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Terms - Strictly Cash.

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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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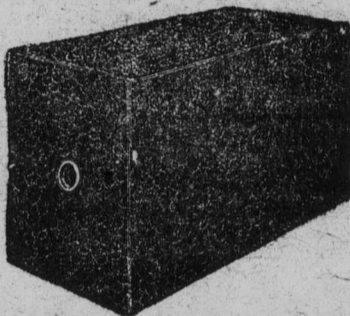
Yorkshire Stock Food

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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 Molsons Bank.)

### BORN.

DIEMERT—On Wed. March 11th, to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Diemert, a son.

DAHMER—On Friday, March 13th, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dahmer, a son.

HASKELL—In Howick, on March 14th, to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Haskell, a son.

HOSSFELDT—In Carrick, on March 13th to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hossfeldt, a son.

### FORMOSA.

Wm. Scheffer bought a fine young mare from Jos. Dosmag of Culross last week for \$165.

J. B. Goetz attended the assizes at Walkerton as constable last week.

Drs. McCue and Sinclair performed a successful operation on Werner Durrer's little girl last week.

Raphael Graf of Tara is spending a few weeks at his home here.

Henry and Alex Meyer and Philip Kroetsch left on Monday morning for the west. Leander Hergott left last Thursday. Quite a number are talking of going when spring opens up.

Oliver Coumans spent Sunday with friends in town.

Peter Kraemer has hired with Mr. Patterson of the 4th con. of Culross for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Scitz visited friends in the village last week.

### RAILWAY TAXATION IN BRUCE.

In 1904 the Provincial Government passed a measure imposing a tax on railways of \$30 per mile for single track and \$10 per mile extra for each additional track. All of this went to the Provincial Treasury. In 1906 this railway tax law was amended so as to double the amount collected, the municipalities to get one half, less ten cents per day for the maintenance at provincial institutions of patients who are paying less than \$1.50 per week. By charging each municipality \$36.50 per year for charity patients it is said that a good deal of information has been obtained by the Provincial Secretary's department which has made it possible to charge the maintenance of some patients to well to do relatives.

The total amount obtained by the municipalities in Bruce from the tax, for 1906 and 1907 was \$4,902.50. The Township of Carrick, which includes Mildmay received the largest amount—\$584.68. Culross got \$220.40 and Teeswater \$148.80.

### Carrick Council.

Town Hall, Mildmay, March 16, 1908.

Council met this day pursuant to adjournment. All the members present. The reeve in the chair. The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

### FINANCE REPORT.

The following accounts were recommended to be paid:—

A. Kramer, coal to Thos. Dunbar	\$ 4.00
Mildmay Gazette, auditor's reports and pathmaster's lists	10.50
F. Biehl, part salary	3.00
M. Filsinger, 1 meeting of council	2.50
W. J. Pomeroy, 1 " " "	2.50
C. Waack, " " "	2.50
L. Kramer, " " "	2.50
Hy. Reuber, " " "	2.50

Pomeroy—Kramer—That the account of John Losch and Matt Benninger be referred to the Board of Health.—Carried.

Kramer—Pomeroy—That the sum of fifteen dollars be granted to the Bruce County Hospital.—Carried.

Kramer—Waack—That By-law No 11, A. D. 1907, to encourage the erection of wire fences along public highways, be and is hereby repealed.—Carried.

L. Buhlman asked the Council for a grant to the Mildmay Spring Show.

Reuber—Waack—That the sum of fifteen dollars be granted to the Mildmay Spring show.—Carried.

By-laws Nos. 6, 7, 8 and 9 were read a first time.

Waack—Reuber—That By-laws Nos. 6, 7, 8 and 9 be now read a second and third time and finally passed.—Carried.

Pomeroy—Kramer—That the Reeve meet the Reeve of Brant to try to arrange with the parties interested in the Brant and Carrick townline re having the same surveyed.—Carried.

Reuber—Waack—That the Reeve and Clerk investigate re the deed of that part of the townline closed by by-law No. 6, 1907.—Carried.

Waack—Reuber—Thgt this council do now adjourn to meet again on Tuesday, May 26th, as a Court of Revision, and for the transaction of general business. Carried.

### J. A. JOHNSTON, Clerk.

The following pathmasters were appointed:—

William McKee, John Coile, Frank Cronin, Jos. Meyer, Bernard Kocher, Chris. Weiler, Lucas Zettel, Jacob Benninger, John Inglis, John Darling, Joseph Schwehr, Ignatz Weber, Frank Strauss, John Bohnert, Franz Michael, Wendell Schnurr, Jos. H. Schnurr, Frank Schaefer, John Schmidt, James H. Thompson, Ernst Stroeder, George Reading, George R. Schweitzer, John Lints, Edward Butchart, Henry Kaufman, James Dickson, John Duffy, James Kemp, John Brewster, Joseph Vogan, Henry Busby, Isaiah Mawhinney, Nicholas Hunstein, Jos. Lorentz, David Braun, Daniel Stemler, David Harper, Thomas Gowdy, William Nickel, Peter Diemert, Charles Wagner, John Reinhart, George Culliton, Frank Dahms, Simon Goetz, Rudy Kaufmann, Conrad Baetz, Dennis Culliton, John Coutts, Peter Schneider, Louis Kocher, Ernst Schmidt, Fred. Gutzke, Christian Kunkel, Peter Reuber, Peter Kaufmann, William Hacker, Chas. Helwig, Fred. Klages, William Voigt, William Wedow, Alexander Hopf, George Watke, Wm. Rehkopf, Ernst Helwig, Henry Kleist, George Eckenswiller, Philip Gress, Adam Quantz, Jos. Poehman, George Russwurm, Joseph P. Hundt, Jos. Hofarth, Con. Sieling, Chas. Wolfram, Fred. Weiler, Seraphin Herring.

The following poundkeepers were appointed:—Ignatz Uhrich, Anthony Opperman, Patrick Kelly, Mathew Benninger, Henry Halter Peter Hackney, Geo. Eckenswiller and Chas. J. Dickson.

The following Fenceviewers were appointed:—Anthony Schneider, James Thomson, Chas. Titmus, Wm. Dickson, Jas. Darling, Peter Kreitz, and Basil Oberle.

A certain young man from Glasgow went to Canada last year and hired himself to a farmer. On the first morning the farmer said to him, "Now, William, you might go down to yon cornfield and see if there any crows in it." When William returned the farmer said to him: "Well, William, were there any crows in the field?" "Oh, yes, many a score." "Well, did you frighten them away?" "Oh, no; I only shut the gate. I thought they were all yours."

### HUNTINGFIELD.

J. Renwick, our mail carrier and Postmaster, and his right hand supporter, Andy Millei, are cutting wood these days to beat the band, and NO SMOKING ALLOWED.

Jack Wynn took out hogs to your town last week, but what a price they are now!

Edgar Smith was along the line trying to buy oats on Thursday of last week, but oats are scarce in these parts.

Dave Vogan is a happy man now, and proud, I'll tell you.

G. Schwalm of your town was out here on Thursday last, getting the contract of J. Wynn's house. He did good work this way last summer.

Bob Wynn was at Walkerton Assizes last week on the Jury, the only one from these parts that I know of.

Tom Scott found some curios while pulling down the inside part of the old house at J. Wynn's.

Bob Wynn has a carload of fine steers this year. Now, you cattle buyers here is a chance.

Sorry to hear Mrs. Burns had the misfortune to fall and break her leg. I feel sure all the neighbors wish her a speedy recovery.

The McMichael Bros. were around buying horses last week.

Andy Brown was visiting at Mr. and Mrs. A. Haskins last Friday.

Mrs. and Miss Murray and Master George Murray of Lakelet were visiting at Mrs. J. Renwick's last week.

A young son arrived at David Haskins on Saturday night.

### Additional Locals.

—Miss F. Hawthorne of Greenock is visiting Mrs. F. H. Elliott.

—John D. Miller has purchased a residence in Chesley for \$1300. Mr. Miller and family will move to Chesley next week.

—Mr. Ezra Yandt bought a fine pair of three year olds from Mr. Jos. Lamont of Brant this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Berry entertained the Methodist Church Choir on Tuesday evening. They all report having spent a most enjoyable evening.

Great Bargains in Furniture, Springs, Mattresses, Etc., at J. F. Schuett's furniture store. Spahr's old stand.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Elliott visited at the former's parental home at Underwood this week.

Mr. William Holmes was killed at Tillsonburg by a falling tree.

The Whitney Government has decided to relieve municipalities of the expense of paying for polling booths at Provincial elections.

Mr. Ernest Seeber of Walkerton has sold out his grocery stock to Frank Oberle of Formosa, and has already closed his store. Mr. Seeber has been in Walkerton for nearly two years, but found the field over-done right from the first. He will for the present continue to reside there, but has not definitely made up his mind for the future.

"Now Tommy," said Mrs. Bull, "I want you to be good while I'm out." "I'll be good for a nickel," replied Tommy. "Tommy," she said, "I want you to remember that you cannot be a son of mine unless you are good for nothing."

### EVERYBODY'S BUSINESS.

An irate citizen says that hereafter he wants the editor to mind his own business. My dear Christian friend, did you ever reflect, in your contemplative moments, when the moon is beaming, when the whippoorwill sings in the tree, when the hired man snores in the loft, the yellow dog sleeps on the lean, and the mosquito gets in his work,—did you ever reflect in such times upon the idea that a paper containing only accounts of the editor's own private business would be apt to prove monotonous to the general public? They might stand it for awhile but in the end it would be a thorn in the side and a weariness to the flesh, and all that sort of thing. No, brother, the true editor's business is to make everybody's business his business. That's business. So there's no use in making a chronic kicker of yourself for any one.