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## CHURCH DIRECTORY.

**ENGLISH.**—Services at Fordwich, 10:30 a. m., at 2:30 p. m., at Wroster, 4:30 p. m. Rev. Mr. Browlee, Incumbent. Sabbath School, one hour and a quarter before each service.

**METHODIST.**—Services at 10:30 a. m., and 6:30 p. m. Orange Hill, at 2:30 p. m. Rev. Mr. Greene, pastor. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. W. S. Dean Superintendent.

**PRESBYTERIAN.**—Services at Fordwich at 11 a. m. at 6:30, 2:30 p. m. Bible Class at Fordwich in the evening. Sabbath School at Gorrie 1:15 p. m. Jas. McLaughlin, Superintendent.

**METHODIST.**—Services in the Fordwich Methodist Church, at 10:30 a. m., and 7 p. m. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. Pray meeting on Thursday evenings at 7:30. Rev. Mr. Edmunds, pastor.

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Mildmay Market Report.

Carefully corrected every week for the GAZETTE:  
Fall wheat per bu..... \$ 80 to \$ 85  
Spring " " " " " 80 to 85  
Oats..... 33 to 34  
Peas..... 58 to 60  
Barley..... 40 to 45  
Potatoes..... 30 to 35  
Smoked meat per lb..... 7 to 9  
Eggs per doz..... 9 to 10  
Butter per lb..... 12 to 13  
Dressed pork..... \$4 25 to 4 70

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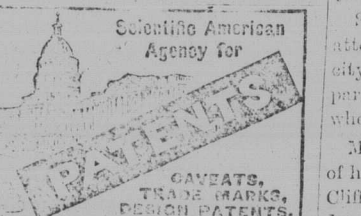
Now shoes have raised from 20 to 25, and I bought this lot at the old price and I will run them off at a low figure.

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## OTTER CREEK

We are glad to learn that Mr. Steinmiller and family have returned home again.

The contract of repairing a culvert on concession 14, was let on Saturday. The contractor is Henry Procknow. He took it for \$2.

Messrs. R. Wilton, B. MacKay, L. Shoemaker, J. Deacon, and J. Zarn, all of this district, left on Tuesday, 20th inst., for Manitoba. We wish them success in future life and that they may land safely in the west.

During the early part of the season fire was set out in a line fence between Messrs. F. Wilton and F. Shoemaker's, but did not do much damage at that time, but one day last week it was re-kindled and with a southwest wind it went into the midst of the swamp, doing considerable damage.

## Belmore.

Some of the boys intend brick laying next summer.

D. J. Weir is doing some great threshing this year.

The public school re-opened on Monday with a large attendance.

What makes P. H. Baker have so many smiles on these days? Because it is a boy.

A number from here intend taking in the L. O. L. excursion to Sarnia on Aug. 31st.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Methodist church has changed its night of meeting from Tuesday to Sunday evening.

Mr. G. Barton shipped another car load of cheese on Monday last. He got a good price for his cheese this time. He is making things boom under the skilful management of W. Cleiridge.

## Christian Endeavor.

The Christian Endeavor society met this week in the Methodist church, the president in the chair.

The topic for the evening "Conquering difficulties with Christ's help," was opened up by Mr. Chas. Hogey. The Rev. Mr. Berry was present and was called on by the leader to address the meeting and in a lively exhortation he impressed upon the society the necessity of earnest Christian living and service. The Christian who went forward in humble dependence on Jesus is assured of victory over every enemy.

Rev. Mr. McBain also gave a very helpful address, dwelling particularly on the Apostle Paul's declaration, "I can do all things through Christ who strengtheneth me." We got this strength by reaching out the hand of faith to receive the strength we need to overcome every difficulty. Other members spoke on the topic and gave scripture proofs to show where help is promised through Christ to all who ask in faith.

The presence of Rev. Mr. Berry, who is a great favorite in Mildmay, was specially mentioned by many of the speakers as being quite an inspiration to them. The topic for next week is "Enthusiasm, and what it will accomplish." 2 Chron. 20: 1-12; 31: 20-21. Rev. Mr. McBain, leader.

## Press Com.

## Lakelet.

Mrs. Dulmage was away all last week visiting at Berlin, Niagers and other places.

School re-opened on Monday with an attendance of 38. There is no scarcity of children in this vicinity, and parents should see that they are at school when not engaged at home.

Mr. Robert Ferguson, who lives south of here shipped a car load of lambs from Clifford today. The lambs too are down in price, so that not much money will be derived from that source.

The Rev. R. Harkness of Huntingfield will preach in the church here on Sunday. Mr. Harvey the pastor, is expected back from the old sod in time to take his work the Sunday following.

Some score of teams carted the cheese

manufactured at the Spring Bank factory during the past one and a half months to Clifford Monday. The sum at which it was bought was very low, so that the farmers will not get such a great pile.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Hamilton took place on Thursday at 1 o'clock from the residence of her son-in-law, J. McKinney, for the McIntosh cemetery. There was a good attendance. The service was conducted by Rev. A. Stewart of Belmore.

## Huntingfield.

Some of our yeomen have commenced sowing their fall wheat.

School opened on Monday with the usual attendance, 7. The teacher looks well after her holidays.

Miss L. A. Scott of Toronto, is renewing old acquaintances in and around town. She is byking it.

Mr. Robert Harkness, missionary from Japan will occupy the Methodist pulpit on Sunday afternoon. Service commences at 2:30.

Samuel Vogan, while assisting at the shingling of John Vogan's barn, let a bundle of shingles fall on his foot, injuring his great toe badly.

Mrs. N. Harris and family spent Sunday in Brussels. The return trip was not as enjoyable as the trip out, as they were caught in a heavy rain.

Mrs. Harry Vogan left for her home in Wodstock on Wednesday. She has been spending a couple of week visiting with friends and acquaintances here.

One of the young men on the 2nd took his usual trip south on Sunday. If he wouldn't start so early in the morning he wouldn't need to return so early in the evening.

We think that our school trustees have not been doing their duty as the school and grounds are a disgrace to any section. How they expect the children to take an interest in their work amid such surroundings is a mystery to us.

## Trip up the Great Lakes.

Continued.

At Kagawong we met a Scotchman, who, as he stated, was living here about sixteen years, and was one of the first settlers. After relating the hard times and the many difficulties he had to undergo, he said there was at one time a wealthy farmer whose name was Big Henry. This man undertook the sorrowful task to build a church and signed it over to the Methodists, under the condition that the church was to serve every denomination. Scarcely had he done the when he went out on the bay in a rowing boat and got drowned. This, he says, was the punishment the Lord inflicted on him for acting so contrary to his Presbyterian faith.

After some other good stories we heard here, the warning whistle sounded and all hurried on board in good humor and after two and a half hours sailing we landed at Gore Bay. This is the judicial seat of the Manitoulin Island. It is surrounded by lofty hills which are decked with trees down to the water's edge. The village possesses three churches, ten stores, three hotels, a saw mill employing about 25 men, three blacksmithshops, two doctors, etc., and has nearly one thousand inhabitants.

As we stood on a hill and gazed over the waters we could only say the effect was charming. Headland after headland jutted out from the shore and the bay is dotted as far as the eyes can reach with a succession of islands some rising abruptly from the water, and others nearly flat.

After another two hours sailing we arrived at 8:50 at the Spanish Mills. The Spanish river, according to my informant has the most picturesque scenery of any on the whole trip to South St. Marie. It debouches into a broad flat gradually narrowing towards the east and the banks low gradually sloping now steep and precipitous, are overhung with masses of variegated foliage. Nowhere can more enchanting vistas be found than here

among the solitary homes of the beaver, mink and wild fowl, through which the steamer will now pass. Here too, is Little Detroit, where we are told that the Huron and Ojibway Indians fought a great battle. The rocks here are so close that one imagines he can touch the small foliage on both sides of the vessel. Night now broke in and we retired to the interior which was lit up beautifully with electric light. Here, we reviewed what we had seen during the day and took notes on the different points of interest. After 9 o'clock we passed Kenabatch, about 12, Cooks Mills, and about 2 Algoma Mills, but returning on the "S. S. Pacific" we touched Algoma Mills at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Hearing and reading so much about these mills I made it a point to see them at once. Searching for a time and not being able to find them, I asked an inhabitant to show me their location. This man soon made me acquainted with the astonishing fact some years ago in a very rough night, the waters of the lake burst in upon the mills and landed them in the depth of the lake. Nothing was seen of them but a few things that broke loose. There is another small mill there but doing no more work. The world renowned Algoma Mills are no more and both vessel and train have very little to do there now.

At six o'clock in the morning we landed at Thessalon. As the hour was rather too early I did not enter the village, but from exterior appearance one should judge that the place is quite important, lying in picturesque seclusion under the point of the same name. We were told that this place is especially adapted for rod anglers. The speckled trout fishing in the streams and lakes that lie inland from here is unsurpassed anywhere.

At 7:30 we arrived at Bruce Mines. About ten minutes walk from here is the well known spot where once the great Bruce Mines were found. After our arrival at the place we found that these mines were not only closed up but fallen into ruin. Specimens of the ore, which is sulphate of great beauty were gathered by each one present. Great heaps of these sulphate stones are found in every direction and no person who takes any interest in special stoic gathering needs to return without a fine specimen of them. Hillon was the next place our boat landed.

There is some talk of reorganizing the Harriston band.

John Graham, Southampton, had a horse killed by lightning Saturday morning last.

Messrs. Gillies & Smith, bankers of Teeswater, have opened out a branch in Gorrie.

The Conservatives of Southampton will give N. McNeil, Esq., M.P., a grand banquet at the Central hotel on the evening of August the 27th.

On Tuesday Mr. F. McLennan, Southampton, had a very narrow escape from being killed. While out in the fishing yacht the top mast fell, striking him on the head and rendering him unconscious.

Thursday last a game of lacrosse was played at Southampton, by the home team and Port Elgin, resulting in favor of the former. A return match was played in Port Elgin on Tuesday when Port Elgin came off victorious.

A most disastrous fire broke out in Armstrong's hotel, Teriotdale on Wednesday night last which resulted in the total destruction of the hotel and the store kept by W. Remis, in fact the whole block was wiped out in a very short space of time. Very little was saved from the hotel, but most of the contents of the store were got out but in a badly damaged condition. The villagers turned out en masse and by hard work with a well organized fire brigade succeeded in saving the hotel, the blacksmith shop and postoffice. The loss to Mr. Armstrong, who loses nearly everything with only a light insurance, will be heavy. Mr. Remis, we understand, was insured for \$1,200 and was paid \$800 as his loss. The origin of the fire is not exactly known, but is supposed to have caught from the kitchen stove or pipes.