

**CHURCHES.**

**EVANGELICAL.**—Services 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sabbath School at 2 p.m. W. H. Holzmann Superintendent. Cottage prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Young People's meeting Tuesday evening at 7.30. Choir practices 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. Johnston, 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 1.20 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, P. A., Pastor.

**SOCIETIES.**

**C.M.B.A.** No. 70—meets in their hall on the evening of the second and fourth Thursdays in each month. H. KEELAN, Pres. A. GIBSLER, Sec.

**C.O.F.**—Court Mildmay No. 156, meets in their hall the second and last Thursdays in each month. Visitors always welcome. G. H. Liesemer, C. R. M. Filzinger, Secy.

**C.O.C.F.** No. 166—meets in the Forester's Hall the second and fourth Mondays in each month, at 8 p.m. E. N. BUTCHART, Coun. F. C. JASPER, Rec.

**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. Wm. 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
Mail..... 7 33 "	Mixed..... 1 40 p.m.
Mixed..... 10 a. m.	Express..... 10 p.m.

**LOCAL AFFAIRS.**

—Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Campbell of Teeswater, called upon friends in town on Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Spahr, of Linwood, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Spahr, of town.

—Miss Maggie McGavin and Miss Larch, of Buffalo, are visiting with friends in this neighborhood.

—WANTED—800 Cords green wood, 22 and 24 inch, in exchange for Harness, Etc. L. A. Hinsperger.

—Mr. J. D. Kinzie paid a visit to the city of Carleton on Wednesday. He says he could not see very much for lumber.

—When the dividends of the Carrick Financial Co. are paid, they should be paid over the counter in the late C. F. Co's. banking establishment.

—Skating in the Mildmay rink on Monday, Wednesday and Saturday evenings. Curling on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evenings.

—We are pleased to report that Mr. Wm. Wilson, brother of Dr. J. A. who has been seriously ill at his parents' residence in Howick, is improving nicely.

—Wanted—500,000 feet of maple saw logs at my mill, for which I will pay the highest price. Also a large quantity of all other kinds logs. Geo. Schwahn

—If you wish to procure any office stationery remember the Gazette office is the best place in County. Nothing but first-class stock used and neat tasty printing done.

—Wednesday evening a very enjoyable time was spent at the residence of Mrs. McGavin sr. Tripping the light fantastic was indulged in until the wee sma' hours. All report a good time.

—The Toronto Word is the brightest and newest daily of Toronto. The subscription price is \$3.00 per year. We have made arrangements with the management to offer it with the Gazette for \$5.00 the price of the World alone. Now is the time to subscribe.

—There is to be a Provincial Election soon and will be held. Mildmay is one of the best places for the holding of said election. Formosa and Walkerton each had the Convention and this Mildmay should have it. We have the best halls in the County for such gatherings.

—Prof. Brush will give an exhibition at the Ontario hotel on Friday, Jan. 21st at 7.30 p.m. of Horse Educating and Veterinary Dentistry. School Saturday evening 7.30 o'clock. At Mr. F. Schmeicher, known as the Carnegie farm on Monday Jan. 24th. School on 25th at 7.30 p.m. Clifford Wednesday 26th. School Thursday 27th at 7.30 p.m. Book and lessons only 50c. Prof. Brush is well known throughout Ontario as a horse trainer and gives good satisfaction in whatever he undertakes.

—John Wendt, of Wroxeter, Sundayed with his parents here.

—Miss Mary Hufner, of Teeswater visited with her mother on Sunday.

—A number from here took in the carnival at Wroxeter on Tuesday evening.

—The Florida Car will be at the station here on the 25th. Remember the date.

—Robes, Blankets, Bells at reduced prices for the next 30 days at L. A. Hinspergers.

—Dame Rumor asserts that Mr. A. Moyer is in the field as a candidate for Legislative honors.

—Mrs. E. N. Butchart and Mrs. G. Vollick, paid a flying visit to Walkerton friends on Wednesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Jasper, and daughter of Owen Sound, are renewing old acquaintances in town and vicinity.

—Miss Annie and Addie Moyer, of Walkerton, were the guests of their sister Mrs. E. N. Butchart over Sunday.

—Chaep land in Alabama. Young men now is your chance to better yourself. For particulars apply to L. Doering, Peter Meyer's mill, Mildmay.

—Rev. J. H. McBain was called to Atwood on Monday to conduct the funeral of one of that town's estimable young ladies.

—We have made arrangements with the Toronto Weekly Globe people to give it along with the Gazette to new subscribers \$1.50. Renewals may be made at this office at the rate of 50c for the Globe and one dollar for the Gazette.

—Prof. Brush with his tamed horses and trick mule gave an exhibition in Liesemer & Lobsinger's blacksmith shop on Wednesday evening, to quite a large audience. These exhibitions are given solely for the purpose of showing how nervous and high strung animals can be made to do what you tell them, by his theory. Phil Sheridan (one of his horses) was, previous to Mr. Brush purchasing him, an animal of rather a vicious nature, but after the exhibition given last night, no person can give him that name any more. Mr. Brush purposes forming a class in town tonight. All parties interested should govern themselves accordingly.

—A grand Masquerade Carnival will be held in the Mildmay skating rink on Wednesday evening next, Jan. 26th, 1898. The following prizes will be competed for:—best lady skater, silk handkerchief; best gent skater, fedora hat; best lady's costume, concertina; best gents costume, accordion; best comic costume, cup and saucer; best clown, suitable prize; best girl's costume, under 15 years, a pair of skates; best boy's costume, under 15 years, pair of skates. The leading feature of the evening will be a football match between the Stars and Cloverleaves. Dr. Macklin captains the former, while Mr. J. D. Miller looks after the cloverleaves. General admission 15 cents. For other particulars see bills.

—Again are we called upon to chronicle the death of another pioneer of Carrick in the person of Mr. Charles Krueger, aged 67 years, 9 months and 22 days. Mr. Krueger has lived west of the village for a number of years. He was a very quiet, inoffensive old gentleman, who stood high in the estimation of his neighbors. He leaves behind him to mourn his demise, a widow, three daughters and three sons. The funeral took place from his late residence on Sunday afternoon, and proceeded to the Lutheran cemetery, after which the memorial sermon was preached in the church. The bereaved relatives have the sympathy of all in their sad affliction.

**BORN.**

MILLER—In Mildmay, on Monday, Jan. 17th, 1898, the wife of John D. Miller, of a son.

**GENERAL ITEMS.**

Hon. F. W. Borden, Minister of Militia, arrived at New York, on the Majestic.

Mr. T. Mulholland was nominated by the Conservatives of West Northumberland.

Mr. John Martin of Lyndhurst, was drowned in attempting to cross the river on the ice.

Brantford Young Liberals will give a reception to Premier Hardy on Wednesday evening next.

**FLORIDA ON WHEELS.**

**A Wonderful Car From Florida Will Visit Mildmay.**

A Florida State Fair in a rolling palace from the land of flowers is to visit this section. The car is gorgeous with golden decorations and tropical scenery, and filled with a tropical exhibit imposing in multitude, marvelous in variety, and splendid with a thousand tropical wonders; flowers, fruits, vines, palms, live alligators, etc. The whole illustrates to tourists, invalids and prospective settlers the attraction, advantages and resources of that sunny land.

This conservatory on wheels, a tropical wonderland, was built of Florida woods at a total cost of \$20,000. It is the most remarkable car on either continent, and has been visited by more people than any other car in the history of railroading, crowds flocking to it night and day. The director of the car is Wanton S. Webb, who was director-general of the Florida Sub-Tropical Exposition, Florida Commissioner at the Paris Exposition and the World's Fair at Chicago, and is now the official promoter of Florida publicity.

To defray the necessary expenses incident to the visit of this Florida rolling exposition, a nominal price of ten cents (children under 12, 5 cents) will be charged on entering the car. Bear in mind that all the alligators are chained.

The official exposition will exhibit at the G. T. R. station, from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m., at Mildmay on Tuesday Jan. 25th and at Palmerston on Monday Jan. 24th at the same hours.

**CURLING.**

The first curling match of the season took place in the rink here Friday afternoon and evening when the curlers of Clifford and Mildmay crossed brooms. One rink played in the afternoon, the other at night. The afternoon game resulted in a tie with the score 7 to 7. Following are the players.

Clifford.	Mildmay.
Scott J.	Miller J. D.
Young J.	Schweitzer J.
Scott W.	Wilson J. A.
Lewis G. sk.	Findlay L. A. sk.
7	7

The evening game was viewed by a large number of spectators who seemed to enjoy the playing of the different parties. The Mildmay rink was composed of the four skips of the club, while the Clifford rink was composed of three skips and a leader. The game was rather one sided, and resulted in the score of 16 to 6 in favor of the Mildmay curlers. Following are the names of players:—

Clifford.	Mildmay.
Gardner R.	Findlay L. A.
Hume J.	
Scott J. sr.	Schweitzer J.
Chester H.	Wilson Dr. sk.
Mathieson M. sk.	6
6	16

A return match will be played shortly.

**County and District.**

Eastnor's majority for the House of Refuge was 181.

A slight shock of earthquake was felt at Harrow, Ont., on January 7th.

Albermarle decided in favor of the House of Refuge by a majority of 102.

John Dow of Hibbert, purchased a team of horses near Teeswater the other day for \$310. The team weighed 3200 lbs.

The firm of Hampton & Co. Mount Forest, which lately assigned to J. W. Lawrence of Toronto, will, it is supposed, be in a position to pay their creditors about 60 cents on the dollar.

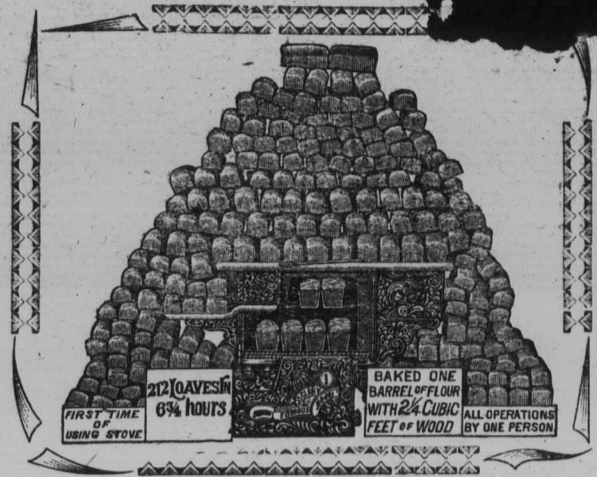
Mr. T. C. Caldwell, of Bentick has discovered that his farm is composed of sand mixed with gold. The rush to the Klondyke is destined soon to be a back number in consequence.

Mr. Wm. Ferguson of Morris, came to Wingham on Monday afternoon last, driving his horse, attached to a cutter.

When on Victoria street, opposite Swarts' hotel, one of the hold back straps broke, which allowed the cutter to play on the horse's heels and it ran away.

In front of Mr. John Mowat's residence it ran full force into a shade tree, the jar breaking the animal's back. It was at once knocked in the head and killed.

**STOVE**



We are still in the lead with The Best Cooking Stoves in the market. Just think of the Model Cooking Stove as shown in cut, baking 212 loaves of bread in 6 1/2 hours. We have these celebrated stoves on hand. Also the latest in Parlor Stoves. Call in and see them. No trouble to show goods. First class Tinware and Hardware, New Williams Sewing Machines, Coal Oil, Tar Paper, etc., which can be purchased at prices away down. call and be convinced.

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