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## Sherwin-Williams

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Guaranteed to cover 20% more than pure white lead or Linseed Oil.

Hardware of all kinds

Carpenters' Supplies  
A Specialty . . .

Stoves, Tinware, Glass, Oils, Etc.

We have on hand several makes of Canadian and American wheels which will be sold cheap. Call and examine them.

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Has established a Branch at MILDMAY, ONTARIO, Open on Tuesday's and Friday's Weekly, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Drafts Issued on all points in Canada. Savings Bank Department. Interest Allowed on Deposits.

**W. E. BUTLER, Mgr.**

HENRY TORRANCE, CLIFFORD, ONTARIO Licensed Auctioneer for Wellington, Bruce and Huron, is prepared to conduct all Sales entrusted to him. Terms moderate. Orders left here will receive prompt attention.

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**A. H. MACKLIN, M.B.**

Graduate of the Toronto Medical College, and member of College Physicians and Surgeons, Ontario. Winner Silver Medal and Scholarship. Office in rear of the Peoples' Drug Store.

**R. E. CLAPP, M.D.**

Physician and Surgeon. GRADUATE, Toronto University and member of College Physicians and Surgeons, Ontario. Residence, Elora St., nearly opposite the Electric Light plant. Office in the Drug Store, next to Merchants' Bank. MILDMAY.

**J. A. WILSON, M.D.**

HONOR Graduate of Toronto University Medical College. Member of College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario. Office: Front rooms over, Moyer's Store—Entrance from Main Street. Residence—Opposite Skating Rink. MILDMAY.

**DR. J. J. WISSER, DENTIST, WALKERTON.**

HONOR Graduate Department of Dentistry, Toronto University Graduate Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario, will be at the Commercial Hotel, Mildmay, every Thursday. Prices moderate, and all work guaranteed Satisfactory.

**C. H. LOUNT, L. D. S., D. D. S. SURGEON DENTIST, WALKERTON.**

Will continue to conduct the practice of the firm of Hughes & Lount, at the office always occupied by them in Walkerton. Special attention will be given to Gold-Filling and preservation of the Natural Teeth. Nitrous Oxide, Gas, and other Anesthetics for the painless extraction of Teeth.

**W. H. HUCK, V. S. MILDMAY, ONT.**

GRADUATE OF ONTARIO VETERINARY COLLEGE. REGISTERED Member of Ontario Medical Association. Also Honorary Fellowship of the Veterinary Medicine Society. Calls promptly attended to night or day.

Mr. H. Cargill, of Cargill, Bruce, recently bought a two-year-old colt in Indiana for \$100. The colt was shipped by express and on its arrival Mr. Cargill had to put up \$105 for carriage.

## James Johnston

Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

Conveyancer

MONEY TO LOAN

On Mortgages on Farm Property From 5% up

Insurance Agent.

Township Clerk's Office.

## 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 11
Butter per lb. 8 to 8	8 to 8
Eggs per doz.	10 to 10
Dressed pork	11 to 11
Dried apples	5 cents per lb.

### Glebe & Sealing's Market.

Wheat	65 65 bus
Peas	62 to 62
Oats	30 to 30
Flour, Manitoba	\$2 25 per cwt
Family flour, No. 1	\$1 40
Family flour, No. 2	\$1 30
Low Grade	1 00
Bran	70c
Shorts	80c
Screenings	70c
Chop Feed	.85 1.10
Cracked Wheat	\$2 10
Cracked 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, Studs, G. Filled Spectacles &c.

Every article will be sold at Rock Bottom Prices.

Fancy Goods, Chinaware &c.

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, Autoharps, 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.**

### Huntingfield

Miss Martha, Haskins spent Sunday with her friend Miss Duffy, of the 4th concession.

Mr. and Mrs. John Starnall of Orange Hill spent Sunday at the residence of Mr. N. Harris.

Mr. Boyer, of Gorrie spent Sunday at N. Harris'.

Some of our sports fired a shot at a flock of wild geese on Sunday but their aim was not good enough to fetch any down.

Mr. Robt. Pomeroy spent Sunday with a friend in Wroxeter.

### SCHOOL REPORT

Mildmay Public School Honor Roll for April.

#### FORM I.

Sr. Fifth—Whittie Carle, G. Loth. Jr. Fifth—Wm. Berry, Jean McGavin, Eddie Berry. Sr. Fourth—L. Amacher, H. Jasper, E. Murat, Allie Pennock.

Jr. Fourth—Ethel Reddon, Melvina Schweitzer, Lascinda Eifert, Milton Schweitzer, Chas. Rosenow.

Sr. Third—Lauretta Holtzman and Maggie Filsinger equal, Stanley Moyer, Edwin Moyer, M. Voigt, Fred. Schwalm, Wesley Holtzman, Webster Carle, Maggie Miller.

#### FORM II.

Jr. Third Class—George Campbell, Adam Wicke, Willie Perschbacher, Maggie Schweitzer, Charlie Gleba, May Mulholland.

Sr. 2nd class—Willie Eifert, Emma Rosenow, Annetta McGavin, Rube Wendt, Laura Liesemer, Matilda Miller.

Jr. 2nd class—Zetna Liesemer, Mary Peiker, Eva Ballagh, Willie Murat, Irene Pletsch, Herbert Lark.

#### FORM III.

Part II—David Weber, Aggie Ladd, Lizzie Gleba, Mary Hahn, Ella Mulholland, Edith McGavin.

Sr. Part I—Mariam Holtzman, Rosie Liesemer and Lizzie Sieling equal, Clara Schweitzer, Irwin McCulloch, Wesley Harron.

Jr. Part I—Eddie Diebel, Nellie Wicke, Mary Heberle, Angeline Miller, Elmo Schurr, Earl Mulholland.

Class I—Lily Sieling, Lucy Liesemer, Charlie Wendt, Clayton Butchart.

We publish the poem which was read by Captain Coghlan at an after dinner gathering in the United States:—

Der Kaiser ion das Vaterland,  
Und Gott und I all dings command;  
We two, ach, don't you understand?  
MEINSELF—und Gott.

Vile some men sing der bower divine,  
Mein soldiers sing "Die Wacht am Rhein,"  
Und drink der health in Rhenish wine—  
OF ME—und Gott.

There's France, she svaggers all around;  
She's ausgespielt, she's no aground;  
To much, we dinks, she don't amount—  
MEINSELF—und Gott.

She will not dare to fight again,  
But if she should I'll show her plain  
Dat Elsass (und in French) Lorraine—  
Are MEIN—by Gott.

Dere's Grandma, dinks she's nicht  
small bier,  
Mit Boers und such she interfere;  
She learn none owns this hemisphere—  
But ME—und Gott.

She dinks, good frau, some ships she's  
got,  
Und soldiers mit der scarlett goat,  
Ach! We could knock 'em—proof—like  
dot—  
MEINSELF—mit Gott.

In dimes of peace brebare for wars,  
I bear red helm and spear of Mars,  
Und care not for den dousand Czars—  
MEINSELF—und Gott.

In fact, I humor every whim,  
Mit aspect dark und visage grim—  
Gott pulls mit ME—und I mit Him—  
MEINSELF—und Gott.

There is a cessation of hostilities in the Philippines at present and it is expected that terms of capitulation will be agreed to on the lines indicated by the Philippine Commission which will allow a large measure of self government to the Filipino.

There is only one remedy known that has a combined action on the kidneys and liver and cures the most complicated ailments of these delicate filtering organs, and that is Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver pills, the original kidney pills. This world famous kidney and liver cure has an enormous sale in all parts of Canada and the United States.

There is a conflict of opinion between the Dominion Government and the Provincial Government of British Columbia regarding jurisdiction over Denman's Island near Vancouver. The Dominion Government leased the Island to Mr. Ludgate who was preparing to cut and manufacture the timber on it. The Provincial authorities have now taken possession of the Island and placed a guard in charge to keep off trespassers and to retain possession of the timber.

The Premier informed the House that the Government intended to introduce legislation to provide for a re-distribution of the electoral districts, taking steps towards the acquisition of the Drummond County Railway, the construction of the Pacific Cable by Canada, Britain and Australia and the consideration of several other railway resolutions. If the business does not proceed more rapidly than it has up to date, there is work enough cut out to keep Parliament in session all summer.

Rock Rapids, Iowa, April 28.—Robt. King, hotel keeper, of Paisley, Ont., and A. J. Conover, ex-hotel keeper, of Wingham, Ont., were yesterday sentenced to long terms of imprisonment in the Iowa penitentiary for swindling the First National Bank of Rock Rapids by means of forged drafts. King who pleaded guilty and turned State's evidence, was given seven years on a charge of uttering a forged draft. Conover three years for forgery and seven years for uttering. Conover also gets four years extra imprisonment for violating the conditions of an old pardon, making fourteen years in all. Since October 1897, the pair have swindled no less than twenty-seven American banks. A. J. Conover, the ex-Wingham hotel keeper, and the prominent figure in this band of forgers, has been operating for about twenty years. King is only known to have joined the gang about two years ago, and after a strenuous fight at Walkerton was held for extradition.

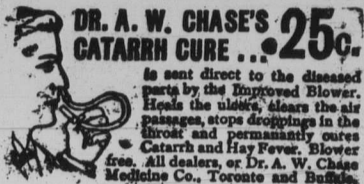
The storm of Sunday evening struck the barn of Thos. Baeburn of the 11th con. Brant, and burned it to the ground together with its contents. Fortunately the cattle and horses were saved but a brood sow and 11 little pigs perished in the flames.

A correspondent writes to the Stratford Herald as follows: "Our village seems to be infested with tired tourists. On April 7th another of that class of individuals, claiming to be very near-sighted, came here and stopped at one of the neighboring farm houses and obtained his dinner. After having dined sumptuously he was being escorted to the road when he changed his mind and thought he would like to stay all night. He was given to understand that his presence was no longer required and was urged to move on by some of the grown up boys of the village. But he proved very insolent and threatened to burn the farm buildings unless he was kept, and in that way obtained his night's lodging. An indication of how numerous these "tourists" are becoming is given by the sequel to a railway accident which occurred at Cornwall last week. Four cars of a freight train ran off the track, and two of them wrecked. Then it was discovered that fifteen tramps had been riding on one of the cars which had been smashed. Two of the tramps were killed; the rest escaped without serious injury.

### COUNTY AND DISTRICT.

Lightning struck the barn of Andrew Catto, near Eden Grove, on Sunday evening, and everything was consumed except a plow and a pair of harrows. He had only \$200 insurance.

Chesley now has a ghost story. Last week the spirit visitor paid regular visits to the house of one of the residents and made his presence known by wrapping and "butchering" noises. The event is causing the superstitious much uneasiness, but will prove to be from natural causes.



A good story is going the rounds about a Huron township school teacher. The blackboard brush through constant use, was discarded and the teacher inquired of a young boy in the front seat, if he would not bring part of a sheep's skin next morning to repair the brush. The teacher was informed that they had none at home. Why she replied, "Do you not skin your sheep every year."

The election in county council division No. 8, on Monday resulted in the return of Scott and Avery. Mr. Bland, the defeated candidate, was one of the best men in the council, and was supposed to be a strong man in his own township. But of late there has been a feeling that he was getting to be too much under the influence of the town of Kincardine and the township electors dropped him.

Mr. F. W. Hofison, Superintendent of Former Insitutes, reports that there is a dearth of cattle, owing mainly to the increased exportation of live stock brought about by the removal of the quarantine regulations between Canada and the United States. For some time after the embargo was lifted American buyers swarmed through the country, purchasing all the stock they could lay their hands on. Some buyers took away as many 2,000 or 3,000 head of cattle. Consequently, the supply now is very limited and good prices are likely to rule for some time to come.

An example of the wonderful nerve and will power of man is exhibited by Bon Parrot, the man who has been sentenced to death for killing his mother. Many people, while agreeing with the jury that he is not insane, believe him to be a moral degenerate. His absolute freedom from anxiety over his present position his constant levity, make those who have observed him closest think that he is devoid of all feeling beyond that of the animal creation. When taken from the court room after his sentence, he laughed and joked with acquaintances he met in the crowd that awaited his departure in a hack to the jail, and appeared totally oblivious to the fact that he would not leave the jail until he left it on the morning of June 23, to be hanged.

There appears to be an over supply of dogs in Dundas, and this is what the Banner has to say about it:—There are too many dogs in town, yellow dogs, brown dogs, white dogs, black dogs, spotted dogs, striped dogs, dry dogs, wet dogs, big dogs, little dogs, fat dogs, thin dogs, overfed dogs, hungry dogs, lazy dogs, lively dogs, three-legged dogs, dogs with long tails, dogs with short tails, dogs with no tails at all worth speaking of, tired dogs, sad-eyed dogs, long-eared dogs, short-eared dogs, and dogs with one ear lacking, dogs that bark and dogs that bite, hot dogs cold dogs, hairy dogs, dogs that go away when you tell them and dogs that don't cheap dogs, expensive dogs, mangy dogs and dogs of low degree, in fact dogs of all kinds, colors, sizes, styles, ages and breeds too many altogether, and it would be a good thing if the worst of them were summarily made away with.