



Wellesley, Thursday, March 24th, 1904.

The Western Bank of Canada

CAPITAL AUTHORIZED ... \$1,000,000
CAPITAL PAID UP ... 435,000.00
RESERVE AND UNDIVIDED PROFITS ... 235,000.00
ASSETS OVER ... 4,450,000.00

Savings Bank Department.

ARE YOU SAVING MONEY? If so, don't you want your money to draw interest?

Money loaned to relatives and friends often takes wings and flies. As a general rule it is safer and better to place your money in a bank even at a lower rate of interest.

We pay the highest interest on savings consistent with safety. Interest allowed from day of deposit and compounded half yearly.

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WM. GLAISTER, M. D., C. M., WELLESLEY.

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H. HILTS

Dentist. Will be in Millbank on the second Tuesday of each month.

E. P. CLEMENT, K. C. Barrister, Solicitor, Notary Public, Conveyancer, Etc.

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Money to Loan on Mortgage of Real Estate.

Albion HOTEL

JOHN MAYER, PROPRIETOR. WELLESLEY, ONT.

Full throughout on the most modern plan and well lighted and heated in every room. Large Sample Rooms. Every accommodation for the Travelling Public.

AMERICA'S BEST. EDITORIAL FEELINGS. CONSISTENTLY REPUBLICAN.

THE WEEKLY INDIAN OCEAN. News from all parts of the world.

Wellesley Stage. Leaves Wellesley for Batesville every morning.

PETER OTTMANN, PROPRIETOR.

HUBERSVILLE

Messes Edward Diebold and Jas. Bevillette are very busy cutting wood in Mr. Miller's bush. Mr. Wilbert Moffatt, sold his heavy span of horses last week.

CROSSHILL

Mrs. Coleman returned home on Saturday, after spending a month with friends in Scarforth and Bruceville.

D. Tanner, of the 7th line, is then going west this spring and will have an auction sale next week.

SPRING CLEANING.

"Flourish." In last Saturday's Mail-Enterprise, gives some advice. He had been talking about this long winter which depressed every business except the undertakers.

FARM FOR SALE.

The ex-pros of the estate of the late John H. B. ... FARM FOR SALE. THE ex-pros of the estate of the late John H. B.

PATENTS. 50 YEARS' EXPERIENCE. TRADE MARK. COPIRIGHTS & PATENTS.

David Rudy Licensed Auctioneer and VALUATOR For the Counties of WATERLOO, PERTH and OXFORD.

Farm for Sale. Being Lot 3, con. 2 E. 1/2 Section, township of Wellesley, one and a half miles east of Wellesley village, on the town line.

JOSEPH DIETRICH.

FREE SEEDS.

EXPERIMENTAL UNION DISTRIBUTION OF CHOICE SEED. The members of the Ontario Agricultural and Experimental Union are pleased to state that for 1904 they are prepared to distribute into every Township of Ontario material for experiment with food crops, roots, grains, grasses, clovers, and m. r. l. l. s. Upwards of 1,500 varieties of food crops have been tested in the Experimental Department of the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, for at least five years in succession.

EXPERIMENTAL UNION DISTRIBUTION OF CHOICE SEED.

- No. Experiments Plot. 1 Three varieties of oats. 2 Three do of barley. 3 Two do of hulled barley. 4 Two do of spring wheat. 5 Two do of buckwheat. 6 Two do of field peas for Northern Ontario. 7 Runner and Split. 8 Cox Peas and two varieties of s. w. soja, or Japanese beans. 9 Three varieties of corn. 10 Three do of mangold. 11 Two do sugar beets for feeding purposes. 12 Three do swedish turnips. 13 Kohl rabi and two varieties of fat turnip. 14 Parsnips & 2 var carrots. 15 3 var fodder orilage corn. 16 Three varieties of Hilet. 17 Three do of Borghium. 18 Grass peas & 2 var vetches. 19 Two varieties of Rape. 20 Three var sets of clover. 21 Faintain, luverco, burnet. 22 Seven varieties of grasses. 23 Three varieties field beans. 24 Three varieties sweet corn. 25 Fertilizers with corn. 26 Fertilizers with Swedish turnips. 27 Growing potatoes on the level and in hills. 28 Two varieties of early, medium, or late potatoes. 29 Planting cut potato which have and which but not been fed over with land pea. 30 Planting corn in rows and squares (an excellent variety of early corn will result).

The size of each plot in each of the first twenty-six experiments is to be two rods long by one rod wide; in Nos. 27, 28, and 29, one rod square; in No. 30, four rod square (one-tenth of an acre).

Each person in Ontario who wishes to take in the work may choose any one of the experiments for 1904, and apply for the same. The material will be furnished in the order in which the applications are received until the supply is exhausted. It might be well for each applicant to make a second choice for fear the first could not be granted.

C. A. ZAVITZ, Director Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, March 19th, 1904.

WANTED. SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE in this county and adjoining territories, to represent and advertise an old established business house of solid financial standing.

The "Ocean Regal" is the best 5c. cigar of all. They all sell it.

BIRD BROS'. FEATHER FACTORY, AT PLATTSVILLE.

Plattsville, was totally destroyed by fire last week, involving a loss of \$20,000 and throwing forty workmen out of employment.

John H. Thamer, the Roseville man who was extradited on charges of embezzlement, was brought to trial last week. He pleaded guilty to the eight charges against him, four of forgery and four of uttering forged notes.

The annual general conference of the New Monnoite Brethren in Christ was held in Berlin last week.

The Waterloo Evangelical Association has decided to build a new church this coming summer.

Mr. Chas. Schlitz, of Linwood, while driving between Berlin and Waterloo the other day, met an automobile. His horse became frightened and ran away. He pluckily held to the lines and managed to stop his horse after he had been dragged about a hundred yards.

Thos. Weis, the well known hog buyer of Shakerpark, is out with a strong letter urging farmers to buy only from the local hog buyer who ships direct to the packing house.

Roy M. McKay, the well known Baptist pastor at Stratford has accepted a call to a Toronto church.

The great Exposition at St. Louis will open on April 30th. The cost of this World's fair is fifty million dollars.

WHISTLING JUGS.

Whistling Jugs are curious relics of a very ancient drinking custom. All the northern nations set great stress upon a man's power to take off his liquor without putting down the glass or beaker, and in Saxons graves old ale buckets have been found in the ground, not set or stand, so that the drinker could not rest them upon the board until they were emptied.

The most advanced type of all had a little windmill besides the whistle, which worked a dial showing the power of the blow.

Rejected With Honor. A certain social organization called the Young Woman's club found itself in difficulties after the lapse of some twenty years. The "young" women were no longer rightly named. Mr. William H. Crane, the actor, was once consulted by some charming girls in regard to the name of their prospective club. Their object, they wrote, was the building of character. They wished that to be suggested in the title and also the fact that they were unmarried. Mr. Crane replied that he had a name for the club, "The Building and Lone association."

The Matsue Girl. The notices said that early in the eighteenth century, in Japan girls in those days used to throw their fans and purses at the feet of the "leading man" as he minced along "the flower walk" to the stage. Pictures of these "heroes" were an early product of Japanese wood engraving, and these portraits were secret treasure of many maidens.

**Wellesley Maple Leaf.**  
ISSUED EVERY THURSDAY

OFFICE REMOVED (on account of the fire) to the Orphans' Home Building, East End of the village.

Subscription 75c. a year in advance. Otherwise \$1.00.

INDEPENDENT.

**EDITORIAL NOTES.**

It is quite evident that neither the Japanese or Russians are "playing to the grand stand" in the present war. In fact the grand stand and bleachers are empty, and even the reporters are refused a mission to report the game. It will not be surprising if the public interest wanes in a war in which the cause for hostilities is practically unknown and no definite news of the martial operations are permitted to leak out. If Japan does not soon get in position to remove the rigid press censorship that plucky litigation may lose, through lack of public interest, much of the world wide popularity she now holds.

Hawkesville seems to be finally left out as a stopping place for the Guelph-Goderich extension of the C. P. R. That village has extensive woods, flooring and saw mills has a large farmers' trade and is an important stock-raising centre, and it naturally feels kindly the hand cap placed upon it by being bereft of the railroad accommodations which its neighbors get. Some of the enterprising residents of Hawkesville are now turning their eyes to wards connection with the electric railway which it is expected will be to Wellesley in the spring. It appears there is a natural roadbed running from a point a short distance east of Bamberg to Hawkesville upon which the electric road could be built at a very low cost. This stretch of road would be scarcely more than five miles in length, yet would tap the three villages of Heidelberg, St. Clement and Hawkesville. If it could be shown that there would be a good freight traffic over this little branch line, and if that section would vote a fair bonus, there would thus be inducements to extend the trolley to Hawkesville. We are not sure whether the present charter would cover this line, but with parliament now in session that difficulty, if it exists, could be easily overcome if the people of the section and the railway magnates come to terms.

Stratford is once more assured of an electric street railway, but the contract is not nearly so good a one as that offered before the city dealt with the St. Joseph fairly scheme.

A petition with an enormous number of signatures has been presented to the Legislature asking no change be made at present in the system of electing county councillors in Ontario for at least the next two years. The request will likely be granted.

The Russian war department has adopted for its motto: "Ifzy you seeovitch it in the papersovitchsky itsekoff not sobyadarnitsesky."

Listowel does not seem to be making much effort, as yet to secure electric railway connection under the proposed scheme via Wellesley. At the urgent request of a delegation from Listowel early last winter the terms of the electric by-law in this township were altered so as to be of assistance to the further extension of the road north-west towards Listowel. The people along the proposed route are waiting to back up any reasonable move; and their eyes are on Listowel to make that move. Meantime an amendment to the charter is being applied for which permits a connection to be made between Wellesley and Stratford. If this scheme is consummated before Listowel awakens into action, that town may miss its chance.

**ADD TO A MAN'S YEARS**

MR HERMANN WEBER, M.D., F.R.C.P., TELLS HOW TO PROLONG LIFE.

Embodied English Physician Gives Definite Rules Governing Food and Exercise—Makes the Startling Announcement That the Age of 100 Years Might Be Attained by Most People—The Week-End Holiday.

Sir Hermann Weber, M.D., F.R.C.P., the distinguished English medical authority, in a recent lecture before the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons made the somewhat startling announcement that the age of 100 years might be attained by most people.

He proceeded to lay down many definite rules covering the food and exercise to be taken to accomplish this end. Coming from an authority so highly esteemed the advice cannot be taken too seriously. In discussing the problem Dr. Weber said:

**Subject a Large One.**  
"The subject of the prolongation of life is a very large one, especially if considered with regard to the whole population from infancy onward. The diminution of infant mortality and the improvement of the hygienic conditions of towns and houses have raised and will continue to raise the average duration of life. Here is a wide field of usefulness, and one of the most important sections of it will be the combat with the various forms of jaundice, maculæ, in which men have rendered immortal services to humanity. And, besides, the physical education of the entire population, which ought to commence in the nursery and ought to be insisted upon at all schools, public and private, will not only contribute to the prolongation of life but improve the whole race. Our grandchildren ought not to hear any more of the deterioration in the soldiers, the professions or trades."  
"As we are therefore justified in assuming that although life is usually limited to eighty years it may occasionally be prolonged to one hundred and even more through the operation of careful training, by carefully studying these agencies we may sometimes succeed in prolonging life to the limit natural to the human species."

**Long Lives Temperate.**  
"Some of the most long lived persons have led infiducious lives, and great longevity occurs occasionally under the most different circumstances. After having carefully entered into the records of more than one hundred cases of very long lived persons I have reason to say that by far the majority of the long temperate, were small meat eaters, lived much in the open air and led an active life. Many of them lived a life of toil with great restrictions as to food and comforts, while the most of them were early risers and a great number of them had a joyful disposition and performed their work cheerfully. Only a few were intemperate or idle and lazy persons."

"Death from old age is caused by a kind of atrophy of the tissues and organs connected with the changes in the blood vessels. We must counteract this tendency by supplying the tissues and organs with healthy blood. To do so we must endeavor to produce a healthy state of the blood and to maintain the blood vessels and lymphatics in a sound and vigorous condition. Life, we may say, depends to great extent on the state of the organs of circulation. If we review the different means in our power to prevent early decay, and to keep the circulatory system in a healthy condition we find that the most efficacious are given by the different forms of exercise."

"Walking is the most natural form of exercise. The action of the heart and the breathing are accelerated thereby and more blood is passed into the blood vessels, which are obliged to contract more frequently and carry it with greater energy to the different organs and tissues. At the same time the number and depth of inspirations are increased, more oxygen is taken up and more carbonic acid is given out. Walking, however, does not only act directly on the heart, but by the action of the muscles of the legs more blood is attracted to them and all the vessels of the lower extremities carry away more blood from the heart, and the afferent vessels, the veins and lymphatics, carry more blood back to the heart and force it to contract more energetically."

**The Week-End Holiday.**  
"It is of great use for those who are still in fair vigor to take regularly once a week, a day of more prolonged exercise up to four or six hours, and those who live in towns ought to spend this day of extra exercise in the country. If possible on account of the purer air and the change of scene. The benefit of such a long walk is increased if only a very small quantity of fluid food is taken during the walk—for instance, a sandwich or a few biscuits and an apple or an orange. One of the visible effects of such a walk, combined with a very restricted taking in, is that the body loses weight—between two and three

pounds during the walk. The weight lost on the long walk is usually regained within two or three days."

"One of the great advantages of several hours' exercise in the country is the exposure to the open air, which is scarcely to be overrated. It strengthens the skin and the nervous system and the whole organism: it cheers the mind; it increases the resisting power to meteorological influences, and diminishes the tendency to chills and other morbid affections, and this resisting power is one of the great factors of longevity. Life in the open air, by itself, without exercise, increases the resisting power."

**Moderation in Food.**  
"Great moderation in the amount of food, and especially of the most nourishing articles (meat food and pulses), ought to be practiced by everybody, particularly by old people, and is a great aid to longevity. Almost all authorities are agreed on the subject that in old age the amount of food ought to be very limited. Dr. George Cheyne, for instance, says in one of his rules: "The aged should lessen the quantity and lower the quality of their food gradually as they grow older, even before a manifest decay of appetite forces them to it." An important subject constantly preached but almost as constantly neglected is thorough mastication. Many forms of indigestion, many states of imperfect nutrition of the whole body are caused by bolting the food. Nothing ought to be swallowed until it has been perfectly comminuted by mastication and by the admixture of saliva. Combined with the fault of bolting is often that of washing down the food before it is properly masticated. This is likewise a grave mistake, committed frequently by great eaters and by those who take much fluid during meals, which is in itself a bad habit."

"Alcohol is not necessary to healthy persons, and most men would be better without it. Many diseases are no doubt produced by the abuse of alcohol. Yet a small quantity of wine or whiskey, or cognac, or beer, according to the individual condition, is decidedly innocuous and injurious, to some even useful."

**Alcohol and Tobacco.**  
"A very prevalent idea with regard to alcohol is that it is most useful to aged people, in fact that 'wise is the neck of the people,' that it does for them what milk does for children. Alcohol taken in any large quantities diminishes the resisting power of the organism against chills, microbes, and other causes of disease, and this resisting power is one of the great agents in the prolongation of life, and ought to be strengthened in every possible way, not weakened."

"Tobacco is to many persons a means of enjoyment and is well borne by them if they take it in moderation. It soothes nervous irritability and makes many men look more contentedly on their troubles. On the other hand, excessive smoking is decidedly injurious to the great majority of people by affecting the heart, the nerves and the throat. In many cases diminution of the amount of smoking or taking a mild or form of tobacco remedies the bad effect, while others must give it up entirely."

"Further point of self-education is the restraint of our passions, not only that we must not allow ourselves to become furious if anything displeases us, but we must also control our ambition, our pride, our jealousy, our sexual desires, which often become the sources not only of unhappiness, but as you know, of bodily and mental disease, premature death or 'miserable old age.'"

"Attention to the digestive system and food is almost as necessary for the promotion of longevity as to the circulatory and respiratory systems. It is impossible to lay down strict rules."

**Some Conclusions.**  
"The main points of my advice may be comprised in a few sentences: "Moderation in eating, drinking and physical indulgence."  
"Pure air out of the house and within."  
"The keeping of every organ of the body as far as possible in constant working order."  
"Regular exercise every day in all weathers, supplemented in many cases by breathing movements, and by walking and climbing tours."  
"Going to bed early and rising early and resting the hours of sleep to six or seven."  
"Bath before or after ablutions according to individual conditions, cold or warm, or warm followed by cold."  
"Regular work and mental occupation."

"Cultivation of placidity, cheerfulness and hopefulness of mind."  
"Employment of the great power of mind in controlling passions and nerves."  
"Strengthening the will in carrying out whatever is useful and in checking the craving for stimulants, narcotics and other injurious agencies."  
"In laying down these precepts I wish not to create a life of privation, but to promote a long life and a useful and happy one to the end without suffering and I can assure you that it has been my good fortune to succeed in a great many cases."

Let those who complain of having too much to do, do nothing. If this does not succeed then, nothing will.

**Snaps**  
[All Along are Line!]

A one-pound tin of Baking Powder for 10 cents. for 15c  
A twentieth-century Broom, reg 25c and 30c.  
A pound of natural leaf powdered Japan Tea for 9c.  
10 pounds of Epson Salts for 25c.  
10 pounds of Sulphur for 25c.  
A 25c. tin of gold medal Syrup for 95c.

Fresh Water Herring on hand.

The old original Dalley's Condition Powder, for stock, 3 for a quarter.

**H. K. FORLER'S.**  
Wellesley, Ont.

**NEW MACHINE SHOP IN WELLESLEY**

I have sold my chopping mill and have installed in its place a plant for

Repairing Farm Machinery, Implements, Engines etc., and general Ironwork.

Shutting, Pulleys, etc., supplied or repaired.

GIVE ME A TRIAL.

**JOHN S. ZEHHR**

Wellesley Roller Mills.

Have you tried our new Breakfast Food, called "WHEAT GERM." Satisfaction Guaranteed.

CHOPPING---5c. per bag in the future as it has been in the past.

Our new "Excel" process chops the grain and the hull together so that the animal eats it All.

FRED. DEEUS, Manager.

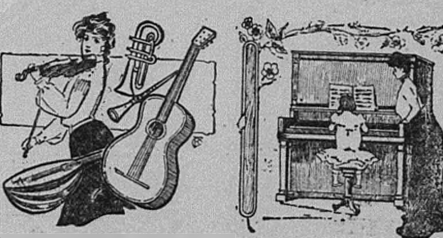
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ALL KINDS  
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Office Stationery  
Cards, Circulars or anything in the line of Printing.

New Art Muslin, from 5c. to 15c. per yard, at J. N. ZINKANN'S.  
School closes next week for the Easter holidays.  
Clover and Timothy Seed for sale at J. N. ZINKANN'S.  
Miss Shoebottom, of Wilmet, was the guest of Miss Maute over Sunday last.

There are said to be over one thousand pitch-holes between Maden and Wellesley.

Mr. John Habermehl, of Rostock, spent a few days under the parental roof here last week.

Our fresh spring goods are all on the shelves, and marked to catch early buyers. J. N. ZINKANN.

Mr. John Frechorn last week moved into the residence he recently purchased from Mr. Casper Meyers.

Mr. John Doersam spent the greater part of last week visiting his brother, Mr. Geo. Doersam, in Guelph.

Miss Annetta Ottmann is quite ill at present with appendicitis at the home of her father, Mr. Chas. Ottmann.

Mr. Will Ottmann gave a birthday party on Saturday evening last. About twenty of his cousins comprised the guests.

Reiner Bros. & Co., have an interesting spring announcement in their large display advertisement on the fourth page.

Confirmation services will be held in the Miss. Lutheran church by Rev. Mr. Lochner next Sunday when fourteen candidates are expected.

Mr. E. J. Roos, the popular Waterloo jeweler, gives an interesting talk on "Silver Tableware," in his advertisement on the fourth page which everyone should read.

Tenders will be received up to noon of April 4th next by Mr. Peter F. Schummer, township clerk, St. Clements, p. o., for the operating of the road machine, and also man and team to operate the same.

Eis many friends, especially in the Crosshill neighborhood, will be pleased to learn that Mr. D. C. Frume, who left here a few years ago, is now city circulation manager on the Cleveland (Ohio) Daily World.

Mr. Chas. Brennenman and his sister, started for their home in Nebraska yesterday after an extended visit with relatives and friends in this section. Mr. Moses Brennenman, will not start till later on, and will possibly take a trip to Manitoba.

**VOLUNTEERS ATTENTION**  
Recruiting officer Pepsing was in town on Tuesday evening on business connected with the organization of a company of volunteers in Wellesley and secured several new names. He announced a meeting to be held in the Opera House next Saturday evening, when officers of the 29 batt. will be present to fully explain the objects in view in forming this company and giving any information required. All the young men of this section who want to find out what a volunteer company means are invited to attend, and a special invitation is extended to those parents who object to their sons joining the volunteers.

The "Ocean Signal" is the best 5c. cigar of all. They all sell it. Big assortment of lace curtains. Prices from 20c. to \$3.50 per pair, at J. N. ZINKANN'S.  
Mr. Jas. McDonald this week purchased the Mertz property, next the Albion hotel.  
On account of the illness of his father Mr. Alvin Ottmann returned to his home at Hawkesville last week.  
F. Kell's "Conductor's Punch" and "Johnny Canuck" cigars for sale everywhere. Try one; they're dandies.  
A large consignment of prints selected specially for our customers, just arrived, and now on display.— J. N. ZINKANN.

Miss Susie Mullen, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Mayer, in Tavistock for a few weeks, returned home this week.

Get your picture taken by Chas. Ottmann, jr. because you can't do it any younger. Ottmann's Block, Wellesley. CHAS. OTTMANN, JR.

The sale of pedigreed Durham cattle to be held by Mr. Colin Campbell's tomorrow will draw out a large attendance of cattle breeders.

Miss Margie Reiblin, of Brantford, arrived in Wellesley on Tuesday and will remain the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kelbling, over Easter.

It is reported that some bare spots have been noticed on the hillsides since the late thaw. This is an evidence that when the snow finally melts away (if it ever does) the ground and the fences will be found in their accustomed places.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Miller, and his sister, Miss Sylvia Miller, who have been visiting with relatives and friends in this place for a couple of months past started on the return trip to their home at Gretna, Man., on Monday last.

Mr. A. B. Robertson, Nithburg, just west of Wellesley, has leased his farm and will sell his stock by public auction in the forepart of April. Among his cattle are 16 or 18 head of thoroughbred pedigreed Durhams which will attract many Dominion Shorthorn breeders.

Stratford, Ont., March 21.—The oldest resident of this city passed away at his home here on Saturday night in the person of Mr. Donald MacNeil, aged 106 years. Even till the time of his death, Mr. MacNeil, although feeble was able to be up and around. Deceased was a native of Scotland, and came from the Old Country to settle in this city some 60 years ago. He leaves an aged wife and a family of seven.

**THE MAIL AND EMPIRE'S WAR NEWS.**

People who wish to be posted on the progress of the Japanese-Russian War should subscribe for the Toronto Mail and Empire, which will cover the field with the same thoroughness that witnessed its handling of the Spanish-American and Boer Wars. Not only will the Mail and Empire be served by the Laffan Bureau and the Associated Press, but it will publish the cables of the special correspondents of the London Times, London Daily Mail and the Parish edition of the New York Herald.

**WANTED**  
SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE in this county and adjoining territories, to represent and advertise an old established business house of solid financial standing. Salary \$21 weekly, with expenses, paid each Monday by check direct from headquarters. Expenses advanced; position permanent. We furnish nearly everything. Address, The Columbia, 639 Motion Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

**Cedar Posts for Sale.**  
One mile south of Bamberg.  
MOSES LITWILLER,  
Bamberg P. O.

**Notice to Creditors.**  
In the matter of the Estate of Robert Forrest, late of the township of Wellesley, in the county of Waterloo, Farmer, deceased.  
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the Revised Statute of Ontario (Chapter 129), that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Robert Forrest, who died on or about the 10th day of February, A. D. 1904, are requested on or before  
*The 2nd day of April 1904,*  
to send by post prepaid or deliver to Alexander Forrest, Hamilton Post Office, one of the Administrators of the estate of the said Robert Forrest, deceased, their Christian and addresses, and descriptions, full particulars of their claim, the statement of their claim, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.  
And further take notice that after such last mentioned date the administrators will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and the said administrators will not be liable for said assets, or any part thereof, if such claims or securities or claim notices shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.  
ALEXANDER FORREST,  
JAMES FORREST,  
Administrators of the Estate of Robert Forrest.

**Auction Sale**  
Of Village Property, stock, Implements, Household Goods, etc.  
There will be sold on the premises in WELLESLEY VILLAGE, on *Saturday, April 9th, 1904,*  
The following Property:  
House and lot, situate between the Mill and the bakery. Lots to be known at sale. Subject to previous sale.  
STOCK—One coach mare, 1 year old, in foal to Goldsmith; 1 bay mare driver; 1 black mare; 1 Jersey cow, fresh.  
OTHER GOODS—1 hay rake; 1 wagon, one nearly new, 1 light carriage, 1 topguy, 1 truck wagon, 1 light spring wagon, 2 carriage poles, 1 carpenter's bench, 1 table, 1 sawing machine, 3 cook stoves, 1 coal and wood, nearly new, 1 hot stove, platform scales, some new twine springs, some household furniture, and numerous other articles.  
All will be sold without reserve as the proprietor is moving to the Northwest.  
Sale begins at one o'clock.  
TERMS—Sum of \$5 and under, cash; over that amount six months credit may be had on approved joint notes. 6 per cent per annum off for cash on credit amounts.  
JOS. MICKIN, Auctioneer.

**Unreserved Auction Sale**  
Of Farm, Farm Stock, Implements, Etc.  
There will be sold by public auction, positively without reserve,  
Lot 11, Con. 5, v.s., Wellesley, 1/4 mile s.w. of Crosshill and 1/2 mile northwest of Wellesley, on  
*On Wednesday, March 30, '04*  
the following property:  
STOCK—Two black horses 12 years old; 1 bay horse 8 yrs old; 1 spring calf; 5 cows; one fresh; 2 steers 2 years old; 1 fat cow; 1 spring calf; 8 fat calves; 18 pigs 4 months old; 15 pigs 10 weeks old; 3 breeding sows supposed to be with pig; 1 Yorkshire sow with piglets; 1 Yorkshire boar with pedigree; 5 pigs 5 months old.  
IMPLEMENTS, ETC.—new Massey-Harris binder, new Ford & Wood mower, new Max. well rake, new Ford & Wood combined 15-hp drill, new harrows, two-furrow Oxford plow, cultivator, plow, and roller, truck wagon, road cart, luggy cart, cutter, bobolink hay rack, wood rack, straw rack, new scuffer, Massey root pulper, wheelbarrow, stump puller, cutting mill, branch saw, spring mill 10-inch plate, extensive line, Chippendale lathe, 30 feet 4-inch rubber bolting, National cream separator, No. 1, cooking stove, milk pans, soap pan and a quantity of sap buckets, set plow harness, set team harness, set single harness, and numerous other articles.  
FARM—The farm will also be offered. See adv. in this issue.  
TERMS—Fat cattle, pigs and all sums of \$10 and under cash. Over that amount nine months time on approved joint notes. 5 per cent annum off for cash on credit amounts. Sale begins at one o'clock.  
SOLONON R. LEIS, Prop.  
JOS. MICKIN, Auctioneer.

**Extensive Auction Sale**  
Of Farm Stock, Farm Implements, Etc.  
There will be sold by public auction on the premises of the undersigned proprietor,  
Lot 14, Con. 10, North Easthope,  
*On Wednesday, March 23, '04*  
The following property:  
HORSES—1 span of heavy draft horses; 1 gray driving horse; 1 aged brood mare.  
CATTLE—1 pure bred cow with calf at her side; from imported sire; 1 cow in calf; 1 heifer 10 months old.  
GRADE CATTLE—Five good fresh milking cows; 2 cows in calf; 2 heifers in calf; 1 fat cow; 2 yearling steers; 3 yearling heifers; four calves.  
OTHER STOCK—Nine stags, 6 months old; 1 brood sow and ten small pigs, to be run.  
IMPLEMENTS—One Massey-Harris binder, nearly new; 1 Massey-Harris 14-hp drill; 1 spring new; 1 Massey-Harris 14-hp combined harrow, 1 new; 1 mower; 1 harrow; 1 cultivator; 1 two-furrow Oxford plow; 1 two-furrow Oxford plow; 1 truck wagon; 1 road cart; 1 luggy cart; 1 cutter; 1 bobolink hay rack; 1 wood rack; 1 straw rack; 1 new scuffer; 1 wheelbarrow; 1 stump puller; 1 cutting mill; 1 branch saw; 1 spring mill; 10-inch plate; 1 extensive line; 1 Chippendale lathe; 1 30 feet 4-inch rubber bolting; 1 National cream separator; 1 No. 1 cooking stove; 1 milk pans; 1 soap pan and a quantity of sap buckets; 1 set plow harness; 1 set team harness; 1 set single harness; and numerous other articles.  
FARM—The farm will also be offered. See adv. in this issue.  
TERMS—Fat cattle, pigs and all sums of \$10 and under cash. Over that amount nine months time on approved joint notes. 5 per cent annum off for cash on credit amounts. Sale begins at one o'clock.  
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