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Mr. J. N. Schefter is spending a few

John Kohl of Buffalo came over on a

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A good assortment of trunks and valises

at reasonable prices, at H.W. Pletsch

ching Eggs. Apply at Liesemer's Hard-

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Teeswater is to have two Banks.

B. Ruland of Deemerton is attending

Molson's Bank is opening up a branch

For Sale:-Columbia Wyandrtt Hat-

Neustadt, was in town on Monday.

ts. at H. W. Pletsch.

days at Toronto this week.

business trip this week.

Course taken up if desired.

in that village this spring.

address on South America.

shipped to Woodstock next week.

Miss Anetta Miller is here this week

Mrs. (Rev.) J. S. McMillan of Belmore

spending four months with her parents,

Mr. and Mrs. C. Wendt. Her husband

over this week to attend the funeral of his brother, the late Philip Jacob Miller.

Mr. Miller is looking fine and living in

Thos. Benett of ladder fame, lost his

another residence at Harriston.

their recovery.

is located at Sterling.

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Jacob Schmidt shipped a carload of cattle to Toronto on Tuesday.

erton was in town on Tuesday on busi-Hogs on Monday were the same price as last week-\$6.75 per cwt. Miss Hilda Clapp is prepared to take

Single and Team Harness at reasona few pupils. Conservatory or College able prices, at H. W. Pletsch.

Alphonse Weiler has gone to Toronto to take a course at a Business College. Elam Kinzie moved to town this week having leased Mrs. Steffler's house in the west end. the A. O. U. W. Convention at Toronto

The maple syrup season opened this this week as a delegate from the local week. Those who have tapped report an excellent run of sap. Both the quality and the price of

Wanted:-A good country boy, to Steinmiller's Cyclone Flour will please learn the Tinsmithing. Apply at Liesyou. Just try a small sack and be conemer's Hardware Store.

Miss Mary Beohmer returned home John Darling of the B. line is getting the material on his premises for the last Tuesday after visiting relatives in Chesley for two weeks. erection of a frame kitchen this sum-Mount Forest has won the champion

Rev. Mr. Ray's lecture and views in ship of the Northern Hockey League by the Evangelical church last week was defeating Chesley by five goals on the well attended. He gave an interesting round.

A sleighload of Mildmay young people drove to Walkerton last Friday evening packing up the effects of her father, the late Rev. Geo. Miller and will have them late Rev. Geo. Miller and will have them Mr. Oscar Clubine of Flint, Mich., is

visiting his parents here. Mr. and Mrs. tainers has reached. Mrs. Eli Scheerer and son Maitress returned to their home near Forward, William Clubine of Toronto also spent Sunday here. Sask., last Thursday after visiting Jos. Schultheis is selling the famous

friends and relatives here for a month. Imperial wall papers at half price. See Joseph Kunkel is making preparations his samples before investing in wall the superior points of the New Scale The Brant Investigation. to move the dwelling house on the Wagner property about fifty feet west so as to have the entrance on Peter

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Yost and children your selections. attended the wedding of Miss Minnie Heath of Trowbridge, to Mr. Edward Passing Of Old Settler. Neal Clark on Wednesday of this week.

is here undergoing a course of treatment for inflammatory rheumatism. We are pleased to state that she is recovering me visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and and this week it becomes our sad duty mere of the opinion that of the 108 mere of the 108 mere of the opinion that of the 108 mere of the 10 going west next week to put in the Jacob Miller, which took place on Mon-Mrs. H. E. Schwalm left yesterday afternoon for Sterling, Colorado, after

half the roof of Wellington Richards' cased born in Germany on the 6th of ash house, and carried it about ten rods. December 1825, and had reached the for the clerk, while the township's interpretable ash house, and carried it about ten rods. In connecting with the ground it was ripe old age of 85 years. He was quite ests were looked after by Messrs. D Rob- delighted with his discourse on Sunday, Mr. John O. Miller of Buffalo came badly smashed.

to his home at Provost, Alta. His parents will accompany him. Mr. and Mrs. Ignatz Emel returned to the west of the control of of the contr in Uncle Sam's domain evidently agrees Mrs. Ignatz Emel returned to the west they remained for six years. In 1856 he swore that the list produced was not the

We learn that Richardson & Co. of Harriston have sold out their grocery business at Harriston. The firm mem two concrete abutments for a bridge on the homestead, John H. on the 4th out in the evidence that the Council had Harriston have sold out their grocery F. H. Elliott. Mr. Elliott has bought the County boundary line.

Rev. J. S. McMillan of Belmore occupied the pulpit in the Presbyterian outfit of stereoscopes and views on Church on Sunday morning, and preach-Monday evening while staying in town, ed in the Methodist church on Sunday and has an idea that they were stolen evening. Rev. A. R. Gibson took from him. Tom will give a cash reward charge of Mr. McMillan's work at Belof \$5.00 for any information leading to more and McIntosh.

Mr. Wendell Ernewein of Mr. Forest, resterday afternoon from Walkerton for last week, was presented with a com-Elbow, Saskatchewan, to spend the plimentary address and a purse of money. Who Can Beat This.

During one night this week there was orn on the farm of John M. Fischer, gave birth to six lambs. That's increashis stock pretty rapidly, and we ven-ture to say that few others can equal this record.

Garton's Abundance, Pedigree Seed Oats, for sale at Geo. Lambert's. Flour and Feed Store, yields from 90 to 120 bushels per acre. Ripens 10 days earlier than Banner. This is the oat that took

first prize at the recent winter fairs.

Holtzmann-Blohm.

The marriage of John Holtzmann of Palmerston, to Miss Clara Blohm of Palmerston took place at the Methodist parsonage at Walkerton, on Wednesday March 1st, at 3 p. m. Rev. M. J. Wilson performed the ceremony. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. George Holtzmann of Carrick.

Predicts Dry Summer.

Prof. Hicks reports that the drouth eached its severest point. He says:warn our readers, and the general public of increasing dryness and drouth, generally, during the season of 1911. Plan and plant and cultivate and trade with such probabilities in view, and the least to all." If Hicks is correct, a dry summer may be ours in Canada.

Otter Creek Box Social.

The box social at the Otter Creek School on Tuesday evening was a well attended event, that section being well represented, as was also Mildmay and Walkerton. An excellent program was Bought Farm in Waterloo. rendered, in which the school pupils and prices were not high, still a neat surplus his new home as soon as possible. remains on hand after all expenses are Doyle Sentenced. paid. The proceeds will be devoted to purchasing a school library. Miss Irene Pletsch, the teacher, who had charge of the program, is to be congratulated upon the success of the entertainment. Note.

The ad. concerning the world's greatest violinist and his selectior. of piano appeared in the Toronto Star. In what Prince Albert.—Scott, Sask., Herald. be chosen by the world's greatest violinists and greatest singers. Watch the Rapid Extension. large city papers and note how artists select New Scale Williams Pianos. Why? Because of their superior sweetness, clearness, tonal qualities and carry-Greatest Instruments. Money could of Carrick girded by its wires:not hire these artists to select their "Those who canvassed for the South pianos if not an instrument of the highest perfection art was used. They could the north and north-western part of the never gain such a record as Mr. Elman, township the past few weeks have met one of the world's finest violinist enter-tainers has reached. with the success that has characterized all canvassing for this company and the

Williams pianos, when in doubt as to

One by one Carrick's pioneer settlers Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Kinzie of Berlin, are passing away to the great beyond, day morning at the home of his son, Mr.

Saved The Sleighing.

Yesterday's fall of snow arrived just in time to save our sleighing. The fine one colt and one calf, and two ewes weather of the past week carried off so many places. Better to have some rough weather now than in April.

Auction Sale At Ambelside.

Mr. M. J. Seitz of Ambelside is holding an auction sale of live stock, household furniture, implements, etc., on Tuesday afternoon, March 21st, commencing at 1 o'clock. He has a good list of articles for sale. See bills for

Died At Brandon.

Mr. James Kidd of Brandon, who is well known here, having owned Gideon Schneider's farm for a number of years, died at his home at Brandon on March 7th. Mr. Kidd was about 54 years of age, and was reputed to be a very wealthy man. He was a great horsedealer, and real estate speculator.

Lightning Did Damage.

Last Saturday evening a sharp elecwhich has been tighening its grip over trical storm passed over this locality. A United States for a year has not yet barn near Chesley was struck, and sev eral animals in the stable were killed by Local floods may visit some parts during the current. The building was insured the spring and early summer, but we in the Formosa Insurance Co. J. M. Fischer went to Chesley on Monday to inspect the loss.

Signs Of Spring.

harm, and the greatest good will result increasing power of the sun, the shrinkage of the snowbanks, the cawing of the dumping the occupants out head first crows, and the visit of the Assessor, all backward into the ditch. Fortunately remind us that Spring is coming. One there was no water in the ditch, or they man reports a "frog" (in his throat prob- would have received a bad ducking. ably,) several have seen the crows, and

Jacob Lerch of Carrick has closed a thers participated. Mr. H. Barltrop of deal for the purchase of a 174 acre farm reciprocity. They further declared for Clifford was the star performer, and he near Breslan, for the sum of \$9500 and the ratification of the reciprocity agreefairly captivated the audience with his gets immediate possession. This farm ment; complete abolition of all duties on humorous songs and recitations. The is located about four miles from Hespelmusic by the Ayton String Band was also appreciated. After the program Lerch got a snap on the place. He will on the general tariff. the boxes were sold, and although the move his farm stock and implements to

J. Lehman, A. Taylor and Mrs. Doyle were the principal witnesses in the forgery case against Martin Doyle Sr. at the Sarkatoon assizes this week. This case was the outsome of the assault committed by the prisoner upon his wife last fall at Asquith, where she went on receipt of a forged letter. Doyle was sentenced to one year's hard labor at

The following from the Teeswater News shows how rapidly the South Bruce Rural Telephone Company is extending its system. The coming ng power which makes them Canada's summer will also see a great part Bruce Telephone Company throughout Why now be doubtful and even be led opening of spring will see gangs at work astray by false statements from other putting in the system in this district. wonderful the amount of stuff there is agents?

The line will go through as far north as in here. The yard is well filled and Mr.

A searching investigation was held at Walkerton on Saturday before Judge G. B. Smith, Salesman. Klein into the alleged padding of the voters' lists of the Township of Brant. Thh investigation was asked for by the Council after a petition was presented are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and and this week it becomes our sad duty to them by a number of ratepayers, who getting through with their last loads. names added to the voters' list a large number had been added without the ed at McIntosh and Belmore on Sun-The high wind yesterday noon took off Jacob Miller, township councillor. De. knowledge of the Court of Revision. strong and active up till a few years ago ertson and J. H. Scott. The clerk pro-Mr. Jos. Ernewein returns next week ohis home at Provost. Alta, His was married to Barbara Haug, who pre. one presented, while the clerk and The Grey and Bruce County Councils deceased him twelve years ago. To this present reeve swore that it was the same bers were Messrs. Jas. Richardson and over the Saugeen on the deviation of concession of Carrick, Catherine, wife not taken up the list carefully, and one of Con. Miller of Clifford, and Annie, or two of them had not seen the names, wife of Philip Gress of Carrick. After The defence conceded that the clerk had leaving Walpole they came to Carrick, not complied with the law concerning settling on the 6th concession, where the posting up of names objected to and they lived for nine years. They then also that some of the names, almost all moved to the 10th concession, where of which had been added at the sugges-Mr. Miller lived for nearly 45 years. tion of the present reeve, were not those Deceased was a fine, honest industrious of legally qualified voters. But they citizen, and was a loyal and faithful maintained that the list was passed by paring to build new houses next summember of the Evangelical church for the full court and as a consequence the mer. They have the brick on the Mcssrs. Joseph and Ed. Stroeder left on the occasion of his leaving that town on the occasion of his leaving that town 58 years. He leaves to mourn his demise clerk was no more guilty of wrongdoing ground now. The Sangster Bros. are besides his four children, 22 grandchild- than the rest of the Council. The inves- preparing to renovate their barn. Ziegsummer. Carrick cannot afford to lose Mr. Ernewein, who came from Formosa brother, John O. of Buffalo. The funthroughout the township, and the courtren, and 2 great grandchildren, and one tigation created considerable interest ler Bros. will do the work. all the fine young men who have gone was formerly clerk at the Corner Store eral takes place this forenoon to the room was packed throughout the whole now and doing well. It takes quite a west this spring, but we wish them all the success they so well deserve.

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Mr. Joseph Schnurr lost a valuable

Mrs. John Schnurr of the rrilway weather of the past week carried off so much snow that the roads were bare in made on the house. This house is always kept in first class order.

Coming To Town.

We are please to know that Mr. John Coutts and family have decided to move to Mildmay, having purchased Robert Moran's property on Absalom street, west of the depot. This property is at present occupied by Mrs. Sieling, Mr. Coutts will move in some time this month.

Favors Reciprocity.

The Toronto Globe has a correspondent touring Western Ontario, to ascertain how the country people regard the Reciprocity agreement. The correspondent visited Wingham last Friday, and we notice that he had a short interview amongst others, with Albert Haskins of Huntingfield, who is reported as follows:-Albert Haskins, concession 18, Howick, says: I don't see where reciprocity can possibly hurt the farmer, and I believe in whatever will benefit him.

Dumped Them Out.

A young fellow of the 6th concession undertook recently to drive his best girl to Alsfeldt to visit some friends. They were proceeding along very nicely until the horse got its tail over the lines, and The dirt-stained streets, the soiled the animal started to back. It kept appearance of the "beautiful," the backing until it reached the edge of a culvert, over which the cutter went,

we expect to hear soon of some person having seen "snakes."

In a statements in the Hon. Clifford Sifton's The Manitoba Grain Growers' Ass speech in the House of Commons at Ottawa that the grain growers oppose agricultural machinery, and the increase of the British preference to 50 per cent.

BORN.

MEYER-At the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Becker, Carrick, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Meyer, a son. The child died a few minutes after birth.

BORTH-In Carrick on March 14th, to Mr. and Mrs. John W. Borth, a daughter.

NIESEN-In Mildmay on March 14th to to Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Niesen, a son.

LAKELET.

Many of the farmers in this locality apped their trees last Monday and they say the run was fairly good. No doubt. there will be some days between now and the first of April in which the sap will not have a look in.

The mills here are quite busy. The awmill is at it the fire weeks, and it chops the last four. It is Gadke is to be recommended for thus having made matters so convenient for the farmers.

Mr. Schwalm of your town had four teams at work for a week or two in the Scott Bros.' swamp south of the burg. They succeeded in getting some 15,000 feet of pine. The boys had quite a time

Rev. Mr. Gibson of your town preachday. You people are to be congratulat. preacher. The McIntosh people were and many were the favorable comments magnetic personality and he makes all

So the McIntosh people turned-cut out well to the Shredded Wheat Banquet. They did no more than was right. Business men, preachers, doctors and all other men save the Ed. of Gazette naver fail to get to McIntosh when there is an entertainment of any kind on hand. The Ed. forgets to get out occasionally, and we miss him.

Wm. T. Jacques is having a woodbee on Wednesday afternoon. There are quite a number asked to assist.

John Wolfe and L. Lish are both pre-