

# Wellesley Maple Leaf.

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

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WELLESLEY VILLAGE, ONTARIO, THURSDAY, JUNE 20TH, 1901.

J.W. GREEN, Editor and Prop.

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**HAMPSTEAD.**

June 17th, 1901.

The managers of the Presbyterian church here have erected a new wire fence around the church property.

Mr. Albert Stueck, son of our postmaster, has again come to grief. On Saturday last, while dismounting from a horse he was pitched to the ground, the horse stepping on his ankle and breaking some of the bones. His father immediately drove him to Wellesley where medical aid was procured. The young man is doing as well as could be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ruppert, Messrs. Alex. and Jas. McDonald, C. Schmidt, Edward Jones, W. Wettlaufer, Robert and Peter, and Miss Chrissie McDonald attended the C. O. F. picnic at Gadsdill on Wednesday, June 12th. Our citizens took a lively interest in the football match, their sympathies being strongly with the Wellesley boys.

**LIBBON.**

(Intended for last week.)

The Misses Knapp spent Sunday at Berlet's Corners.

Mr. and Mrs. John Young, of Wellesley, spent Sunday at Geo. Hohl's, also in the evening the young folks gathered at his home.

Mr. John Mosser, merchant tailor, spent Sunday in New Hamburg.

Miss Edith Schmidt, of New Hamburg, spent Sunday under the parental roof here.

Mr. Younge, pedlar, with his team supplied our burgers with his numerous articles this week.

The Messrs. Geo. and Henry Hohl, Jr., and sisters spent Monday in New Hamburg.

Mr. Becker, shoe maker, possesses a very fancy razor. It has on its handle the bust of the Duke of Wellington along with the words "Victor, Peace, Duke of Wellington." This is the only razor in our burg of the kind.

The young folks recently gathered at the home of Mr. John Falk and there amused themselves with pleasure.

**THIS WEEK'S BUDGET.**

June 17th, 1901.

Messrs. J. D. Koch, P. Kreh and John Mosser, with their families, spent Sunday in Zorra, the guests of J. Kreh.

Mr. C. Kneisel spent Sunday in Tavistock.

Mr. Glauser, of Philipsburg, called on Mr. Geo. Hohl on Sunday.

Misses Lavina and Lena Wagner spent Sunday at the camp meeting at Berlin.

Mrs. Pfanner, of Berlin, was the guest of Mr. J. Becker on Sunday.

Miss V. Koch spent Sunday near Waterloo.

Mr. Rherber, of Rostock, spent Sunday at F. Ruhrberg's, here.

Mr. B. Koebel, of St. Clements, made a call to our burg on Sunday.

Farmers are busy these days doing their roadwork.

**UNIONVILLE.**

June 15th, 1901.

Mr. Peter Berg's barn wall is finished and is ready for the carpenters.

Mr. John Falk intends to take down part of his barn and build more conveniently.

Mr. Peter Berdix, from Baden, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mallo last Sunday.

Mr. John Handstein's barn was successfully raised recently and af-

ter all was over he smiled and was well satisfied. The carpenters are Hammer Bros. Mr. Geo. Hammer was slightly hurt.

Mr. William Otto is improving his farm and will soon have a fine homestead.

**SECTION LINE.**

Wellesley, June 15th, 1901.

Mr. Jacob, Roth and family, of New Hamburg, visited friends in this neighborhood. They were the guests of Mr. Christian Streicher.

The Section line beat did their road work this week and they made a good job of it. Mr. Jno. Jantzi furnished the gravel.

Cutting thistles is now the order of the day.

**JOSEPHSBURG.**

June 18th, 1901.

Mr. Moses Litwiller is building a new straw shed now, and later on will erect a summer kitchen.

Mrs. Peter Wagner went with the excursion to the Guelph model farm last Thursday and was on the train which killed a man near Breslau. Miss Lou Hillmer from Berlin was the guest of Mr. Joseph Schwartz on Sunday.

Mrs. John Gatschene from North Dakota is on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Jacob Gatschene.

Mr. Frank Schwartz from Chicago was the guest of his cousin, Louis Schwartz, for a few days last week.

**BAMBURG.**

June 17th, 1901.

Mr. F. Walter, Warden, spent a few days in Berlin on business last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mertz were calling on friends in Bamberg on Sunday.

Mrs. J. V. Olmsted, of Williamson, New York, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Winkler, for a few weeks.

Messrs. Hy. Wilfong and Fred Kress, and the Misses Louisa and Julia Hammer spent Sunday last in Berlin.

Mr. E. Moser, Crosshill, was under the parental roof over Sunday.

Mr. Charles J. Winkler, Waterloo, was calling on friends in Bamberg last Sunday.

Misses Julia and Barbara Moser, Berlin, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kieswetter last Sunday.

Mrs. F. Gies returned home on Saturday after a four weeks' stay in Bruce county.

Mr. Geo. Heinz and Mr. Philip Mosser took in the excursion to Guelph on Thursday last.

On Sunday, June 9th, the wife Paul Kieswetter: a son.

**NITHBURG.**

June 17th, 1901.

Some of our young people attended the Gadsdill picnic on June 12th. Some did not return till the next day.

Several farmers here have finished their road work.

Messrs. Knipfer and Dan Jacobs took their fat hogs away last week to Milverton.

Mr. Moses Leis is working at carpentering again.

Mr. August Ruppel was at Stratford last Saturday on business.

Mr. Willie Gremm has engaged to work for Mr. Robert Forrester.

Mr. John Gabel took his fat cattle to Hamburg on June 10th.

Mr. Collin Berdix passed through our village last week.

Mr. Henry Cook was visiting at Mr. Dan Wagler's.

A new fence is being built around

the church. Some of the farmers from here are busy working at it.

**ST. CLEMENTS.**

June 18th, 1901.

Mrs. George Leis, Chepstow, is visiting friends and relatives here.

Rev. Jos. Lenhardt, Mildmay, gave our town a visit on Monday.

Quite a number from here attended camp meeting in Berlin on Sunday.

The local school was closed on Monday owing to scarlet fever, which is pervading this district. Most of the cases are of a mild form but it is always best to look after such dread diseases in time.

The talk of the town is the organization of a band in St. Clements. A meeting is to be called in the near future to see how the general opinion is. Why can't St. Clements have a musical society, like other towns of its size? Give it a start, boys, and see what you can accomplish.

Picnic at Paradise Lake on Dominion Day. St. Jacobs Musical Society band will be in attendance to enliven the proceedings with the latest selections. Speeches by popular men. In the evening there will be a grand display of fireworks and a grand dance. Refreshments at the booth. Everybody invited to a good day's outing at Paradise Lake, 1½ miles South of St. Clements.

**PETERSBURG.**

June 17th, 1901.

Camp meeting was well attended by our villagers yesterday, at Berlin.

Messrs. M. J. Schlabach and J. Jantzi each bought a team of ponies in Berlin on Saturday.

Mr. P. Kolbrenner put a canopy top on his buggy. Messrs. August Knepfel, John Habermahl and Isaac Wagler have each bought a new buggy from Schlabach & Co. Petersburg is the place to buy a new buggy.

Dan. Boshart is doing a good business with his cream separators. He has more orders than he can fill. His machines, and everybody, are speaking very highly of the "Empire" Separator.

Quite a number from here took in the excursion to Guelph last week.

Mr. J. Egerest traded his roadster for a pony, buggy and harness the other day. John knows a good thing when he sees it.

The feed store here is selling corn at 50c. a bushel.

Messrs. Ramsbeir and Jutzi, of East Zorra, visited at Mr. Chris. Mayer's on Sunday.

Miss Sarah Mayer is nursing a sore hand at present.

**THIRD LINE.**

June 18th, 1901.

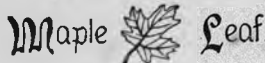
Mr. Robert Freeborn received a telegram on Saturday stating that his son, George, who lives in Detroit, had fallen from a street car and was rendered unconscious for some time. Mr. Freeborn received word later that he was improving.

Charlie Pommer had a narrow escape in an upsetting accident while doing his roadwork with a team the other day.

Mr. Will Richardson's house caught fire from the stove pipe last Sunday and before the flames were extinguished two rafters and part of the roof were somewhat burned. The fire was discovered just in the nick of time to save the building from destruction.

John Richardson had a pig born

Concluded on local page.



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subsequent insertion.

## EDITORIAL NOTES.

Methodist ministers are petition-  
ing parliament for special legislation  
that will entitle them to vote in  
their new station, as they are at  
present disfranchised every time  
conference moves them. Premier  
Ross tells them their is no equitable  
way to remedy this state of affairs.  
But the Kingston Whig thinks there  
is. It says these ministers ought  
to receive a certificate from the  
clerk of the municipality that they  
are legal voters, and this certificate  
should be sufficient authority to  
get them on the list at once where-  
ever the ministers are stationed.  
We know a better way, and one  
that would do justice to thousands  
of other electors as well as the min-  
isters. It is this simple process:  
Let the election law be amended so  
that the townships, the villages and  
the towns can have the same privi-  
lege of registering just before an  
election which is now unfairly  
granted to cities and county towns  
only.

We have long been of the opinion  
that neither of the political parties  
in the province of Ontario are too  
anxious for really honest election  
laws. Surely, if they were in earn-  
est, laws could be evolved which  
would be less opaque in their mean-  
ing and more readily enforced. The  
election laws should be considered  
among the most sacred on the statu-  
te books, but corrupt partisanship  
can easily pervert these laws so  
that the voice of the people is not  
truly paramount, as it should be.

We have no objection to party  
government in the House, but we  
do object to any political party  
strengthening itself through mys-  
tifying election laws until it be-  
comes more powerful than the elec-  
tors. Both Grit and Tory govern-  
ments have in the past shown them-  
selves capable of tampering with  
the people's vote for the sake of  
power, and the time has come when  
the electors, no matter to which  
party they belong, should demand  
an absolute pledge from their can-  
didates to make the election laws  
of such a nature that the mighty  
ballot shall hereafter represent the  
People—not the Party. Then once  
more can it be said of the Canadian  
ballot:

There is a power stronger yet  
and mightier than the ballot;  
A power that comes down as still as snow,  
Flies full upon the seat,  
Yet executes the freeman's will as lightning  
do the will of God.

The model country road is tile-  
drained in the middle of the road.  
then the road-bed is raised and  
"crowned," and the face is  
made with loose stones, anchored  
at the sides and covered with grav-  
el. That kind of road lasts longest,  
costs least for repairs and is always  
the easiest on rigs and most comfort-  
able to travel over. Every town-  
ship should have at least one strip  
of model road as an object lesson  
to pathmasters, and the latter  
should be liberally bonused by the  
council in following this scheme.  
But, better yet, let the statute la-  
bor system be abolished and road  
making be done under the charge  
of expert commissaries.

## MORE BICYCLES COMING!

Another shipment of New Bicycles will be here this week, including different makes.  
Be sure to see them.

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the Cheapest place to deal. WE ALWAYS PAY CASH FOR EGGS.

Don't forget your LAUNDRY on Monday and Tuesday. It goes every week.

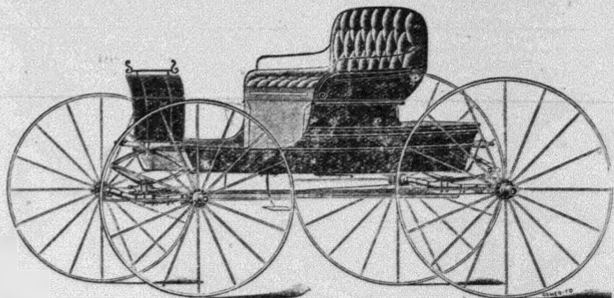
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Ontario

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Men's cotton socks, 3 pairs for 25 cents.

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JOHN HILL,  
WELLESLEY

Wellesley, Ont.

Chesley holds its Victoria Day demonstration today (June 20th).

The annual meeting of the South Waterloo Farmers' Institute was held at the village hall, Haysville, on Tuesday, June 18th.

Maurice Denault, aged 12 years, son of Mr. Louis Denault, fell on a saw at Ritchie & Bailey's saw mill at Aylmer on Saturday, June 18th, and was nearly cut in two. He died soon afterwards.

Some person or persons in Waterloo have been amusing themselves by cleaning lawns of flowers during the night. The Berlin News Record justly terms the practice "the essence of meanness."

Galt Reporter.—Yesterday evening as John Gray was driving past Orr's Lake he was surprised to see a brown bear in a clover field near the road. When he threw stones at the bear, bruin stood on his hind legs and was ready to fight. This afternoon Mr. Gray, John Hutchinson and William Warren have gone out to shoot his lordship on sight, armed with the most modern weapons they could procure. How the bear came to get so far south is a mystery.

Mr. Thos. Shaw, County Councillor, of Hespler, was killed last week at the Breslau G. T. R. crossing while on his way to attend the regular meeting of the council at Berlin. He was directly on the crossing when the train struck his carriage, smashing it to atoms and instantly killing Mr. Shaw and the horses. Deceased was about 45 years of age and leaves a widow, but no children. He was president of the Liberal Conservative Association and a likely candidate at the next provincial election.

A clergyman was very anxious to introduce some hymn books into his church, and arranged with the clerk that the latter was to give out the notice immediately after the sermon. The clerk, however, had a notice of his own to give out with reference to the baptism of infants. Accordingly, at the close of the sermon, he rose and announced that "All persons having infants whom they wish to be baptised, please send their names at once to the clerk." The clergyman, who was stone deaf, assumed that the clerk was giving out the hymn book notice, and immediately arose and said "And I should say, for the benefit of those who haven't any, that they may be obtained at the vestry any day from three to four o'clock; the ordinary little ones at one shilling each, and special ones with red backs at one shilling and fourpence."

Mrs. John Broderick, aged 66, the wife of a well-to-do farmer in Sandwich West, was struck by lightning on Tuesday afternoon of last week and instantly killed. Mrs. B. was walking from her home to a poultry house in the rear of the garden, and had to pass beneath a metallic clothes line. Just as she reached the line a shaft of lightning struck it. The lightning glanced from the line and struck Mrs. Broderick on the bridge of the nose, splitting that member in twain as clean as though a razor had been used to do the job. The lightning then seems to have entered her mouth and come out below her chin, making a hole like that made by a large bore shotgun. Mrs. Broderick leaves seven children, five boys and two girls, in addition to her husband.

Judge Bell of Chatham fined William Humphries \$50 for stealing a pair of shoes from Chas. Simpkins, storekeeper at Bothwell. He owns 50 acres of land unencumbered, and had dealt with Simpkins for twelve years. One Saturday night he put a pair of children's shoes in his basket. He claimed that he only did it as a joke, but the storekeeper could not see the humor of the action and had Humphries arrested. The farmer was committed for trial on appearing before Judge Bell, pleaded guilty but said he hadn't stolen the shoes, but had merely taken them as a joke. Judge Bell said such a

plea was one of not guilty, and remanded the man for two weeks for trial, releasing him on bail. He appeared before the judge on Tuesday, pleaded guilty unconditionally and was fined \$50 for his joke.

The following extract is from the statement of a young man, sentenced to be hanged, to his pastor. It carries with it a warning which many will do well to heed.

"I desire to make this statement to the general public, but mostly to young people, as a warning against three things, namely: Cigarette smoking, strong drink and bad company. I have lived nearly all my life in Hamilton. When young, my home training was badly neglected. I have never had either good example or advice. I was permitted to run the streets at all hours, and with all kinds of companions, where I formed my bad habits that have helped to ruin me. I am not naturally a criminal, nor bad hearted, but I have been unfortunate, and I feel if I had only had a fair chance, I would not be where I am this hour. I had fair trial, and am justly condemned. I hold no spite against anyone, and freely forgive all, as I hope by the mercy of God to be forgiven. I warn young men not to carry pistols, as there is no good comes from them; also to shun bad companions, as they always drag you down, and, above all else, leave whiskey and beer alone, for, above everything else, these have been my ruin. I very much regret the life I have lived. Many kind friends often advised me and offered to help me to do better, but I was foolish and careless, and wouldn't listen to them. This I am deeply sorry for, but it is too late now. If I had only followed their good advice, I would not be in this dreadful place and position before I am twenty-one years of age. (Signed) George A. Pearson."

Mr. George Licht, a young man twenty-seven years of age, committed suicide at Roseville on Thursday, 5th inst., by hanging himself in his father's barn. He tied a rope to a piece of scantling which he

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## Koehler, The Tailor.

His prices are right. Satisfaction guaranteed. Try him before buying elsewhere.

C. D. KOEHLER, Merchant Tailor, Wellesley.

had fastened under the roof directly above an opening leading from the barn floor to the loft. His suspended body was cold when discovered. The coroner's jury returned a verdict of suicide while temporarily insane.

### AN ACTUAL FISHING TALE

WHICH HAPPENED ON ASCENSION DAY IN THE FLATS A MILE AND A HALF SOUTH OF WELLESLEY.

The day was bright and clear. People were there from far and near. Lemme Pouch, Chickie Mamma and other three set early fishing under a tree. They saw that fishing would nothing be. So they joined together in a frolicking spree. They talked and sipped away. And nearly forgot they were fishing that day. At last they went at the fishes to look. As they nibbled away at the baitless hook. Behind a log lay the keg so dirty. For ten dry boys it came last badly. They crawled and sneaked till they reached the spot. And drank of the beer a terrible lot. Lemme Pouch came blipping and hopping along. Howling and roaring a lamenting song. Chickie Mamma amazed and astounded. And wondered how they had found it. The boys walked off with smiling zest. Feeling he got, slightly refreshed. Chickie and Pouch back fishing went. But regular did to the beer attack. They lashed and they lashed, and all they got. Things like a finger a terrible lot. Chickie now stretched on a blanket lay. Wishing for the end of the glorious day. Lemme Pouch and the others kept fishing away. Didn't they get in a jolly good day?

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