

CHURCHES.

EVANGELICAL.—Services 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sabbath School at 2 p.m. W. H. Holtmann, Superintendent. Cottage prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. Young People's meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30. Choir practice 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. Rev. Mr. Davidson, Pastor.

R. C. CHURCH, Sacred Heart of Jesus.—Rev. Father Hall. Services every Sunday, alternately 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. Moehler, 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 1:30 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. Curie, Superintendent. Prayer meeting, Thursday 8 p.m. Rev. J. H. McLean, B. A., Pastor.

SOCIETIES.

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

C. O. F.—Court Mildmay, No. 188, meets in their hall the second and last Thursdays in each month. Visitors always welcome. John McLean, C. R. M. FINSINGER, 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. J. D. MILLER, Coun. F. C. JASPER, Rec.

A. O. U. W. 416. meets in the Foresters' Hall, the 1st and 3rd Wednesday 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. W. M. 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..... 1:55 p.m.
Mixed..... 10 a.m.	Express..... 10:15 p.m.

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

—Jos. Kunkel is erecting a new house in the west end of the town.

—John Weiler is having a new veranda erected at his residence.

—Geo. Schwalm is erecting a new kitchen in the rear of his house.

—We are pleased to see Mr. E. Teskey able to be out again.

—Willie Keelan, who had his leg broken is able to move around a little.

—Urban Schmidt shipped a mixed car of live stock to Toronto on Wednesday.

—Mrs. J. G. Herring and daughter Nora, visited with friends in Hanover last week.

—Little Miss Maudie Ersman of Clifford is the guest of Miss Olive Herring.

—Lost—In Mildmay on Wednesday evening, a bunch of shop keys. Finder will please leave same at this office.

—Abram Fink of Woodstock, harness maker, wheeled up on Saturday, and spent a few days with his parents and friends.

—The temperature on Sunday afternoon was the highest on record. About 4 o'clock the thermometer registered 100 in the shade.

—Peter Lenahan accompanied the Formosa Baseball Club to Wingham, and held down 2nd base. Wingham came very near being beaten, the score being 3 to 27 in favor of Wingham.

—Great excitement prevails at Darling's Corners over the mysterious disappearance of the mayor, about a week ago. He had been engaged at Mr. John Darlings and when last seen was driving in company with two girls. Nothing serious is apprehended, but his many friends would like to hear of his whereabouts.

—Last Saturday Master Fred Glebe, happened with a very painful accident. He was in Knechtel's furniture factory at Walkerton, talking to some gentleman, when he happened to throw back his arm, which was caught by a saw that was running just above his head. He had his hand badly cut.

—Miss Doretta Herring, who left for Milwaukee a year and a half ago, returned home on Saturday night and spent a few days here. For the last eleven months she has been teaching school at Feoria, Ill. She will be received into the order of the School Sisters of Notre Dame in August.

—The lawn social this evening (Thursday) in Wm. Berry's grove promises to be a grand affair. A splendid program has been prepared and a great treat is in store for those who attend. At 6 o'clock a baseball match will be played between Mildmay and the Cloverleaves. A good game is expected. Admission 15 cents. Tea will be served from 5 to 7. Refreshments can also be had on the grounds.

—The GAZETTE to the end of this year for 40 cents.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Diebel of Chesley are visiting in this vicinity.

—J. D. Miller wants to see you on business. Take a look at his adv.

—Miss Dobbie, who for the past year has had charge of Form II in the public school, has resigned.

—The junior baseball club go to Neustadt on Friday, to play a game with the juniors of that town.

—Mrs. Walter Parsill and daughter, of St. Johns New Brunswick, is visiting old friends and relations here at present.

J. J. Stiegler has an adv. in this issue. He is making a special sale in ready-made clothing for ten days. Call there and be suited.

—John M. Ulrich, who has been teaching in the school on the Formosa road, has been engaged to take charge of the school at Ambleside.

—We would like to see the M. A. A. take a hold and celebrate Labor Day, which comes on September 5th, just five weeks from next Mouday. Arrangements should be commenced at once as there is no time to put off.

—Anthony Schneider is the happy possessor of a mud turtle. It came across the railroad track and was espied by Mr. Schneider and his hired man who after repeated attempts, captured it by turning it over on its back, and carried it home in a barrel.

Arthur Harvey, president of the Toronto Astronomical Society, says that the meteor recently seen above Toronto travelled through the heavens at the rate of 80 miles per second; and its weight probably exceeded one ton, and that it burst forty miles above the earth, between Walkerton and Southampton, and that fragments of it fell in Lake Huron.

—Yesterday morning Henry Hauck's horse, which was left standing untied in the back yard, hitched into a light wagon, took advantage of its position and ran away. It ran south on Main St. and turned at Rome's corner, ran across two blocks and turned north again. When it reached L. A. Hunsperger's harness shop, the vehicle struck John Schmidt buggy, upsetting it and slightly bruising the occupant. The horse then took to Absalom Street and ran to the foundry, where both horse and rig went down the side. Messrs. McGavin and Jasper caught the horse. Neither horse nor rig were badly hurt.

—It is our sad duty to record the death of one of the pioneers of the Township of Carrick. On Friday last Mrs. John Taylor passed away after a short sickness. The deceased with her husband, Mr. John Taylor, settled on lots 17 and 18 on the third concession Carrick, among the first settlers in the township. They succeeded in clearing the farm and putting up comfortable buildings and were highly respected in the community. A few years ago Mr. Taylor sold out his farm and retired from active labor and since has been living near Clifford. The deceased was a clever, capable woman and was of a most kindly disposition. She was the mother of a large family, of whom only two are now living in Carrick, namely, Mrs. Philip Reddon and Mrs. Peter Thompson. The other members of the family are living in the west and all doing well. The funeral took place on Monday to the Clifford cemetery, and was largely attended. We extend to the bereaved husband and family our hearty sympathy in their sad bereavement.

Seventeen years ago Andrew Crabtree, a well-to-do cattle dealer left Toronto for England with a consignment of live stock. The arrival of the vessel was recorded, but that was all Andrew Crabtree himself unaccountably dropped out of sight, like a pebble cast into the middle of Lake Ontario, and for seventeen years was not heard of. Mrs. Crabtree giving her husband up for dead, removed to Mt. Forest with her son, now a boy of eighteen, and engaged in dressmaking. Her father died not long ago and left her a large estate, but she never married again. On Sunday last there walked into the Tremont Hotel, Toronto, a big, well-dressed, ruddy-faced man, with grey beard, who registered as Andrew Crabtree. From friends he ascertained his wife's whereabouts in Mt. Forest, and going tremblingly to the telephone he asked if she would receive him. "It depends upon how you look," came the answer. The traveller at once set off for the town. He has not returned empty handed from abroad and owns a row of buildings on Strachan avenue.

Mildmay vs Walkerton.

The game of baseball last Friday afternoon, between Mildmay and Walkerton juniors ended up in a very unsatisfactory manner. Jno. Curie acted as umpire, and his decisions were not disputed until the ninth innings, when some trouble arose about a foul. The game then stood 19 to 16 in favor of Walkerton, Mildmay having an innings to play. The Walkerton boys knew their fate was sealed and did not want to play any longer, and when the umpire changed his decision on the foul, they could not even then be coaxed to play. They are all good-sized fellows and should have had more sense than to act in such a babyish manner. The game was given to Mildmay. Score:—

Mildmay.	Runs
Geo. Rome 2b & p.....	4
Charles Johnston ss.....	1
Richard Schultheis p & 2b.....	1
H. Herring 1b.....	1
F. Herring r. f.....	1
Geo. Hinsberger c. f.....	2
Wm. Clubine l. f.....	1
Nelson Holtzmann 3b.....	2
George Boehmer c.....	3
	16

One innings to finish, with two men on bases and no men out.

Walkerton.	Runs
W. Dixon 3b.....	3
S. Russel ss.....	2
J. Delaney p.....	2
H. Truax c. f.....	3
J. Grainger r. f.....	2
C. O'Malley l. f.....	2
L. Vanhatten 1b.....	1
G. King 2b.....	2
W. Laughton c.....	2
	19

Score by innings.
Mildmay 0 6 0 4 0 0 2 4 x—16
Walkerton 3 0 0 5 0 7 4 0 0—19

Base hits.
Geo. Rome made the largest number of runs for Mildmay.
Don't jolly the umpire.
Richard Schultheis and Geo. Boehmer form a splendid battery.
Fred Herring was the wonder of the day. He never faus.
Nelson Holtzmann on third, is in the right place.

On Thursday of last week the shareholders of the Palmerston Pork Factory met and elected a board of directors to look after the building of the factory. The excavation for the foundation is already completed, and a large amount of stone has been delivered. The stonework has almost been done. The factory will be 74x124, four stories high, and will be run entirely along co-operative lines. It was decided at the first meeting of the newly-elected board to give the shareholders 15c per 100 lbs, more than those who were not shareholders, and to entitle each one to bring in 1,500 pounds of pork for each \$10 share, at above mentioned figure.

A statistical fiend has been amusing himself with the famous lever of Archimedes. Assuming the earth's mass to be about 6,100,000,000,000,000,000 tons, it is calculated that a 10,000 horse power engine would require 70,000 million years to move our globe a single foot. The water necessary for steam would cover the entire globe with a sea 300 feet deep. To vaporize this water would require 4,000,000,000,000,000 tons of coal, which, using ten-ton cars, thirty feet long, would fill a train reaching 80,000,000 times around the earth. To store this fuel would require a shed a thousand times the area of Europe. Yet this vast amount of energy is trifling compared with that which rotates the earth on its axis, keeps it in its course around the sun, and moves it in space with the solar system, of which the earth is but an infinitesimal part of the universe.

It is not generally known that Great Britain has an outstanding claim of £500,000 against the Philippines for an old war indemnity. In 1792 Manila was stormed by British forces under General Sir William Draper, whose landing was covered by the guns of the British fleet under Admiral Cornish. There was no Spanish fleet to encounter in Manila bay, so the landing was fairly easy. General Draper's secretary who was sent into the town to arrange terms of capitulation, was murdered, and Sir William Draper thereupon assaulted and then began to sack the place. The Spanish Governor fled. The Roman Catholic Archbishop of Manila agreed to ransom the town for £1,000,000, of which half was paid and the other half is still owing. British troops were in occupation for 18 months. If Britain adopted the methods which Russia uses towards Turkey over her old war indemnity the British Government would probably now be pressing Spain for that half a million.

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