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House-Cleaning Time is House Painting Time

The Sherwin-Williams Family Paint is made particularly to lighten house-cleaning labors.

It is an oil paint and can be washed and scrubbed. It brushes out easily—doesn't drag or tire you to apply it; the girls can put it on. Made in 24 good colors. Use it this year on your cupboards, pantry shelves, base boards, etc., and you'll have less work next year.

Get color cards—they tell more about Family Paint.



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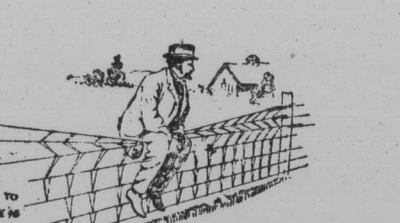
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In Men's and Children's Underwear and Overcoats.

Every line of Underwear is going to be sold at actual cost price in order to make room for spring stock—the same applies to Overcoats and Ready made suits.

J. J. Steigler

The Dillon Wire Fence,



Is the Fence for the Farmer.

The Dillon Wire Fence is acknowledged by all who have used it to be the most serviceable and durable fence on the market. Miles of it in Carriak is giving the very best satisfaction. It is the best all round fence made in this country.

Antony Kunkel, the local agent, takes contracts and puts up the Dillon Fence. All work is done well and on short notice. Large and small gates always on hand.

Antony Kunkel, Mildmay.

BELMORE

A gang of men are at work boring a well for Mr. A. Fitch on the boundary.

Miss Jackman of Mt. Forest is staying with her sister, Mrs. Powell, and will remain indefinitely.

Mr. W. Powell, merchant of this place, made his first trip with the peddling wagon on Monday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Edwards spent Sunday and Monday visiting her sister Mrs. Lowry of Millbank, and other friends at Listowel.

Word has reached here of the serious illness of Mrs. J. Lowry of Millbank daughter of Mrs. G. Barton of this place Mrs. G. Barton is at present with Mrs. Lowry.

The first anglers of the seasons visited the village last Monday, armed with fishing tackle, enroute for some of the streams around here, which are well known for many miles as being a treasured spot to set bait.

We are pleased to note that Mrs. H. Lowry, sen., has resumed housekeeping in her former home after a lengthy visit with her son, Howard, who holds a good position in the Bay Mills near Sault Ste Marie, Mich.

Afflicted Hepworth.

The Hepworth Journal dealing with local scandal mongers has the following: Probably every village from one end of this fair Dominion to the other can furnish its quota of these contemptible rum-scums. But Hepworth! Oh: poor afflicted unhappy Hepworth its quota is colossal, either thus or those who go by that cognomen have tongues which would reach from the aurora borealis to the southern equinox. In their search for the skeletons in others' closets they are so shameless, so devoid of everything honorable, so brazen faced and gilded with effrontery that they care not whether the skeleton in their own closet is visible or not. These meandering encyclopedias of vile useless and iniquitous fabrications are a menace to society, a brake to the wheels of progress and a glaring outrage and deplorable shame to the community in which they reside.

These eyesores of humanity and their vile perpetrations are so grossly in evidence in this hamlet that we are disgusted and we think many more are of the same mind.

These are the parasites, these the stumbling blocks which retard the progress of the world and hinder the spread of the gospel. Surely these troublemaker's reasons will remain on their tottering thrones long enough to make their possessors see themselves as others see them.

Think of it, ponder on it, you scandal mongers of Hepworth. Cowper's words when he said: "Shame and ruin wait for you" is admirably applicable to you in your case. Simultaneously your evil, dastardly ways will ruin society.

When we ponder over it we are preponderantly stricken with the enormity of the iniquity capable of being done in one small village like this by the dissensive souring tongues of these wolves in sheep's clothing.

Nothing short of the publication of a number of the names we know will check this gigantic tide of evil influences and if the venomous habit attains any greater magnitude we will do it and with a vengeance that will stagger and strike some of our citizens with a preponderous holocaust of awe.

The depression in the money markets is preventing the flotation of several Canadian companies in London.

The Dominion Government has decided to erect an electric power plant for supplying all the locks on the Lachine canal, Montreal. Saving of time in operation is expected.

Sir Henry M. Stanley the African explorer passed away peacefully shortly after 6 o'clock on Tuesday morning.

Much interest is centred in the Senate vacancy created by the death of Senator Dever. It is stated Hon. John Costigan will likely get the position.

Additional Locals.

—To-day is Ascension Day.

—It is rumored that Mildmay is to have another bakery.

—Mrs. Conrad Schmidt was at Stratford this week, visiting her sister, who is ill.

—All those indebted to E. J. Gaetz, harnessmaker, are asked to settle their accounts on or before May 25. If not settled by that date, the accounts will be placed in other hands for collection.

Rev. Irl Hicks, the St. Louis weather prophet in his forecasts for May, predicts a changeable month. On the 8th 9th and 10th a return of high temperature, great humidity and more storms. If a sudden high barometer develops behind the rain and thunder storms about the 10th, regions to the northward may look for frost. Look for change to warmer again about 14th, with another series of storms culminating on the 14th 15th and 16th. The next return of storms will follow in six days, with the crisis from the 20th to the 23rd, and the last storm period for the month is central on the 26th. The month will be up to and above the average in warmth, with much bright and pleasant weather between the periods of severe storms.

Clifford.

The Clifford Council has decided to put in a defence against the action of Henry Torrance, who is suing the town for damages. Torrance fell on the icy sidewalk last winter and hurt himself badly, hence the suit.

The Wesleyan Theological College has conferred the degree of Doctor of Divinity upon Rev. J. H. Hazelwood of Hamilton, and he is now Dr. Hazelwood. The reverend doctor is a brother of R. M. Hazelwood of this village, and is well known in this neighborhood.

Mr. W. S. Darrer, the photographer, has disposed of his business at Mildmay, Formosa, and Clifford to Mr. J. P. Fortney who comes well recommended. Mr. Fortney will continue the regular trips to Clifford on second and fourth Saturdays.

Mr. John Connell, who has been managing clerk in J. Hillhouse's hardware establishment for several years, leaves this week or next for either Sudbury or Teeswater. Mr. Connell is well known by everyone, and will be much missed in business and the lodges of Oddfellows and Masons. The family may not remove for some time.

BORN

MISSERE—In Mildmay, on Saturday, May 7, to Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Missere, a son.

ARNOLD—In Carriak, on Tuesday May 10th, to Mr. and Mrs. John Arnold a daughter.

Some lawyers consider it a crime to confess a crime.

Fortunate is the man who can borrow enough money to pay his debts.

St. Louis hotel rates will be about \$10 a day without meals. Better take your basket with you when you visit the fair.

The Grand Trunk inaugurated a new time table, but this doesn't say that the trains will make better connections or get there any nearer to the appointed time.

Chatsworth, the newest village in the Province, incorporated by a special Act at the recent session of the Legislature, held its first elections on Monday when it appointed Mr. Thomas McGill as reeve and Chas. Ritz, William Crane, James Airth and E. O. Merriam as Councillors.

The water in the Assiniboine is still rising rapidly. It is already two feet higher than the floods in 1902 and is almost up to the high water mark reached in 1892, when dwellings were swept away. Several small houses are now held in positions by cobbles, and those that have already broken away are held by the railway bridge.

WALKERTON.

Miss Cecil Rife, daughter of Mr. Samuel Rife, died at the Walkerton hospital on Wednesday, this week, after a lingering illness with tuberculosis.

A. Menzies and W. H. Brockelbank were nominated to fill the vacancy in the town council, Menzies resigned, and Brockelbank not being qualified, another nomination will be necessary.

James Warren, and party, left on Tuesday morning for Saskatoon, N. W. T. to do some surveying for the Dominion Government.

The band intends running another excursion to Niagara Falls this summer.

A Trip to Bruce Peninsula.

"To the north of Bruce Peninsula, not far from the main land, is situated a small island, covered with shrubbery, and having a steep and rocky shore, and in view of this fact very few people have visited this island, or are aware that on this island is a hut occupied by a hermit.

He spends most of his time on the island, but occasionally about sundown he will set his canoe afloat and start to paddle for the main land from which he returns with a few articles which he cannot procure on the island.

In the summer the only wearing apparel he uses is a short sort of skirt, and a wide band of cloth wound loosely around the body and over the shoulders. His hair is long and he has a short, stubby beard.

Once every summer he will clip off his beard, dress in a huge black coat and large hat and proceed to the nearest village, moving about from one street to another in a most stealthy manner. He is known by this manner of going about and by his peculiar habit of keeping his pipe in the band of hat when not in use. He apparently can not stand the strain of being out in civilization for more than a few hours, and will leave the village the next morning going northward over the same road he came. When he reaches the shore of the main land he stops for a few moments and taking a telescope from his large coat he will carefully view the island in the distance, as if afraid of someone's presence there, and having satisfied himself that no one is there, will proceed to his island home in his canoe.

Arriving at a certain curve in the cliff he scrambles up a path, only known to himself and advances cautiously to the hut. Having found no one in, he takes of his coat and hat and lays them away, knowing that it will be a year before he uses them again.

The Iowa Supreme Court has just handed down an opinion in favor of a certain Andrew McClurg, deacon of a Methodist church in Valley Junction, Iowa, against the Mayor and Chief of Police of that town, whom he sued for damages, alleging they burst into his house at night, and arrested him on the theory that he was a chicken thief, because some thoroughbred bloodhounds had followed a trail from a henroost to the deacon's residence. In the lower court the good deacon's claim was thrown out on a legal technicality, and also on the ground that the Mayor was justified in thinking the dumb brutes' instinct might be relied on. The Supreme Court takes a contrary view, however, and orders a new trial. Ten thousand dollars is asked by McClurg.

A disastrous fire swept away the residence of Mrs. McDonald at Glamis on Saturday. The town turned out in a body in response to the fire alarm and men and women did yeoman service in keeping the flames from spreading beyond the building doomed to destruction. The crowd fought the fire for nearly three hours and succeeded in saving the kitchen attached, doors, windows casings and the bulk of contents. The fire is supposed to have originated in the shingles through a spark from the kitchen chimney. Building was only partially insured, Mrs. McDonald loss will be considerable.

THE MILDMAZ GAZETTE,

DEVOTED TO THE INTERESTS OF EAST BRIDGE AND EAST HURON.

Terms:—\$1 per year in advance; Otherwise \$1.25.

ADVERTISING RATES.

	One Year.	Six months.	Three months.
One column.....	\$70	35	\$15
Half column.....	35	18	8
Quarter column.....	18	10	6
Eighth column.....	10	6	4

Legal notices, 5c. per line for first and 4c. per line for each subsequent insertion.
Local business notices 5c. per line each insertion. No local less than 25 cents.
Contract advertising payable quarterly.
John A Johnston, Proprietor

COUNTY AND DISTRICT.

Ray Murray, 14 years of age, is managing the Underwood post-office and telegraph line, and is giving good satisfaction.

Mr. Elder, a Brant farmer, claims that one-third of the wheat in that township will be plowed up, being killed by the frost.

The young man who admires a girl because she is well dressed kicks like a mule after marrying her when he is called upon to pay the freight.

E. Zettel a retired farmer at Chesapeake committed suicide one day last week. It is said that his mind became unbalanced by his loss in the Durham Cement Co. He mortgaged his farm for \$4000 and invested it in cement stock.

The Bell Telephone Co. have been assessed at \$100.00 per mile by the assessor of the Tp of Proten and they are pretty sore on that township. Why should a monopoly like the above escape taxation?

A man who was accused at the Mansion House of stealing a check successfully pleaded an alibi, proving that he was in prison at the time. He left the court without a stain on his character.—"Punch."

A well known commercial traveller sums up the liquor question as follows: From a bushel of corn the distiller gets four gallons of whiskey which retails at \$16; the government gets \$3; the farmer who raised the corn gets 20 cents. What a good joke. The railroad gets \$2; the manufacturer gets \$10.29; the consumer gets drunk and the retailer gets h—.

"We are told that salvation is free," said Mark Twain while chatting about religion a few days before he sailed to Italy. I think few realize the fact as thoroughly as a good old soul who lives near my summer home at Elmira. She told me not long ago she had enjoyed religion for about 15 years at a cost of but 10 cents. And, she added, it would not have cost that much but I went to a church social and I did not know they charged for ice cream.

A hotelkeeper who kept a remarkable hostelry has at last been run to death at Paris. He kept a good sized hotel and kept away all guests on the excuse that his house was full. The officers searched the place and found that four burglars lived there, and had been stealing traveller's baggage, which they sent to the hotel. The hotelkeeper sold the goods for them and what could not be sold was packed away in the different rooms. Over \$100,000 worth of stuff was seized.

For the last eight months a Yankee professor has been conducting experiments with a squad of soldiers at Yale in an effort to discover how little food of low poor quality a soldier can live and work on without taking to the tall timbers. If the experiments had turned out to be success, the professor would have unreled a lot of remarks about the folly and danger of eating and the wisdom and economy of starvation. Unfortunately for the seeker after freak information, the soldiers didn't seem to flourish on the stuff he gave them, and all the food wisdom that the investigator was able to hand out to the public was the same old thing that we all have been told since we cut our first teeth. "We eat too much; we eat too fast we would live much longer and do our work much better if we ate only half as much as we do." This is the result of eight months experiments—which incidentally knocked the constitutions and brains of the victims to science into a condition from which they may never recover. There were twenty soldiers when the experiments started. Eleven let the professor do his worst and came out alive; six had to be sent away at various stages of the game because they rebelled and ate meat; three made a bold break for liberty and grub, while one or two went insane.

"New Goods just to hand"

AT
C. WENDT'S Store,
Mildmay.



Butter Knives, Sugar Shells, Berry Spoons, Meat Forks, Soup Ladles, Fruit Knives, Pickle Cruets, Butter Dishes, Tea Spoons, Table Knives, Fancy Chinaware, Centre Pieces, Japanese China Plates Vases, Jardineers, Rubber Balls, Base Balls, Bats, Watches, Clocks, Spectacles, Cuff Links, Chains, Gold Rings, Lookets, Ladies' Hair Combs, Pins, etc., at lowest prices.

Charles Wendt's
MILDMAY & WROXETER

WANTED.

SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE in this county and adjoining territories, to represent and advertise an old established business house of solid financial standing. Salary \$21 weekly, with Expenses advanced each Monday by check direct from headquarters. Horse and buggy furnished when necessary; position permanent. Address Blew Bros. & Co., Room 610 Monon Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

THE STORY OF LIFE.

Making the best of life is getting the best health you can out of it—good digestion is the key. What you eat may or may not do you good. It depends upon how it is handled by the digestive apparatus of the stomach. If it is deranged, the blood, instead of taking new life and strength to the various organs of the body, takes poison which clogs the kidneys, irritates the nerves, distresses the heart, causing headaches, sleeplessness, weary, dull feeling, backache, rheumatism, neuralgia, makes the complexion sallow, causes biliousness and constipation. The great, new discovery ANTI-PILL has a marvellous influence in correcting a crippled or rebellious stomach, and the results that follows ANTI-PILL is the most perfect help to have when you feel wrong, out of sorts, sick or getting sick. It brightens you up, makes you feel better. 50 cents per bottle at druggists or Wilson-Fyle Co., Niagara Falls, Ont.

They are only two kinds of children—your own perfect little cherubs and the ill-behaved brats owned by other people.

Mrs. Chas. King, of Corpus Christi, Texas, owns more land than other woman in the world. Her husband was a famous cattle breeder, and he left her 13,000,000 acres in Nueces, Hidalgo, Starr, and Cameron counties, and there are now about 65,000 cattle on her ranges. This vast estate must be kept intact until her oldest grandchild comes of age.

At the meeting of the creditors of the Warton sugar company last Saturday a petition signed by all the creditors in this vicinity was presented asking that Mr. T. C. Allan be appointed permanent liquidator of the concern—a position he is well qualified to fill. The petition represented creditors to the extent of nearly \$200,000. Decision of the question was reserved by the judge, as the Toronto men made a strong fight to keep the job in the city.

M. Zybilloff, a Russian explorer, has recently resided a whole year in Lhasa the capital of Thibet. He is a Buddhist, and speaks Thibetan, and so was able to pass as a lama or priest. His account of the place is full of interest. All round the city is a wide street on which penitents prostrate themselves the whole length. The native traders are all women, and the regular population is 10,000. Monasteries and temples abound, three near Lhasa having 15,000 monks, mostly engaged in leamed pursuits.

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Teas in
Tin boxes
25c lb.

The Corner Store

MILDMAY.

6 bars
Gold Soap
for
25 cents.

This store has new attractions every week. We are continually getting in new novelties that are interesting and worth seeing. You are always welcome to come and take a look around. We won't worry you to buy.

Lace Curtains.

Lace Curtains are in good demand. We have the largest variety ever shown in town. We have them for Bedrooms, Parlors or Dining Rooms, and at any price you want to go for.

25c to \$3.00 pair.

Carpets and Oil Cloths.

If you are thinking of getting a New Carpet or Oil Cloth, you will serve your own interest if you will take a look at our stock before you decide. We have confidence in our Patterns and our prices.

Carpets from 15c to \$1 yd.
Oil Cloths and Linoleums from 30 to 90c sq. yard

Men's Rain Coats.

One can scarcely get along these days without the protection of a Rain Coat, particularly when you can get one that is dressy and Windproof as well as Waterproof. We are showing a large range of these useful Coats just now. They are all the newest styles, and are perfectly made.

From \$2.50 to \$9.

Boys' and Young Men's Suits.

We have the best value in Boys' and Young Men's Suits this season that we have ever shown, but it is not alone the value we want to emphasize. The style and workmanship are fully as important.

One thing you can't get here in clothing, that is "trash." We have no room for it at any price.

Good Shoes for LittleCash.

A. MOYER, General Merchant.
J. O. HYMMEN, Manager.

Shop in the day time and encourage early closing.

Farm to Sell or Rent.

100 acre farm, Lot 27, Con. 12, Carriek. There is a good brick house on the farm, and a good bank barn and large orchard. Well watered. If not sold will be rented at reasonable terms. Apply to James Johnston, Mildmay.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.

Lot 26, Simpson Street, Mildmay. Large commodious Frame House on Lot, and Frame Stable and Hardwater. For terms apply to James Johnston.

WANTED—FAITHFUL PERSON TO CALL ON retail trade and agents for manufacturing house having well established business; local territory straight salary \$20 paid weekly and expense money advanced; previous experience unnecessary; position permanent; business successful. Enclose self-addressed envelope. Superintendent Travelers, 605 Monon Bldg., Chicago.

How doth the busy Japanese Improve each warlike minute. By loading up his little gun And handing out what's in it.

The market invariably turns soon after a man's margins have been wiped out.

Leonard D. Baldwin of ex-Attorney General Grigg's law firm told the other day of an Irishman who was taken by his priest in an intoxicated condition to a cemetery and propped up against a gravestone. The priest had a lot of the Irishman's friends come to the cemetery dressed in winding sheets to scare him. The friends watched, while one of them went behind the gravestone and poured enough cold water on the Irishman's face to wake him up. The Irishman looked around him. He saw the tombs, the tombstones and the figures in winding sheets. "Shay, you fellers," he said, "ye've been here longer than Oi have. Whar kin Oi git a drink?"

Frost Wire Fence
Has no equal as General Purpose Farm Fence
It will turn Stock without injury—beautify the Farm—does not need constant patching and with reasonable usage will last a life-time. Booklet and full particulars given on request.
FOR SALE BY
C. LEISEMER, Mildmay.

To Consumptives.

The undersigned having been restored to health by simple means, after suffering for several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread Consumption, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To those who desire it, he will cheerfully send (free of charge) a copy of the prescription used which they will find a sure cure for Consumption, Asthma, Catarrh, Bronchitis, and all throat and lung maladies. He hopes all sufferers will try his remedy, as it is invaluable. Those desiring and may prove a blessing, will please address, Rev. EDW. A. WILSON, Brooklyn, New York

Property For Sale.

Conrad Sieling wishes to dispose of his property on Adam Street, Mildmay. The property contains six acres of land on which are erected a good bank barn, brick house, kitchen and woodshed. Hard and soft water inside, and good orchard. Terms reasonable. Apply to C. Sieling, Mildmay.

New Photographer
Having purchased the photographing business in Mildmay from W. S. Durter, I beg to inform the public that I am prepared to turn out the best work in every line of photography. Long and varied experience in Canadian and American cities enables me to guarantee satisfaction. Prices moderate, all work guaranteed.
Call and see samples of work.
J. P. Forney.

**LIVE STOCK MARKETS
TORONTO.**

Receipts of live stock at the city cattle market were 110 car loads all told consisting of 1702 cattle, 1544 hogs, 481 sheep and 105 calves, together with 863 hogs to Park Blackwell. Notwithstanding the heavy receipts of live stock trade was good in every class.

The quality of fat cattle was good, many loads of choice exporters as well as butchers being delivered.

Export cattle of which there was a fair delivery were in good demand, selling at unchanged quotations.

Butchers cattle were in excellent demand, some lots of choice quality equal to best exporters sold up as high as \$4.60 per cwt. One reason for this was the large number of buyers from outside points.

Feeders, especially the short-keep class, were in good demand, selling in several instances as high as many of the shippers.

About 20 milch cows were offered but few of good to choice quality were among them.

The delivery of veal calves were fairly large, but the prices held steady.

Altho the run of sheep and lambs was not large the prices were easier.

Deliveries of hogs were moderate and prices remained steady to firm.

Export Cattle—Choice loads of heavy shippers sold at \$4.75 to \$4.95; medium exporters sold at from \$4.60 to \$4.70 per cwt.

Export Bulls—Choice heavy export bulls sold at \$3.75 to \$4.25 per cwt, and light export bulls sold \$3.25 at \$3.50 per cwt.

Butchers Cattle—Choice picked lots of butchers cattle equal in quality to the best of exporters weighing 1100 to 1175 lbs worth \$4.40 to \$4.70 loads of good sold at \$4.25 to \$4.85; medium at \$3.90 to \$4.10; common \$3.50 to \$3.50 rough to inferior \$2.50.

Feeders—Feeders, 1050 to 1150 lbs are worth to \$4.40 to \$4.70 per cwt.

Stockers—Stockers, 400 to 700 lbs each, of good quality are worth \$3.50 to \$3.75 per cwt, off colors and those of poor quality but same weights at \$2.50 to \$3.25.

Milch Cows—Milch and Springers sold at from \$30 to \$55 each.

Calves—Calves sold at from \$2 to \$10 each, or at from \$3.50 to \$5.50 per cwt.

Sheep—Prices \$4.00 to \$4.25 per cwt for ewes, and bucks sold at \$3.00 to \$3.50.

Hogs—Straight loads of hogs, 150 to 200 lbs in weight are worth \$5.10 per cwt, fed and watered.

Incredible as it may appear, a French soldier has been sentenced to two months imprisonment for swearing. The soldier, Deonoul, was on his way, by train, to join his regiment at Rennes, when in talk with some campfollowers, he made use of the name of God without any irreverent intention. A priest heard him, and handed him over at Rennes to a railway official. In due course, the general commanding the district sentenced the soldier to sixty days' confinement.

That the practice which exists in a great many of the public schools in this country of using the same books and pencils from year to year until worn out is a dangerous one, is shown by the report of a medical inspector in the city of Paris. An epidemic of diphtheria among school children in a certain district of that city was spread by pencils. These pencils which were municipal property, were in certain schools distributed in the morning and collected at night. The common practice among children of holding their pencils in their mouths while at work show how easy it is for the disease to spread.

It is stated on good authority that over 50,000 soldiers—cavalry, infantry, and engineers—guarded the railway between the German frontier and St. Petersburg on the Czar's recent journey from Darmstadt to his own capital. The sentinels along the lines were placed within sight of one another and were instructed in special methods of signalling in case anything unusual should happen. The most extraordinary precautions were taken at the frontier station of Virballen. Every bridge was minutely examined and tested; houses in the immediate vicinity of the line were closely watched, and a multitude of workmen were employed in taping the rails and examining the sleepers. The entire traffic was discontinued for days before the arrival of the imperial train, and no one save those known to the authorities as absolutely reliable persons were allowed to approach the neighborhood of the railway.

**B. Goldberg,
MILDMAY.**

Buys

Scrap Iron, Steel,

Bones, Rags,

Rubbers, Etc., Etc.

and pays the highest prices.

Gather up your old Rubbish and turn it into good money.

Wagons will make regular calls during the summer.

B. Goldberg.

The expense bill in connection with the Ontario Legislature this year is the heaviest on record. For members' indemnity \$98,000 was paid and \$2,920 for mileage. D. C. Cameron of Fort William, received the largest amount for mileage, and was paid \$288.80, and John Richardson, of East York the smallest, \$2.60. The mile allowance is 10c. per mile each way, from the nearest railway station member's home to Toronto. Last year North Renfrew was without representation, and the amount paid then, was \$99,838.

A medical authority has recently uttered a warning against the habit of sitting with one knee crossed over the other—a pose which is nowadays almost as common among women as among men. This apparently harmless habit, it seems, is likely to cause sciatica, lameness, chronic numbness, ascending paralysis, cramps, varicose veins, and other evils. The reason is simple: The back of the knee, it is explained, as well as the front of the elbow and wrist, the groin and the armpit, contains nerves and blood-vessels which are less adequately protected than in other parts of the body. The space behind the knee contains two large nerves a large artery, and numerous veins and lymphatic glands. It is the pressure on these nerves and vessels which is apt to give rise to the various troubles against which we are warned.

The Toronto Junction hotelkeepers closed their bars at 7 o'clock last Saturday night and will keep them closed for three years. The Citizens' League has issued an appeal to the citizens to aid in enforcing the local option by-law.

A Kincardine gentleman who is in a position to know says that the train due at that town at 9.35 p. m. has not run in on time since May 20th 1903.

J. H. SCHEFTER

Wishes to announce to the public that he has bought out the barbering business formerly owned by W. H. Huck, and will continue the business.

First-class workmanship

Guaranteed.

MILDMAY, - ONT.

A. H. MACKLIN, M. B.

Graduate of the Toronto Medical College. Special work on diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. Office and Residence—Peter Street.

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.

d. A. WILSON, M. D.

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Notice

Our Object is to do
Business With You.

Every department is now packed with new Goods, and we are ready for Spring Business. These Goods we all bought at very advantageous prices, and we are in a position to save you money in your Spring Buying.

The Very Latest in Millinery

ALSO

In Dress Goods, Silks, Satins, Musslins, Gingham, Prints, Sateens, Table Linens, Shirts, Tickings, Tweeds and Ready made Clothing.

Call and get prices and be convinced that this is the store to do your buying.

We can save you 20 per cent on Grey Gottons, being, we had a large stock on hand before the advance.

A First Class Dress Maker Over Our Store.

WOOD AND FARM PRODUCE TAKEN.

JOHN SPAHR.

Mildmay Market Report.

Carefully corrected every week for the GAZETTE:

Fall wheat per bu.....	90 to 90
Oats.....	30 to 31
Peas.....	56 to 56
Barley.....	40 to 40
Smoked meat per lb, sides	9 to 9
" " " shoulders	8 to 8
" " " hams	10 to 10
Eggs per doz.....	11 to 11
Butter per lb.....	18 to 18
Dried apples	4 cents per lb

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Rosedene, Ont., May 9.—(Special)—Robert C. Lampman, the well known Gainsboro farmer and stock grower, is completely cured of a long-standing case of Lumbago, and he has made a statement for the benefit of the public, in which he gives the entire credit for the cure to Dodd's Kidney Pills. In his statement Mr. Lampman says:

"For twenty years I suffered from Lumbago with all its worst symptoms. I had the most distressing pains it seemed possible to bear, coupled with an irritation of the spine.

"At times I was entirely prostrated and was for weeks unable to do anything whatever, and required the services of my family to assist me in dressing and moving from a chair to the sofa.

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HOW TO SUCCEED.

The Way a Young Man May Meet With Success.

The sort of thinking that is necessary to anyone who wishes to rise is that which has been aptly described as thinking ahead. The clerk who makes his start in commercial life and thinks only of leaving-off time and amusement may as well stop hoping for the day when he will be master on his own account. The young man who gets a business of his own is he who thinks ahead, and in this way:

"Let me suppose," he says to himself, "that I am starting in business. How should I set about buying, or pricing, or selling goods?" Starting from that point, he proceeds to plan and to look about to see what others do, not exactly with a view to copying them, but in order to compare, and so to evolve an original method that will attain the object better or more quickly.

In his inexperience he naturally conceives notions that would land him into difficulties, but he discovers this in time, and gains knowledge thereby.

In the course of this planning as a master, he finds that there are certain details that require to be acquired before he can hope to do well as a principal, so he turns his attention to these details as carried out by subordinates, and he thinks about those also.

He soon attracts attention. His planning has given him originality and brightness. He is selected to fill this or that position temporarily, performed the duties. In time there is a vacancy, and the young fellow and does it well, because he has, in his mind, filled that post before, and who has been thinking ahead steps into that vacancy, to the envy of the others.

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GIANTS OF SCIENCE.

Magnificent Work of Lords Kelvin and Lister.

A London correspondent writes: The University of Glasgow honored itself recently by making Lord Kelvin its chancellor. He filled its chair of natural philosophy for 53 years, and meanwhile did some other things. It would be impossible here to recount even a tithe of the contributions which this prince of science has made both to theory and to practice. He helped the German physician Helmholtz and others to consolidate the greatest but one of all the generalizations ever reached by the human mind, the law of the conservation of energy. He founded thermo-dynamics. He made ocean cabling possible. His compass is used on every boat that sails the seas. How many lives and how much property it has saved no one can say. In a few weeks he will be an octogenarian; yet only the other day he read a paper before the Royal Society of Edinburgh, on a

subject which he had introduced to it seventeen years before, and said that he hoped to return to it again, but "not at so long an interval." The only possible way to appreciate the profundity, originality and comprehensiveness of his genius is to read the history of physics during the last sixty years. He has done much more than anyone else, living or dead, to make it.

Another giant celebrated his birthday the other day. Lord Kelvin is a Scotsman, Lord Lister a Yorkshireman. Who so imagines that his race is played out, or that there are no great men now-a-days, must reckon with these two Britons, each of whom has made a new science. Each of them has been given long life, has seen the fruit of his labors; and they have, between them, broken the record in causing the elevation of a man to the peerage for his services to science. Lord Lister, of course, is the founder of modern surgery. Every surgeon on earth, every operating theatre, is a tribute to him. Most of them would not exist but for him. Black and yellow, in missionary or military hospitals, owe their lives to him, just as King Edward does, or a million others now living, to say nothing of the future. Of course, no man stands alone in science. Without the immortal French chemist, Louis Pasteur, Lister could never have been. Nevertheless, it is true to say of him that "he saves more lives every year than Napoleon took in all his wars."

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