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George Schwalm offers for sale his farm of 145 acres, west of and adjoining the village of Mildmay. On the premises are a new brick house and kitchen, fine bank barn, good orchard. The place is well fenced, has an abundance of water and is in an excellent state of cultivation. The place can be purchased either with or without stock, grain and implements. Purchaser will be given the most favorable terms, if required.

George Schwalm,
Mildmay

Mr. Jos. Yellow, of Osborne township had his two barns burned a few days ago along with the season's wheat and a large quantity of hay, a team of horses valued at \$500, a number of pigs and several head of young cattle. The fire was started by children playing with matches.

Grand Trunk Time Table

Trains leave Mildmay station as follows:
GOING SOUTH
Express.....7:31 a.m.
Express.....11:37 a.m.
Express.....2:22 p.m.
The 7:31 a.m. and 1:43 p.m. trains carry mail.

LOCAL & PERSONAL

Dominion elections will be held five weeks from to-day.
The Ayton fall fair will be held on Sept. 18th. and 19th.
R. H. Wendt is spending a week's vacation at Detroit.
Leo. Schaus of Hespeler is visiting his grandfather, Mr. D. Fortney.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pringle of Detroit visited at W. H. Huck's during the past week.
Miss Bessie Ainlay of Harriston spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Fink.
Geo. E. Liesemer of Galt, formerly blacksmith here, visited friends here on Monday.
Mrs. Miller and daughter, Miss Anna, of West Branch, Mich., are visiting relatives here.
Mrs. C. Liesemer and daughter, Miss Zetta, are visiting relatives and friends at Elmira and Berlin.

Manager Werlich of the Merchants Bank autoed to Preston last week to see his father who is indisposed.
The five-year old son of Mr. Geo. Weiler fell off a fence last Friday and fractured his arm below the elbow.
It is estimated that nearly two hundred people left Warton last Saturday on the Harvesters excursion to the West.
Mr. A. Moore of Wilke, Sask., hardware merchant and real estate agent, called on friends here yesterday. Abe, formerly lived at Teeswater and is well known here.
Next Wednesday, the 23rd of August, is the date of the next farm laborers excursion to the West. Get your tickets and all information from J. A. Johnston, C. P. R. agent.
The Conservative Convention is being held in Formosa to-day. It is generally understood that J. J. Donnelly is to be conservative candidate at the approaching Federal elections.
We are pleased to notice that Nelson E. Dahms of Carrick was successful in passing his examinations at the Walkerton High School. He has now obtained a complete Junior Matriculation standing.
Mr. Fred Scheife, while working with Schwalm's carpenters at Lakelak last Friday, was taken suddenly ill with bladder trouble. He was brought home on Saturday and is still confined to his bed.
Mr. Henry Ruetz returned on Monday afternoon from Saskatoon where he spent the past six weeks. Mr. Ruetz says that northern Saskatchewan is having a big yield this year, but the crops are still green and cutting will not commence much before Sept. 1st.
Mr. Geo. Curle of Vancouver, B. C. is visiting friends and relatives in this township. He piloted a shipment of Chinamen from Vancouver to Montreal, and will spend a month in Ontario. Mr. Curle says Vancouver is the best city in the West, and is delighted with his new home.
Threshing is now in progress in all parts of the county, and as soon as we have that well in hand you may bring on your politics as fast as you like. The indications are that the yield of speckles is going to be large and weedy, but whether our statesmen will thresh out any No. 1 hard ideas remains to be seen. Already there are indications that flails may be used in the threshing by some of the workers. Moreover, we have noticed that, although it is hard to get good hired men on the farm, political hired men are cheap and plentiful.

Schools re-open on Tuesday, Sept. 5th.
Don't forget the bowling meeting on Friday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Filsingee spent Sunday in Chesley.
Miss Emma Macke is visiting friends at Walkerville this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Zeigler of Elmira are visiting relatives here.
The Carrick Fall Show dates—Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 25 and 26.
Miss Orpha McNamara of Toronto spent the past week with her parents here.
Mrs. Peter Lobsinger, accompanied by her two children, visited her parents at Linwood last week.
Two weeks from next Monday will be Labor Day. None of the towns in this district are celebrating.
Hanover is holding a big celebration to-day. Horse races, baseball and lacrosse are the features.
P. S. No. 12, Carrick, is in need of a teacher for the fall term. Apply to Stephan Diebert, Deermerton.
Harvey Kelly of Owen Sound, formerly of the Mildmay Merchants Bank, has been transferred to Gull Lake Sask.
D. W. Clubine leaves to-morrow morning for Alpena, Michigan, to visit his brother, James, who is very critically ill.
Miss Melinda Pletsch has returned to Stratford to resume her position as saleslady after a couple of months' vacation.
Schmidt & Haines paid \$7.40 for hogs and \$6 per cwt. for lambs. The price of hogs is gradually increasing, but lambs are on the wane.
The frequent showers have retarded the harvesting operations in this township, although we have heard of a few who have finished up.
Hon. R. L. Borden, the Conservative Leader, will address a meeting at Harriston on Saturday afternoon. A number of Carrick Tories are going down to hear him.
Two Walkerton young men, upon whom the County town constabulary had designs, spent Sunday in this village. They left on the first freight south on Monday morning.
The South Bruce Rural Telephone Co. is issuing a new telephone directory this week. This company now has over 200 subscribers, and expect this fall to have another hundred names added.
FOUND—At Stratford station, a purse containing money and railway ticket to Mildmay. Owner can have same by proving ownership and paying for this ad. J. G. Pratt, 90 Well St., Stratford, Ont.
Next Sunday will be Children's Day in the Evangelical Church. Rev. Mr. Sippell of Alfeldt will conduct quarterly service in the morning, and in the evening a full program will be given. All are invited to this service.
Louis Waechter brought his son Anthony home from the Walkerton hospital on Monday evening. The lad is suffering with a growth between his shoulder blade and ribs, but is making satisfactory progress toward recovery.

Stock For Sale.
W. E. Lucas, of the 2nd concession of Carrick, offers for sale at reasonable prices, the following:—1 young sow, with litter of 7 pigs 5 weeks old; 1 litter of 12 pigs 5 weeks old; and 3 young brood sows, to pig about Oct. 15th—All pure bred Aberdeen Poland Angus bull-calf, aged 2 months.
Badly Scalded.
Wilfred, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown of Mildmay, met with a painful accident on Tuesday. The caretaker of the school was having the floors scrubbed and the lad who was playing about the school, fell into a pail of hot water, which scalded his back very badly. He was hurried to the doctor's office, where his injuries were dressed, and he is now doing as well as can be expected.

Stray Sheep.
Two ewes and four lambs strayed from the premises of Louis Scheffer, Lot 11, Con. 6, Carrick, on August 6th. Finder will please inform the owner of their whereabouts.

Lawn Bowling.
A meeting for the purpose of organizing a Bowling Club will be held at the Commercial Hotel, Mildmay, on Friday evening at 8.30. All interested are invited to attend.

Another Tarantula.
While opening up a bunch of bananas on Tuesday afternoon, H. Keelan, grocer, discovered a huge tarantula, in the wrapping about the fruit. It was very active, and succeeded in making its escape. P. D. Liessmer found a small tarantula in a small bunch of bananas a couple of weeks ago.

Tall Corn.
Thos. H. Jasper of the 12th concession has one of the finest fields of corn in Ontario. Last week he measured one of the tallest stalks and found it to be 11 1/2 feet long. He has seven acres of corn which will average from 9 to 10 feet high, and he is afraid his silo will not hold the crop this year.

Toronto Fair Rates.
The Grand Trunk will sell round trip tickets from Mildmay to Toronto as below. All tickets are good to return until Sept. 12.

Saturday, Aug 26	.....\$3 25
Monday, " 28	.....3 25
Tuesday, " 29	.....2 45
Wednesday, " 30	.....3 25
Thursday, " 31	.....2 45
Friday, Sept. 1	.....3 25
Saturday, " 2	.....3 25
Monday, " 4	.....3 25
Tuesday, " 5	.....2 45
Wednesday, " 6	.....2 45
Thursday, " 7	.....2 45
Friday, " 8	.....3 25
Saturday, " 9	.....3 25

R. E. Truax Nominated.
The Convention of the South Bruce Liberals held at Walkerton on Thursday last was attended by some three hundred delegates from all parts of the riding. Mr. I. Shoemaker of Paisley, warden of the county occupied the chair, and the following gentlemen were nominated to contest the Riding in the Liberal interests:—R. E. Truax M. P. P. Walkerton; Conrad Krug, Chesley; M. A. Halladay, Chesley; I. Shoemaker, Paisley; J. G. Anderson, Lucknow; P. H. McKenzie, Lucknow; G. H. Mooney, Ripley; S. A. Rife, Walkerton; J. B. Campbell, Pinkerton and Dr. Crowe, Chesley. These gentlemen all withdrew their names excepting Mr. Truax, whose nomination was then made unanimous. Eloquent addresses were delivered by Messrs. J. J. Hunter of Kincardine and P. H. McKenzie of Lucknow.

Death of Alvin Miller.
The home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Miller of this village was saddened this week by the death of their second son Alvin, which took place on Sunday evening. Alvin who was sixteen years of age, took ill with appendicitis, on Saturday, the 5th inst., and his condition became so serious that the doctors were unable to operate. The following Thursday, however, he appeared to take a turn for the better, but the improvement was only temporary, for his condition became worse again on Friday and after suffering intense agony, death came to his relief about 10.15 on Sunday evening. He was a quiet, well behaved boy, and his death has caused a gloom over the whole village. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon to the Evangelical cemetery, his Sunday School classmates acting as pallbearers.

A Brave Lad.
The following item, taken from the Welland Telegraph, refers to the bravery of Stanley Stephenson, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. David Fortney of Mildmay:—John Parks, aged eleven years, went in swimming in the canal opposite the old Beatty plant on Sunday afternoon. He was using a pair of water wings, which slipped out from under him, leaving him in eight feet of water without any support. Another lad who swam to his rescue, was grabbed by the neck and almost pulled under. Stanley Stephenson, age fifteen years, son of Contractor Stephenson, of Garner Avenue who was just getting dressed, heard their cries for help. He plunged into the water and soon had both boys on shore, badly frightened, but not injured. Stephenson learned to swim last summer against the wishes of his parents. He can now appreciate the value of learning that manly art. He deserves great credit for his presence of mind and timely assistance.

A Busy Firm.

Herrgott Bros., foundrymen, are experiencing one of the busiest seasons in the history of the foundry. Several complete threshing outfits have been turned out this summer, and the firm is now installing a cider mill outfit at Tara.

Broke His Arm.
Mr. R. H. Richardson, proprietor of the Marble works here, had the misfortune to break his right arm just above the wrist on Wednesday of last week. His horse started suddenly while he was loading a stone at the station, and he fell from the wagon to the ground with the above result.—Hanover Post.

Harvest Excursionists.
Those from this section who took in the Farm Laborers Excursion to the West last Saturday were Solomon Miller Geo. Kunkel, Eph. Schwalm, John Engel, Jos. Kaster, two sons and one daughter, Alfred Lints, Wm. Dickson jr., Jas. Darling jr., Miss Lints, and Misses Christina and Lena Kleist. All were ticketed through by J. A. Johnston, C. P. R. agent.

Lucknow Sentinel Sold.
Mr. A. D. MacKenzie, who has been publisher of the Lucknow Sentinel since January, 1910 has sold the paper to Mr. W. J. Wraith, who has been connected with the paper for some time. The Sentinel is one of our best exchanges and the people of Lucknow are to be congratulated on having such a good paper in the town.

Boost the Phone.
Those who are interested in the extension of the South Bruce Rural Telephone Co. can get a supply of subscribers' applications at this office. Every concession should do its own organizing instead of waiting for the directors of the company to canvass the district. The directors receive no remuneration whatever for soliciting for subscribers, so a little outside assistance is appreciated.

What to Read.
At this time of the year people are naturally discussing in their minds the question, "Where shall we buy our goods?" As our answer to this important problem we refer to the advertising columns in this issue. In our columns will be found proclamations from many business houses. If you want nice, fresh, clean goods at reasonable prices, always trade with a man who advertises.

A Large Graduating Class.
It is doubtful if there is another business college in Canada graduating as many pupils each year as the Central Business College of Stratford. Still the demand upon it for trained help is many times the supply. Business men state that C. B. C. graduates give the best satisfaction. Those who desire the best business college training and the high-grade positions should select the old reliable school. Write the college for its free catalogue.

Ontario Champions.
The Walkerton junior football club had very little trouble in disposing of the Malvern club, the last team that stood in the way of the Ontario Champions. The first game was played at Walkerton on Friday evening, resulting in favor of the home club by 2 to 0. The game was dull and uninteresting, and was not of a championship calibre at all. Chas. Pletsch scored the first goal for Walkerton. The return game was played at Malvern on Monday evening, Walkerton winning again by 1 to 0.

BORN.

WEBER—In Carrick, on Aug. 16th, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Weber, (con. 11) a son.

MISSERE—In Mildmay, on August 14th, to Mr. and Mrs. August F. Missere, a son.

Ambleside Promotion Results.

In order of Merit.
Pt I to Pt II—Edmund Meyer, Ottilia Illerbrunn.
Pt II to Pt. Second—Matilda Meyer, (honors) A. Schnurr, Carrie Doerr, Louisa Steffler, Edna Meyer, Annie Doerr, C. Illig. Recommended—John Steffler.
Jr. II to sr. II—Cecilia Krupp, Mary Trautman, Arthur Cronin, Frank Meyer.
Sr. II to Jr. III—John Anthony, Lauretta Illerbrunn.
Jr. III to sr. III—Linus Meyer, Barbara Krupp. Recommended—Clement Steffler. Note:—Helen Schnurr did not write on all the papers.
Sr. III to Jr. IV—Louis Trautman (honors), J. Illig, John Trautman, M. Dossmann, Isabella Steffler, Chidulphia Steffler. Recommended, Rosie Doerr, Leo Meyer.

FORMOSA.

Messrs. Chas. Illig, Val. Weiler, Geo. Flachs, jr., M. Schiestel and Geo. Kuntz left on the harvest excursion to the West.
J. J. Donnelly, M. P., was in town Monday and Tuesday.
E. G. Kuntz sold a horse last week for \$235.
Miss Lillie Scheffer is spending her vacation in Tara and Arkwright.
Mr. and Mrs. A. Noll of Toronto, who spent the past two weeks with relatives here, returned on Saturday to their home.
Peter Dietrich of Berlin is on the sick list.
The cider mill is now in operation.
Marcus Frank is seriously ill with cancer this week.
Mrs. John Kramer and two children of Moose Jaw, Sask., are visiting friends and relatives here.
Mrs. Jos. Reinhart of Berlin is visiting friends in town.

NEUSTADT

Mr. George Mitchell of Hanover was in town last Friday.
A number of Italians are at work on the railway bridge near this village.
Mrs. J. J. Weirnet was in Walkerton last week.
The local baseball club defeated the Hampden club on Saturday last, the score being 9 to 7.
Mr. and Mrs. August Necker have returned home from their trip to Europe.
Those who went to the West from here were Jos. Lang, Philip Binkle, John Weber, Fred Sauder and Otto Wepler.
Anthony Weiler left on Monday for North Dakota.
Mrs. Nettie Holland had the misfortune to break her wrist while helping with the harvesting operations.
Mrs. Anthony Weber has returned home from Calgary.
Miss Mabel and Ethel Patterson of Toronto are visiting relatives here.
Mr. V. J. Glieb visited his brother, David, who is on the sick list.

MOLTKE.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rehkopf took a trip to Howick over Sunday.
Daniel Weber visited his parents on Sunday.
J. Goessel is very busy threshing these days for the farmers.
Miss Susie Grierson of Durham is spending a few days with her uncle, John Ruhl.
Baby Cascanette was on the sick list during the past week.
Dr. and Mrs. Doering of Mildmay Sundayed at Con. Lantz's. E. Schwalm of your town also spent the day here.
Mr. and Mrs. Barney Rahn, Mr. and Mrs. Con. Rahn and Miss Tena Rahn Sundayed at Albert Leutke's.
John Baetz sr., one of our highly respected citizens, is on the sick list at present.
Freiberger Bros. of Riversdale visited at A. Cascanette's over Sunday.
Mr. John Wagner leaves for the West next Tuesday.
The Moltke Cider mill will be in operation every Wednesday during the season.

Clifford.

Henry Kohler has two head of oats, in which there are 140 and 142 kernels. Chas. Schultz is busy threshing these days.
Jacob Frey, jr., has purchased a house in Hanover.
Mr. Harry Goll of Berlin was in town for a few days last week.
The cider mill will be run this year by John Dahmer and John W. Dietz.
Reeve Graef was in Mt. Forest and Arthur on Friday.
The German proprietor of a Brooklyn delicatessen store has got far enough along to pun in English. A writer in the New York Sun reports the fact. Hanging in the window of the little shop is this advertisement: "The Best You can do is to buy our Wurst."