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Farm Labor

Nothing is so important at this critical period in the history of the British Empire as food production. Every effort should be made to put in the maximum acreage of crop this, and with this end in view, a Labor Distribution Office has been opened at the Township Clerk's Office at Mildmay. All who are willing—merchants, mechanics, retired farmers or professional men—to work a day or two or longer on the farm this spring or summer, are requested to enroll their names at once. Farmers who need help are also asked to send in their requisitions, and the Committee will distribute the labor in the most advantageous manner. Enroll now.

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LOCAL G. T. R. TIME TABLE.

Morning train, southbound	7:17
Mail Train, northbound	11:41
Afternoon Train, southbound	4:18
Night train, northbound	9:09

NEWS of the WEEK

Items of Interest to Everybody.

Local drovers paid \$19 per cwt. for hogs this week.

If you want to save money read Weiler Bros.' adv. on next page.

Mrs. W. H. Scott of Buffalo spent the past week with friends here.

Mr. Conrad Schaab of Moorefield, a former resident of Mildmay, visited old friends here last week.

Fred Netke has traded his property near the Walkerton station for a small farm north of the county town.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hehn, their daughter Tabitha and son Harvey of Elmira visited at John Hamel's this week.

Mrs. W. E. O'Brien and daughter, Miss Hazel, left on Monday afternoon on a trip to Montreal and Quebec.

The brickwork of the new manse at Belmore has been finished and it is expected that the roof will be completed this week.

Carrick farmers are right in the thick of their harvesting. Barley and fall wheat were cut this week, and the oat crop has ripened so rapidly during the hot spell that it will be ready to cut this week.

Miss Essie Becker visited Mitchell friends this week.

Mr. Albert Harrison of Balsklava is very ill at present.

Miss Tillie Schmidt of Detroit is home on a visit to her parents.

Miss Holmes of Galt is the guest of Miss Essie Becker this week.

Mr. G. H. Eickmeier has enhanced the appearance of his barber shop by having it newly papered.

Rev. A. R. Gibson, of Sunderland, accompanied by his wife and son, is spending a few weeks with relatives near Belmore.

Raspberries are a good crop this year. Two Mildmay people went out on Civic holiday and succeeded in picking 27 1/2 pounds.

Mrs. Louis Yehle, of Winnipeg, nee Miss Olive Herringer, accompanied by her little son, Frederick, is visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. Ira McIntosh of Carrick has been granted leave of absence from military duty for an indefinite period and is home now helping on his father's farm.

Mr. J. P. Hunter of Durham has been summoned to appear before Magistrate J. M. Fischer on Friday on a charge of violating the Motor Vehicles Act, by obstructing vehicular traffic.

We learn that the marriage of Mrs. Marie Reinhardt of Formosa to Mr. Fred A. Long of Toronto, took place in that city on Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Long will reside in Toronto.

The funeral of the late Mrs. David Vogan of Howick took place last Thursday afternoon to McIntosh. Friends came from far and near to pay their last respects to one whom they respected and held dear in life.

The question of adjusting the maximum price of wheat so as to absorb increased freight rates is at present under consideration by the Board of Grain Supervisors. It is stated that the new maximum will be fixed at \$2.24.

We learn that Mr. Henry Weishar of Belmore was acquitted by Magistrates Tolton and Richardson of Walkerton, on a charge of retaining a defaulter in his employ after he knew the man had refused to report for military duty, after being notified to do so.

Mr. N. C. Coutts held an auction sale of feeding cattle here on Saturday. The sale was not largely attended, and as a consequence those who secured cattle got them at a very reasonable price. The cattle were of fairly good quality, and the buyers here will do well on them.

Mr. Peter Thomson and son, Peter, of Mansfield, visited relatives here last week. Mr. Thomson was formerly in the lumber business here, but later moved to Toronto. This spring he traded his Toronto property on a 500 acre farm at Mansfield, as is now farming on an extensive scale.

Mrs. H. N. Schmidt and daughters, Victoria and Elfrida of Sisseton, South Dakota spent a few days with Mrs. Geo. Fink. Mrs. Schmidt being a daughter of the late Mrs. Margaret Bean of Kitchener, the family having lived in former years on the place now occupied by the Moses Filsinger family.

One of the warnings to motorists from the Deputy Minister of Highways reads thus:—Pedestrians who have started to cross a street at a reasonable distance from an approaching motor car have the right to do so at the pace of an ordinary walk and the motorist has no right to compel pedestrians to rush or run for safety by the blowing of his horn.

Mrs. John K. Wahl underwent a very critical operation at the General Hospital at Guelph last Thursday evening for the removal of a cancer of the bowel. The operation was successfully performed, and the patient having now passed through the most dangerous period, bright hopes are held out for her recovery. Mr. Wahl accompanied her to Guelph and remained until Monday evening. The operation was successfully performed by Dr. Lucy of Guelph and Wilson of Mildmay.

Children's Day at the Emmanuel's church, 6th Con. Carrick, last Sunday, was a grand success. In the morning the Pastor gave an illustrated address to the children and the older ones enjoyed it too. The church was beautifully decorated. In the evening the children gave the regular program, the church was crowded and many had to be turned away. The children did remarkably well in rendering the program and everybody was happy. The offering for the day amounted to over \$60.00. Some good improvements have been made on the outside of the church, which gives the property a splendid appearance, the Congregation is thinking of painting the church and giving it a general renovation.

BORN.

FILSINGER—In Carrick, on August 1st, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Filsinger, a son.

RUEZ—In Carrick, on August 5th, to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ruetz, a son.

Do not miss the mid-summer clearing sale at Weiler Bros.

Miss Gladys McNamara of Toronto is spending her vacation here.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Fedy spent Civic holiday at the lake at Kincardine.

Miss Lillian Maurer and Mr. G. Klemmer of Clifford were here over Civic Holiday.

Misses Rose Helwig and Pearl Fink are spending a week's vacation at the beach at Southampton.

The knitting contest put on by the U. J. K. C. ended last evening. The winning side will be announced next week.

Coffee 5 lbs for \$1; vinegar 35c a gallon; rice 3 lbs for 25c; oatmeal 7 1/2 lbs for \$1 at Weiler Bros. Read adv. on next page.

Miss Bertha Palm of Buffalo arrived here on Tuesday evening to visit friends and relatives. She was accompanied by Miss Martin.

The North Carrick patriotic society purpose holding a lawn social at Walter Jasper's on Friday evening, 29rd inst., and are busy preparing an entertaining program.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wendt of Wroster, and Mrs. C. Wendt and Mrs. R. Schwalm of Mildmay attended the funeral of the late Mr. John Riptke of Bruce last Friday.

Now is the time to put in a stock of men's underwear for fall and winter. Fleece-lined 85c a garment; No. 1 quality woolen underwear \$2.75 a suit. Weiler Bros.

Fred Arnold has purchased a threshing outfit, with straw-cutter attached, and is now prepared to start the season's work at once. Satisfactory work is guaranteed.

Mr. Edwin Moyer of Kitchener, son of the late Mr. Aaron Moyer of Mildmay, spent a few days with relatives and friends here. His brother, Stanley, is taking a course in art at New York.

The green vegetables are your best "summer visitors." Can or dry them for next winter whenever more than you can use are ripe and ready. Keep it up until the frost comes, you will need them all.

Mr. L. A. Hinsperger of Sault Ste. Marie, spent a couple of days last week with friends here. Mr. Hinsperger was formerly in the harness business here, but now conducts a large jobbing business at the Soo.

Local hotels have been notified that they can serve pork three times a day now, with live hogs selling at 19c per lb, the hotel-keepers do not consider this relaxation of the Food Board's Order as a great boon.

A baseball match between Belmore and Teeswater ladies baseball clubs will be played at the lawn social at Mr. C. Schmidt's this (Thursday) evening. The clubs are old rivals and a keenly contested game is assured.

Herrgott Bros. are installing an additional hydronic engine on the water-works system, which will increase the water supply. Their patrons are asked to be as economical as possible in the use of the water until the new engine is installed.

Mr. Archie Faulds of Brant met with a painful accident, last week by falling through the rack after unloading a load of hay in the barn. His shoulder was badly dislocated, and he will be laid off work for several weeks as a result. Archie was a former Carrick resident.

At this season of the year when there is great danger of an outbreak of fire, on account of the great heat, residents of the village are advised to observe extra care to avert fires. The fire department would also do well to see that the fire appliances are kept in readiness for any emergency.

The Canada Food Board is calling on the people who are within reach of wild berry patches to make the greatest possible use of their opportunities and make use of this food not only for present use but as a possible help in the "butter substitute situation in the winter should it prove necessary to send big shipments of butter overseas.

Notice to Water Users.

Herrgott Bros. notify all water users that the use of hose is strictly prohibited, also allowing the water to run in one continuous stream. A fine will be imposed on all offenders after this notice.

More Stenographers Wanted.

Civil service stenographers receive from \$900 to \$1200 per annum, yet the demand exceeds the supply. We recommend the Central Business College of Stratford to those who want the proper training. This well known up-to-date school is obliged to turn down scores of applications for trained office help.

Building Carrick Bridges.

Jacob Palm has commenced the construction of a concrete bridge on the 10th concession of Carrick, opposite C. Kunkel's farm, and expects to have the job finished this week. Jos. Schickler is also busy on the work of building the Dunbar bridge on the Elora road, under the Supervision of Mr. E. Siegner, township overseer.

Knitting for Soldiers.

Knitting is an accomplishment that very few men can boast, although since the war commenced quite a number of the sterner sex have learned the art. It may surprise our readers to know that our respected townsman, Mr. L. Heisz is an expert knitter, being able to complete one pair a day. This is a record that we believe cannot be equalled by another man of his age in Ontario.

Returned Soldier Hurt.

Pte. Leo Herringer of this village who went to Toronto last week to visit relatives, was unfortunate enough to receive injuries during the riots that took place in that city last Saturday. A mob of civilians and returned soldiers started a riot, and when the police took a hand to quell the disturbance, bottles and stones were thrown at the officers of the law. Pte. Herringer received a bad gash on the head, requiring four stitches to close.

Severe Frost in West.

A subscriber, writing from Vawn, Sask., states that it has been very dry in that section, only three showers of rain having fallen since spring. The crops were doing fairly well, however, until two weeks ago when the temperature fell to 12 degrees below freezing and all grain crops were destroyed. Even potatoes were completely damaged. The grain is so badly damaged by frost that it will not pay to thresh it.

Dogs Worrying Stock.

Several farmers in this section have been badly troubled recently by dogs worrying their sheep. Last week two dogs got after a flock of sheep and lambs owned by Vollick Bros., and several ewes and lambs were torn. We understand that Mr. Wm. Lewis' flock was also attacked. Jos. Hotten's cattle have been chased by the same dogs on several occasions, but for the timely appearance of a neighbor with a gun, several of the cattle would have perished from exhaustion.

Died in Manitoba.

The death of Mrs. William Halls, of Broomhill, Man., took place very suddenly on July 3rd last. Deceased, who was the second eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Grub of Carrick, and had been living in the West for about twenty years. She appeared to be in her usual health when she retired for the night, but shortly after she took very ill and expired before the arrival of the doctor. Heart failure is given as the cause of her decease. Mrs. Walls was 46 years of age, and leaves a husband and one child, besides her parents and brothers and sisters to mourn her loss.

Pinned Under Automobile.

Mr. H. Ries, painter of Clifford, met with a rather unpleasant experience on Tuesday evening, when motoring home to Clifford. In going down one of the "Forty Hills" his car left the road and plunged down the embankment, overturning and pinning the driver underneath. Mr. R. Ormiston of Teeswater, who happened to be motoring past, found the unfortunate man in his uncomfortable predicament, and released him and took him home. The car was damaged to some extent, but the driver escaped with a few bruises.

Bad Blaze at Clifford.

The village of Clifford was visited by a disastrous fire last Thursday, that laid waste half a block in the centre of the village. The fire originated in the hay mow of the Mansion house stable, owned by Mr. Adam Seip, and rapidly spread to the buildings adjacent. In the path of the fire was Mr. P. Brown's barn, Noah Eckel's stable, the fine residence and stable of Mr. Angus McPhail, formerly of Carrick, and a comfortable dwelling owned by Mrs. Fraser. All these buildings were completely destroyed, and the villagers were unable to stay the progress of the fire, on account of the lack of adequate fire protection. At one time when the conflagration was at its height it was feared that it would envelope half the village, and an appeal was sent to Harriston for help. A special train was sent up with the Harriston fire appliances, and the smouldering heaps of debris were drenched with water, removing all further danger of the fire spreading. We understand that all the buildings destroyed were covered by insurance, but the loss will be heavy. It is estimated that the total loss will exceed \$10,000. Mr. McPhail's loss will be the greatest, as his residence was considered to be as one of the finest in the village. His buildings and contents were insured for \$2,000.

FORMOSA.

Mrs. Reinhardt's sale of household effects etc., which was held here on Saturday last was well attended. Mrs. Reinhardt intends moving to Toronto in the near future.

Miss Lydia Kraemer of Chicago is spending a couple of weeks at her home here.

Dr. J. M. Uhrich spent a few days in Toronto on business last week.

Mr. Fred A. Long of Toronto visited friends in town over Sunday.

Misses Flora and Julietta Beingsener of Buffalo are spending their holidays at their home here.

Pte. Eugene Beingsener and L. Corp. Ed. Zimmer of London spent over Sunday at their homes here.

CARLSRUHE.

Rev. Father, who has been assistant here for the past two months left last week. Father Goodrow has enlisted as Chaplain for overseas. Rev. Father Culliton of Ayton, who was ordained this spring, will be his successor.

John A. Hundt has bought Father Goodrow's fancy driver and whole outfit.

August Freiburger made a business trip to Kitchener and Toronto last week and will return to-day.

X. Poehman and son spent Sunday with J. Kreutzwiser in Warton.

Mrs. D. Schwan spent last week with relatives in St. Clemens and Waterloo.

Mr. and Mrs. George Zettler spent Sunday in Hanover.

Mrs. Jos. Kocher and daughter, Rose, and Miss Oehring visited Jos. Montg on Sunday.

If the hot weather continues much longer the grain will all be harvested in less than two weeks.

MOLTKE.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. George Filsinger, a daughter.

Mrs. J. Ortmann of Clifford visited her daughter, Mrs. Adolph Weigel.

Mr. Thiele and family of Kitchener spent a couple of days with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holm.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Peter, Mr. Ed. Peter, Miss Ortlamm, Mr. Elmer Weigel and Miss Irene Schauss motored to Wallace on Sunday to visit friends and relatives.

The Children's Day service on the 6th was well attended on Sunday.

Missionary meeting will be held at the St. Paul's church on Sunday.

Mr. Wm. Weigel of Hanover visited friends and relatives over the holidays.

Mrs. John Bieman is visiting friend in Kitchener this week.

Mr. Wm. Ludke sold two spring lambs for which he received the fancy sum of forty dollars.

Mr. Ed. Holm spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Grien and family.

Pte. Isidor Uhrich of Toronto was home over the week-end.

Children's Day Services will be held in the Evangelical church here on Sunday, August 18th.

Another heat wave has hit this country and the weather man promises that it will continue for a time.

Miss Maud Schill of Buffalo, and Misses Sadie and May Schill of Kitchener, are spending a couple of weeks with their parents here.

The many friends of Mr. C. A. Fox, the popular Walkerton jeweler, will be glad to know that he is now improving rapidly in health.

Clergymen in the United States are working six days a week in factories and on farms and preaching on Sundays, says Robert Craig of Simcoe, just returned from the states.

Harvesters Excursion.
The Grand Trunk Railway will run harvester excursions to the West on August 22nd and 29th. Single fare to Winnipeg \$12, and the usual reductions to destinations.

Rev. Father Goodrow, the popular assistant priest at Karlsruhe, who volunteered recently for Overseas Service has received word of his acceptance by the authorities and is giving up his work at Karlsruhe.

The big German offensive which commenced on July 18th, was turned into the greatest enemy defeat of the war. The Allies have taken 85,000 prisoners, and 750 guns, and are still pushing the enemy back. By all appearances defeat is staring Germany in the face.