

Wellesley Village Maple Leaf

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

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TOTAL ASSETS..... 19,509,942

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LINWOOD.

The following is the report of the Linwood Public school for the month of November. Pupils standing highest in Jr. Department: Luella Fluchs, with 83 per cent. In sr. department, Alton Baker, with 75 per cent. Entrance class, total, 460. Alton Baker, 349, Irona Berlet 299. Jr. 4th—485 Frank Glebe, 271, Watson Williams, 172, Ella Goetz, 161, Sr. 3rd—170 Elsie Spahr, 347, Harvey Beggs, 304, May Berlet, 249, Menno Deckert, 225, Grace Strome, 211, John Strome 157, Cassie Baker 125, Louisa Voll, 105. Jr. 3rd—185 Jaura Goetz 331, Tessie Koebel, 305, Bert Heinbuch 295, Henry Karley, 160, Clarlie Hackett 177. Sr. 2nd—435 Harold Parr 308, Norman Ament 251, Ruby Goetz 234, Freddie Friedmann, 215, Milton Hilker 213, Tom Deckert 206, Bartley Rafferty 167, Phoebe Sutter 167. Jr. 2nd—270. Clayton Hilker, 230, Minnie Noll, 232, Ella Ament 209, Rufus Neuner 171, Aaron Schultzeis 98, Alvin Oakley 77. I Book, Part II.—250. Luella Fluchs 208, Adam Crookshanks 193, Ethel Baker 187, Milton Goetz, 186, Milton Deckert 185, Emerson Brown 179, Ralph McCormick 149, Simon Deckert 135, Minnie Lantz 68, Lulu Porter 43.

WELLESLEY COUNCIL.
The municipal council of the township of Wellesley, met, pursuant to adjournment, on Monday, Dec. 1, 1902, 10 o'clock, a. m., township hall, Crosshill. All members were present, the reeve in the chair. The minutes of their November meeting were read and adopted. Communications, bills and accounts were presented and disposed of as follows, viz: It was moved by Geo. Forwell, see by A Heipel, that the following accounts be paid and that the reeve issue his orders for the same respectively, viz: Casper Boegel, blacksmith's account, \$ 60. J Arnold, hauling plank, building fence, and nails, 61 loads of gravel, 9 76 J Wilkinson, 64 loads gravel Thos Hilliard, balance on gravel account, one man and team on road, 3 50 G Luckner, 83 loads gravel, 4 15 W Reichert, hauling and putting in sewer pipes and putting up railing, 8 00 W Schultzeis, teaming and putting in concrete pipes, 2 25 H Newton, rep. culvert, 1 25 F Crookshanks, teaming 2 loads concrete pipes, 3 60 J Conley, bonus for 78 rods of wire fence, 15 6 M Martin, 90 loads gravel, 5 46 J Ziegler, 116 " " at 3c V Otterbein, jr., putting up railing on bridge, h p, 2 75 A Boehm, bonus for 22 1/2 rods of wire fence, 2 25 E R Meyer, gravel by contract, 40 67 J McRae, scraping and teaming, 12 00 J Frame, putting up railing on 2 culverts and teaming sewer pipes, 8 00 J Diebold, travelling by contract, cleaning gravel pit, putting up railing on Gables Ldg, teaming plank and rep culv and spikes, 18 41 R Forrest, cleaning out ditch and stone h p, 9 25 Mrs Cote, balance on gravel W McKay, 5 loads of stone and teaming same, 3 00 J Eichel, 40 yds of gravel 90c. per yard (contract), 36 00 A Gibbons, rep. approach to bridge, 1 50 A Hewitt, cutting willows and repairing culvert, 4 00 R Lintick, planking bridge and now culvert, 40 40 E Moser, bonus for 45 rods of wire fence, 4 60 J Kuntz, rep road on 6th con E S, 1 25 B Henderson, bonus for 60 rds wire fence, 6 00

Hereafter it was moved by J B Lichty see by A Heipel, that by law, No. — to appoint a place for holding the nominations of candidates for the offices of one reeve and four councillors for the year, 1903, and to fix the polling places and also appoint a deputy returning officer for each of the six polling subdivisions in the township of Wellesley, be now read a first and second time.—Carried.

It was moved by A Heipel, see, by Geo Forwell, that the sum of \$34 be granted to T. Playford for defraying the sick and funeral expenses of the late Louis Baehmer.—Carried.

Moved by R J Kerr, see by A Heipel that the sum of \$4 be paid to E Reid, as compensation for one sheep killed by dog or dogs, unknown, and that the reeve issue his order for same.—Carried.

Moved by Geo Forwell, see by J B Lichty, that by law 529 to appoint the place for holding the nomination of candidates for the offices of one reeve and four councillors for the year, 1903, to fix the polling places and also appoint a deputy returning officer for each of the six polling subdivisions in the township of Wellesley, as now filled in be read a third time and passed.—Carried.

It was finally moved by R J Kerr, seconded by Geo Forwell, that this council do now adjourn to meet again the 15th day of Dec. at 10 o'clock a. m. township hall, Crosshill. Carried.

PETER F. SCHUMMER,
Tp. Clerk.
Clerk's office, St. Clements, Dec. 2nd, 1902.

BOARD OF HEALTH.
The following is the annual report of the Board of Health for the year 1902:

To the Municipal Council of the township of Wellesley: Gentlemen,—In submitting to you my report for the year 1902 I have to congratulate you on the comparative freedom of our municipality from contagious or infectious diseases, the following being reported, viz: Typhoid fever, 17 cases, 1 death. Measles 30 " no " Scarlat fever 20 " no " Diphtheria 1 " no " Whooping cough 10 " no " Tuberculosis 4 " 4 " Undoubtedly other cases of measles have taken place but not reported.

I have also to congratulate you on the appointment of a veterinary surgeon to our Board, as undoubtedly the best work of our Board this year was done in the inspection of diseased cattle, as both tuberculosis and actinomycosis are undoubtedly contagious. I would impress on the farmers of this municipality the importance of having all animals infected with

J Cassell, travelling for contractor, big, h p, 23 30 G Foerster, gravel and work, 33 70 J Hill, 19 loads gravel, 1 90 J Weir, gravel to bathmasters 18 87 J K Hammond, work on hill, 45 75 P Birmingham, caretaker, p p 3 00 Dr McEachern, exp B of H 02 112 00 S J Wismer, for winter road, 5 00 E Moser, ditto, 3 00 J K Forwell, 2 00 Theo Kroetsch, bonus for 60 rods wire fence, 6 00 G Ruppert, for breakages on wagon, 75 Hopewell Fire Ins Co, 1 50 J Klabick, c'm, for printing and work, 6 40 A Bast, for 224 loads of grav, 24 00 H Neoh, gravel per cent, h p, 10 00 J C Schultz, bonus for 155 rods of wire fence, 31 00 W Stoekey, 20 loads gravel, 1 60 Ph Ritter, rep culv, wkon road 7 50 J Rhein, bonus for 70 rods of wire fence, 7 00 J Forrest, stone, and use of scraper, 2 00 Carried.

All of which is respectfully submitted. Your obedient servant,
D. McEACHERN, M. D.
M. H. O. for Wellesley township.
Dated Nov. 29th 1902.

DOERING'S CORNERS.
(intended for just week.)
Messrs. Fred Schmidt and Henry Hammer will leave for the fatstock show, Chicago, Dec. 6th.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Axtattended the funeral of Mr. Samuel Snyder, of Berlin, who formerly lived at Berlet's Corner.

Mr. Edwin Heipel will leave for Brown City Mich., next week, where he intends to spend his Christmas holidays.

Mr. Chas Wegfhart was the guest of the Misses Maggie and Tilly Axt, on Sunday.

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A sample copy of the World may be seen at this office. Orders with the \$3 should be sent by registered mail or by postal note to The World News-paper Co., Toronto.

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LOCAL NEWS.

The Maple Leaf will be continued in its condensed form and the subscription price reduced to 75c. per year. Those who have already paid for this year will be entitled to the Maple Leaf for 1903 at the special low price of only 60 cents. Clubbing rates with all the leading papers.

The threshers are still busy in this section. "Johnnie Canuck" is the name of Fred Keil's great 10c. cigar. Ask for it.

Mrs. J. W. Green, spent Sunday last in Tavistock, the guest of Mrs. A. T. Bell. Get our prices for Xmas candies and toys before buying elsewhere. H. K. Forer.

For International Stock Food—3 feeds for 1 cent—see M. J. Schlubach, Petersburg.

Union Sunday school next Sunday at 10.30 a. m. Preaching service in English at 7 p. m., by Rev. Mr. Eby.

A fine tile sewer has been laid across the street next Mr. Freeman's residence. It was badly needed.

Mr. John Forler has this week moved his family into the residence on the west side of the pond, which he recently purchased from Mr. Schwartzentruber.

The G. T. R. mail trains have been quite late this week. As a consequence our village mail has been arriving an hour or two late for several days past.

A missionary lately returned from India gave a very interesting lecture in the Canada Lutheran Church in this village last evening. He illustrated his lecture with many magic lantern views, besides exhibiting a quantity of idols, rings, etc., from the field of his missionary work. The church was well filled.

W. H. Jenkins will be at the Albion hotel for the next month. Parties requiring lightning rods should see me. I am not an agent; you are dealing with the proprietor when you talk to me. I put up a rod the color of a ten-cent piece, that neither rusts nor corrodes. Specially liberal terms this month. No one else handles this rod here.

Township politics are very quiet and the probabilities are that the nomination meeting at Crosshill this month will result in a choice of council for next year by acclamation. As was shown last year, however, municipal politics are a very uncertain and explosive commodity and there is no telling what a day may bring forth.

Mr. John Hill is rapidly bringing his Wellesley Stock Farm into much deserved fame. His three-year old cow "Queen Mollie" took first at the Guelph Fat Stock Show this week, and was decidedly the finest female Durham on the grounds. This magnificent animal was sold on the grounds to a famous Canadian breeder at a fancy figure.

DROPPED DEAD.

Alex. Dunlop, who had charge of the syndicate stallion "Barnburn" here for several weeks, last spring, dropped dead while at dinner at a hotel in New Hamburg on Monday. He made many friends while in Wellesley and the news of his sudden call came as a shock to them.

Bank, spent Sunday in Tavistock. Read the Maple Leaf's special announcement, on the last page. I you want to club let us know. A ram-walk on Monday afternoon caused quite an excitement on William street for a few minutes. No damage was done. Maple Leaf only 75c per year. Those who have paid for 1902 get next year's "Leaf" for 60c., by renewing before New Year's. Best clubbing rates.

Forbin and Walter, Esq., county councillor and three Warden of the county was presented with a valuable cane by his co-laborers in the county council this week.

As we write there is a most enough now for sleighing, with the indications pointing to more snow. At present the wheels and runners are about equally divided on the roads.

The proximity of Christmas is quite noticeable in the store windows these days. Reiner Bros. & Co., A. K. Forler, and the drug store are telling their customers of nice things through their Maple Leaf ads.

HAMPSTEAD.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. Hugh W. Robinson, our school teacher has resigned his position, to take effect at New Year's.

Farmers hereabouts are making the best possible use of the slight sleighing.

MILLBANK.

(intended for last week.) Mr. Johnston McFaddin gave the young people a social hop last Friday night. All went home well pleased with the evenings enjoyment.

Messrs Wm. McKee and Johnston McFaddin, have had furnaces put in their homes, the work being done by Mr. John Ritter.

The Ladies Aid of Millbank Presbyterian church intend holding an entertainment on the 11th of Dec. Mr. Grant will lecture on "Life's Problem." Mrs. Bennett, of Stratford will also sing. Tea will be served from six to eight o'clock.

Mr. Andrew Bigam is still busy at the carpenter work.

Miss Wier and Miss Bigam made a business trip to Milverton last Saturday.

CROSSHILL

The following is the report of the Crosshill school for the month of November. The figures represent percentage:

- Fourth class:—Clara Hergott, 77, Vera Frame, 67.
- Sr. 3rd.—Alice Snyder 92, Ella Campbell 88, Jennie Hergott 84, Lol. McCallum 83, Jennie Campbell 83, Ernie Frame 78, Bessie Playford 74.
- Jr. 3rd class.—Maggie Antieknup 75, Alice Hastings 65, Emma Shantz 52.
- Sr. 2nd class.—Fannie Boshart 72.
- Jr. 2nd class.—Millie Foster, 75, Agnes Beilstein 70, Nathaniel Hergott 68, Moses Zehr 67, Thos. Wilford 66, Christian Gerber 52.
- Part 2 class.—Clayton Playford 70, Della McCallum 68, Cecil Barbour 67, Sarah Boshart 65, Geo. Albrecht 60.

LINWOOD.

Dec. 8th, 1902. Mr. Levi Lang, a former teacher of the public school here called on friends in town last week. Butchering is now in full swing. Messrs Schulthies and Heinhuch added their share of "squencs" to the list, Friday and Saturday respectively.

Mr. Otis Bundy is putting his lot in the east end of the village into shape for a skating rink. Work is progressing nicely and we expect to see skating, hockey matches and carnivals galore in the near future.

The telephone line men are busily engaged in putting in the posts and propose having them ready in a couple of days.

A valuable cow belonging to Mr. A. Boomer, died yesterday.

WELLESLEY.		
	For	Against.
Camberg	5	61
St. Clements	15	91
Jawokville	63	56
Wesshill	58	22
Linwood	58	79
Wellesley village	27	121
	297	433
NORTH WATERLOO.		
Berlin	415	1127
Waterloo town	100	635
Elmira	50	122
Woolwich	168	347
Waterloo tp.	118	149
S Waterloo (total)	1822	1205
NORTH EASTHOPE.		
No. 1	40	15
" 2	34	33
" 3	39	19
" 4	41	13

LOCAL MARKETS.

To-day's quotations are:
Wheat.....60c to 66c
Bats.....20c to 28c
Barley.....25c
Peas.....60c
Other products are bought at these prices:
Butter.....14c
Eggs.....20c
Lard.....12 1/2c
Dried Apples.....4 1/2c

Estray Sheep.

CAME onto the premises of the subscriber, to lot 10, con. 4, East Section, Wellesley, on or about the legitimate day of October, 1902, two white ewes. Those who are so inclined to procure, pay expenses and take them away.
JOHN B. FRYER,
W. Wellesley P. O.

Estray Heifer.

CAME onto the premises of the subscriber, to lot 10, con. 4, North East Hoop, about the 1st Nov. 1902, a heifer red and white. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take it away.
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They must go on People's feet and at once.

Boys' Grain Waterproofer, Lace shoe, sewed with waxed thread, solid leather—All sizes 1 to 5. Ziegler's November sale, \$1.
E.L. Wax Call Lace Shoes, with 1/2 inch Lactation Soles, will meet back straps, sizes 11 to 13. Ziegler's November sale price, \$1.50.
E.L. Ladies' Box Call and Kill Shoes, Lace or button. Heavy or light \$1.35.
Sole. All sizes 2 to 7. Ziegler's November Sale.

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The Maple Leaf aims to give ALL the home news ALL the time.

Now in order that ALL of the home people may get ALL of the home news without interfering with their taking the usual number of outside journals, we have decided to reduce the size of the Maple Leaf and devote its reading space entirely to home affairs so that we can, without loss, reduce its price to a figure that should put it in every home in this section, thus giving it a circulation of 1000 next year.

We ask our friends to help us in this matter. The coming year will be laden with important local affairs: The Maple Leaf will keep its readers posted on the vital railway question; our municipal affairs will be carefully recorded; the sugar beet interests watched, and in every way that a local paper can benefit its community the "Leaf" will not be lacking.

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