitor etc.

MONEY TO LOAN at lowest current rates. Accounts collected. Office: Over Merchants' Bank WALKERTON, ONT.

A. H. MACKLIN, M.B.

Graduate of the Toronto Medical College, and member of College Physicians and Surgeons, Ontario. Winsor Silver Medal and Scholarship. Office in rear of the Empress' Drug Store.

R. E. CLAPP, M.D.

Physician and Surgeon. Graduate of Toronto University and member of College Physicians and Surgeons, Ontario. Residence, Abolition St., nearly opposite the City Hall. Office in the Drug Store, next door to Carrick Banking Co. MILDMAY.

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 Mayor's Store—Entrance from Main Street. Residence—Opposite Skating rink. MILDMAY.

C. H. LOUNT, L. D. S., D. D. S.

SURGEON DENTIST, WALKERTON. Will continue to conduct the practice of the dent of Huckle & Lount, at the office always occupied by them in Walkerton.

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GRADUATE OF ONTARIO VETERINARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION. Also Honorary Fellow of the Veterinary Medicine Society. Calls promptly attended to night or day.

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GRADUATE of Ontario Veterinary College and registered member of Ontario Veterinary Association. Also Honorary Fellow of the Veterinary Medicine Society. Next to Methodist Parsonage, ALBERT STREET, GORRIE, ONT.

Jos. Kunkel,

HORSESHOER AND GENERAL BLACKSMITH

Headquarters for New Buggies, Carts and Wagons. BUGGIES REPAINTED. Work Guaranteed. Having secured the services of August Missette, I am now prepared to turn out anything in the working line.

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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. No. 2 for special cases—two degrees stronger—sold by druggists. One box, Three Dollars; two boxes, Five Dollars. 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.....	80 standard
Oats.....	2 to 24
Peas.....	4 to 45
Barley.....	25
Potatoes.....	25
Smoked meat per lb.....	7 to 9
Eggs per doz.....	14 to 14
Butter per lb.....	14 to 14
Dressed pork.....	\$5 50 to 6 00

Giebe & Seiling's Market.

Wheat.....	83 to 86c bus
Peas.....	4 to 16
Oats.....	23 to 24
Flour, Manitoba.....	\$2 0 per cwt.
Family flour, No. 1.....	\$2 0
Family flour, No. 2.....	\$1 80
Low Grade.....	80c
Bran.....	50c
Shorts.....	5 c
Screenings.....	65c
Chop Feed.....	85 00
Cracked Wheat.....	\$2 0
Grain Flour.....	\$2 40
Ferina.....	\$2 50

The Leading Shoe Store.

is prepared this fall to give special value in

Boots, Shoes and Rubbers...

We have brought 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 expense here is kept as low as possible from its including the possibility of these lines.

John Hunstein,

Call and be convinced

Wholesale & Retail

L. A. Hinsperger.

Harness & 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 50c a bottle
Just received several cases Blankets rugs and Robes
Blankets 50c upwards
Plush rugs all prices
Goat robes \$5 upwards
Saskatchewan buffalo robes \$6, \$7, \$8, \$9
Cow hides \$10, \$11 to \$16
Come and get Prices. Everything 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 SUPPLIES.

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

MILDMAY

Drug and Book Store

R. E. CLAPP Proprietor.

ETERNAL VIGILANCE.

THE FIRM OF LIBERTY SUFFERS A SERIOUS REDUCTION IN WALKERTON.

The county town of Bruce is poised for its zeal an enthusiasm in upholding and maintaining the majesty of the law. The eternal vigilance of its officers (and this must be taken to include law-breakers as well as law-makers) is no doubt a great incentive to the annual re-creation of legal lore in the legislative halls at Ottawa and Toronto. The citizen who is unfortunate enough to fall into the law's clutches has to run the gauntlet of an army of officials, and is usually left a financial, and sometimes a physical and mental, wreck, if he survives the ordeal.

Two weeks ago a well-known character ran foul of the legal octopus by going on a little "foot," and in due time his name was enrolled upon the black book under heading "drunk and disorderly." He was brought before the bench and fined, with the alternative of a term in the county boarding house. The fine not being paid, one evening a squadron of the law sallied forth to capture the delinquent. He was not long observing the well-known figure (and the familiar coat and hat) holding down the pavement at a street corner. With stealthy tread he approached, but the victim suddenly bethought him of urgent business that demanded his immediate presence in another quarter of the town. As he performed sundry military evolutions around the back streets he felt that the enemy was gaining upon him, until he finally found it expedient and necessary to employ his heels to better advantage. The constabulary coat tails were soon flying straight out behind, while the constabulary motive power was in full pursuit, with the constabulary eye performing its deadly mesmeric function. Around the corners, over snow and icy walks, now dodging the glare of an electric lamp, now disappearing in the gloom of a by-way overshadowed by a tall fern or umbrageous tree, pursued and pursued are madly racing towards the railway depot with the apparent intention of overhauling that small fire, creeping thing known as a Grand Trunk express train. Upon arriving there, the object of pursuit is for a moment lost among box-cars and delayed freight. This affords the Law an opportunity of getting its second wind. Suddenly that magnetic eye desecrates the fugitive in full retreat, making a bold dash for the open street. Townward the chase begins anew. More dodging of lights and disappearing in by-ways, mitering corners, leaping fences and dashing athwart open commons, until a bold run down Jackson street brings the victim to the new town hall, which he seeks as the ancients did their cities of refuge. In the mazes of this great triumph of modern architecture the eye appears to have lost its influence, for the bird has flown.

Next day it transpired that the pursued was a prisoner—a friend who had donned the hat and coat of the real culprit in order to lead the constable a wild goose chase, while the r. c. was keeping a respectful distance behind the constable during the entire procession, and enjoying the fun. It also transpired that another friend had paid the fine during the chase. The r. c. not knowing this, took the train for the west, presumably for his health.

And "all the people wept when they heard the words of the law."

Huntingfield

W. Pomeroy is getting the sand drawn for his barn.

The most of the folks who spent the holidays away from home, have returned.

Mr. Walter Pomeroy is, unfortunately, after his severe attack of rheumatism.

Mr. S. Vogan has been laid up with sciatica since Christmas day. He says it is hard to stand sometimes.

J. J. Vogan, who has been laid up with pleurisy of the lungs, is on a fair way for recovery, if he takes care of himself for awhile.

BELMORE

1898 finds us still in the land of the living and moving onward.

The girls are very sad looking as William speaks of going West.

Miss Maggie Fleming is on the sick list. We wish her a speedy recovery.

A. is having things his own way as B. is away. Poor B. is in need of sympathy.

Robert Lane has bought out the interests of his brother William in the Belmore saw milling company.

Our late blacksmith Jas Stewart is about to leave us. We are sorry to lose Mr. Stewart and hope he may meet with success wherever he may go.

Our genial young blacksmith has taken unto himself a wife. Walter was a devoted lover of the fair sex and will no doubt be a devoted husband. We wish him much joy.

Creators Meeting

The creditors of the Carrick Financial Co. met in the town hall on Tuesday to hear the report of the Assignee and Inspectors as to the progress made in liquidating the estates. E. Roland was called to the chair. John Miller acted as secretary. The Assignee read a long report showing the total claims and receipts in the several estates involved. The Schurter estate showed

total claims of \$10441.83 entered, and receipts \$4950.79. The Assignee had decided to pay 30% on all claims and stated that there would probably be a further dividend of 10% when all the property was sold. In the estate of Geo. Lobsinger the total claims were \$2239.86 and receipts \$3167.79, a dividend of 80% would be paid forthwith and probably another later on of 10%. The Zettl estate showed a surplus of about \$1200. The Gessler estate showed an indebtedness of \$13942.75 with receipts of about \$3000. Herrgott estate showed a total of claims of \$2436.26. Total receipts \$444. No dividend will be declared on the Gessler estate at this time but a probable dividend of 10% will be realized when date is finally wound up and of 7% on the Herrgott estate. There was considerable discussion on the claims of the bank on judgments held against Henry N. and J. G. Schmidt and the creditors decided that the Assignee should let the judgments drop. There seemed to be a general feeling among the creditors that Schurter acquired the mortgages from J. N. Schmidt subject to the promise that the judgement should be cancelled and although the bank raped no benefit, still the bargain was made in good faith by Schmidt therefore the judgement should drop out. Mr. Schurter proposed, on the invitation of the Inspectors, a statement of the assets of the Carrick Financial Co. and declared that there was sufficient security there to wipe out all the claims against the Company and leave a margin over.

It was shown however by the Inspectors that more than half of the paper security held by the Company was absolutely worthless and a large part of loss had been incurred by the creditors themselves, taking the money belonging to the depositors and using it in their own business. Three of the directors having taken among them about \$29000 and all that possibly can be realized on the said debt will be less than \$13,000.

The fees of the Assignee were discussed and a motion was passed instructing the Inspectors to allow the Assignee 4% on all receipts, and his actual disbursements. There was some difference of opinion as to this motion. Some thought 3% sufficient but no motion was submitted for that percentage. The dividend will likely be paid out in about two weeks. A dividend of 15% will also be paid at the same time to the creditors of the Carrick Financial Company. The prospects are fair for a further and final dividend of about 10%.

COUNTY AND DISTRICT.

The Listowel Curling Club has re-organized.

The Good Bicycle Co. are going into the sewing machine business.

Wm. Legatt, a coal miner, was upset out of a carriage at Brantford and killed.

Miss Etta Bale of Southwell, lost her life in a fire that started in her sleeping room.

John Fox, of Gravenhurst, was frozen to death on January 3rd, when within a short distance of his home.

Samuel Burr, of Park Head, aged 97 years, was able the other day to walk from Allenford to Heppworth, a distance of ten miles.

John Morrison, reeve of McKillop sold two short-horn bulls the other day for \$215. One was an aged animal while the other was only seven months old.

The idea of raising the Walkerton High School to the status of a Collegiate Institute has been abandoned. The change would cost \$700 a year extra.

As Mrs. R. H. McKay, wife of Councillor McKay, of Walkerton, was going from the woods to the kitchen on Saturday afternoon she took a cramp in her leg and falling broke the bone a short distance above the ankle. Mrs. McKay is a stout woman and the accident will confine her to the house for some time.