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### MILDMAY, - ONT.

#### Mildmay Market Report.

Carefully corrected every week for the GAZETTE:  
Fall wheat per bu. . . . . 66 to 66  
Oats . . . . . 30 to 30  
Peas . . . . . 62 to 62  
Barley . . . . . 35 to 35  
Potatoes per bushel . . . . . 50 to 60  
Smoked meat per lb, sides 10 to 11  
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Eggs per doz . . . . . 11 to 11  
Butter per lb . . . . . 10 to 10  
Dressed pork . . . . .  
Dried apples . . . . . 5 cents per lb.

#### Glebe & Seiling's Market.

Wheat . . . . . 66 65 bus  
Peas . . . . . 62 to 62  
Oats . . . . . 30 to 30  
Flour, Manitoba . . . . . \$2 25 per cwt  
Family flour, No. 1 . . . . . \$1 90  
Family flour, No. 2 . . . . . \$1 80  
Low Grade . . . . . 1 00  
Bran . . . . . 70c  
Shorts . . . . . 80c  
Screenings . . . . . 70c  
Chop Feed . . . . . 85 1.10  
Cracked Wheat . . . . . \$2 10  
Graham Flour . . . . . \$2 10  
Ferina . . . . . \$2 25

## C. WENDT . . .

Mildmay and Wroxeter.

I have replenished my stock and you will find a fine assortment of

GOLD FILLED & SILVER WATCHES  
CLOCKS, FINE GOLD WEDDING  
RIFG, R. P. CHAINS, BANGLE PINS  
Brooches, Cuff Links, Collar  
Buttons, Thimbles, Silverware,  
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Every article will be sold at Rock Bottom Prices.

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Large stock, good assortment in Albums, Photo holders, Ladies belts and Pins, Shell Hair Pins, Dressing Combs, Side Combs, Purses, Bill Books, Pipes, Crochet Hooks, Tailor Needles, Mouth Organs, Violins and Strings, Antoharps, Accordions

Vases, China Cups and Saucers, Water Sets, Fruit Sets, Cake plates and Hundreds of other novelties. Take a look through. There are Bargains for you. Many articles at less than cost.

C. WENDT.

#### Empire Day at the Separate School.

The following programme was rendered by the pupils of the Separate School:

Welcome . . . . . 7 little girls  
The Boy and the Wren . . . . . Primary Pupils  
Chorus . . . . . Das deutsche Maschen . . . . . Girls  
Recitation . . . . . Heroine of Vercheres . . . . . I class girls  
Chorus . . . . . The Merry Sunshine . . . . . III class pupils  
Flag Play . . . . . 9 little boys  
My Darling Doll . . . . . 1 little girl  
Recitation . . . . . Little Boys Plan . . . . . II class boys  
Working for our Flag . . . . . II class girls  
Chorus . . . . . The Robin . . . . . I class pupils  
Comics . . . . . The Shoebuck . . . . . Boys  
Recitation . . . . . Victoria's Tears . . . . . IV class girls  
Why there are no Columbus . . . . . IV class boys  
Chorus . . . . . Queen, Flag and Country . . . . . IV class pupils  
GOD SAVE OUR QUEEN.

The entertainment was attended by the Reverend Clergy M. Halm, pastor and F. Zettler, Walkerton; Messrs. G. Kunkel A. Kramer, A. Zettler, school trustees; and parents and friends of the children.

At the conclusion Rev. Father Halm delivered an impressive speech, commenting on the different subjects of the programme rendered.

After reviewing the history of Canada in its relation to the Empire, Father Halm said the ladies were the majority of the audience in this patriotic demonstration—and that was very satisfactory, for the growing up generation was moulded principally by its mothers. As France had its Joan of Arc, so Canada rejoiced in Madeleine, the Heroine of Vercheres, demonstrating that men failing, women would step into the breach.

As the mothers laid the foundation for the religious life of the Christian child, in like manner it was her province to instill the love for country and flag into the heart of the young patriots, for "God and my Country" is the motto of a good christian; and as he must in times of persecution lay down his life for his God or his religion, so in the hour of need he must be ready to shed his heart's blood for the flag of his country, which means the mothers, the sisters, and the homes of his fatherland, and he felt sure that the little lads who now had so lustily flourished their wooden swords, would, when grown up and the country called, not shrink to brandish effectively the sword of steel in her defence.

As the play "Why There Are No Columbus Now-a-days" illustrated, it would be hard for discoverers nowadays to find a country where the Rose, or the Thistle, or the Shamrock, or all three were not blooming.

His Reverence also pointed out to the attentive audience the martial advantages enjoyed under the British flag, and said that as Catholics they had special reason to be thankful to God for the boon of Canadian citizenship, because nowhere was the practice of that holy religion less hampered or better protected.

In conclusion he requested the Trustees to grant the children a half holiday, which was cheerfully agreed to, and which the children received with great enthusiasm.

#### BORN

HERRGOTT—At Allan Park on Monday, May 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Herrgott, a son.



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Mildmay, on...  
Tuesday, June 6th.  
One day only. - Call early.

#### Additional Locals,

—Fine linen hats for summer wear at McKelvie & Hemphill's.

—The section men of the Grand Trunk went on strike on Tuesday morning, and will not resume work until higher wages are granted. They are now receiving one dollar per day.

—The Athletic Association have canvassed the town for eatables for the picnic and everybody has promised to bring a basket. The Association wish to state that if any huses have been missed, it was done unintentionally, but anything they desire to bring would be gladly received.

#### Court of Revision.

The Municipal Council of the Township of Carrick will sit as a Court of Revision on Monday the 29th day of May A. D. 1899, in the Townhall Mildmay, at 10 o'clock a. m.

James Johnston, Tp. Clerk.

Mr. Alex. Whitelaw, of Pilkington, a young man nineteen years old, employed by Mr. Wm. French, attempted suicide last Friday evening by shooting himself in the head with a small 22 calibre revolver. Dr. Wallace, of Alma, drove him to the Guelph General Hospital, and with the aid of Dr. McKinnon extracted one of the bullets from above his right ear. The other bullet, which was about an inch in front, was not found. The patient has good chances of recovery.

Some generous citizens of Montreal are raising a fund for the benefit of the boy Thos. Stewart, who lost his sight through the unfortunate surgical mistake last week. The amount suggested is \$20,000, from which sum the boy would derive a substantial annuity. Already a number of gentlemen have contributed \$100 a piece, and upwards of \$1,000 has been subscribed in this manner. The matter has been left in the hands of certain energetic citizens, and it is expected that the \$20,000 will be obtained without much trouble.

Louison, Ont., May 17. Marion Brown, the murderer of P. C. Twohey, expiated his crime on the gallows at 8.01 this morning in the jail yard. At 6.30 he donned a white shirt, preparing for the execution. His breakfast consisted of three scrambled eggs and bread and butter and cocoa. He ate little, but seemed remarkably cheerful. While he was eating Rev. Dr. Johnston made a protest to the press representatives at what he called an over-straining of British justice, and characterized the hanging as the culmination of cruelty. The prisoner left the cell at 7.59, and headed by Sheriff Cameron, Rev. Dr. Johnston and Rev. Mr. Walker, proceeded to the scaffold with a steady step. His last words were a prayer to his Maker. Brown made a confession to Dr. Johnston, but requested that nothing be made public. The black cap was adjusted at 8 o'clock and the drop fell at 8.01 a. m. The scaffold was boarded up, hiding the law's victim from even the newspaper. Thousands of people turned out to get a glimpse of the victim.

Mr. W. G. Hyatt, proprietor Bodega Hotel, 36 Wellington Street East, Toronto, says—"While living in Chicago I was in a terrible shape with itching and bleeding piles, I tried several of the best physicians and was burnt and tortured in various ways by their treatments to no avail, besides spending a mint of money to no purpose. Since coming to Toronto I learned of Dr. Chase's Ointment, I used but one box and have not been troubled with piles in any shape or form since."

Havana is rapidly becoming Americanized. Instead of a bullfight on a recent Sunday there was a baseball game, and interest in the match waxed so warm that a close decision by the umpire in the eighth innings almost precipitated a riot. "The Times of Cuba," says that the police took a hand in the affair, revolvers were drawn, and murder would have been done had not a detachment of the 7th Cavalry appeared on the scene with loaded guns to quell the disturbance.

#### COUNTY AND DISTRICT.

A second case of jail-breaking occurred at Napanee Saturday night. Chief Adams had arrested and confined a suspicious character in the lock-up. Hearing of some things having been stolen down-town, the chief went to the coop early Sunday morning to search his prisoner. On entering, he discovered that his bird had flown.

Two brothers named Connor, living in Pittsburg, Penn., will enter a suit next month and lay claim to nearly all the city of Guelph, on the ground that their grandfather, John Connor, a soldier in the British army in the war of 1812, had ceded to him for services to the Government 800 acres of land, now largely occupied by Guelphites.

The old-fashioned theory of tearing down disease was entirely changed by the advent of Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Food, which cures by creating new rich blood and nerve tissue. Through the medium of the circulation and the nervous system they strengthen and invigorate every organ in the human body.

T. C. Patterson's famous flock of sheep at Eastwood was destroyed by dogs on Sunday night. Those not killed are so mutilated as to be useless. Any lambs that escaped are dying for want of their mothers. The pastures are all littered with carcasses, and the sheep had evidently been driven all over the farm. There was a bunch of valuable rams being got together for the Northwest, all of which are killed. The flock was established in 1880, and was the first Canadian flock to come under American registration. The loss is a serious one.

Here is a nice law point for business men to remember. A suit was brought by a creditor against a debtor, in the first Division Court, Toronto, to recover it. The defendant sent a check for this amount, marked "in full of account." Plaintiff claimed this did not settle all that was due and he crossed out the words "in full of account" and had the check cashed. Judge Morgan found that the plaintiff had not notified defendant of the change made in the check, neither had he authority to make such a change, as the words really stood as part of the check. He therefore gave judgement for the defendant. It appears from this decision that words written upon the face of a check become part of its conditions of payment.

One of the worst tornados that has ever visited Texas passed over Titus and Brath counties on Sunday. Homes and church buildings were wrecked in several localities. At Mount Pleasant, the storm struck a church just as services were closing. A bolt of lightning and the wind descended upon the house simultaneously, wrecking it and scattering the debris in all directions. William Kauffman was instantly killed and some 15 persons were injured, some fatally. Three are in a dying condition. The tornado struck Stephenville and did considerable damage, wrecking many houses, but no one was killed. Two churches were unroofed and badly damaged, one man was killed and three were injured near Dublin.

On coming down to his place of business on Wednesday morning, Mr. J. D. Tobey was surprised to find that his store had been broken into by burglars during the night and the premises ransacked. The burglars entered by the front door of the dry goods department, prying it open with two pieces of old iron, which they left behind, and breaking the lock. The alarm cash drawer was broken and some small change that remained in it was taken. They then proceeded with lighted matches to help themselves to a number of small articles that could be easily carried off. They were not successful in securing money which they were after. (This is the second time in six months that Mr. Tobey's store has been entered by burglars. The country seems to be infested with a gang of desperadoes who are committing numerous petty depredations all through this part of the country. Port Elgin, Owen Sound and Shallow Lake have all been visited lately.—Tara Leader.