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Maple Leaf

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OCTOBER SCHOOL REPORTS.

LUXWOOD.

Pupil standing highest in senior department, Elsie Spahr with 86 per c.; highest in junior department, Tena Deckert with 80 per c.

Jr. 4th—Total 895. Irene Berlet 627; Alton Baker 625; Verna Parr 621; 506; Tommy Rafferty 435; Louisa Sutter 405; Wesley Cathcart 357.
Sr. 3rd—Total 876. Frank (Globe) 631; Watson Williams 529; Ella Goetz 493; Oscar Oakley 299; Cassie Baker 258; Willie Neupert 231.

Jr. 3rd—Total 760. Elsie Spahr 660; Harvey Bogen 594; May Berlet 531; Menno Deckert 464; Louisa Voll 284; Gracie Strome 90; John Strome 67.

Sr. 2nd—Total 695. Bert Heinbuch 469; Laura Goetz 418; Pearl Friedmann 411; Tossie Koebel 402; Henry Karley 376; Minetta Crosby 372; John Rafferty 267; Charley Hackett 123.

Junior 2nd—Total 453. Tena Deckert 391; Harold Parr 334; Ruby Goetz 312; Bartley Rafferty 246; Phoebe Sutter 212; Norman Annet 199; John Peller 159; Fred Friedman 118; Milton Hilker 103.

NEW PRUSSIA.

(Maximum for each class, 100.)

Junior 4th—George Glebe 78; Edu Guenther 69; Mary Knapp 55; John Ehl 52; Anil Hohl 33.

Junior 3rd—Allan Schnitz 55; Charley Hintz 79; Olivia Buchheit 78; Olivia Paff 72; Ruby Cook 59; Amos Bast 58.

Senior 2nd—Edna Schmidt 89; Lucinda Guenther 88; Geo. Knapp 83; Frenie Bast 82; Edwin Schmidt 78; George Bast 77; Edna Krumpin 65; Johnny Streicher 61.

Junior 2nd—Lavinia Hohl 71; Albert Hammer 64; Ezra Hammer 62; Clara Streicher 54; Johnny Bast 52.
S. J. ARSOTT, Teacher.

PHILIPSBURG.

Fifth Class—Lizzie Wiederhold. Senior 4th—Ferdinand Nitardy, Herbert Eidl.

Junior 4th—Edwin Doering, Ennie Eidl, Edna Ratz.
Senior 3rd—Salome Pfanner, Maudie Ratz, Minnie Mohr.

Junior 3rd—Martha Nitardy, Jno Hartung, Alfred Kieswetter.
Senior 2nd—Freddie Habel, Allan Ratz, Alvin Eidl.

Junior 2nd—Elmer Doering, Herbert Mohr, William Seyler.

Senior Part 2—Christine Lantz, Viola Lemp, William Hartung.
Junior Part 2—Rosa Habel, Pearl Hammel, Pearl Lemp.

Part 1—Othilia Mohr, Sydney Eidl, Reinhard Heldman.
E. D. EIDL, Teacher.

NOTHING LIKE GOOD REPUTATION.—To have a good reputation in business goes a long way towards success. When the Family Herald and Weekly Star, of Montreal, with their reputation for doing things right, announce to the public that they are issuing portraits of the King and Queen to their subscribers, the public will be satisfied that their picture is the best obtainable, and will wait for it. The public will not be disappointed, either. The Family Herald's portraits of the King and Queen are each 18x24 inches, and are truly a

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Fresh Labrador Herring 25c. per dozen.

Salmon 10c.; three for 25c.

Coffee at 10 lbs. for \$1.

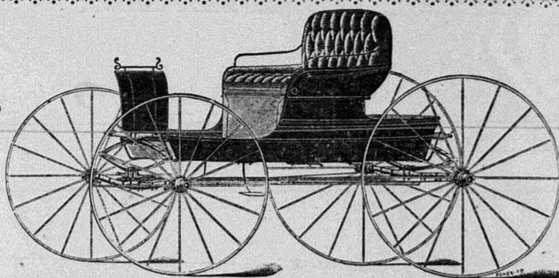
Raisins 5c. per pound.

Choice Fancy Biscuits, and a brand new stock of CONFECTIONERY.

Also Cheap Stationery.

Writing paper 5 cents per box.

Buggies,
Carriages
and
Cutters!



In order to make room for the Elegant Line of CUTTERS and SLEIGHS soon coming in, I am going to sell the rest of my wheeled vehicles at Almost Any Price. NOW IS YOUR CHANCE, as this means business. First-Class Buggies, Carriages, etc., Below Cost.

Wait till you see my Great Show of Cutters and Sleighs before you buy. It will put money in your pocket to deal with me.

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Ink Splashes

ARE BUSINESS WORKERS—THAT IS, IF YOU

SPLASH IN THE RIGHT PLACE!
THE WELLESLEY

Maple Leaf

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 see your Advertisement.

SPECIAL

Children's Clothing

bargains.

Heavy double-breasted suits, all sizes, special - - - \$3 50
Boys' Reefers, regular \$3.50, 2 50
Boys' top coats, regular \$6.50, 5 00
for

M. WILDFANG,

King Street, BERLIN.

SUGAR BEET TEST.—The following statement is vouched for by Mr. F. H. Jewell: There was raised from 2.5 of an acre of land by Chr. Wagler, lot 17, S. R., N. Wilmet, 15,260 pounds of sugar beets, equal to 19 tons and 150 pounds to the acre. At \$4 per ton this would realize \$76.30 per acre to the farmer.

The W.C.T.U. convention was held in Stratford last week, an immense delegation of ladies attending.

Warton is threatened with a wood famine.

There was a squirrel hunting match between two sets of Milverton's sports last week. The scores were as large as dead cats and taxidermy could make them.

The new brass foundry will be running in New Hamburg in a few months.

The Silver Spring Creamery Co., of Baden, made a shipment of about 15,000 pounds of butter on Monday of last week. About 600 pounds of butter are made in a day at present.

Several persons from Wilmet township attended the silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. J. Pletsch, of South Easthope, on Saturday, Oct. 26.

A large addition to the Warton chair factory is now completed and 50 new hands will shortly be added to the staff.

Daniel Jaunce, of South Easthope, was married on Wednesday, Oct. 23rd, to Julianna, daughter of Conrad Wilker, in Sebastopol church. Rev. Mr. Veit performed the ceremony.

Elmhurst sent 56 people to the Pan in one day recently.

Mr. Charles Loh, one of the players on the Marlboro football team of Tavistock, was married last week to Miss Annie Klein, of that place.

Mr. Alex. Fraser, New Hamburg's auctioneer, is fast recovering after having had one of the bones in his foot broken.

Prof. Shuttleworth awarded the sugar beet prizes for the Berlin Board of trade as follows: Allan B. Shantz ranks highest, his beets scoring 97 out of 100 marks; W. A. Schaffer gets second money with 87 marks; Jacob B. Shantz, with 83 marks, is third; Levi P. Martin, S. Herner and S. W. Schweitzer are equal, with 76 marks. The fourth, fifth and sixth prizes are \$15, \$10 and \$5, but were divided equally among the three men named above. J. B. Snyder and S. E. Shantz with 75 each, and Geo. Bauman, with 74, are worthy of special mention. The prizes were awarded on the following basis: Yield, quality of beet, and cultivation. Twelve tons to the acre counted 20 marks, and two marks additional were given for every ton over 12; 15 marks for standard sugar quality, 12 per cent over 12; four marks for 80 per cent. purity and one additional for each per cent. over 80; and five marks for thinning.

Mr. Theobald Rohlfritsch, of So. Brimville, passed away suddenly on Thursday last, a victim to neuralgia of the heart. Deceased was a native of the province of Alsace, and at one time resided at Petersburg. His father, Mr. John Rohlfritsch, was the first white man that died in the township of Ellice.

City Clerk Lang, of Stratford, gives the following vital statistics for October: Births, 27; marriages, 10; deaths, 16.

Peat is being produced in marketable shape at Beaverton at the rate of thirty tons per day, is being sold in competition with anthracite coal, and is being burned with good results.

Cheesley and Warton are suffering from a scarcity of dwellings.

A Kingston man has been arrested as insane because he sang of love to some women prisoners. It would rather seem that he showed sound intellectual qualities in not singing to women who could get at him.

The following is the report of the standing of the pupils in the Wellesley public school for the month of October. The names, in the junior departments, are placed in their order of merit:

	German.	Arabic.	Algebra.	Geometry.	Writing.	History.	Geography.	Total.
FIFTH CLASS.								
Ella Altman.	100	200	140	60	40	100	100	700
John Walton.	95	143	122	60	40	94	98	612
	88	45	73	19	..	83	85	393

	Latin.	Latin.	Latin.	Latin.	Latin.	Latin.	Latin.	Total.
SENIOR FOURTH.								
Charles Green.	90	165	23	84	33	73	97	564
Albert Berscht.	91	178	21	87	34	59	88	558
Tena Froelich.	83	166	21	61	36	82	99	548
Floppie Poppler.	94	158	22	72	35	73	89	543
Floppie Cleghorn.	89	157	17	87	29	80	86	535

	Latin.	Latin.	Latin.	Latin.	Latin.	Latin.	Latin.	Total.
JUNIOR FOURTH.								
Herbert Kaufman.	65	92	19	80	33	64	93	446
Elma Fleischhauer.	77	108	19	76	35	19	98	432
Henrietta Ottmann.	81	86	20	83	35	34	98	439
David Young.	66	87	13	64	32	27	71	360
Fred Froelich.	43	75	18	46	33	22	64	331
Walter Fleischhauer.	42	19	14	58	33	25	95	284
Harvey Schaub.	74	19	13	85	32	47	..	270
Eugene Lochner.	43	34	..	72	149

SENIOR THIRD							Total
	100						93
Walter Lochner.....	85	19	86	35			98 323
Ed. Lenhard.....	80	21	62	37			80 269
James Freeborn.....	90	15	63	35			72 275
David Walton.....	68	19	78	28			81 274
Eovina Bast.....	33		42	28			52 155
Albert Stahle.....	18	20	47	35			21 141
Arthur Trussler.....		19	37	34			41 131
Walter Mayer.....	15	22	33	35			21 129

MISS MURCH'S ROOM.—Junior 3rd—Edna Berscht, Kate Egerdi, Geo. Walton, Edith Schaub, Daniel Licht, Lizzie Berdux, Elma Meyer, Alma Ottmann, Alvin Forler, Edward Koehler, Harry Miller, Noah Gracho, Annie Dietz, Laura Luft, James Berdux.

Senior 2nd—Lydia Leis, Edith Altman, Nelda Preiss, Erna Green, Valeria Dingwall, Paula Lochner, Robert Kule, Minnie Ottmann, Mattie Kennell, Mary Berdux, Tena Bast, Nettie Falk, Allan Heimpel, Leah Roth, Charles Woiwade, Elenoria Ottmann, Theodore Berg, Louise Reibling, Clayton Farler, Christian Roth, Carl Forler, Edward Gingerich, Austin Neoh.

MISS STREETON'S ROOM.—Junior 2nd—Harold Bellinger, Agnes Lenhard and Edward Roeder (equal), Eileen Schaub, Mary Sanders, Lavina Ottmann, Olive Giebe, Caroline Miller, Mary Roth, Anna Daub, Rachel Leis, Daniel Kennel, John Stahle, Edwin Koehler, Wesley Mertz.

Part 2.—Joseph Gingerich, Willie Yent, Norma Green, Mary Roth, August Kule, Mattie Kropf, Helen Walton, John Kule, Katie Wagler, Susan Kennel, Florence Krantzweiser, Emma Leis, Oscar Heimpel, Christian Licht, Ivan Schopp, Daniel Grody, Emanuel Schwartzentruber, Gordon Meyer, Oliver Trussler, Charlie Miller, Louis Miller, Susannah Lehman, Arthur Sanders, Elliott Falk, Samuel Leis, Clayton Mayer.

MISS TAYLOR'S ROOM.—Senior Part II—Melinda Woiwade, Charissa Lips, Nancy Leis, Mary Wagler, Harry Lips, Fred Egerdi, Laura Miller, Minnie Yendt, Allan Berg.

Junior Part II.—Katie Wagner, Edward Dietz, Laura Miller and Clara Gingerich, Fannie Licht, Charlie Preiss, Herbert Berscht, Abel Ottmann, Hilda Lips, Irwin Fleischhauer, George Bellinger, Ella Mertz, Harry Dingwall, Selma Forler.

Senior 1.—Frieda Forler, Laura Woiwade, Ruth Lochner, Joseph Leis, Peter Leis, Herbert Luft, Nelda Hill, Albert Ottmann, Edwin Ottmann, Theodore Stahle, Joseph Roth, George Miller.

Junior 1.—Hilda Forler, Walter Dueneh, Clara Kennel, Madeline Lenhard, Mary Streicher, Clara Heimpel, David Bast, Harold Forler, Alveda Roeder, Marie Mayor, Christian Streicher, Beatrice Greenwood, Ethel Sanders, Norman Yendt, Mary Berdux, Florence Miller, Ruth Berdux, Lydia Roth, Minnie Berg, Henry Ritter, Mary Leis.

HOW TO BECOME RICH.

In this connection we beg to call attention to the advertisement of the Bank of Hamilton, Berlin, in another column. This popular institution is growing larger and stronger every year. Since Mar. '98, it has increased its paid-up capital three-quarters of a million dollars, its reserve fund half a million, its total assets over six million dollars. One of the best tests of a bank's financial position is the proportion which its reserve fund bears to its capital. The capital of the Bank of Hamilton is \$2,000,000 while its reserve fund is \$1,500,000, or 75 per cent. of its capital, thus affording exceptional security to its depositors.

"It is not what we earn, but what we save, that makes us rich," says a great writer.

It is easy enough to save, if you only make a start, and it is wonderful how quickly money accumulates if added to, little by little.

So many people say to themselves, "As soon as I get my debts paid I am going to try and save something." Don't wait till then; put a few dollars into the bank when you have them, and make up your mind to add a little every month, and in a short time your savings bank book will show a snug balance at your credit.

Many persons are nervous about starting a bank account. They look upon banking practice as a great mystery. They don't know anything about filling out forms, and are afraid they will do something wrong. If there is anything you don't understand, don't be

afraid to ask questions; the clerk are accustomed to them and will be glad to explain matters.

It is really quite simple. When you wish to put some money in the bank, go to the "teller," tell him your name, address and the amount you are giving him. He will count it and fill out a deposit slip, which you are to sign, to show that the amount stated on it is correct. You then get a passbook, with the amount entered in it by another clerk, who asks you to sign your name in a book, so that they will know you when you come in again.

The bank has thousands of customers, and it identifies each by the signature. Your name is not in the pass book, but it bears a number which corresponds to a place in the bank books, where all particulars are given.

The pass book must be presented at the bank whenever you wish to put in or take out any money. If you can't go yourself, you must send a written order to the bank, to pay bearer what you require.

Interest at current rates will be added to your account whether the pass book is brought or not.

Hesperol Oddfellows are celebrating today by holding an elaborate supper at the Queen's hotel, and an extensive program in their lodge rooms afterwards.

Clearview School, No. 19, Waterloo township, has been closed for two weeks on account of diphtheria being in that section.

Mr. John Bricker, sr., of Hawksville, died on Sunday, Oct. 27, aged 76 years.

PREPARE!

For the Cold Weather, by making your selection from our well assorted stock of

Underwear Flannels Flannelettes
Meltons Shawls Hosiery, Etc.

BOOT & SHOE, READYMADE CLOTHING and MILLINERY Departments are well stocked.

Among the new arrivals of stoves this week we have some very nice PARLOR WOOD and COAL STOVES.

J. G. Reiner, Wellesley, Ontario.

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.

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To the Public

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