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Doesn't spring give you the feeling that you want to be decked out in a stylish new suit? Of course it does! Give the new tailor an order for your next suit and you will be pleased—there's not a doubt about it. A large stock of this season's most fashionable suiting to select from,—the styles are correct, the prices very reasonable, and we guarantee a right fit. Call and see us.

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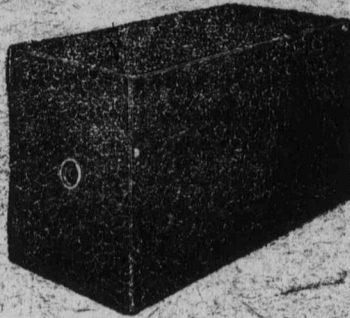
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Boys and Girls, here is your chance to get this Brownie Camera, 2 1/2 x 2 1/4 picture, 6 exposures. FREE for selling only \$3.25 of our fast selling flower and vegetable seeds. Send us your name and address and we'll mail you the seeds to sell at 5c for small, and 10c for large packages. Write to-day. A postcard will do.

THE RELIABLE PREMIUM CO.,
Dept. 11, Waterloo, Ont.
(Reference Molsos Bank.)

THE SONG OF THE AUTOMOBILE.

THE STAR.

I am monarch of all I survey,
My right they dare not dispute;
I will run over man
Just as fast as I can,
And I don't care a rap for a brute,
Dr. Clapp with his eight-foot petition
Can't alter my wild wayward mood.
Whew! thru Mildmay I steer,
I will clip off his car,
And the Dutch can all take to the woods.
Duncan, too, had better lie low,
For the sidelines and I do not hitch,
For wherever I roam
The roads are my home,
And the farmers can take to the ditch.
The Star says that Whitney's my friend,
And Montie sits in silent repose,
But his blind college mare
You bet I will scare.
When my gasoline reaches her nose,
I have a most blood-curdling yell,
To amuse all I happen to meet,
So when you hear my voice
You can just take your choice,
To be slaughtered or take the back street.

Otto Mo Bill.

A COW BARGAIN.

A Cowley County paper contains this advertisement of a cow for sale: "Some months ago I purchased from my friend, Hon. J. W. Irons, a pedigreed cow. I want to sell her owing to the rheumatism in my left leg, caused by her kicking at a fence post and striking me. When I first purchased her she was very wild, but I have succeeded in taming her so that I can peep through the corral without her tearing the gate down. To a man who is a good Christian and does not fear death, she would be a valuable cow. But I want to sell her to some one who will treat her right. She is one-fourth shorthorn, two-fourths hyena, and the balance just ordinary cow. She will be sold cheap for cash.—C. M. Scott, two and a half miles east of Arkansas City, Kan."

DIED.

REMUS—In Harrison, on Tuesday, March 17, 1908, Lorena Mary, aged 6 years, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Remus.

Brant Township farmers are installing a rural telephone system to connect with the Bell Telephone at Chesley. It requires eight subscribers to start a rural telephone line. It will cost each \$3 a year to maintain, the initial cost being about \$25.

FORMOSA.

Mrs. Meyer moved into Mr. Noll's building formerly used as a club house.

—Mr. Peter Brick is seriously ill and is not expected to recover.

Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Weber and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Fedy of Mildmay were Sunday visitors in town.

Martin Obermeyer, Frank Zimmer and Philip Flachs left for Battleford, Sask., on Tuesday where they intend taking up homesteads if the country suits them. Philip will be missed by the Base Ball team, as he was one of their best players.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. D. Schumacher returned to the village from Emo, Rainy River District, where they spent the winter. Joe left again for Preston on Tuesday where he intends taking a position.

While working with an axe last week Wm. Hundt had the misfortune of giving his foot a bad cut which required a few stitches. He will be unable to work for some time.

Mr. Ig. Weiler moved to his father's farm on the B line, Carrick, last week.

LAKELET.

The new chopper installed in the mill here is doing good work now and Mr. Gadke is kept pretty busy. As the roads are breaking up the farmers are anxious to get enough grain chopped to do till after the snow has taken its departure.

There is quite a change being effected in real estate in this community. Mr. J. J. Gregg of Springbank who owned 150 acres of the best land in the township of Howick, with up-to-date buildings, telephone connection with Fordwich and other towns, sold out last week to Louis Demmerling for \$11,000.

Mr. Demmerling gets immediate possession. Mr. Gregg will have one of the largest sales ever held in this township, on Tuesday April 7th, commencing at 12 o'clock. Mr. L. Murray of the burg and Chas. Caudle of the 12th con. who owns 50 acres of land, have swapped. Mr. Murray takes Mr. Caudle's farm and the latter takes Mr. Murray's property in the hamlet and gets the difference. Mr. Heinbecker has rented Mr. Cook's house in the burg and is moving some of his effects these days.

Mr. Joseph Heinbecker is having a sale on Friday the 27th inst. and Mr. Caudle is having one next week. H. Torrance of Clifford is auctioneer and J. Darroch clerk at both.

A number in the vicinity have tapped their trees and they say the run on Monday was good. Many in this community go at it on a large scale and sell a couple of hundred dollars worth every year.

Mr. C. Gadke sold a good mare to Mr. Koehler of Hespeler the other day for \$190. Mr. S. W. Ferguson sold a 4 years old horse to Jas. Burnett for \$200. He was delivered to-day at Clifford.

Thomas Bennet took a look into the burg the other night. He thinks a great deal of the editor of the Gazette, and boosts the paper at every favorable opportunity. He says he spent the winter selling views and "scoops" that they are "crackers" and he is going to make this his life work in future.

Mr. Gregg purposes moving to Fordwich where he has rented a house. He himself will go out West in the summer time and may locate there permanently. He will be missed in his own immediate neighborhood and the Methodist church at Lakelet will lose its most liberal contributor. They can ill afford to lose any at present as recent years have been depleting the members.

—Eggs taken same as cash in exchange for millinery. M. Schurter.

—We are glad to report that George Bohmer is showing symptoms of improvement, and will probably recover.

—We learn that Seraphin Herringer is contemplating taking out an auctioneer's license for the County of Bruce. Mr. Herringer has the education and command of language to make an excellent auctioneer.

One of Carrick's most ancient landmarks is about to be removed. What we refer to is the Wagner building in Balaclava which has been sold to Ernst Stroeder, and will be torn down this spring. This building was Carrick's first postoffice away back in the fifties, when the place was called Glenlyon.

PRIZE LIST OF THE MILDMAY SPRING SHOW.

ENTIRE HORSES.

Imported Heavy Draught or Shire horses \$15.00. \$10.00.
Canadian Heavy Draught or Shire horses 8.00. 5.00.
Percheron, French and Belgian Class 10.00. 6.00.
Roadster Class 8.00. 6.00.
Carriage, Coach & Hackney Class 8.00. 6.00.
Draught horses under 3 yr 6.00. 4.00.
Road or Carriage Horses under 3 yrs 6.00. 4.00.
Diploma for Best Heavy Stallion.
Diploma for Best Light Stallion.

Team Draught Horses, weighing at least 3000 lbs. \$6.00. \$4.00.
General purpose & Agri team 6.00. 4.00.
Team Draft or Agricultural horses under 3 yrs old 5.00. 3.00.
Single Draught or Agricultural Colt, 3 yrs 4.00. 3.00.
Single Draught or Agricultural Colt, under 2 yrs 4.00. 3.00.
Team Road or Carriage horse 5.00. 3.00.
Single Roadster on Carriage horse 4.00. 3.00.
Road or Carriage Colt under 3 years 4.00. 3.00.

SEED GRAIN.

Fall Wheat, 2 bushels \$2.00. \$1.00.
Spring Wheat, 2 bushels 2.00. 1.00.
White Oats, 2 bushels 2.00. 1.00.
Black Oats, 2 bus 2.00. 1.00.
Barley, 2 bus 2.00. 1.00.
Peas, large, 2 bus 2.00. 1.00.
Peas, small, 2 bus 2.00. 1.00.
Timothy, 1 bus 2.00. 1.00.
Clover, 1 bus 2.00. 1.00.
Potatoes, Rule of N. York 1 bushel 1.00. .50.
Potatoes, Elephant and Beauty of Hebron, 1 bus 1.00. .50.
Potatoes, any other variety 1 bushel 1.00. .50.
Corn, Indian, 6 ears 1.00. .50.
Corn, Sweet, 6 ears 1.00. .50.

Clifford.

Mrs. Fred. Oehm has purchased the Schaus property in Lauderbach, near the church, where she will live retired.

Miss Mary, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geberdt, of near Pincher Creek, Alta., was married on the 4th of March, to Mr. Paul E. Ludtke.

Mr. and Mrs. Christian Geberdt of Alsfeldt left by early train on Monday, 9th inst., for Pincher Creek, Alta., where he will take charge of his brother Louis' farm. He was accompanied by Mr. Albert Fischer, whom he has engaged for the year.

Talk about signs of spring! Why the other day, Mr. Williamson was digging in his garden to get earth for tomato plants, when, lo and behold, he came across a potato bug, ready for the season's feed of vines. Then, too, Mrs. C. H. Willits saw a frog and a toad one day last week, both spright and lively, and apparently oblivious to the fact that there was snow and ice around them. These chaps were in the cellar, however.

—Millinery Opening on Saturday, March 28th, at Miss Millie Schurter's.

—Mr. Charles Famme of Wartburg one of the pioneers of the township of Ellice, died on March 13th, at the age of 80 years. Deceased was an uncle of Chas. Wickie of Mildmay.

—Charles Schultz of Normanby wishes us to contradict the rumor that he has disposed of his Clydesdale stallion. He still owns this horse, and will travel him through the township this season.

—Mr. Joseph Schultheis, our veteran tailor, celebrated his 70th birthday last Thursday. Mr. Schultheis is among the few pioneers left of the village of Mildmay. He came here in 1837, and has been a constant resident ever since.

—John D. Miller, Chief Councillor of the local lodge of Chosen Friends asks the members to meet at F. C. Jasper's next Monday evening to have the affairs of the lodge straightened up previous to his departure.

—Some of the 4th concession people tell us that a red fox is said to be seen making tracks for the 2nd concession at regular intervals. A couple of hunters were after him, but as the fur is very scanty at this time of the year, they decided to let him run for another year.—Com.