

Wellesley Maple Leaf.

"God Save Our King, and Heaven Bless the Maple Leaf Forever."

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WELLESLEY VILLAGE, ONTARIO, THURSDAY, JUNE 13TH, 1901.

J.W. GREEN, Editor and Prop.

Rev. Luth. St. Paul's Church—Divine service at 10 o'clock Sunday morning. Sunday School from 1.30 to 3 p.m. Catechumen class meets the first three days of each week at 9 a.m. Singing school Wednesday and Sunday evenings. Rev. Daniel Lochner, Pastor.

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A MOUNTAIN OF JOY.

(With apologies to the author of "The Three Fishers.")

Three maidens went strolling one evening in May.

One evening in May as the sun went down.

By the banks of a river they wandered their way

Till the spires grew dim in the far distant town.

Around a steep hillock arose in their path.

They stopped not nor uttered a murmuring sound.

But toiled slowly up through the tangling mat

And paused but to rest on the upmost mound.

Some smooth rounded pebbles they gathered and piled.

Then cast one by one in the river so blue.

Now rippling, now surging in ecstasy wild.

Till the last of the number sank down out of view.

Spoke one little maiden, the bolder to say.

By right of her wisdom and knowledge of things:

"Be this known as the 'Mountain of Joy' from this day.

Whence cares are cast down and true happiness springs

"Let us count not the labor of mounting in vain.

Though all day 'tis attended by struggles and woe.

We'll gather the pebbles of care and of pain

And cast them at eve in the waters below.

"A pebble's not large, but 'tis heavy withal

And to cast it away, like our worries, there's need.

This hillock, compared with yon mountains, is small—

When a measure for joy, 'tis a mountain indeed.

"So each eve as the dark shadows lengthen and grow,

We'll gather the pebbles of care that annoy

Cast them in the dark waves in the valley below.

And we'll sip nature's sweets on the mountain called 'Joy'."

CRYSTALLIC.

Wellesley, June 10th, 1901.

BERLET'S CORNER.

June 8th, 1901.

Mr. Daniel Wagner had a fine new wind mill erected lately.

Mr. John Koehler raised a straw shed last week. He has now one of the best barns in this vicinity.

Miss Hammer, who has been quite ill, is improving very slowly.

Our teacher, Miss S. Hammond, attended the teachers' convention at Berlin, May 22nd and 23rd, during which time the Trustees repaired the school fence.

The funeral of Mr. Moses Snyder whose death occurred in the railway accident in Berlin Monday evening, June 3rd, took place Thursday morning and was very largely attended, there being about one hundred and forty rigs.

ST. CLEMENTS.

June 11th, 1901.

Corpus Christi Day was duly observed here on Thursday last, 6th inst. The people came from far and near to participate in the celebration of this big feast. High Mass was served at 8.30, and after mass the big procession took place, which with its splendor formed quite a spectacle. The procession visited each of the four chapels which were handsomely decorated with flowers and holy pictures. The route taken by the procession was nicely lined with trees planted, and a few nice arches helped greatly to make a better appearance. A feature of the procession was the flower girls dressed in white, and the boys each carrying a flag. Rev. Geo. Brohmman, the Parish Priest, was ably assisted by Rev. Father Waecler, and great credit must also be given to the choir for the

able way the music was given.

Mrs. Winterhalt and daughter, and Mrs. Frank Hyman, Berlin, were visiting at Peter F. Schumacher's Thursday.

Messrs. August and Ed. Voison, Macton, were visitors to our town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Daub visited friends and acquaintances last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dietrich, Dashwood, are visiting at Edward Dietrich's.

Messrs. Wm. S. Rau and Harry Lobsinger, accompanied by friends, visited our town Sunday.

Mr. Alex. Roegel, Berlin, spent Sunday under the parental roof.

J. G. Meyer, Carlsruhe, gave our town a short call on Sunday.

Particulars of a wedding in near future.

A few from our town and vicinity intend to take in the Pan-American.

LINWOOD

June 10th, 1901.

Mr. Wm. Edwards of Guelph spent Sunday in town.

Mrs. Nurse and Mrs. Roe, of Milverton, visited at Mrs. R. J. Kerr's on Friday.

Aaron Schurr and his father are expected to return home from Buffalo to-morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Boomer spent Sunday with friends in Elora.

Mr. S. Pearce visited the schools around here last week.

Mr. Ed. Berlett returned from Toronto last week. The rush of business in his father's shop necessitated his coming home although he held a good position in Toronto. His many friends are glad to have him back.

Mr. V. R. Berlett was agreeably surprised on Friday evening last when the Lutheran choir and several other members of the church called upon him in order to celebrate his birthday and show their appreciation of his services as choir leader and an active member of the church. A most enjoyable time was spent with music, singing, etc. Mr. Berlett is an excellent musician and has led the choir for a number of years. We trust that he may enjoy many more anniversaries of his birthday.

At the song service in the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening Mr. Low, brother-in-law of Rev. Cunningham, sang "The Holy City" in a manner not usually heard in Linwood. He and his sister are visiting friends in Canada, their home being in Scotland.

The foot-ball boys fought a hard battle on the park on Friday evening with Hawkesville's eleven. The game was interesting from start to finish, but too much individual play was indulged in. More practice would develop more combination in both teams. The score resulted one each, which proves that our boys cannot just do everything they like, especially with men like those of our neighboring burg.

BAMBURG.

June 10th, 1901.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lambertus, from Walkerton, Bruce Co., were visiting friends in town for a week.

Mrs. Jacob Mardiny and Miss Isabella Starr, from Waterloo, were visiting at Mrs. Antony Starr's for a few days.

The painters are busy painting the house of Mr. John Gremm at present.

Miss Mary Mosser left for Walkerton, Bruce county, where she in-

tends to stay for quite a while.

The carpenters have started work on Mr. Anthony Starr's house.

Our general blacksmith had three sales for new buggies this week.

But they are still busy repairing second hand buggies.

MILLBANK.

(INTENDED FOR LAST WEEK.)

June 4th, 1901.

Mr. David Herron, of Narrow Guage, spent Saturday evening last visiting with friends in Milverton.

Miss Olive Ball spent Monday evening last at the home of Mr. R. Doy.

A lady here has sold her cow and bought a goat from which she claims to get four quarts a day. This beats the record.

Mr. Thos. Sayre's horse had the misfortune, the other day, to stumble over a fence-rail and receive a serious blemish. We are all sorry for Tom.

Mrs. Switzer, of Berlin, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Geo. Sutter, of this town.

Mr. C. Ballard and Miss Edna Babb spent a few days last week in Mitchell.

Mr. Alex. Herron completed his contract of packing the gravel at Mr. Babb's store.

The funeral of the late Mr. Thompson took place on May 27th. He leaves behind him a wife and family to mourn his death.

Mr. K. and Misses Ella and Elsa Smith spent Sunday in Newton.

A very quiet wedding took place at the Presbyterian Manse when Miss Emma Smith and Mr. Herbert McOlellan were united in marriage. Their many friends wish them a happy and prosperous future.

Mr. Geo. Gibson, of the 7th line, Wellesley, bought a fine new buggy in Milverton, and afterwards drove to North Mornington and spent a short time with his friend, Mr. Moses Lang.

SECTION LINE.

Wellesley, June 10th, 1901.

One of our local sports was out hunting the other day and all he brought back was an empty gun, and he lost his dog in the bargain.

Mr. Daniel Streicher has purchased quite a lot of hogs.

Mr. Christian Zehr is putting in his stable floors of cement and he has five men engaged. To use a slang expression, Mr. Zehr is putting in floors for his life.

Mr. Dave Bronck, head maker in our cheese factory, paid a visit to friends in Wilnot on Sunday last.

NEW HAMBURG.

June 10th, 1901.

Rev. J. Culp returned from conference on Wednesday at noon and reports a good time and is pleased with his new appointment at Palermo. Moving day is fixed for the first week in July. Rev. C. D. Draper succeeds Mr. Culp in New Hamburg and comes with flattering reputation.

Miss Copeland of Norwich spent a few days at the Methodist parsonage last week.

Mr. L. J. Hiebel left on Monday morning on a business trip east in the interest of Mr. Reiner of Wellesley.

Mr. E. J. Butler of St. Thomas paid a visit to Rev. Mr. Culp last week.

A pretty wedding was celebrated at the home of our postmaster, Mr. Lashinger, on Wed., June 5th. A unique company of guests, costly and useful presents in elaborate

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Business Locals five cents per line each inser-
tion.
All changes of copy for advertisements must
be in the office not later than Monday noon.
Extra advertisements for three insertions
Legal Notices measured Nonpareil type, per
line for first insertion, 4c; per line for each
subsequent insertion.

WELLESLEY T.P. COUNCIL.

The municipal council of the township of Wellesley met pursuant to adjournment, on Monday, June 2nd, at the township hall, Crosshill, at the hour of 10 a. m. All members were present, the reeve occupying the chair. The minutes of the preceding meeting, held the 6th day of May, were read, found correct and unanimously adopted.

Communications, bills and ac-
counts were laid on the table and
after being read it was moved by
W. J. Beggs, seconded by H. N.
Huehn, that the following accounts
be paid and that the reeve issue his
orders for the same respectively, as
follows, viz.:

A. J. Saunders, druggist, Wellesley, for
supply of forklifts, \$ 9.50
Wm. Hoelling, reeve's salary, 2.00
S. McEachern, for vaccine, 23.00
Henry Neel, rep. two culverts H., 1.50
Albert Knight, assessor's salary, 5.00
equalizing union school sections 2
and 13 and 12, 51.00
John Leibold, assessor's salary, 3.00
equalizing union school sections Nos.
11 and 10, 58.00
J. P. Perch, assessor's salary, 35.00
equalizing union school sections Nos.
2 and 12, 11 and 14, 11.00
Wm. G. McFee, dog tax refunded, 1.00
Robert Hoogy, 1.00

—Carried.

The remainder of the forenoon
was taken up by the council in dis-
cussing and thoroughly considering
the necessity of building an iron
bridge across the Nith river in the
western section of this township.

Council adjourned till 1 p. m.,
when they met and after some im-
portant business was disposed of,
they formed into a Court of Revi-
sion and Appeal. After making the
declaration of office, Mr. Short was
appointed chairman, and after hear-
ing all complaints the chairman re-
ported as follows: That the dogs
of the following gentlemen be struck
off: Peter Voisin, John Schneider
(St. Clements), John Schneider
(Crosshill), Henry Spielmacher,
Henry Runstetter, Joseph Boshart,
Alex Smith, Jacob Foerster, Duncan
Dewar, W. K. Leighton, Conrad
Lotz, Wm. Arnold and Isaac French.
The following names were struck
off the Rolls: A. McLeod, W. K.
Leighton, Isaac French and Jacob
Schopp. The following were added
to the Rolls: Mewhinney Robert-
son as M. F., Jacob J. Forier as M.
F. T., John Lichty M. F. T. in place
of Jacob Berlet, John J. Atchison,
E. of lot No. 6, 8th concession W. S.,
and Thomas Ogram as M. F. and
O. for the w. ½ lot No. 4, 12 cons.,
w. s. All of which is respectfully
submitted. THOS. SHORT, chairman.

The court resolved into open
council. It was moved by W. J.
Beggs, seconded by H. N. Huehn,
that the sum of five dollars and
thirty-three cents be paid to Wm.
Arnold as compensation for one
sheep killed by a dog or dogs, and
that the reeve issue his order for
the same. Carried.

It was moved by H. N. Huehn,
seconded by W. J. Beggs, that the
sum of \$5.33 be paid to Alex Ren-
nie as compensation for one sheep
killed by a dog or dogs. Carried.

The clerk was instructed to have
100 notices printed which shall give
due notice to the public at large
that the taking away of ground, sod,
or the digging of holes on the pub-
lic highways of this municipality is
strictly prohibited and that any
one acting contrary to such will be
prosecuted according to law.

It was moved by H. N. Huehn,

seconded by W. J. Beggs, that the
clerk be and is hereby instructed to
advertise for tenders for the
building of a one span iron
bridge across the Nith river,
third concession, western section;
also for stone or concrete abutments
thereto. Carried.

It was finally moved by J. B.
Lichty, seconded by Gao. Forwell,
that this council do adjourn to meet
again the first Monday in July at
one o'clock p. m., Township Hall,
Crosshill. Carried.

PETER F. SCHUMMER, Clerk.

Clerk's office, St. Clements, June
7th, 1901.

WILMOT COUNCIL.

The council of the township of
Wilmot met at the township hall,
Baden, on May 27th, 1901. The
members were all present, the reeve
occupying the chair. Minutes of
the last meeting were read and con-
firmed. A petition asking for fi-
nancial aid to lay a sidewalk from
New Dundee to the cemetery, also
one asking for a grant to extend the
sidewalk 200 yards on the north
side of Sniders road at lot 13 in Ba-
den, were received and laid over.

The council then adjourned and
resumed as a Court of Revision.
The following changes were recom-
mended in the assessment roll for
1901: One dog each to be struck off
the assessments of Daniel Shantz,
Mrs. C. Daub, Herbert Hallman, C.
Meyer, Amos Geiger, C. F. Miller,
F. Daub and Elias Bingeman; one
dog each was added to the assess-
ments of Joseph Nahrung and H.
Zoeller; Nith Valley Creamery,
having been torn down, was struck
off the Roll; Isaac Eby was put on
as owner instead of H. Gies; Chris.
Schwannbach was put on as owner
instead of Geo. P. Schmidt; Moses
Fisher was added as tenant; Menno
Bechtel was assessed for \$600 as
owner, and Peter Berdux, John H.
Bean, C. Futher, Ed. Gillespie, Al-
fred G. Kaufmann, W. Sutton, J.
E. Schwartzentruber and Edward
Wall were added as M. F. voters.
On motion the chairman's report of
the Court of Revision was adopted
and the clerk was instructed to al-
ter the assessment rolls accord-
ingly.

On motion \$25 was granted An-
drew Salzman for expenditure on
road div. No. 56. On motion \$100
was granted Fred J. Walker for ex-
penditure on road div. No. 16 at
rate of 50 cents per yard. On mo-
tion the following accounts were
passed and the reeve instructed to
issue his orders for the same: R.
Stoesser, for killing dog worrying
sheep, \$5; R. N. Kerr, assessor and
taking school census, \$65.23; J.
Wahl, do., \$67.60; L. F. Dietrich,
do., \$66.07; D. Ritz, printing and
advertising to date, \$35.60; D. L.
Roth, ½ value of one sheep killed
by dogs, \$2.66; W. Goettling, tim-
ber for Anderson's bridge, \$60.69;
Dr. Buttler, formaldehyde, generat-
or and solution, 17.35; G. Main,
operating road machine, 3.30; W.
Main, team on road machine, 6.80;
H. Gatchene, taking pauper to poor
house, 2.00.

On motion the council adjourned
to meet again on June 17th.

THE BICYCLE RUSH STILL ON!

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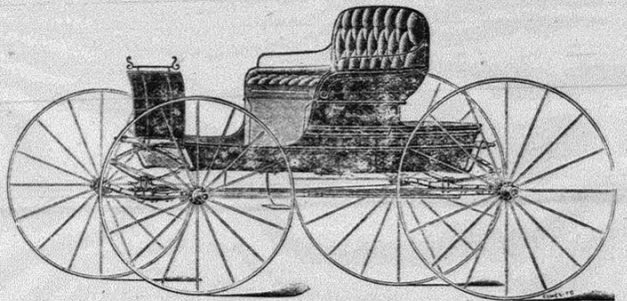
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thing in the line
of Printing.**

LOCAL NEWS.

Second-hand bicycles cheap at Ratz's.

Shorts \$15 and Bran \$13 per ton at themill.

Mr. John Habermehl, of Berlin, spent Sunday in town.

Mr. Chas. D. Koehler called on Milverton friends on Sunday last.

Mrs. Robert Hyde, of Ratzburg, called on friends in Wellesley last week.

Mr. Ed. Schaub, of the Berlin Felt Works, is home at present suffering with sore eyes.

Union Sunday school next Sunday at 10.30 a. m. instead of 2.30 p. m., as announced last Sunday.

Several horses from this section were delivered to the buyers yesterday for shipment at Hamburg.

Miss Lena Wagner is at Zurich this week attending the German Evangelical Sunday School Convention.

It is said that there is a prominent business man in Milverton who doesn't know the difference between a survey and a hearsay.

Messrs. Chas. Stehle and John Fleischhauer and Miss Flossie Dingwall were among the Wellesley young people visiting in Berlin on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Miller of Wellesley, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Thuro on Sunday last.—Heidelberg notes, Waterloo Chronicle.

Mr. Robert Fleischhauer, of Berlin, is making his headquarters at Wellesley while making a series of business trips through the surrounding country.

Master Oliver Trussler sustained a painful injury on Friday evening last while playing football, in the form of a fractured collarbone. The little fellow was out next day and it is hoped will soon be as well as ever.

Our public school footballists have organized and secured a "pig-skin" of their own. Some excellent practising is being done and the school boys are anxious to arrange for a match at the annual picnic on July 1st with some neighboring school team. None but hustlers need apply.

A curious incident occurred recently at a wood cutting bee at the home of Mrs. Kropf, just east of the village. Four large poplars were cut down and while splitting them into firewood a portion of a three-pronged pitchfork was discovered embedded near the heart of the tree in the third cut from the bottom. One prong measured about ten inches and the fork was lodged points upward. The tree measured nearly two feet across at the base.

Mr. Chas. Heipel, of Concord, N. H., formerly of Wellesley, on seeing the account of the football club's organization here forwarded a letter of congratulation to the club through the secretary, Mr. A. E. Reiner. Charlie expects to come home on the fast express the first week in July to help the boys kick.

He closes his letter thus: "Wishing you prosperity, I shall close with kindest regards to the knights of the Wellesley Wind-bag fraternity. Hurrah!

CHAS. HEIPEL"

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Haenpflug, of Milverton, were guests at Albert Mickus' over Sunday.

Rev. H. McCulloch, pastor of the Presbyterian church, Tavistock, was the guest of Mr. J. W. Green on Monday and Tuesday.

A runaway near Reiner's store on Monday evening created quite a stir for a few moments, but fortunately no serious damage was done.

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.

The Wellesley Brass Band gave a most enjoyable open-air program from the pavilion on Tuesday evening, which was highly appreciated by the large number of listeners.

A sudden and sad death occurred at Petersburg last week, when the popular school teacher there, Miss Angeline M. Devitt, passed away as the result of an attack of tonsillitis.

Mr. George Miller, of Gretna, Manitoba, formerly in the jewelry business here, arrived in town on Tuesday night and will spend a short time visiting among his many friends.

John F. Roth, son of Mr. Jacob Roth, on the Phillipsburg road, who has been confined to his room by illness for the past year, is now able to be out again. This young man has been lame for many years, the result of an accident to his knee in early youth.

Mr. Louis Heise, near Doering's Corner, was thrown from a horse the other day and had his shoulder considerably injured. He was working on the Reibling farm which he recently purchased, and his horse strayed into a back pasture lot. He went for the animal and was riding it to the barn when the accident happened. No bones were broken and he is now nearly recovered.

Mr. John Hill is making great improvements on his stock barns in this place. The stable walls are being made a couple of feet higher and a large straw shed and other conveniences added. Mr. Wm. Attick, of Millbank, has the contract. The barn was raised last Saturday, a large number of neighbors gathering to assist. The work of hoisting and "jacking" the entire barn was accomplished in five hours, which is considered a very short time for such a work.

NEARLY BLINDED.

MR. JOHN BAST TERRIBLY INJURED IN A BLASTING ACCIDENT.—TAKEN TO TORONTO GENERAL HOSPITAL.

Just before six o'clock on Monday evening Mr. John Bast, of Wellesley, met with a frightful accident. He was blasting a large stone in a field on Mr. Peter B. Jantzi's farm, just north of town and was ramming home the packing when the charge suddenly and unaccountably exploded. His face eyes and hands were terribly torn and burned, and as he was alone in the field at the time he had great difficulty groping his way, in an almost blinded condition, to the house. A rig was at once hitched and he was taken to Dr. Glaister's office, where his wounds were properly attended to. One eye appeared to be hopelessly ruined, but the other, although burned and lacerated, may be saved. The wounds on his hands were also found to be serious and one or more fingers may have to be amputated.

Acting upon Dr. Glaister's advice Mr. Bast started at once for the General Hospital in Toronto where he will receive the most scientific treatment. He was accompanied on the trip by his brother-in-law, Mr. Chris. Kennel, who returned on Tuesday evening, and stated that one eye and a finger are to be removed to-day (Wednesday.)

D. RUDY'S SALES.

On Friday, June 28—in Wellesley. Joint stock sale. John Mayer, Clerk.

Are you reading your own, or your neighbor's Maple Leaf.

WELLESLEY vs. TAVISTOCK.

A DRAW GAME AT THE GADSHILL PICNIC YESTERDAY.

The game is over. The Wellesley team, three of whom were deterred from playing and had to be replaced and two more of whom labored under difficulties, having been hurt in their practice matches, met the noted aggregation from Tavistock, lately returned bearing laurels of their dazzling victories over Stratford and Woodstock teams, at the C. O. F. picnic at Gadshill last (Wednesday) evening. The invincible Marlboro met their match in the Wellesley team and neither side scored. Murray's crack forwards got up against a stern defence. The Marlboro backs didn't loaf more than half the time. Not too discouraging for Wellesley's first match with an outside team. Wait till the Marlboro come to Wellesley in July. Referee Ed. Reiner let Knapp off easy. Good feeling was a feature of the game throughout. Plays gentlemanly game, boys, and you'll always win respect.

PRACTICE SHOOT.

On Tuesday afternoon there was a practice shoot at the Rod and Gun Club grounds when the following scores were made:

Eck. Reiner.....0011111000—5
Mr. McConachie.....1111111011—9
Edw. Ratz.....0011111000—5
H. E. Ratz.....111111101—9
Dr. Glaister.....1100101011—6
Albert Reiner.....0100100110—4
The two leaders shot off their ties as follows:
McConachie.....1111—5
Ratz.....0111—4

NEW HAMBURG.

Continued from First page.
quantity, showed the deserving popularity of the bride. Mr. L. Hostettler, the groom, our popular jeweler, has already established a good business. The happy couple left on the five o'clock train for Toronto and Buffalo amid a profusion of rice and good wishes.

D. & H. Becker are pushing the brick-work of the new front on their store.

Miss Nash, of Buffalo, is visiting at Mr. J. Leachinger's.

Miss Kathleen Hamilton returned home on Saturday evening having spent a successful year at a college of music in the United States.

DOERING'S CORNERS.

June 10th, 1901.
Mr. John Handstein, Unionville, raised his barn on Saturday under the management of Mr. George Hammer. Everything went off with a rush.

Quite a number attended the funeral of Mr. M. K. Snyder who was accidentally killed in Berlin last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Snee, from Heidelberg, were visiting in this neighborhood over Sunday, the guests of Mr. Conrad Reibling.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Axt and Mr. and Mrs. L. Schmidt were in Wellesley over Sunday visiting at Mr. Harry Bickert's.

Mr. Conrad Reibling spent Sunday in Poole visiting with friends.

NITHBURG.

June 10th, 1901.
A large amount of wire fencing is being put up in this section these days. That means no snow blockades next winter.

Our farmers are beginning to get ready for haying in a few weeks. The yield promises to be a good one. Fall wheat and all spring grains also look quite promising.

Mr. Jno Grody was in Mornington last week on business.

Mr. Geo. Witt is hauling milk to the Brocksden factory.

Mr. Will Thompson started to haul home his wood from Mr. Jas. Forrest's woods last week.

Miss Eliza Yost is at present home from New Hamburg.

Mr. Ruppert lost one of his sheep last week.

Miss Christie Farrell was home from Musselburg last Sunday.

Thomas Edison, the inventor, has discovered a cement which can be made at a small cost. The discovery, according to Edison, promises to revolutionize the building of houses. The cement can be made into a liquid and poured into a mould of a house. After a few days the cement solidifies, the mould can be removed and the house is finished to a form. The forms will be made of wood and the contractor will simply go out and "pour" a house.

Dog Lost.

ON Friday, June 7th, a COLLIE-SPANIEL, with fox-shaped head, grey back and yellow beneath. Named "Sam." About 10 years old. I will pay a reward to learn his whereabouts, alive or dead.

PETER OTTMANN, Wellesley.

For Sale.

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WELLESLEY.

Opposite Reiner's store.

WELLESLEY MARKETS.

Wednesday, June 13th, 1901.

To-day's quotations are:

Wheat.....82c
Oats.....27c
Barley.....35c
Peas.....56c 58c

Other products are bought at these prices:

Butter, 1 lb.....14c
Eggs, 1 doz.....10c
Lard 1 lb.....11c
Tallow, (rendered) 1 lb.....6c
Dried apples 1 pound.....4c
Wool 1 pound, cash.....15c
Wool 1 pound, factory trade.....19c

Dog Lost.

ABOUT the 5th June, between Wellesley and Crosshill, a Foxhound dog, answering to the name of "Blucher." White body, with black and yellow head. Please locate ward concerning him at the Mania Leaf Office, or with JOHN MILLER (Mason) Wellesley P. O.

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

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BARGAINS IN SHOES !

On account of recent dissolution of partnership and consequent stock taking, I am enabled to place on my tables some lines of LADIES' OXFORDS at Great Bargains.

Lines that sold at \$1.35 to \$1.75, now only 50c. and.....75c
Some children's shoes at.....25c
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.

C. Hammer,

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WELLESLEY.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Breslau's football team have organized for this year.

A grand celebration will be held in Waterloo on July 1.

A movement is on foot to organize a Rifle Association in Berlin.

Chesley is putting down a large amount of granolithic sidewalk this year.

Plattsville lacrosse team is getting in shape for the coming season. They are open for challenges.

Howard Walker was committed for trial at Stratford on the charge of murdering Edward Daily, a circus employee.

Mr. J. E. Scagram heads the list of winning owners at the Toronto races. He won 8 firsts, 3 seconds and 5 thirds, a total of \$5,705.

Mr. Jacob Schnarr, aged 24 years, died last week at the home of his parents, about three and a half miles north-west of Waterloo.

The Plattsville Milling Co. have disposed of their plant and business to Irvin Master, who has been manager of the mill for some years.

The Hespeler Skating Rink Company has declared a dividend of 6 per cent. to the stock holders, as a result of the last year's operations.

Mr. James Fisher has a hen which celebrated Sunday last by laying an egg 6 1/2 x 5 1/4. The Lord's Day Alliance will be after her.—Galt Reporter.

Warton is preparing for a grand demonstration on July 1st, and the Orangemen of that district also intend having a big turnout on July 12th.

A well informed citizen of Berlin declares the population of that city to be 9,723. If this proves true, it will be a terrible disappointment to the Berlinites.

The death occurred on Wednesday of last week of Mr. Milton Shantz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Menno Shantz, of Cedar Grove Farm, Breslau. Death was due to consumption.

Mr. John Killer, of Waterloo, has sent in his resignation as inspector for the Waterloo Mutual Fire Insurance Co., and will take a similar position with another western company.

J. B. Ashley has lost his step ladder and he has made a solemn vow that if the fellow who borrowed it does not return it he will never lend it to him again.—Warton Canadian.

By the slipping of a belt from a circular saw, Mr. Frank McKay, aged 25, of Youngsville, West Zorra, was caught and dragged to the engine and instantly killed on Monday, June 3rd.

When Dowie, the Chicago faith-healer, saw a woman writhing in death agony he earnestly prayed; when his own nerves twitched with the pain of humbug he sought a medical practitioner.

Frank Vermett, the man charged with having stolen a horse from Chas. J. Barret and a buggy and harness from Mr. Parker of West Zorra, was sentenced to five years in Kingston penitentiary.

A crafty editor printed an item which stated that "the man who is hugging the hired girl had better stop or his name will be published." The very next day a dozen citizens paid up their subscription in advance and told the editor "to pay no attention to foolish tales goin' round."

C. Kittmer, of Lakeside, has a curiosity or freak of nature in the way of a calf with but one jaw, and in good health. There is no nose on the animal's head, but at the back of what may be called the mouth there are a couple of holes through which it can breathe. When it opens its mouth the whole face drops down in a curious manner.

A carpenter named James Gardiner was killed near Owen Sound on June 5th. While working on a trestle some beams gave way and Gardiner was caught between two heavy timbers about the abdomen and was terribly crushed. He died inside of two hours.

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Mr. Nicholas Kaufmann, of Cassel, met with a serious, accident recently. While driving, his horse shied and started to run. Mr. Kaufmann was dragged over the dashboard and in full dislocated a leg and broke it a few inches below the hip. The injured man is well up in years.

Constable Woods of Listowel was held up recently while driving from Brussels late in the evening. Two men grabbed his horses while a third attacked him from behind. Woods drew out his pipe case and ordered the desperadoes to let go or he would shoot. The men quickly climbed into their rig and made off.

A merchant who had two stores in small villages made an experiment. He put a bargain counter in each store containing the same articles at exactly the same prices. In the newspaper of one village he advertised his counter. In the paper of the other village he did not advertise and sold goods amounting to \$984. In the store in the

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