

Wellesley Maple Leaf.

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

Vol. I. No. 39.

WELLESLEY VILLAGE, ONTARIO, THURSDAY, JULY 11TH, 1901.

J.W. GREEN, Editor and Prop.

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LIABILITIES. TO THE PUBLIC—Notes in Circulation \$1,680,221 Deposits 11,549,904 Due other Banks 169,924 \$13,330,049

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DOERING'S CORNERS.

July 10th, 1901. Mrs. Catherine Axt. from Hunover, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mr. Peter Diebel from near St. Agatha, was the guest of Mr. Sum'l Axt over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Christoph Misner, of Berlin, have been visiting in this neighborhood. They were the guests of Mrs. Val. Schmidt last week.

The heavy thunderstorm on Friday last brought a copious supply of the long-looked-for rain, which was very welcome. During the storm a cow belonging to Mr. Lorenz Schmidt received a severe electric shock from the effects of which she could not walk for two days. Mr. Geo. Heipel's house was struck by lightning on Friday night, destroying some of the cornice on the east side of the house. Some large sized hailstones fell with the rain.

LISBON.

July 9th, 1901. Mr. and Mrs. Nichol, of Wallace township, spent Sunday the guests of Mr. H. Witzel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Koch were at Hampstead on Sunday visiting at Mr. John Schmidt's.

Mr. Fred Rherberg spent Sunday in Wellesley.

Mr. C. Schwambee was at friends' in Rostock on Sunday.

After the continued period of dry weather, the rain last Friday evening has wonderfully refreshed the fields and gardens.

Business is rushing at our brick yard these days. Last Thursday, Friday and Saturday the following had bees, and bricks went like hot cakes: Geo. Schultz, Jacob Jantzi, Rudy Lichty, Jacob Wagler and Wm. Falk. Keep the rush a-going.

WELLESLEY T.P. COUNCIL.

The municipal council of the township of Wellesley met, pursuant to adjournment, on Monday, July 1st, 1901, at the hour of one p.m. All members were present, the reeve in the chair. The minutes of their previous meeting, held the 3rd day of June, were read and adopted.

Communications, bills and accounts were laid on the table and after being read, dealt with in the following manner, viz.:

It was moved by Geo. Forwell, seconded by J. B. Lichty, that the following accounts be paid and that the reeve issue his orders for the same, respectively, viz.:

John Bauman, for 60 loads of gravel at 3 cents per load (3600) 3.60 Andrew Tilley, scraping with team and two men 1 day 1.50 John Ottmann, for taking J. Meyer to house of refuge 2.00 Whitteman & Barnes Mfg. Co., for six road scrapers 41.00 Henry Koller, for three new culverts, 24 in. for 1 yds. gravel 2.25 total 50.35 Ed. Meyer, putting in two sewer pipe culverts 4.00 J. E. Pet, teaming sewer pipes 22.00 men shovelling gravel 2 days 22.00 two men filling scrapers one day 22.00 two teams with men grading one day 24.50 total 124.50 Mr. Scrone, for water used through fall wheat 2.00 Carried.

It was thereafter moved by W. J. Beggs, seconded by H. N. Huehn, that the sum of \$5.33 be paid to Sam Petch as compensation for one sheep killed by a dog or dogs, and that the reeve issue his order for the same. Carried.

It was then moved by J. B. Lichty, seconded by George Forwell, that the sum of \$5.33 be paid to Jos. Kieswetter as compensation for one sheep killed by a dog or dogs, and that the reeve issue his order for the same. Carried.

On motion of Messrs. Beggs and Huehn, sanctioned by the reeve, an order of three dollars was granted to Jos. Kieswetter as reward for

killing a dog in the act of worrying sheep.

After due consideration, it was moved by W. J. Beggs, seconded by H. N. Huehn, that although the sheep of John Reitzel which was killed by a dog or dogs was not in his, but in his neighbor's enclosure at the time, the unanimous feeling of this council is that the sum of five dollars be paid to the said John Reitzel and that the reeve issue his order for the same. Carried.

After the completion of all the ordinary work by the council, the tenders received by the reeve, relating to the iron bridge to be constructed across the Nith river, con. 3, western section of this township, were opened and read by the reeve. The Board of Councillors thoroughly examined and compared all the plans and specifications accompanying each tender, and after satisfactory investigation of the same, it was moved by H. N. Huehn, seconded by W. J. Beggs, that the tender of the Stratford Iron Bridge Works Co. for the construction of a steel bridge 75 ft. long, with a roadway of 16 ft. clear across the Nith river, 3rd concession, western section, in the township of Wellesley, Waterloo Co., for the sum of eight hundred and eighty dollars, to include steel joists and tubular railing, be accepted, work to be completed according to plans and specifications on or before Sept. 20th, 1901. Carried.

After an earnest comparison of the different tenders for the abutments to said bridge, it was moved by Geo. Forwell, seconded by J. B. Lichty, that the tender of Messrs. Rowan & Elliott, for the construction of concrete abutments to the steel bridge across the Nith river, 3rd concession, western section, in the township of Wellesley, county of Waterloo, for the sum of \$5.63 per cubic yard, be accepted, work to be completed according to the proportion of mixtures contained in said tender, and to be completed on or before Sept. the 5th, 1901. Carried.

It was finally moved by J. B. Lichty, seconded by Geo. Forwell, that this council do now adjourn to meet again first Monday in August at the township hall, Crosshill, at the hour of 10 a. m., when applications for collectors for the township of Wellesley will be received. Carried. PETER F. SCHEMMER, Clerk.

Clerk's office, St. Clements, July 5th 1901.

MILLBANK.

July 5th, 1901. Mr. Arthur Smith is improving slowly after an attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

Miss Jennie Freeborn is home for her summer holidays.

Mr. Joseph Burke bought a car load of hogs around Poole recently, which he intends shipping on Monday.

Master Robbie Grieves, of Newton, has secured a position in Mr. Babb's store.

Mr. Willie Burke has taken the milk route which Mr. Alex. Smith had this spring.

BAMBERG.

July 8th, 1901. SILVER WEDDING.—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kieswetter celebrated their silver wedding on Thursday, July 4th. Over one hundred guests enjoyed themselves. After partaking of a richly laid supper the guests enjoyed singing and dancing and all kinds of games. They went home at an early hour in the morning, all saying they had had a jolly good time. Mr. Kieswetter is a brother of Mr. John Kieswetter,

the well known hotelkeeper, of Bamberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Straus have returned from their visit to Formosa. Mr. Straus drove up to Formosa with a first class span of horses, but on his arrival there, one of his horses died from the heat.

Mr. John Kieswetter purchased a fine driver from a man near Elmira the other day.

On July 3rd, the wife of Mr. Reichert, twins. Both daughters. One of them died the next day.

Mr. Hy. B. Doering, Waterloo, spent Sunday in Bamberg and was the guest of John Kieswetter.

HAMPSTEAD.

July 9th, 1901. Mr. Duncan Stewart is putting up a new wire fence across the front half of his farm. The side of the road is nicely levelled, and this will very much improve the appearance of the fence and farm.

Messrs. Kuntze, Schultz and Hoffmeier have also put up new wire fences, along the 20th sideroad near the boundary. That part of the road has always been almost impassable in winter. They will not have so much trouble breaking roads next winter. The township council should refund some of the taxes for thus improving a bad road.

Quite a number of the swamp farmers, the Canada Co. agent and the reeve met on the 12th concession, near the farm of Mr. Jutzi, in order to come to some agreement about the Jutzi drain. About half of them signed a petition to bring the matter before the council.

UNIONVILLE.

(Intended for last week.) Mr. Peter Berg's new barn was successfully raised on Thursday. The structure is a large one and adds much to the appearance and convenience of the farm.

Haying is still occupying the attention of farmers although the bulk of it is over. Fall wheat is ripening fast. The fields look well and promise a heavy yield.

CROSSHILL.

July 8th, 1901. PICNIC.—The Canadian Foresters of this place held their picnic in Mr. J. H. Campbell's grove on Friday afternoon. The weather was very threatening all day, nevertheless quite a number braved the elements to attend. High Chief Ranger Elliott was present and delivered a long speech which was patiently listened to. The supper was a splendid one and was heartily enjoyed. The Heidelberg Brass Band was the attractive feature of the occasion, the boys surprising everybody by the proficiency of their playing. After supper the gathering adjourned to an adjoining meadow where the Linwood and Crosshill football teams crossed shins in a friendly match. The Crosshill boys proving the victors by a score of two goals to none. At the conclusion of the game the rainstorm broke loose with great fury and many of the picnickers experienced an exciting wind-up to one of the most enjoyable picnics ever held here.

Haying is still occupying the attention of our farmers.

Mr. Williams, formerly teacher here, was visiting friends in this place one day last week.

Rev. F. W. Tuerk, of Berlin, suddenly died on Wednesday of last week, in his 81st year.

During a thunderstorm last week, Mr. T. R. Smith, of Wilmot, had two fine steers killed by lightning.

Macle Leaf

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 Full advertisement, 100 lines, 12 months, \$10.00
 Half advertisement, 50 lines, 12 months, \$5.00
 Quarter advertisement, 25 lines, 12 months, \$2.50
 Single insertion, 10 lines, 12 months, \$1.00

Business Cards 50 cents per line per year.

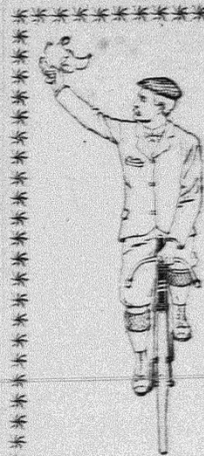
All changes of copy for advertisements must
 be made at the office not later than Monday noon.
 Extra advertisements for three insertions
 before the close of the year will be charged at
 the rate for the first insertion, and for each
 subsequent insertion.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Much weight will be attached to, and many a transaction governed by, the statement made in a recent interview by Premier Roblin, of Manitoba, to the effect that the wheat crop of that province will likely be a record one this year, and that, with normal weather conditions, the output will total up fifty millions of bushels next fall. The farmer will derive in part, and machinery rents to be paid, or improvements to be made about his place, the railroad and elevator men will make extra preparation to accommodate the enormous shipments, while the millionaire wheat magnates will prepare to squeeze down the price and buy up the whole output on paper, for future speculation.

On these important matters the farmer will have the least to say in the voluminous part of the deal, namely, the price he is to get for the product of his soil. This item is too often pre-arranged in the offices of the magnates or the speculators themselves. Co-operation among the wheat raisers, it would seem, is the only safeguard against this one-sided way of doing business, but farmers are so situated geographically as to render the frequent intercourse necessary to perfect organization next to impossible. One course still remains, namely, control of the price of products to the producers in a province by the government of that province. Any organization must have a head, whence the judgements and decisions of the whole body must proceed, and should the producers of any province combine, through the medium of their legislators, to secure the highest possible figure for their chief export product, there is little doubt that they could at least prevent the stock exchange gamblers from bearing down the price below the paying mark, and in all probability make a material gain on the price of the whole season's output.

The statistical year book for 1900 has just been issued by the government. It is a very complete work and gives the statistical details in each department. At the risk of tiring our readers with figures, which are always tedious, we give some of the totals as summed up in the book: The total revenue for 1900 was \$51,029,994; expenditure \$42,373,280. There were 1,327 post offices in the Dominion, through which there passed 173,292,500 letters and 133,418,771 newspapers, circulars, etc. There were 230 new vessels built, with a tonnage of 28,544. The total imports were valued at \$189,522,513. The Dominion debt amounts to \$246,206,980, less assets valued at \$80,713,473. The government expenditures were: on railways, \$4,068,348; on canals, \$2,772,002; on other public works, \$1,689,548. The 17,667 miles of railroad in the Dominion cost \$47,669,738 to operate and earned \$70,740,270. These railroads use 2,238 lo-



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comotives and 70,346 cars of all kinds and carried 21,300,173 passengers during the year. The chartered banks have a gross paid-up capital of \$64,750,145; assets, \$140,343,202; liabilities, \$240,293,375. In the Dominion there are 447 post office service banks which were taken at midnight of 31st Dec. 1897 deposits, the balances on June 30th, 1900, being \$57,307,356. Not less than 1,074,242 money orders were issued for sums amounting to \$10,299,569. The postal notes were not so extensively used, the number being 759,250, for the total sum of \$1,289,378.

Milverton has no river or creek within its borders, but a little thing like that doesn't stop the fun man. One day recently he saw a bear wagon pass his office so he at once sat down and wrote: "The brown season is now on."

Politicians either have some "inside" news that the Ontario elections are to be held soon, or they want a long period in which to do their canvassing and hoodling this time, for candidates are being nominated at the rate of two or three a week these days all over the Province.

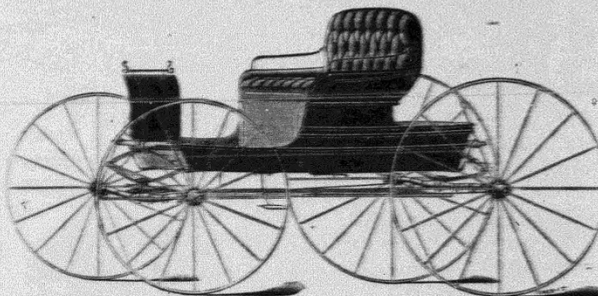
The largest leather belt ever made in Canada has been manufactured by Suller & Haworth of Toronto. The belt is for the Ogilvie Milling Company of Winnipeg. It is six feet wide and 115 feet long, made of leather three ply thick. The price paid for this monster belt was \$4800.00.

A fellow who could not spare a dollar for his local newspaper, sent 50 cents stamps to a Yankee to know "how to raise beets." He got this answer: "Take hold of the top and pull for all you are able."

Waterloo Chronicle.—A number of prominent citizens of Berlin attended the barn raising of Mr. Frank Scherer, near New Germany on Monday. The healthful and exhilarating influence of the trip was quite visible on these gentlemen some time after their return to town. These gentry had with them a camera, and not only took views of the landscape on the line of their travels, and of the new barn they assisted in raising, but also pictures of themselves, which later, for mysterious, latent and undeveloped beauty are one of the marvels of the age. Indeed, Berlin may well feel proud of being able to send such an array of her intelligent sons to represent her at a country barn raising.

A disastrous fire occurred in the office of the Fergus Canadian on Monday evening, June 17th, doing much damage to the stock and office fittings. The energetic young publishers, however, are rapidly putting things to rights, and expect this week to have everything running in the usual order. Much sympathy is felt for the proprietors in the loss they have suffered so soon after embarking in their enterprise.

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| 18 4-inch Fruit Sauces, 25c. | 6 Card Receivers, 25c. |
| 6 Flower Vases, assorted, 50c. | 18 Salts and Peppers, 20c. |
| 12 Rose Bowls, 25c. | 6 Horn Tooth Picks, 20c. |
| 2 Squares and Covers, 50c. | 8 Shoe Match Safes, 20c. |
| 2 Butter Dishes and Covers, 75c. | 6 Sleigh Bon Buns, 25c. |
| 2 spoons, 35c. | |

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Calendar for July.

	S	M	T	W	T	F	S
Full M. last	1	2	3	4	5	6	
Last M. last	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
New M. last	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Full M. last	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
	28	29	30	31			

LOCAL NEWS.

Union Sunday school next Sunday at 3.30 p. m.

One second-hand Maxwell horse for sale. Apply to LOUIS SCHUB.

Miss Lotie Hogg, of the Stratford Collegiate Institute, is home for the holidays.

Half a dozen or so Wellesley people took in the Forester's picnic at Crosshill last Friday.

Cherries are beginning to ripen. The crop will be a fairly large one in this neighborhood.

Freeborn L.O.L. intends to take in the Twelfth of July celebration at Stratford tomorrow.

Messrs. and Mesdames Schneider and Eit, of Woodside, visited friends in town on Sunday last.

The Brass Band serenaded Mr. John Bickert on Saturday evening. A most enjoyable time was spent.

Mr. Herman Becker and the Messrs. Bauer and Pequinat, of New Hamburg, called on Mrs. Kelterborn here last Sunday.

Mr. J. G. Reimer sold his fine saddle horse the other day to a government buyer. The animal is intended for cavalry use in South Africa.

Mr. B. J. Preiss, blacksmith, spent Dominion Day with friends in Clifford, returning home on the 2nd. Mrs. Preiss accompanied him on the trip and is still there, visiting.

Lost—On the section line, between 3rd and 4th lines, last Friday afternoon, a bicycle pump, repair kit, etc. Finder will please leave it at the Maple Leaf office, where it belongs.

Mrs. John Miller, of Gretna, Man., who is at present on a visit to relatives in and around this village, and her sister, Mrs. Fred Fleischhauer, started yesterday for Toronto, where they expect to remain a day or two, returning home this week.

Lawn tennis is getting to be quite a popular pastime in the village. The nets on the fair ground are in use every evening, and a new court has been established in the lot opposite Berdix' butcher shop. It is expected that a strong club will be organized for the fall season.

Mr. Chas. Heipel has returned home for the holidays from Concord, New Hampshire, where he has been teaching in a Commercial College. He has been taken into partnership by the firm and will be entrusted with the management of a college near Concord after the holidays.

T. B. Saunders, Esq., ex-Reeve of Wrentham, and for many years a member of the Huron county council, was in Wellesley from Friday till Monday last, visiting his son, Mr. A. J. Saunders, druggist. On Monday he started for Toronto, intending to take a boat trip to visit another son in Quebec, near Ottawa.

Mrs. Schmidt, of New Hamburg, is at present visiting with her son-in-law, Mr. M. S. Wilhelm, in this village.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Schaub attended the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Rohfritsch, at Sebringville on Sunday last.

A severe thundershower occurred last Friday evening in this section, and rain fell in torrents during the night. No damage was done by the lightning so far as we can learn.

Rev. D. Lockner attended the conference in Humberstone, Welland county, all last week. He preached at Tonawanda, N. Y., last Sunday and while away visited the Pan-American exhibition at Buffalo.

An effort is being made to get Milverton to play the return game of football here next week, and our boys are also making preparations to go to Linwood to play the return game with the team of that village.

Mr. J. N. Zinkann's family attended the funeral of Rev. Mr. Turk, in Berlin. The deceased had been preaching in the Swedish Lutheran church here while pastor of the Berlin church.

Rev. Mr. Draper, the new pastor of the New Hamburg Methodist Church, preached his first sermon in the Union church here last Sunday afternoon to a large congregation. He is an able and decent young speaker and created a very favorable impression.

One or two of our correspondents are a little inclined to mix "wags" in with the newsy letters they send to the Maple Leaf. Please don't do it, boys. One of these "wags," if it slips past inspection in the office, may easily do the paper a harm that a dozen good news-letters cannot atone for. Say nothing of the injury to the party who receives the thrust.

The Wellesley Brass Band will give a serenade from their stand tomorrow (Friday) evening when the following program will be rendered:

March—The New York Tribune Overture—Birth of Love Polka—As You Like It Waltz—Love Songs Serenade—Be Kind to All Quick March—Bellevue God Save the King.

The officials are having the race track at the Agricultural Society's Park plowed and put in condition for the coming Wellesley Fall Show. Interest in this year's exhibition is already being aroused and September 24th and 25th will be the dates of the best show ever held here if "all hands" take hold of the affair in the right spirit.

Dr. Glaister, assisted by Dr. Marty, of New Hamburg, performed a surgical operation at the residence of Mr. Daniel Kennel, in this village, yesterday. It seems that Mr. Kennel had been suffering for many months past with what is familiarly known as "white swelling" in one of his limbs. Later on the disease took the nature of a running sore and finally Dr. Glaister was called in when the operation of yesterday was decided upon. A large bone was taken from the heel and it is now hoped that Mr. Kennel will recover, although the case is a serious one.

Attention is directed to the Bank of Hamilton's advertisement in another column in which an abstract of its 19th Annual statement to shareholders is. A very successful year of business and growth, which forms the best argument as to its popularity and banking methods. We note that its deposits have increased from \$5,477,493 in 1895 to \$11,549,904 in 1901; its capital in the first named year was \$1,350,000 and now is \$1,395,750 and at the annual meeting held a few days ago, power was given the directors to increase it to \$2,500,000. Its reserve, which in 1894, was \$675,000, has grown to be \$1,398,000; its liquid assets have increased from \$1,080,723 in that year to \$5,083,350 in this, and its total assets from \$6,559,126 in 1895, to \$17,071,750 in 1901. The Bank of Hamilton is a

carefully managed and obliging bank which has won progress and success by the employment of good methods and loyal and efficient agents.

Mr. John Mayer's coach horse succumbed to the heat a week ago last Saturday. The animal had been driven to Hamburg the previous evening and gave out at Philadelphia on the return trip. Everything possible was done for the animal without avail. This horse was brought to the Albion hotel stables when a three year-old, some 15 or 17 years ago and has remained there ever since. During its long service in the one place it got to be a familiar figure and was known by nearly everyone within a wide radius. The horse was very affectionate and intelligent and its demise removes one of the old landmarks.

We understand that Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Dewar and Principal Kerr are to visit Manitoba this month.

NITHBURG.

July 28, 1901.

The storm we had last Friday night interfered somewhat with the haying. Mr. J. Pfeffer has cut three acres of hay and expects to get ten loads from it. He has a fine crop.

Mr. Peter Berdix, of Baden, was visiting at Mr. Ruppert's the other day.

The crop of plums promises to be a plentiful one this year.

The lightning rod was placed on the schoolhouse at Hampstead last Friday.

Mrs. Bronk and her daughter were on a visit to friends in New Hamburg last week.

LISWOOD.

July 28, 1901.

Master M. Hilbert had the misfortune the day last week to fall and dislocate his elbow.

Miss McCauley, we are glad to inform her many friends, is getting along well, and will soon be up again.

Miss Nellie Little, of Listowel, is visiting at Dr. McEachern's.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad, and Mr. Henry Heimbuch and Mrs. Fish all left for the Pan American today.

Our football team journeyed over to Crosshill last Friday and had a friendly game with the team of that city. The score was 1 to 0 in favor of Crosshill. We hope the score will be turned, boys, when the return battle is fought.

The Ladies Aid society of the Methodist church held their annual strawberry festival last Wednesday evening, June 27th. The night was all that could be desired. An excellent program was given, and altogether the festival was a grand success. Total receipts about \$65.

Mr. and Mrs. John Spahr, of Midway are visiting at Mr. A. Spahr's this week.

Mr. B. Y. Fish is moving his old store onto the new foundation this week to make room for the new store which will be built on the corner. When the block is completed it will be a fine stand.

Mr. A. Lytle, of Traloe, was in town last Friday.

Miss Jennie Williamson has gone to her home in Harrison to spend the holidays. We wish her a pleasant time.

Rev. Mr. Cunningham, we are pleased to state, was able to be present and preach last Sunday after an absence of two weeks, on account of the accident in which he was badly injured some time ago.

Harry Kelterborn's

Meat Market

WELLESLEY, ONTARIO

All kinds of FRESH and SALT MEATS, BACON, SALTED, SHOULDERS, SACS, ASK, etc., always on hand.

Orders promptly delivered to all parts of the town.

Highest Cash Price paid for Hides.

For young cattle, veal calves, hogs and lambs wanted.

For Sale.

Black and white cow, with a few spots, 4 years old, good milk, good temper, good nature, also trained for fence and carriage. Easy terms. Apply to ARTHUR SMITH, Wellesley 2nd.

Dog Lost.

On Friday, June 28th, a COLLIE-SPANIEL, with long shaggy coat, grey neck and yellow mouth, named "Mamie". About 10 years old. Will give reward to search for same. Address, ARTHUR SMITH, Wellesley.

Special

Friday and Saturday

Bargains

EVERY WEEK AT

CHINA HALL

STRATFORD, Ont.

THIS WEEK.

DEEP PRICE CHINA SETS.

25.00 and 25.00 sets of 12	12.50
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AND IN THE BASEMENT

China Granite Tea Plates

Light granite pudding plates

Granite tea pots, cups, white and blue, three cases, all the

J. L. BRADSHAW,

Five doors east of the Post Office.

WARNING NOTICE!

Mr. P. Tate O'Boyle, advance agent for that well known and unswerving family, was in town this week looking up suitable locations for members of his tribe. He has decided to camp in

YOUR POTATO PATCH

for the summer. If they are not welcome, defend yourself against this invasion by procuring a good supply of

"PARIS GREEN."

It can be procured FRESH and GUARANTEED strictly pure, at

THE DRUG STORE,

Wellesley, Ont.

Ink Splashes

ARE BUSINESS WORKERS—CLEAN & IF YOU

SPLASH IN THE RIGHT PLACE!

THE WELLESLEY

Maple Leaf

It is scattered in golden showers all over this section every week. It is a message of profit to the reader and a vehicle of profit to the advertiser.

We splash it on the LEAF in ink; it returns to you in gold

Everybody reads the MAPLE LEAF.
Everybody will use your advertisement.

New Blacksmith

B. J. PREISS,

Succesor to Mr. W. E. Leighton in Mick's old stand, opposite Reimer's.

OTHER WORK OF ALL KINDS DONE CHEAPLY AND PROMPTLY.

JNO. YOUNG

Merchant Tailor,

Wellesley.

Has his shelves filled with the most elegant lines of Winter Suits in all the Up-to-Date Patterns. The very best methods are used in cutting and fitting, and every article that goes out of my shop is guaranteed.

My PRICES are as Low as the Lowest.

My WORK is as Good as the Best.

IMPROVED

Yorkshire Pigs!

FOR SALE

Pedigrees given. Both sexes.

Six litters of young pigs now ready to choose from. Also a few young sows in pig.

Imported Boars kept for service. Have also a few head of Short-horn cattle for sale.

Reasonable Prices.

JOHN HILL,

WELLESLEY

WELLESLEY MARKETS.

Wednesday, July 25th, 1901.

To-day's quotations are:

Wheat	50c
Oats	37
Barley	36
Poss	00c

Other products are bought at these prices:

Butter, 1 lb.	15c
Eggs, 1 doz.	14c
Lard, 1 lb.	11c
Tallow, (rendered), 1 lb.	3c
Dried apples, 1 pound	4c
Wool, 1 pound, cash	15
Wool, 1 pound, factory trade	16c

Five weddings were reported from Tavistock the week before last, and four last week.

Breslau was the scene of another railway accident last week. During a thunderstorm a train ran away and came to grief on the iron bridge. One train was stopped, but a second one ran into the outfit and the engine and several cars were derailed. One horse had to be killed.

Col. Leys, Liberal, and Mr. F. J. Dorch, Labor Socialist, have been nominated at London, Ont., for the Legislative Assembly.

Mr. Jacob Wettlauffer and Miss Louisa Ruthig, both of New Hamburg, were married on Sunday, June 30th. The young couple will reside in Berlin.

A Bright man was fined \$50 the other day at Woodstock for selling a cow that had lumpy-jaw.

An exchange says: When a young man feels that he doesn't want another fellow making goo-goo eyes at his best girl—that is love.

An Ellice farmer was fined two dollars in Stratford for damages done a shade tree by tying his horse to it.

The Good One.—My man, it makes me feel bad to see you coming out of a saloon.

The Bad One.—Well boss, it would not have done ver any good if yer had saw me goin' in. I only had a nicker.

There will be a big Twelfth of July celebration in Stratford tomorrow.

Dr. Jamieson has been nominated by the Conservatives of South Grey, as their candidate for the Legislature.

Freddy: "Ma, what's an angel?" Mother: "A little girl with wings, who flies."

Freddy: "But I heard pa telling the governess yesterday she was an angel. Will she fly?" Mother: "Yes, my dear, the first thing to-morrow."

Hambury Independent.—Anthony Weber, the Wilnot centenarian, who passed the century mark on May 14th, died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Reiner, in Bloomingdale, on Sunday, June 30th. Deceased was one of the first who settled in the ancient forest of this Township, on a farm on Snider's road, near the village of Baden, where he lived over sixty years. His remains were laid to rest at the St. Agatha cemetery on Tuesday forenoon. The children alive to mourn his death are Jacob, of Shakespeare; Joseph, of Linwood; Mrs. Spitzig, of Cleveland; Mrs. Rellinger, of Bloomingdale, and Mrs. Philip Arnold of Berlin.

Pittsburg Dispatch.—Glasgow is unique, from the fact that it is the one city whose corporation successfully practice municipal ownership on a wider range than any other. The city builds and manages tenement houses which rent at moderate rates. In order to reach the poorer class of people it maintains lodging houses for men and women with beds at nominal rates, with kitchen and laundry privileges and opportunities to buy cooked and uncooked food. Swimming tanks, bath houses and public laundries are also maintained. Glasgow owns its water works, gas and electric light works. Gas was sold for 52 cents a thousand feet until the rise in the price of coal last year, when the rate was raised to 60 cents. The city operates its street railway system, and its fares are the lowest in the world, averaging according to a recent statement in a magazine article, 1.77 cents per passenger. Small as these rates are the system makes a profit of 5 per cent, after allowing for depreciations and 3 per cent interest on indebtedness. Last April Glasgow began the operation of its new telephone system, charging about \$25 a year for unlimited service on individual wires, or about \$17 and 2 cents a call for those who prefer. The city is also considering municipal cemeteries, fire insurance

Farmers having binder twine on order, please call for same at once.

Clearing Millinery Sale!

In order to clear the balance of our Spring Stock, we will offer

SPECIAL BARGAINS

in **TRIMMED HATS, SAILORS, SHAPES, TIPS, FLOWERS, RIBBONS, TRIMMINGS, etc.,**

Regardless of profit, for the balance of this month. This is a grand opportunity to purchase good goods for little money. Call early ere the stock is broken.

On sale this week:

One table of Ladies' and Children's Boots and Shoes—blacks and tans—at less than cost, to clear.

CALL and see them.

20,000 POUNDS WOOL WANTED. 15 cents cash, or 18 cents factory exchange
16 " " " 19 " " "

The latter price for EXTRA CLEAN WERCHABLE wool.

Above prices are OVER THREE CENTS HIGHER THAN PRESENT TORONTO MARKETS.

J. G. REINER

WELLESLEY, ONT.

and banking, as well as the purchase of coal mines for supplying fuel for its public works. Glasgow is up-to-date in public sanitation and health regulations. No politics enters into its government and every detail is conducted on the same lines as those of a successful private business corporation.

THE PROFESSOR AND THE KISS.

Baltimore American.

(Prof. Crook, of the Northwestern University, has sprung into fame by asserting that he "never hugged or kissed a woman.")

Professor, oh, Professor! Did you never shyly slip Your arm around a damsel with a red and pouting lip? Did you never feel a quiver From your fingers to your toes When you sought to kiss her rightly, but caromed on her nose?

Professor, oh, Professor! Did you never take a drive When the moonlight and the maiden made you glad you were alive? Never guide the horse one-handed, Or through one part of the trip Let him amble slowly homeward with the lines wrapped round the whip?

Professor, oh, Professor! Of your failings I take note, And it's hard to think that really you have got the right to vote! And my only hope, Professor, If it's true you've not been kissed, Is that Fate has fixed it some way that you don't know what you've missed.

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Highest Cash Price paid for Hides.
Fat young cattle, veal calves, hogs and lambs wanted.

The Hot Weather

Has come, and the best way to keep cool is to buy a Nice Light Suit from

Kochler, The Tailor.

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

C. D. KOEHLER, Merchant Tailor, Wellesley.

Clearing Sale of Shoes!

Women's low shoes, black and tan, reduced to 50c
Men's course shoes that sold from \$1 to \$1.25, now 75c
A table of Men's Odd Lines of Fine Boots at greatly reduced prices.

I have also a large stock of Ladies' Oxfords, and Button and Lace Boots, which I will sell at a fair price.

I am agent for the Williams Patent Shoes.

Come and see my stock.

C. Hammer,

LEADER IN BOOTS AND SHOES.

The Maple Leaf,

WELLESLEY.

Prints all the Local News. Reaches the best homes.

Is the best advertising medium in this section.

\$1.00 per year Clubs with the Leading Canadian Journals.

JOB WORK.

FROM THE HEAVIEST POSTER TO THE FINEST CARD. NEATLY AND PROMPTLY DONE.

LISBON Brick and Tile YARDS.

Finest WHITE BRICK, Wire Cut Brick and Stock Brick, on hand.

I manufacture FIRST CLASS FIRE BRICK, equal to any fire brick made on the continent. Also a special CIRCLED BRICK for use in wells.

TILE of all sizes, from 2½ inch up to 10 inches always in stock.

Orders promptly filled.

GEO. HOHL.

F. Berdux & Son

—WHOLESALE AND RETAIL—

BUTCHERS

WELLESLEY ONTARIO

Also Hides and Skins Bought.