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PREBYTERIAN.—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 Hahn. Services every Sunday, alternatively at 8:30 a.m. and 10 a.m. Vespers every other Sunday at 3 p.m. Sunday School at 9:30 p.m. every other Sunday.

GERMAN LUTHERAN.—Pastor, P. Mueller, Ph. D. Services: every 2nd, 4th and 5th Sunday of each month 9:30 p.m. Every 3rd Sunday at 10:30 a.m. Sunday School at 1:20 p.m. Every 3rd Sunday at 9:30 p.m.

METHODIST.—Services 10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sabbath School 9:30 a.m. G. Curle, Superintendent. Prayer meeting, Thursday 8 p.m. Rev. R. KEPPER, B. A., Pastor.

SOCIETIES.

C.M.B.A., No. 70.—meets in their hall on the evening of the second and fourth Thursdays in each month. J. J. STEIGLER Sec. A. FROHMANN, Pres.

C.O.F.—Court Mildmay, No. 186. meets in their hall the second and last Thursdays in each month. Visitors always welcome. John McGinn C. R. M. Filsinger, Secy.

C.O.C.F. No. 166.—meets in the Foresters' Hall the second and fourth Mondays in each month, at 8 p.m. Jno. D. MILLER, Coun. F. C. JASPER, Rec.

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I. O. F.—Meets on the last Wednesday of each month. J. W. WARD, C. R. Wm. 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 Coun. 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.
Exd..... 10 a.m.	Express..... 10:15 p.m.

Local Affairs

—Albert Rosenow has secured a situation in Hy. Pletsch's harness shop.

—Beitz's next horse fair will be held on Thursday, June 15th. Several prominent buyers will be present.

—Inspector Clendenning visited the Public School last Friday afternoon. After he had finished his duties he delivered an address to the scholars.

—Mr. Fred Gutzke jr., of the 8th con. sold a steer to Mr. Gillan which tipped the scale at 1570 lbs. on which he realized \$80.85. Who can beat that.

—Messrs. James Berry, Frank Schultheis and Wm. Edmunson left on Tuesday morning for London where they will spend two weeks drilling.

—Last Thursday as Alvin Liesener was playing around the store, a plank with a spike in it, fell on his foot and the spike went right through the big toe, coming out at the bottom. A doctor was called and the boy is around again.

—R. J. Barton has returned from Toronto and has purchased the drug store formerly conducted by him. Mr. Barton took up a course in optics and analytical chemistry, besides the course in the School of Pharmacy. We wish him success here.

—June.

—Henry Miller left last Saturday for Buffalo, where he will probably remain.

—We regret to learn that Miss Louise Moyer is confined to her bed with an attack of pleurisy.

—T. P. Smith, eye specialist of Elora will be at the Commercial hotel, Mildmay, on Tuesday, June 6th, one day only.

—Come to Mildmay next Wednesday and attend the Union Pik-nik. There will be a good programme of sports.

—Mrs. John Hogg sr. of Carrick received a paralytic stroke on Tuesday of last week. Though she is an old lady the doctor has hopes of her recovery.

—Wm. McCulloch attended the funeral of his nephew, Mr. Geo. Bell, in Listowel last Friday. Deceased was 22 years of age, and death resulted from running a fork into his knee, and receiving a kick from a horse.

—Last Friday afternoon Alex. Kramer met with a painful accident which laid him up for a few days. He was hauling a barrel of salt in a light wagon, when the front part of the vehicle became disconnected with the remainder. The front end of the wagon box dropped to the ground and the barrel of salt came down upon Mr. Kramer's legs. Mr. Kramer now walks with the aid of a cane.

—The Mildmay Baseball club was organized last Friday evening with the following officers:—Hon. Pres. Hy. Cargill; Hon. Vice-Pres. R. E. Truax; President, Dr. Wilson; Vice-Pres., J. H. Curle; Manager, J. W. Ward; Treasurer, E. N. Butchart; Secretary, J. A. Johnston. There was a good attendance at the meeting and much interest was taken in the formation of a club here.

—A pleasant event took place in the R. C. church at Carlsruhe on Tuesday morning when Mr. John Kohl was united in marriage to Miss Spielmacher of Carlsruhe. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Wey. Miss Oberle acted as bridesmaid and Mr. Henry Kohl assisted the groom. The happy young couple will reside in Hanover.

—Arrangements are almost completed for the Union Picnic to be held in the agricultural grounds on Wednesday June 7th. A baseball match will be played between Clifford and Mildmay clubs and another game between two clubs of the town. Several races will come off, and a quit competition will also be held. Supper will be served in town hall. The merchants will likely close their stores in the afternoon and a most enjoyable time is expected.

—The population of the county of Bruce according to the 1897 report of the Bureau of Industries is 56,830 being divided as follows:—Albermarle 1,374; Amabel 2,904; Arran 2,610; Brant 3917; Bruce 5,967; Carrick 4,985; Culross 2,747; Eastnor 1,588; Elderslie 2,559; Greenock 2,756; Huron 3,475; Kincardine 2,952; Kinloss 2,498; Lindsay and St. Edmunds 942; Saugeen 1,524. Total of townships 39,793. Kincardine 2,392; Walkerton 2,944; Wiarton 2,015. Total of towns 7,361. Chesley 1,756; Lucknow 1,211; Paisley 1,093; Port Elgin, 1,385; Southampton 1,550; Tara 688; Teeswater 1,028; Tiverton 455. Total of villages 9,159.

—To-day is
—Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Dow of British Columbia, are visiting at Geo. Herring's.

—Camp meeting this year commences on Tuesday, June 20th, and will continue until the 26th.

—A handsome silk Afgan will be sold by public auction at the picnic next Wednesday afternoon.

—Mr. M. Gillen of Clifford purchased one of Schuett & Sons' fine show buggies on Tuesday at a good figure. He also bought a three seated carriage from this firm.

—A social will be held on Thursday evening, June 15th, in aid of the Union Sunday School, at Rozel's school. A good programme is being prepared. More particulars next week.

—The trackmen of the G. T. R. are still on strike, but they are in strong hopes of an early settlement. The authorities have put new men to work in several places, but they were either persuaded to quit work or forced.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Parsill, and daughter, Miss Emma, left on Tuesday morning for Bay Mills, Mich. The Parsill family will spend the summer with sons and daughters throughout the United States and Canada, and will return in the fall.

—Rev. R. Keefer left on Monday to attend the Hamilton Conference, which is being held at St. Catharines this year. He will be absent two Sundays. Next Sunday Mr. Hickling will occupy the pulpit in the morning and Mr. Moore in the evening, and the following Sunday Mr. Scott will preach morning and evening.

—Joseph Schuett has sold to George Flach a piece of land, 16 feet front by 40 feet deep, where the tailor shop now stands, for \$125. This is \$7.81 per front foot and is the cheapest portion of the of the property, which shows that village property is not decreasing in value. Mr. Flach intends building a new brick tailor shop in a few weeks.

—The fourth and probably the last spraying experiment of the season will be held in Jos. Lewis' orchard on Thursday next, June 8th. Many orchards in the township have been invaded by caterpillars, and they played such havoc with the trees that scarcely an apple will grow this year. In many places they have taken to the bush and the damage is expected to be far greater than it was last year.

—A number of people near Carlsruhe received a bad scare the other day. Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Diebolt were working in the field when along came the lightning bolt and knocked the team of horses over and Mr. Diebolt, who was driving, had his arm badly scorched. Mr. A. Goetz and his son were working across the road, and the young man was thrown to the ground, and their team frightened so badly that they ran away.

—A peculiar case of ice cream poisoning is reported from Chesley. A few days ago, a number of the people around town went into one of the restaurants for their favorite treat, and in a few hours after they were all taken sick. The symptoms were those of arsenical or other poisoning and it took the doctors all their time to keeping some of them from dying. How the poison got into the ice cream is still a mystery.

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The annual meeting of the South Bruce Farmers' Institute will be held in the Agricultural hall, Teeswater, next Monday at 1:30 p. m., at which important business will be transacted. At the same time there will be a picnic in the park, where a number of speakers will address the audience. Miss Laura Rose will speak on the Dairy and Mr. Norman Robertson on the early settlement of the Country.

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