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MILDMAY, - ONT.

Mildmay Market Report.

Carefully corrected every week for the GAZETTE:

Fall wheat per bu.	65 to 65
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 10
" " " shoulders	8 to 11
Eggs per doz.	11 to 11
Butter per lb.	10 to 10
Dressed pork	10 to 10
Dried apples	5 cents per lb.

Glebe & Seiling's Market.

Wheat.	65 to 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 30
Low Grade.	1 00
Bran.	70c
Shorts.	80c
Screenings.	70c
Chop Feed.	\$5 1.10
Cracked Wheat.	\$2 10
Graham Flour.	\$2 10
Perma.	\$2 25

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C. WENDT.

LAKELET.

James Gallagher of Belmore is working in the saw mill here at present. He is an excellent hand at anything he goes at.

The new hotel keeper has got nicely settled here. He appears to be a quiet lad and the prevailing opinion is that he will be an improvement. He has started out well once already yet.

Some of the farmers have washed their sheep, but they are the better of their fleece these very cold days. Wool appears to be very low this summer.

Jews, butchers, merchants and private parties are round the country picking up all the eggs they can get, and paying a very fair price for them.

Messrs. Wright, Ruttan and Wood took out hogs to Clifford on Monday for Mr. W. Dulmage. They were paid 4c per lb and the probabilities are that hogs will get a little higher.

There is a little seeding to be done yet in low lying lands. There was great weather for the business and in most cases horses are a lot thinner than they were 3 weeks ago.

A Miss Watters of Orange Hill, sister of P. Watters of Fordwich Public school died very suddenly at her home on Sunday. The Dr. was away but a very short time when she died, though at the time of his departure he thought she was going to be all right.

The frosty weather does not appear to have done much damage to clover, though the blossoms must, in many cases, have got more than was good for them.

Forwich and Harriston are holding out great inducements for the crowd on May 24th. Both places will be very sporty on that day, though neither place gives the opposing teams in full. No doubt, however, there will be a large crowd and a good time at both places.

DR. A. W. CHASE'S 25c. CATARRH CURE . . .

is sent direct to the diseased parts by the Improved Blower. Heals the ulcers, clears the air passages, stops droppings in the throat and permanently cures Catarrh and Hay Fever. Blower free. All dealers, or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Toronto and Buffalo. Manila, May 15—10 a. m.—The "tinclad" gunboats Laguna de Bay and Cavadonga and a launch, under Captain Grant, ran into a nest of insurgents concealed in the bushes on both sides of the Rio Grande River, three miles above Calumpit, yesterday afternoon, and were received with heavy volleys at short range. A sergeant, belonging to the Utah battery was killed and one private was wounded. Opening with their rapid fire guns, the Americans killed twenty of the natives and wounded several others, filling the jungle with a hail of shot for a half hour, until the enemy fled.

London, May 15.—Filipino Junta here has received the following message from Aguinaldo, cabled from Hong Kong under date of May 12: "The Filipino Government, in accordance with the general feeling of the country, has decided to continue the war, at all costs, until independence is secured. The Filipinos energetically refuse the American peace overtures, based on restricted autonomy, coupled with promises of subsequent self-government. The Filipinos demand a strict fulfilment of the articles of the American constitution and treaties contracted by the American representatives, when exploring a Filipino alliance in combating the Spaniards. "All the Filipino generals support Aguinaldo. General Luna's reported overtures for peace are untrue. Our army is near Manila, simultaneously attacking the whole American line. The heat and rains are causing many casualties in the American army. All the hospitals are crowded with sick and wounded. Four hundred of the Cincinnati regiment have been imprisoned by General Otis for insubordination in refusing to fight. The regular troops quartered in Manila and other town are quiet. The volunteers are abused and are always at the front with scanty rations. "The discontent between the Americans and Europeans is general.

Bowmanville Bank Robbery.

Bowmanville, May 13.—The Standard Bank, on the corner of King and Temperance streets, the business centre of the town, was burglarized this morning between 2 and 3 o'clock, and all the money in the vault, excepting the coppers, was stolen, with a number of valuable papers.

Henry Metcalf, the night watchman employed by the Town Council to patrol the business streets, had just finished taking his lunch in the police office in the Town Hall block, only about fifty yards from the bank corner, when he heard footsteps on the sidewalk, and went to the door to see who was passing. As he stepped from the police office door he was seized by two masked men, one on each side of him, and his arms raised from his sides to prevent his reaching his pocket for his revolver. He was pushed back into the office and the baton wrestled from his hand by a blow from some instrument that inflicted a gash on the back of the head, now badly swollen. Metcalf was then blindfolded by a third party with an ordinary white linen handkerchief, and gagged by another similar handkerchief.

When his arms were first seized two other men stood, one on each side of him, with revolvers pointed to his head, and he was told that, "if you open your peep we will shoot you." They took from his pocket a pair of handcuffs, and placing his hands behind him, handcuffed him and he was then marched by the two men towards the bank.

One man stood by him as he sat on the sidewalk with Metcalf's revolver, which they had taken from him, in hand, while the others, at least five in number, proceeded to do the job.

A large pane of glass was cut with a die from a west window and an entry secured to the manager's office. The front door was pried open, apparently from the outside, though Metcalf thinks from the sounds heard, that it was opened from the inside. The vault is entered by two separate doors, both very strongly constructed of iron.

Very soon he heard an explosion, the men having run on to the street by the front door. They immediately returned to the building and in a few minutes there was another explosion. The burglars had now secured entrance to the inside vault, where they rifled the contents of several boxes.

The amount of money stolen is over \$11,000 belonging to the bank, and \$90 to the Canadian Life Insurance Company. When the burglars got through with the job, which lasted only about thirty minutes, two of them carried Metcalf into the bank, laid him on the matting on the floor, and left him there gagged and bound. He soon began shouting, but not till five o'clock was he discovered by Frank J. Garrett. Chief Richard Jarvis was soon on the spot and removed the handcuffs, and Mr. Metcalf was once more at liberty.

The British emigration returns show that for the first three months of this year the number of persons leaving the United Kingdom for Canada shows an increase of 24 per cent. over the same period last year. Emigration to the United States in the other hand shows a decrease of 15 per cent., while the emigration to the other colonies remains about stationary.

George Paulin of Chesley has effected a settlement with the G. T. R. It will be remembered that Mr. Paulin was severely injured in a railway collision near Trenton last October, and in consequence lay for several weeks in a hospital in Toronto. Through his solicitor, Mr. C. J. Mickle, he asked \$2000 compensation from the railway company. He was offered \$1000 and there the case hung for a few months. Recently a compromise was made, the G. T. R. through their solicitors, Bell Biggar of Belleville paying Mr. Paulin \$1550 and all costs.

BORN

BEITZ—In Carrick on Thursday, May 11th, to Mr. and Mrs. John Beitz jr., a son.

COUNTY AND DISTRICT.

To all who have felt the evil effects of deranged kidneys is the assurance that Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are meeting with enormous sale and unparalleled success in this district. Backaches and aching kidneys are fast becoming a thing of the past where Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are known. One cent a dose, 25 cents a box, for sale at all dealers.

Well's bridge, near Onelph, collapsed under the weight of a herd of cattle that were being driven in for shipment on the G. T. R. The men in charge had divided the herd and had them spread out as much as possible, as the bridge did not seem as solid as should be, and over half of the number had got across before the bridge gave way. About a dozen of the bulls went down into the water, but after some work all of them were got out from the wreck of the bridge and driven across the stream and on to the station, and fortunately none of them seemed to be injured beyond having scraped legs.

The jewellery store of J. R. Munshaw, Wingham, was burglarized on Friday night or Saturday morning last. Similar to other depredations of a like kind which have lately been committed throughout the country, the front door of the store was forced open. In the morning it was found open by Mr. Munshaw when he arrived, and a large iron pin, usually used to connect square timber together, found inside, which no doubt was the instrument used to force the door open. A number half-burnt matches were strewn upon the floor. Upon investigation it was found that some 18 gold watches and a large number of gold rings and other valuables were stolen. The Chief was summoned and investigations made but apparently without any success in obtaining a clue to the person or persons who had done the deed.

Chief Inspector John W. Murray returned to Toronto Monday evening after a short tour in Western Ontario, during which he investigated the alleged murder near Harriston. The inspector satisfied himself that the unknown man whose body lay in the snow all winter in a roadside ditch four miles from there was not murdered. All the indications were that he was a tramp who had been lost in some winter storm, and who had hurt himself in falling into the ditch. There was nothing about the body of the man to indicate that he had received any blows sufficient to cause death. It was possible that the body may have been that of partially demented farm labourer, who disappeared some time ago. The newspaper found in the dead man's pocket bore a date a fortnight subsequent to the date of his disappearance, and this fact weakens the theory.

The severe weather of March and April has retarded the work on the Palmerston Pork Packing Factory, but for the last month Mr. Woolbridge, the contractor, has had a gang of men at work and the building is now ready for the machinery, seven carloads of which arrived at the factory last week, supplied by E. Leonard & Sons, London, comprising two 75 horse power boilers, one 75 horse power Corliss engine, one 50 horse power automatic engine, three hard-rendering steel tanks, two steam pumps, one heater, two patent boiler cleaners, hangers, shafting and fittings. Total cost, \$4,000. Also one 40-ton ice and refrigerating machine, manufactured by the Fred. W. Wolf Company, Chicago, for which E. Leonard & Sons are sole agents for Canada. The above machine when set up ready for work will cost \$10,000. Mr. Thomas Nopper, the energetic representative of E. Leonard & Sons, has been on the ground for the past week, superintending the unloading and placing of the machinery, and prides himself that when completed the Palmerston Pork Packing Co. will have the most modern and best equipped factory in Canada. The plant will cost when completed \$85,000 and will have a curing capacity of 2500 hogs per week. The promoters are in hopes that they will have everything in shape to commence to kill and cure about the 12th of July next.