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Some men's fine shoes at \$1.00.

I have also received a large stock of Spring Shoes, such as LADIES' OXFORDS, black and chocolate; BUTTON and LACE BOOTS; and MEN'S FINE SHOES of all kinds at the CLOSEST PRICE; also the WILLIAMS PATENT SHOES, which I will sell at a fair price.
Come and see my stock.

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BAMBERG.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Moser and Miss Trussler of Elmira are visiting friends in town for a few days.

Messrs Edward Moser and Albert Fisher from Berlin were visiting the former's parents over Sunday.

Mrs Jacob and Simon Gies of Berlin were visiting their mother, Mrs. F. Gies, on Sunday.

Miss Nellie Cronin, teacher, returned from her trip to Ambleside, Bruce county, on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Moser attended the wedding of their son, Wm., at Elmira last Wednesday.

Mr. Jno. Hirschberger and son are busy digging wells at St. Clements at present.

MILLBANK.

(Intended for last week.)

Mr. F. Sayer of this vicinity has purchased a fine horse for the handsome sum \$110. This is not a bad sum for a 3 year old.

Mr. F. Hammond, fifth line, Wellesley, is very ill.

AMULREE.

(Intended for last week.)

Mr. Jacob Wettlaufer and Mr. H. S. Hoffmann were cutting down a tree in Mr. Wettlaufer's bush last Saturday, and owing to some unaccountable cause, the tree fell with a sudden crash in an opposite direction to what they had been expecting, striking Mr. Wettlaufer and knocking him to the ground. Fortunately his injuries were not of a very serious nature and all will rejoice to learn that he is able to go around and is only a little lame from the effects of the accident.

Your correspondent is informed that J. D. Bicker of Ratzburg and C. P. Bicker of the Red House, Amulree, father and son, left here last Friday morning on a prospecting tour through the State of New York. Success to their efforts.

Miss Grace Robertson, a student of the Woodstock high School, spent Easter at her mother's, Mrs. D. Robertson, near Amulree.

Mrs. David McFarlane of Shaker and Mrs. Henry Kulbfleish of Dashedwood celebrated Easter Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Becker, near here.

Mrs. E. Robertson spent Easter the guest of her son, Rev. D. M. Robertson, Presbyterian minister, near Chatham.

Special services were held in the Lutheran church in this vicinity on Good Friday and on Sunday evening.

The Rev. Mr. Cowan's sermon at St. Andrew's last Sunday, setting forth the claims of the century fund, was both eloquent and to the point, showing in clear, plain language and with convincing arguments why the people should contribute towards the scheme.

THIRD LINE.

Wellesley, April 15th, 1901.

Seedling has commenced in this vicinity.

Andrew K. and Richard Freeborn were visiting in Monkton on Saturday and Sunday last.

We are sorry to lose our esteemed friend, Mr. Will Robertson, who has gone to the cattle and sheep ranching districts in British Columbia.

Prince Lichty had a large wood bee on Friday last. The evening was occupied with games and dancing.

Shooting window glasses has been the fun of some boys lately.

Mr. John Lichty has rented the Miller farm, near Wellesley village.

LINWOOD.

April 15th, 1901.

The Berlett family, of Berlin, spent Sunday in Linwood.

Mr. Spahr is still very low.
Mrs. Musselman and daughter, Helen, leave tomorrow for Manitoba.

Mr. J. Acheson, of Listowel, made a business trip to Linwood today.

Mr. A. Boomer and Miss Edith Boomer went to Berlin today.

The interior of Mr. D. R. Pollock's store has been re-modelled and now presents so beautiful and attractive an appearance as to make it worthy of a special visit by anyone. The enterprise displayed by Mr. Pollock would alone draw a large custom.

NITHBURG.

April 15th, 1901.

Farmers here have started plowing for spring seeding.

The small boys have started on their spring fishing expeditions.

Miss L. Hostettler is visiting her mother in Nithburg.

Mr. Dan Cook was visiting friends around here last week.

Quite a number of Hampstead folks attended Hamilton's on Sabbath.

Mr. Willie Hart has purchased a horse to make up a matched team.

Mr. John Gabel started sawing his logs last week and will try to get them all sawed this season.

Mr. Peter Lather is making some new harrows for farmers around here and sharpening old ones ready for spring work.

Mrs. Chrissie Farrell, of Musselburg, visited her grandmother in Nithburg last Sunday.

JOSEPHSBURG.

April 15th, 1901.

Mr. Henry Stoerer obtained second prize at the Wellesley Spring Show.

Mr. Ludwig Schneider, who had a sale recently, has leased his farm to Messrs. John Wagner and Egidius Mosburger. The terms of the lease are one-third for each of the parties. The two latter gentlemen were out horse buying last week and struck a good bargain near Stratford.

Mr. Louis Schwartz visited friends in Berlin on Saturday.

Miss Josephine Karges spent Sunday with her parents.

Mr. Raymond Stoerer left on Monday for Lexington, where he works at the carpenter trade for Mr. Schnarr.

Mrs. Joseph Schwartz left on Tuesday for Berlin where she is visiting under the parental roof for a few days.

PHILIPSBURG.

April 15th, 1901.

HOTEL CHANGE.—Mr. Jacob K. Schmidt, who has conducted the hotel business here for some time past has purchased the Petersburg hotel and moved to that place. He is a first-class hotel keeper and made many friends here who wish him well in his new home. Mrs. Pfanner, the proprietress of this fine hotel, has taken charge of the business and will conduct it under the most improved methods.

Farmers are rushing the work of seeding. The weather has been fine and the land is in remarkably good condition considering that it was deeply covered with snow only a few days ago.

Our post office store is becoming quite popular under the management of Mr. Eidt, the energetic proprietor.

CORRECTING A CORRECTION.

EDITOR MAPLE LEAF.—Allow me, through your newsy paper, to correct the so-called correction in your last week's issue, by "The Farmer," in respect to the sand deal, as reported in the previous week's issue of the Maple Leaf by your Hampstead correspondent. Now, sir, I am not the writer of the article that "The Farmer" says is "quite incorrect and disparages him," but I can and do corroborate the statements made therein.

He says "in the first place the sand was actually sold the month before the pit was opened." That I deny, as there was no deal of any kind between "Farmer" and myself. I met him on the road and simply asked him if I could get sand from him, and he said he thought I could.

Secondly, "No arrangement was made that the dangerous pit was not to be closed by the 'Mennonite'." It is true there was no arrangement made at the time I opened the pit and "put him to so much trouble" but later on, in "another transaction," I offered to close the pit, which was not at all dangerous, but he said there was no need to close it as the hill was full of holes.

Thirdly, "The aforesaid Mennonite would not again have heard from me had he not acted in a very unfair way with me in another transaction." I cannot recollect of but one other transaction with "The Farmer," and as to the unfairness of it I will just state the facts and leave the public to judge for themselves: One day early in September last "The Farmer" came along and drove into my yard, and seeing a road scraper lying near the house, loaded it on his buckboard and roped it down never asking me if I was through with it, or if he could have it, and apparently ignoring the fact that the premises were occupied although I was working quite near the house. Seeing that he was going to take the scraper I came over to him and civilly asked him to leave it as I was not quite through with it, and besides I got it on condition that I would take care of it and return it, the scraper belonging to a neighboring township. He replied in a very ungentlemanly way and in language that would not look well in print, and drove away with the scraper.

It appears to me that had "The Farmer" felt that his claim was just he would at least have approached me and asked for a settlement before placing it in the hands of his solicitor.

He says I ignored him by buying the sand elsewhere after making a clear deal with him; I distinctly told him that if I could get the sand from Mr. Gabel I would not take his sand as Mr. Gabel's was so much nearer and no hills to climb, and "The Farmer" did not object. Now, sir, notwithstanding "The Farmer's" apparent correction the bare fact still remains that he collected from me, through his solicitor, \$6 for 30 loads of sand which I never received.

C. SCHULTZ.

Hampstead, April 15th, 1901.

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Extra advertisements \$1 for three insertions.
Legal Notes (measured Nonpareil) 4c. per
line for first insertion; 1c. per line for each
subsequent insertion.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The early drying up of the roads
will make this a memorable spring.
Two weeks or so ago sleighs and
cutters were the predominating
vehicles; now the snow is gone and
the roads are dry and dusty (at
this writing). The cause for this
is not far to seek: there was an un-
usual absence of rain last fall and
in consequence the frost did not
penetrate so deep as in other years;
the melted snow thus sank into the
ground instead of turning the road-
bed to mud, and we have the spec-
tacle of dusty roads at the season
when the mud is usually axle deep.

Nobody rejoices over the good
roads more than the township
councillors, who seem to imagine
that their political existence de-
pends on their ability to keep down
the taxes, and who always dread
the expense of repairing culverts,
etc., which have been damaged by
the spring floods.

There is a lesson to be learned in
the good roads of this spring, which
every councillor should grasp, this:
See that the roads are thoroughly
drained so that the water cannot
lie on them in the spring.

The war in South Africa—if it
can now be justly called a war—
has reached a pitiable condition.
While only a couple of Boer
"armies" are in the field, carrying
on a campaign of pillaging, raids,
yet an immense, costly British
force is constantly required to keep
them in check. De Wet, the Boer
leader, is reported to be almost in-
sane, and his followers ignorant of
the hopelessness of their struggle.
Kruger is promenading Europe in
wealth and pomp while his dupe,
Steyn, is a physical wreck, Cronje
a prisoner, and many of the other
generals dead. It will probably
never be known what the war has
cost the Boers in lives, but the British
list of casualties is one to make
the nation shudder. Nearly 15,000
lives have been lost, 4,000 of whom
were actually killed in action while
nearly 2,000 more afterwards died
of wounds. This appalling list
does not include the host of wound-
ed and invalided whose lives have
been ruined by this war.

The next provincial convention
of the Ontario Christian Endeavor
will be held in Brockville on Oct.
1st, 2nd and 3rd.

A Jack-the-Hugger has appeared
in Woodstock again. The opin-
ion is that he is an escaped lunatic.
We think so too. Nobody else
would tackle a Woodstock girl.
—Stratford Herald.

Dr. H. R. Hay, of Elmira, has
sold out his practice, and intends
taking a post graduate course, prob-
ably in the European hospitals.
Mrs. Hay and their son will stay in
the meantime with his father in
Listowel.

The British War Office confirms
the report that it is going to try the
experiment of supplying the army
with only homegrown beef. The
experiment will extend six months
from June 1. This will mean the
shutting out of enormous quan-
tities of American beef.

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D. JACOBS,
Nithburg.

Notice.

Crosshill Creamery Co.
Public Notice is hereby given
that the Crosshill Creamery Com-
pany has ceased doing business and
intends making application for
leave to surrender its charter.

J. G. REINER,
Pres.

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Full M. 2nd.	1	2	3	4	5	6	
Last Qr. 11th.	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
New M. 19th.	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
First Qr. 28th.	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
	28	29	30				

LOCAL NEWS.

The mill pond is now clear of ice. School commenced again on Monday.

LADIES: See Keiterborn's spring sailor hats.

Union Sunday school next Sunday at 10.30 a. m.

Foot ball practice has commenced on the park grounds.

Mr. H. E. Ratz was in Stratford one day last week on a business trip.

Summer sausage, cooked sausage and bologna—at H. Keiterborn's butchery.

Miss Nettie Voegtli of New Hamburg is spending a fortnight with her friend Miss Beatrice Greenwood.

Farmers are in the throes of "seeding time" at present, and it takes something urgent to coax them to town.

Get that rubbish which collected in your yard during the winter piled and burned before it starts some contagious disease.

Mr. Ed. Kechno, of New Hamburg, has accepted a position as barber at Mr. H. E. Ratz's, in this village. He commenced his duties on Monday last.

WORKING MARE FOR SALE.—Weight, about 1100; eleven years old. Also a second-hand ten-spout seed drill for sale cheap. L. SCHAUB, Queen's hotel.

When you want a first-class smoke ask for a "G and B" cigar. It's one of the most enjoyable and easy smokers on the market. They all sell it. KNAPP BROS., Berlin.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Wilhelm were in New Hamburg on Tuesday attending the funeral of Mrs. Wilhelm's father, Mr. Daniel Schmidt, who died last week after a prolonged illness.

We understand a meeting of the Wellesley Rod and Gun Club is to be held in a few days. Among the subjects to be discussed are tree-planting on Arbor Day and a proper 24th-of-May celebration. We hope both these schemes will be pushed to a successful issue.

On Monday last five young men of this village left town to work: Ed. Doersum, tailor, to Buffalo; Fred Fleischhauer, tailor, to Brantford; John Albrecht, barber, to Toronto; Collie Berdux, hotel clerk and Peter Berdux, butcher, to Baden. Sorry to lose the boys, but wish them success.

HYPNOTISM.—Madame Evelyn R. Segno, representing the New York Institute of Science, will give a series of entertainments in the Opera House, Wellesley, commencing next Monday evening. Her work is marvellous and should be seen by every intelligent person. Ladies are cordially invited to attend free on the first evening.

Miss Lottie Hoeg left for Stratford on Monday to attend the Collegiate Institute.

Mr. John Stahle and son, Edward, drove to the Twin City on Saturday last, returning on Sunday evening.

Miss Lena Wagner, of Lishon, accepted the position in Koehler's tailorshop vacated by Fred Fleischhauer.

Standard hams, shoulders and bacon (sugar-cured, imported) at Keiterborn's butcher shop. The best in the market.

Mr. Louis Ziegler, who is working on a farm north of Chesterfield, was visiting his parents in town over Saturday and Sunday last.

Mr. Geo. Beckner, of Milverton, accompanied by his sister, Miss Minnie, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Con. Lotz in this village.

Mr. L. Schaub is still handling the Page wire fence with headquarters at the Queen's hotel. He says his fence is cheaper this year than ever.

Mr. Louis J. Koehler, an employee of the Aymer shoe factory, is spending a week or so in a holiday visit to his parents and many friends here.

We call attention to the advertisement of Mrs. Wilhelm's auction sale in this issue. "Dave" Rudy, the famous East Zorra auctioneer, will wield the hammer.

Miss Millie Becker, of Baden, and Mr. Albert and Miss Adeine Becker and Miss Hoffman of Tavistock, were the guests of Mr. C. Becker, here, over Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Croll, of Clinton, were the guests of their daughter, Mrs. J. W. Green, in this village, for several days past, returning to their home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Schmarr, of Collingwood, who has been living here for some time past while her daughter, Miss Clara, was preparing for confirmation, expects to return to her home in a few days accompanied by Miss Schmarr.

Mr. Grehm, our local liveryman, has just added a splendid three-seated surrey to his supply of rigs. We had the pleasure of a ride to Baden in it the other evening behind a span of his speedy drivers, and the trip was a delightful one.

Mr. Chas. Koehler has been making contracts with the farmers for flax during the past week or so. He has already secured about 100 acres and expects as much more before seeding time closes. There are good prospects for a busy flax year.

The Tavistock Gazette last week spoke in high praise of the hypnotic entertainments given by Madame Evelyn Segno in that village last week. Crowds attended every night and the marvellous feats performed were entirely free from anything approaching "fakism." Madame Segno will perform in the Opera House, Wellesley next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

The Deputy Fish Commissioner, S. T. Bastedo, has sent to the Wellesley-Rod and Gun club the model of a new design fish slide to permit trout, etc., to get past the dams in working up stream to spawn. A slide on this pattern is to be placed on the Wellesley dam at once. The Club is making arrangements to stock the stream with pike and black bass, which, it has been found, will thrive here. Future anglers will have occasion to thank the present energetic Gun Club.

Mr. Henry Hofstetter passed through the village yesterday morning with a drove of fifteen fine fat steers for delivery at Baden where they will be shipped. He informed us that the animals would lose at least 600 pounds in their long tramp to the station. The Maple Leaf's Toronto market report this week shows that choice butchers' beef is worth \$3.75, so Mr. Hofstetter loses at least \$20 on this herd alone in consequence of there being no railway at Wellesley.

Miss Emma Hoffmann, of Berlin, is a guest at Mr. John Hill's this week.

Mr. Albert Klein left here on Thursday morning last for Buffalo, where he will work at his trade.

Rev. R. T. Vorberg, of Florida, spent the early part of this week the guest of Rev. D. Lochner, here.

Mr. A. Mickus is handling all kinds of plows, plow-points, etc. Parties needing anything in this line should read his advertisement in this issue.

Mr. Wm. K. Leighton, who has for the past year been carrying on a blacksmithing business in Mr. A. Mickus' stand opposite Reiner's factory in this village, has given up, his lease having expired. Mr. Reinhard Preiss, an experienced blacksmith, from Baden, has leased the shop and took possession on Tuesday. His advertisement will appear next week.

Anglers are having splendid fun these days in the streams and ponds hereabouts. The carp placed in the Wellesley pond a couple of years ago appear to be thriving, as one young man caught a couple the other day which weighed over six pounds. All varieties (except trout, of course) are represented in the strings brought to town. We expect some good items when the trout season opens as several members of the R. and G. C. are practising hard to beat Walton out on fish stories.

WELLESLEY MARKETS.

Wednesday, April 17th, 1901.

To-day's quotations are:

Wheat.....	60	60c
Oats.....	27c	
Barley.....	35	35c
Peas.....	58	58c

Other products are bought at these prices:

Butter, 1 lb.....	14c
Eggs, 1 doz.....	9c
Lard, 1 lb.....	11c
Tallow, (rough) 1 lb.....	5c
Dried apples 1/2 pound.....	4c

New Blacksmith

R. J. PREISS,

Successor to Mr. W. K. Leighton in Mickus' old stand, opposite Reiner's.

WATCH THIS SPACE NEXT WEEK.

For Sale

ALL KINDS OF

PLOWS

GANG PLOWS.

PLOW POINTS

BINDER and MOWER REPAIRS, etc.

A. MICKUS,

Opposite Reiner's store. WELLESLEY.

Auction Sale

OF REAL ESTATE, HOUSEHOLD AND OTHER ARTICLES.

Mr. D. Rudy, auctioneer, has been instructed to sell by public auction, on the premises, opposite the Swedishborgian church, in the Village of Wellesley, on

Friday, May 3rd, 1901.

THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY:

REAL ESTATE.—The house is a good frame structure, with eleven rooms, good hard and soft water, bath and cover, also woodshed. One-half acre gone with the house. The land consists of about 13 acres more or less for ploughing. There is also an orchard of about six acres, and a good barn and stable 40 by 60 feet. The entire property comprises 20 acres.

STOCK, HOUSEHOLD AND OTHER ARTICLES.—2 cows, fresh in milk, 50 chickens, a quantity of potatoes, 1 double sheep, game plow, sugar boiler, milk can, bicycle, large meat tub, leather good sewing machine, parlor stove, new gas stove, 12 chairs, 2 wooden drawers, 1 dresser with glass, 3 bodystands, 1 wash stand, 1 cupboard, kitchen table, large iron boiler, centre table, 2 desks, 2 wheelbarrows, bench, clock, sink, etc., etc.

Note begins at 1.30 p. m.

TERMS.—For house and land, 10 per cent. cash on day of sale, enough to make up 25 per cent. in 30 days, balance on easy terms at 5 per cent. interest. For cows, nine months' credit on approved joint notes. 5 per cent. per annum discount for cash on credit notes. For household and other articles, Cash.

DAVID RUDY, Auctioneer. MRS. J. WILHELM, Proprietress.

Hypnotism!

Madame Evelyn R. Segno,

REPRESENTING THE

NEW YORK INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE,

will give a series of entertainments in the

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COMING

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, April

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Her work is marvellous and should be seen by every intellectual person.

Ladies are cordially invited to attend on the FIRST evening FREE.

Admission 10 cents, 15 cents and 25 cents.

FARM FOR SALE.

The undersigned offers for sale this farm property, being Lot 2, Fifth concession, Wellesley. The farm contains 16 acres of land, has frame house, new barn, 50 by 50 feet, running spring water, good orchard, etc. Terms apply to ADAM BERLET, Wellesley.

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You can save money on every purchase at the

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Everything in dishes, glassware, lamps, silverware, knives, forks and spoons.

You can save money by buying your kitchen supplies in the basement at the China Hall.

J. L. BRADSHAW,

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Get your HORSES in condition for spring work by feeding them

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For purifying the blood and increasing the appetite in horses, cattle, hogs, etc., it has no equal. 25 cents for one-half pound package.

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BOARD OF HEALTH.

The Board of Health met Tuesday, Apr. 2nd, 1901, at St. Clements, 1.30 p.m., pursuant to adjournment of their preceding meeting at Wellesley village on Jan. 19th ult. All members were present, the reeve occupying the chair. Minutes of said Wellesley meeting were not read by the Clerk of this Board, as he had not received them back from Mr. Green. of that place, to whom he handed them Saturday, Jan. 19th, 1901.

[Editor's Note.—Readers of the Maple Leaf who followed up the late controversy between the Wellesley township council and this paper are already aware of the fact that the minutes referred to above were duly and properly mailed to the clerk on the Tuesday following the date on which they were received.]

Our M.H.O. reported to this Board that only two new families appeared in this township who were afflicted with diphtheria since our last meeting, namely, one in Wellesley village and the other on the 3rd conc., w. s., and was of the opinion that, after the change of the spring season, all danger should vanish concerning a revival of said epidemic.

The subject of vaccination was next was touched upon and discussed. Our M.H.O. thought that about eight to ten dollars' worth of vaccine would be required to vaccinate all who required to be, in the township, and that he had procured four dollars' worth so far and had sent a small portion of it to Drs. More and Glaister, who, as well as himself, had vaccinated at different schools. It was consequently moved by Dr. McEachern, sec. by J. H. Campbell, that the M.H.O. forthwith purchase 60 tubes of vaccine. Carried.

The slaughter house owned by A. Matell, St. Clements, was next inspected by this Board, who found a pile of considerable size, of offal mingled with blood, etc., on the west side and close to the building, with a disagreeable, unhealthy and very strong odor, which condition this Board decided was entirely against the health regulations, and that this and all other slaughter houses in this municipality must be thoroughly cleaned and put in a healthy condition by the 1st day of May next, and that the law be complied with as regards the distance slaughter houses must be from dwelling houses. I will now give the clause of bylaw which refers to slaughter houses (No. 8): No proprietor or tenant of any shop, house or outhouse shall, nor shall any butcher or any other person use any such house, shop or outhouse at any time as a slaughter house or for the purpose of slaughtering any animals therein, unless such shop, house or outhouse be distant not less than 200 yards from any dwelling house, and distant not less than 70 yards from any public street.

This Board next decided that all privies throughout this municipality, especially those of villages, must be thoroughly cleaned, their contents buried from 2½ to 3 feet below the surface of the earth, before the 15th day of May next, and that during the hot summer a disinfectant should be used such as: Not less than two lbs. of sulphate of copper dissolved in two pailfuls of water, every six weeks.

A motion moved by J. H. Campbell and sec. by J. Stroh, that the accounts of the M.H.O. re vaccination and diphtheria be paid at the May council meeting, was sanctioned by the chairman.

As our medical health officer, Dr. McEachern, anticipates going to Chicago for a five or six weeks' stay, notice is hereby given to all other physicians of this township, if they have any important business concerning this Board to report the same to Dr. Darrah, Linwood P. O.

It was finally moved by Dr. McEachern, seconded by J. H. Campbell that this Board do now adjourn to meet again on or about July the first at Hawkesville, one o'clock p.m. Carried.

PETER F. SCHUMMER, Clerk's office
St. Clements, Apr. 4th, 1901.

The vital statistics of the town of



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100,000 Shares Preferred Stock at 25c. per Share.

It is printed on each Certificate that subscribers to the above Preferred Shares will be entitled to receive in dividends the full amount of money invested, before other Stockholders receive any return, signed by the President of the Company.

THIS DISTRICT PRODUCED MORE GOLD IN 1900 THAN ANY OTHER IN THE UNITED STATES.

This property consists of 300 by 300 feet, or 90 acres, of gold land. The mine has been worked. The feature of this mine is the Veneta Vein, 30 to 40 feet in width, and is certainly one of the strongest veins in this famous district. There are some fifteen openings on this vein, the ore from which assays in gold from 2½ to 3½ per ton. The property is advantageously located for development by tunnel, which will make it possible to produce enormous amount of ore daily, the quantity varying from 20 to 500 tons per day. The development by tunneling is the most economical and advantageous manner of working this property.

At a distance of 100 feet the TUNNEL will intersect the Veneta Vein at a depth of about 600 feet, and will also intersect several other veins. The TUNNEL will cut the Big Horn Mountain 200 feet deep, and will give this Company 2,000 tons of ore, worth over \$20 per ton. The new railroad, now practically completed from Colorado Springs, called the Colorado Springs & Cripple Creek road, passes within 200 feet of this tunnel.

Adjoining this property is the Colorado Springs TUNNEL Company. In this property, at a depth of 400 feet, the Veneta Vein was cut. At this point the vein was fully 20 feet in width, and its value from \$20 to \$1,000 per ton.

There are already in operation mills and smelters sufficient to treat the output of this property, which gives at once cash returns.

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411 Cooper Building, Denver, Colo.

St. Marys for the month of March are as follows: Births 5, marriages 3, deaths 5.

Samuel Cohen, a young man from Berlin, who is in Montreal, is puzzling the local doctors. He can expand his chest sixteen inches with apparent ease, and contract his stomach twelve inches. He is giving a series of exhibitions at the hospital.

Probably but few farms in the county of Huron have a record such as that of the Hanford homestead, in the township of Osborne, now occupied by Mr. James Hanford. It was taken up by the late Richard Hanford in the year 1831 and from that time to the present not a single person had died thereon or a funeral cortege left the premises. Few farms in any county have such a record.

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