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Capital \$1,000,000.00
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Every accommodation for the travelling public.

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Good table and Hostlers.

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RESULTS FOR 1904

Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada.

R. MACAULAY, President. T. B. MACAULAY, Sec.
Assurances issued and paid for in cash \$15,913,904.24
Cash income from premiums, interest, etc. 4,661,936.19
Assets at Dec 31, '04 17,851,760.93
Undivided Surplus 1,279,446.09
Profits paid policyholders 117,338.21
Death claims, etc. during 1904 1,374,045.93
Life Annuities in force, Dec 31, 1904 85,327,652.88
Progress in EIGHT-YEAR PERIODS.

Income net assets in force
1892 \$ 48,320.98 9 98 481.36 17,851,760.93
1900 141,647.21 472,289.56 2,597,129.11
1901 153,375.49 1,046,433.71 7,903,236.21
1902 146,000.00 2,596,144.46 20,200,000.00
1903 1,401,200.59 17,603,200.29 20,361,682.88

Head Office: Montreal.
A. MacBETH, ALEX. McDONALD, Dist. Supt. Local Agent, Stratford, Wellesley.

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Leave Wellesley for Berlin every morning at 7 o'clock, returning immediately after the arrival of the Toronto Express.

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Tile of all sizes from 2 1/2 inches up to 10 inches always in stock.
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cannot be estimated by dollars and cents but the prices of spectacles vary from 25 cts. to \$12. and fitted by our Doctor of Optics the value is increased without adding to the price.

It is at your service for the asking.

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A. E. GIVES
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WELLESLEY
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Sharpening Hand and Forks - 10c each
Sharpening Cross-Cut Saws - 50c each
Stakes Ground to order
All kind of small tools, knives, etc. sharpened and repaired.

WOOD

Dame St. has again condescended on us with a little show. Let one of the beautiful has fallen into the public to enjoy outdaring again.
The thermometer registered 17 degrees below the other morning. Rattled for pleasure.
Rev. Werking officiated at both services in the Methodist church last Sunday last.
The Ladies will now be able to hold services in their fine edifice twice each week as we understand a young gentleman of that church last Sunday in mid-winter will devote a whole time to the Lowwood place.

The hospital in connection with the Ladies' Society of the Presbyterian church here on Wednesday night was in all respects a success. A crowd came looking for food they got it. After a short, yet program the boxes, which were numerous and well laden, were given to the young men and very peculiar couples were to be seen in the audience.
It was one of those affairs where old and young mingle for a social hour. The proceeds were very gratifying.

The first Literary Society meeting of the season was held in Spaul hall on Friday night last and a splendid crowd gathered to enjoy the programme which was varied and thoroughly enjoyable. The subject for debate was "Resolved that Canada offers more inducements to the young men of to-day than the United States." Messrs. Miller and Bragdon took the affirmative and a close debate throughout and the judges at the conclusion allotted the affirmative the decision by one point. It is the intention of the committee in charge to have one of these meetings every two weeks or so and while the date of the next has not yet been decided on they are already making preparation for it. Watch for posters announcing the date.

Miss Williams, of Wallace, is visiting friends in our village.

Miss Ashior is spending a few days at the home of Dr. McClellan. Mr. H. E. Fair, of Stratford, District Agent for the Equity Life Ins. Co. was in our village for a couple of days this week in the interests of the company.

The Best Physic.

When you want a physic that is mild and gentle, easy to take and certain to act, always use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by A. J. Saunders, druggist, Wellesley.

HAWKESVILLE

Miss Porter, of Drayton, was visiting at Mrs. J. Tanners.
Miss Emma Rowe of Fagan, is visiting her grandmother. Mrs. E. Anderson.
Mr. and Mrs. J. McCulloch, (nee Hannah Hieker), have returned after spending a short time in Guelph.
Mr. Eddie Wilson, Miss Elsie Sheller and the Misses McAllister, spent a short time at the home of Mr. F. Snyder last week.
Mr. Fred Aikward, of Toronto, called at Mrs. J. Tanners one day last week.

A page from the above letter is missing. We are not certain the mistake occurred in this office. (Ed.)
It is strictly against the rules of a news paper to publish an item of news sent to the office without the signature of the writer—not for publication—but as a mark of good faith. This week we regretfully have to omit publishing an interesting budget from St. Clements.

NEW HAMBURG.

The general manager of the Bank of Hamilton was in town on Tuesday and made arrangements to open a branch here. They will open an office in the Commercial block, in a few days.
Miss Bertha Ernst is visiting friends in Berlin and Preston this week.
Mr. Val. Raiz, M. P. of Parkhill, paid a visit to his father here last Thursday.

Mrs. Joe Kerr and Miss Knight, entertained about eighty of their friends in the Wm. Tell Hall, last Tuesday evening.

Miss Morgan, of Stratford, is visiting in town, she is the guest of Miss Brodrecht.

Mr. Bartholomew is visiting at the home of Rev. F. W. Cowie.

Mr. Ben. Spahr, of Clifford, was a business visitor here this week.

Mr. R. C. Babbitt, Inspector of the Western Bank, paid an official visit here last week.

The carnival on Friday night was a great success. A few of the many splendid costumes were "The Goddess of Liberty," "A basket of flowers," "The Widow," "A Rider," "Many Jim," "A Knight of olden times," "Court Jester." Several clowns and colored gentlemen kept the spectators amused. The comical little "German Meddity Band" was in attendance.

We have been informed on good authority that the unusually mild weather of this winter is due to "variations in solar energy." We had a deeply rooted suspicion that something like that was the cause, but could not be absolutely sure. We are glad that all doubts have been set at rest. Of course it has not been explained why there should be these "variations," but there are some things that we must be content not to know.

Mr. Wagon went to Sun there last week.

Mr. Sangster Lederman, of Berlin spent Sunday with friends and relations here.

The Melchiorsons of Tavistock, holders of the Lafayette cup, play here on Thursday evening. It is said they have it packed and addressed to New Hamburg.

Hamburg defeated the Drumbo hockey team at Drumbo Monday evening.

Mr. Val. Stock, of Tavistock, visited here on Friday last Sunday.

Mr. W. Welland is seriously ill. We wish her speedy recovery.

Mr. F. C. Becker, of Toronto spent a few days in town last week.

Mr. T. Robelski, was at Bridgeport on Tuesday attending the funeral of his mother.

Our hockey team defeated Tavistock Thursday evening 7 to 3. See Hamburg do the same to Plattville on Feb 8th.

Our beautiful station was burned to the ground Friday evening with all its contents. The cause is unknown, but it is thought to have originated from the stove.

Miss Elma Graff, entertained a number of her friends at her home on Friday evening.

Mrs. Henry Ernst and Mrs. Jacob Ernst, of Tavistock, visited friends in Berlin and Toledo.

Mr. M. Kroh, bought a fast driver. The price is said to be high.

Miss Webb of Petersburg, spent Sunday at the home of Rev. F. W. Crowl.

Mrs. M. Kroh returned Saturday from a visit to friends and relatives in Guelph and vicinity.
Mr. Otto Umbach, of the Elmira Foundry Co. was a business visitor here on Tuesday.

SCHOOL REPORT.

Following is the Wellesley school report for the month of January.
DIV. I.
Sr. 4th and 6th classes.—George Walton, Emma Green, Mary Burdick, Jr. 4th.—Harold Bellinger, Eileen Schaub, Ezra Hammer, Oliver Globe, Edward McLaughlin, Norma Green, Sr. 3rd.—Mabel Berg, Joseph Wagner, Arthur Sanders, Fred Egerd, August Kabe, Clara Debus, Herbert Holpel, Ivan Schopp, Susan Kennel, Jos. Gieringher, Christian Lichly, Helen Walton.
Jas. Kerr.

DIV. II.
Sr. 3rd.—Fanny Lichty, Mary Streicher, Laura Wolvade, Clarissa Lips, Herbert Herscht, Lydia Kropp, Katie Lois, Ida Grenzalsch, Ed. Jantz, Alma McDonald, Florence Kretzwieser, Daniel Kennel, Olive Wagner, Allan Berg, Joseph Wagner, Elsie Truesler, Stewart Bivort, Clara Gieringher.

Sr. 2nd.—Peter Lois, Edward Dietz, Hilda Lips, Abel Ottmann, Albert Ottmann, George Bellingher, Joseph Roth, Fina Fler, Fania Fleischauer, Jacob Lois, Harry Lips, Aleda Kay, George Miller, Ella Moritz, Selma Forler, Eva Habermehl.

MISS M. M. SMYTH.
DIV. III.
Sr. 2nd.—Ruth Bordon, Cora Hammer, Edwin Ottmann, Clara Kennel, Harold Forler, Norman Yendit, Theodore Schaub, Christian Streicher, Fanny Lichty, Katie Roth, Lydia Roth, Emma Miller, Mary Lois, Beatrice Greenwood, David Bast, Edgar Heipel.

Part 2nd, Sr.—Hattie Gieringher, Ada Lips, Monna Roth, Alva Barcher, Richard Ottmann, Charlie Lips, Charlie Yendit, Lloyd Merz, Jacob Roth, Ruth Schaub, Ethel Walton, Jacob Lichty, Ethel Sanders, Milton Lois, Emma Schmidt, Mary Habermehl, Valentine Habermehl.
MISS B. FRANKS.

Gertrude Wolvade, Lloyd Key, Fannie Hammer, Willie Gier, Alva Barcher, Walter Willie Eckstein, Elton Forler, Beatrice Wilhelm, Constance Berg, Walter Berlach.
(b) Jeanne Walton, Willie Dietz, George Egerd, Josie Ottmann, Walter Key, Annette Yendit, Mella Forler, Wilfred Bercht.

Sr. Pr. 1.—Nancy Gieringher, Anderson Devar, Ezra Lois, Sara Kennel, Edgar Miehm, Norman Graham.
Sr. Pr. 2.—David Heipel, Fanny Yendit, Beatrice Ottmann, Charlie Lois, Beatrice Roth, Pauline Miehm, Eldred Heipel, Amy Lichty, Solomon Roth, Emma Ottmann, Lydia Wagner, Gerhard Lechner, Key Merz.

(b) Father Harrel, Johnny Gosh, Victor Hummel, Valentine Bordon, Adeline Lois.

MISS M. JAKESON.
No on roll. Avc. attend.
Div. I. 21 18
2. 35 31
3. 25 31
4. 45 42
Total attendance—135. Total average—123.
43 new books have been added to our Public School Library for 1906.
Jas. Kerr, Principal.

ST AGATHA.

A pretty wedding occurred at the Roman Catholic church here on Tuesday morning, Jan. 30th. Rev. Father Agnema officiating. The bride was Miss Mary Catherine, daughter of Peter Wagner, Esq., who lives a couple of miles north of this place. The groom was Mr. Geo. Reinhold, a prosperous young farmer of Carriock township, near the village of Formosa. Miss Mary Reinhold, sister of the groom, and Miss Marian Eberlin, of Wellesley township were the bridesmaids. The groom was assisted by Messrs John K. Wagner, of this place, and Mr. John Reinhold of Formosa. Little Katie Wagner acted as flower girl. After the banquet the bridal party enjoyed a wedding drive to Waterloo and Berlin. The happy young couple left for Formosa where they will take up their residence on the groom's fine farm.

Wellesley Maple Leaf.

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INDEPENDENT.

ADVERTISING RATES.

	One	Six	Three
Year	Months	Months	Months
One Column.....	450	475	495
Half Column.....	225	237	247
Quarter Column.....	112	118	123
One-Eighth Column.....	56	59	61
Professional Card (1 in.)	4		

Business Locals five cents per line each insertion. All changes of copy for advertisements must be in the office not later than Monday noon. Extra advertisements at 10 for three insertions. Legal notices measured 50 per line. 50 cts. per line for first insertion; 40 cts. per line for each subsequent insertion.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Good morning. Do you read the Maple Leaf advertisements?

Those who received Hicks' weather forecasts as the "Leaf's" premium will notice that they contained a more accurate description of the January weather, although written last October, than the weather bureau sent out only a few hours in advance.

Premier Whitney told the Kingston electors that they would get just as big a grant for their college if they returned a Reformer as a government supporter. And now, since Mr. Pense is elected, he is wondering if honesty is always the best policy.

"Money makes the mare go," is an untrue saying. It is brains that does it. Money is only the whip used. "The Mare" that has to "go" represents the toiling masses who do not think it worth their while to educate and develop the brain that God gave them.

Another untrue saying is "Opportunity only knocks once at your door." Opportunity stands before you every day of your life. Seize it, because you can't grasp it.

A great many newspapers in this section copied the Maple Leaf editorial of last week, but we have not noticed that any of them commented upon the good roads article in the same issue. It might touch their political position, you know. But our coat-tail is dragging on this question and any of our contemporaries are invited to "step on the tail" if it, d'ye mind.

Waterloo county contains no cities, but it has five flourishing daily papers with a combined circulation of over 10,000 copies.

Great is hockey. The Czar of Russia is not one half so big an Autocrat as the O. H. A. referee.

THE CHILD ETERNAL.

I heard their prayers and kissed their sleepy eyes, And tucked them all in warm from feet to head To wake again with morning's glad sunrise—

Then came where he lay dead. On cold, still mouth I laid my lips, Asleep he lay, to wake the other side God's door, My other children, mine to love and keep, But this one mine no more.

Those other children long to men have grown— Strange, hurried men, who give me passing thought, Then go their way. No longer now my own,

Without me they have wrought, So when night comes, and seeking mother's knee, Tired, childish feet, turn home at eventide, I fold him close—the child that's left to me, My little lad who died.

—Irene Fowler Brown.

A copy of "Word and Works," E. R. Hicks' magazine, can be seen at this office. It is a magazine which will be enjoyed by both old and young. The reading in the home, forms to a certain ex-

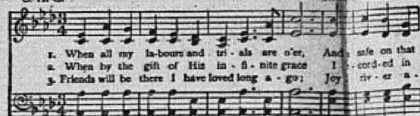
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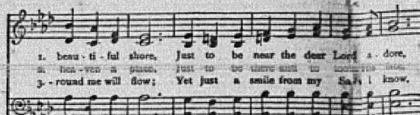
"We know we shall see him as he is." JOHN

C. H. G.

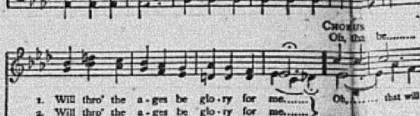
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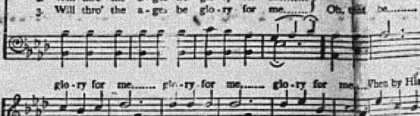
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2. When by the gift of His in-finite grace I am re-
3. Friends will be there I have loved long ago: Joy



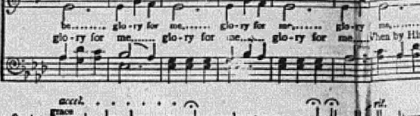
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2. heart-ful there, Just to be there to see Him
3. round me will flow; Yet just a smile from my



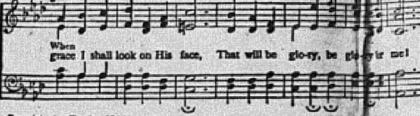
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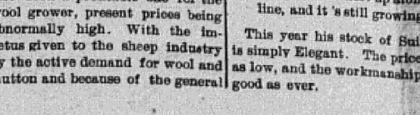
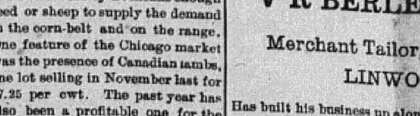
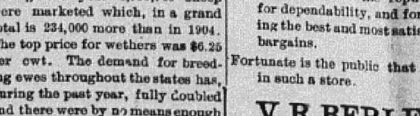
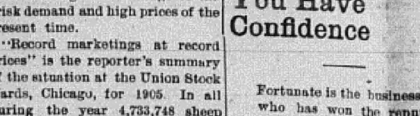
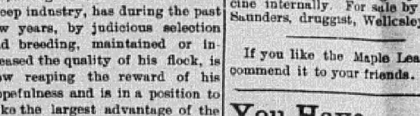
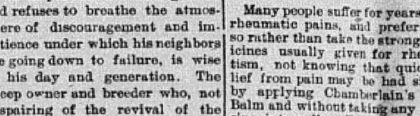
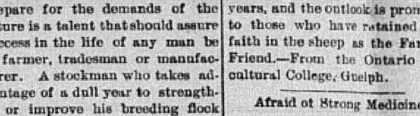
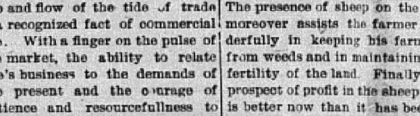
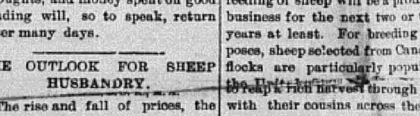
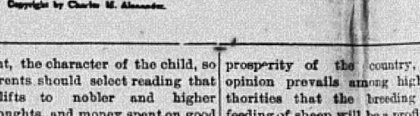
glo-ry for me, glo-ry for me, glo-ry for me, Then by His
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When grace I shall look on His face, That will be glo-ry, be glo-ry me!



G. B. Ryan & Co., BERLIN

OUR GIGANTIC SALE

Winter Goods

commences on SATURDAY FEB. 10th and continues the following week ending FEB. 17th.

During this time Thousands of Dollars worth of seasonable merchandise will be slaughtered at ridiculous prices. We mean this "SALE" to be the "BIGGEST EVENT" in our history and everything is being properly planned for the occasion.

Remember the "OPENING DAY," SATURDAY.

If you are a shrewd buyer opportunities will greet you on every side to save from 25 to 33 per cent. on your purchase. Our stock is entirely too heavy and must be unloaded. Time and space will not allow us to go into details regarding prices.

Below are a dozen or so of instances showing what we have done in the way of REDUCTIONS.

Towellings	5c.	DRESS GOODS.
Heavy Crash, worth 12 1/2% at 15c	8c.	40c and 50c Goods for 50c and 65c
18c Black Sateen for 10c & 12 1/2% wrappervettes for 12c	10c.	75c
12 1/2% and 15c wrappervettes for 10c	12 1/2%	10c
All our Eng. Gram's Prints dark and light shades worth 12 1/2% for	10c.	10c
Blankets at reduced prices		

LADIES WINTER COATS.	5c.	10c.	15c.	20c.	25c.	30c.	35c.	40c.	45c.	50c.	55c.	60c.	65c.	70c.	75c.	80c.	85c.	90c.	95c.	1.00
formerly worth \$7.00 & \$8.00																				
Big Value \$8.50 to \$11.50																				
Regular price \$12.00 to \$15.00																				

Watch for Big Bills on Saturday morning at Berlin Market.

G. B. RYAN & CO.

MAIL ORDERS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO

Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines.

Stock Foods

Hess'

International & Clydesdale.

Poultry Foods

Hess' &

International.

Louse killers & Disinfectants

Hess'

Little's Sheep Dip. Kross Dip. KENDALL'S SPAIN CURE. GOMBAULT'S CAUSTIC BALM. FLEMING'S LUMP JAW CURE.

THE DRUG STORE

Wellesley

Stationary, School Books, School Supplies, Etc.

You Have Confidence

Fortunate is the business man who has won the reputation for dependability, and for giving the best and most satisfying bargains.

Fortunate is the public that deals in such a store.

V R BERLET

Merchant Tailor,

LINWOOD

Has built his business up along this line, and it's still growing.

This year his stock of Suitings, is simply Elegant. The prices are as low, and the workmanship is as good as ever.

The LARGEST and BEST ASSORTMENT

—OF—

GROCERIES

at the LOWEST Prices

—at—

Wellesley, H K FORLER'S, Ont.

ALL KINDS OF CANDIES, BON-BON BOXES, NUTS, PRUNES, FANCY CLUSTER RAISINS, DATES, FIGS, PEELS, ORANGES AND A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF TOYS. ALL KINDS OF PRODUCE TAKEN IN EXCHANGE.

Full Lines of STATIONERY as usual.

Job Printing
ALL KINDS
Sole Bills
Concert Posters
Dodgers
Programs
Office Stationery
Cards, Circulars or anything in the line of Printing

LOCAL NEWS.

WORTH TRYING.

A word unto you chaps that to the topmost heights would climb. 'Tis not in one grand bound we leap to altitudes sublime. We do our climbing step by step, to rise to heights afar. Just try to be the fellow that Your mother thinks you are.

'Tis well, of course, for everyone to strive and to aspire. But few of us may lead or set the world on fire. So if you fail to hitch your cart unto the highest star, 'Twill be enough to be the chap Your sweetheart thinks you are. —Selected.

We got a taste this week of 'below zero' weather.

Does the label on your Maple Leaf read 1907? If not, you are not up-to-date.

Next Wednesday is St. Valentine's Day.

The Rev. E. H. Reuter, of Florida, Ont., will occupy the pulpit of the Miss. Lutheran church next Sunday morning.

The New Hamburg station house was destroyed by fire last Friday evening.

The members of the choir of the Union church, are to spend this (Thursday) evening at the home of Mr. H. E. Ratz, St. Clements.

The Maple Leaf this week publishes the famous "Glorious Song" which has been sung by thousands of voices in the great revival which has taken place in Australia, Europe, United States and Canada.

Mr. Michael Freeborn is suffering the inconvenience of a sore right hand which he will be unable to use for some time.

Special sale of Winter Goods on Saturday at Wm. Kelterborn's.

The Wellesley senior hockey club played the "Foundry team" at Hamburg on Tuesday. No room for score.

BORG. —In Wellesley, on Tuesday, Feb. 6th (6) to Mr. and Mrs. Jao W. Fleischnauer, son.

Mr. C. F. Lichty's sale of stock, farm implements, etc., on Tuesday last was a big success. There was a large crowd and everything sold well. Mr. Lichty had previously sold his farm to his son-in-law, and intends retiring.

Last Friday was Candlemas Day. The bear is supposed then to come out from his winter quarters and if he sees his shadow will return to sleep for another month or two longer. The old rhyme runs: If Candlemas day be clear and fair, The half of winter is to come and fair.

If Candlemas day be dark and foul, The half of winter is past at Yule. Friday last was a clear, fair and the bear undoubtedly would see his shadow.

The Western Bank have this week opened a branch office in St. Clements, with Mr. W. B. West, the Wellesley manager in charge for a few weeks. Mr. P. Albert, of Baden, is assisting in the bank here in the meantime.

The Rev. D. Lochner preached his farewell sermon here on Sunday last to a large congregation. About 107 members of the congregation, including the children who were confirmed the previous Sabbath, partook of the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. The Rev. Mr. Lochner and family left on Tuesday, where on Wednesday morning they took the "flyer" for Sherwood. Mr. Lochner's new field of labor. The good wishes of their numerous friends follow them.

On another page will be found an article on Salvation Army Work. We draw the attention of those putting forth the fact that the Army are bringing a good class of immigrants to Canada.

Diphtheria has broken out in the family of Mr. Jos. Reitzel, St. Clements, and as a consequence three little children have been buried within a few days of each other. Medical attendance was called in last week but before he arrived, Julia, a bright little girl of about six years of age was dead. Two other children were examined and the case diagnosed as diphtheria, and a brave effort was made to save their lives, but without avail. Other members of the family who have since shown symptoms, have had anti-toxins injected, and are in a fair way to recover. The family are quarantined and every precaution is being taken to check the spread of the disease.

The Farmers' Institute meeting will be held in Wellesley Opera house on Feb. 22nd both afternoon and evening. The speakers have been announced on the large posters. The afternoon session in the school room for ladies promises to be interesting. The names of the speakers will be published next week.

The roller mill here has had six or eight mill-wrights employed the past month in over-hauling the mill and putting up new machinery which will increase their capacity to 250 barrels a day. When through with their improvements Wellesley will have one of the finest mills in Western Ontario. The office formerly occupied by the Maple Leaf has also been renovated, presenting an attractive appearance, and is used as the mills office.

A number from Wellesley attended the funeral of the late Miss Maria Ann Schmidt, of Nithburg, which occurred on Saturday last to the Phillipsburg Lutheran cemetery. She was about 19 years of age and had for a number of years been employed in Heiner Bros. & Co's. factory in this village.

Mrs. Beierbach, well known here, and who lived alone south of Lisbon, was found dead in her woodshed on Saturday last. She was at a neighbors on Friday and arranged for them to help her on Saturday, and when the neighbor arrived the old lady's body was found frozen stiff. She had probably been there all night.

\$23,000 stock must be sold in 13 days. The entire stock of clothing, furnishings, hats, caps, boots, shoes, slippers, overshoes and rubbers is being re-marked and re-arranged and will be placed on sale at the mercy of the public. Your gain our loss. If you value money, do not miss the chance to save it as the entire stock must be sold out in 13 days regardless of cost, beginning Saturday, Feb. 10th, ending Saturday the 24th. Save this —Let nothing keep you away. The hour is set—\$30 a m. Saturday, Feb. 10th. All overcoats at 1/2 price. Boys suits at 1/2 price; 33 per cent discount on everything in our clothing store; 50c slippers for 25c; 60c rubbers for 45c; men's \$100 rubbers for 55c. A 1 winter 5-cold and felt shoes at 20 per cent discount. A. Weseloh & Co., next to the Post-office, Berlin.

An advertisement of "Junior Toiletries" appears in this issue. We commend Junior Toiletries to the ladies of Wellesley and vicinity, as one of the best and most up-to-date journals there is issued and gives for the infant up to the young ladies' wardrobe. Subscriptions will be taken at this office.

HAMSTEAD.
(Too late for last week's issue.)

Miss Jennet Hart is recovering from her recent illness.

Mr. Conrad Smith is also able to be around again.

Miss Madly Cook is ill with cold and lung.

Mr. Isaac Wilhelm is again confined to his bed.

Rev. Mr. Edington preached a very powerful sermon here on Sunday.

Geo. A. Stueck purchased a young driver from Henry Green paying a good price for it.

A number of our young people are to attend a wedding in South Easthope.

Mrs. Geo. Nech is at the bed side of her sister who recently underwent an operation.

Farm for Sale.
Being Lot 9, con. 4, West Section in the Township of Wellesley and consisting of 100 Acres of good farm land, 10 acres of good hard wood bush, 3 acres of Orchard, good back land (up to 100) straw and good stabling for 50 head of cattle and 15 horses house with 2 rooms. A good comfortable house with 4 rooms, 3 miles from Crosshill and 1 mile from Wellesley. Good hard and soft water. Apply to DONALD CAMPBELL, Crosshill, P.O.

Starting last true. People the world over were horrified on learning of the burning of a Chicago theater in which nearly six hundred people lost their lives, yet more than five times this number or over 3000 people died from pneumonia in Chicago during the same year, with scarcely a passing notice. Every one of these cases of pneumonia resulted from a cold and could have been prevented by the timely use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. A great many who had every reason to fear pneumonia have warranted it off by the prompt use of this one remedy. The following is an instance of this sort: "Too much cannot be said in favor of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and especially for colds and influenza. I know that it cured my daughter, Laura, of a severe cold, and I believe saved her life when she was threatened with pneumonia." W. D. WILCOX, Logan, New York, sold by A. S. Saunders, druggist, Wellesley.

New Blacksmith Shop IN WELLESLEY

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(Late of Hawkesville) has rented the shop formerly occupied by R. J. Prosser, and will continue the business as usual.

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14 Boys' \$500 3 piece knicker suits for \$250

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132 pairs of Men's odd trousers, \$1.50 to \$1.75, all one price, 89c

86 Men's two suit suits \$7.50 to \$11, all on sale at one price \$5.00

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The efforts of the Salvation Army on the lines of immigration were so successful last year that arrangements have been made for ten thousand people to leave the shores of Great Britain through the same agencies during the coming season. These immigrants will be selected from a possible one hundred thousand applicants, and when it is known that each case is thoroughly investigated, and preference given only to those who are likely to make good settlers, the efforts of General Booth's worthy movement will be thoroughly appreciated by every Canadian.

CHARTERED STEAMSHIPS.

The entire accommodation of three steamers has been chartered for this season's business, and the first organized party of 1,500 will embark on the S. S. Kensington, March 1st, arriving in Halifax ten days later. Many of these people are from the Agricultural districts of Great Britain; in fact, the majority are coming to Canada intent on engaging in farm work, and will be distributed to farms in Ontario on arrival. Farmers who have not secured their help for the coming season will do well to write immediately to Brigadier Thos. Howell, Secretary, S. A. Immigration Department, James and Albert Sts., Toronto, for application forms and further particulars.

Many splendid tributes have been paid to the Salvation Army for the excellent class of men who have already been brought to this country.

THE CANADIAN HOG RAISING INDUSTRY.

Continued from last week.

Whatever may be the extent of the shortage or the real cause of it, the fact remains that unless producers and packers grapple in sympathetic co-operation with the situation, Canada's valuable bacon industry which has cost years of strenuous efforts to build up may become seriously demoralized.

In 1890 there were only two packing houses in the export trade with a weekly capacity of some 3,000 hogs, while in 1906 the weekly capacity of the 16 packing houses in operation was some 50,000. While this limit has not been reached within from 10,000 to 15,000 hogs weekly, according to the season, the output from Canada has reached about 15,000,000 annually or 20 per cent of the total quantity of bacon imported by Great Britain. To jeopardize so valuable an industry would be nothing less than a national calamity.

If the farmers who have been in the habit of raising hogs will accord the bacon industry a steady, persistent support begotten of the knowledge the hog raising pays year in and year out, the future has very large possibilities for the Canadian bacon industry. Canadian bacon having won a place on the British market commanding respect, as it increases in quantity and improves in quality, will undoubtedly become a daily necessity of the British consumer. That it may occupy this enviable position both farmer and packer must co-operate, the farmer by producing a steady supply of the right class of hogs, the packer by paying a fairly uniform price from month to month and from year to year, and he must give value per pound according to the quality of the produce he receives. Let each do his part and there will be little trouble about the supply of hogs for keeping the factories going at a normal capacity. What appears to be most needed at the present time is that relations of confidence be restored and maintained between packer and farmer through fair dealing and intelligent co-operation. With these, and an appreciation on the part of the producer of the possibilities of the industry, hog raising cannot fail to be one of the most profitable branches of Canadian agriculture.

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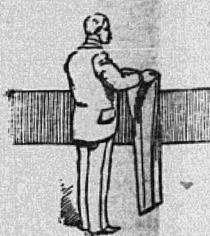
10 pieces Victoria Lawns, regular 10c for 8c.
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25 pieces Wrapperettes, best quality, regular 12 1-2c for 9c
25 pieces Prints, desirable designs, regular 12 1-2c for 10c.
25 Black Sateen (special) regular 14c, now 9 yds for \$1.
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Timetable No. 3, effective Oct. 6th

Leave Berlin for Preston,

Peler and Galt:—

A. M.—8.00, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05.

P. M.—12.05, 1.05, 2.05, 3.05, 4.05,

5.05, 6.05, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05,

11.05, (Preston only)

Extra express car will leave Berlin

for C. P. R. station, Galt, carry-

ing passengers and baggage, at

8.40 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Leave Preston Junction for Ber-

lin, Hespeler and Galt:—

A. M.—(9.20, Hespeler only), (9.30

Galt only), 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.35

11.35.

P. M.—12.35, 1.35, 2.35, 3.35, 4.35

5.35, 6.35, 7.35, 8.35, 9.35, 10.35.

Extra express cars will leave Prea-

ton Springs at 9.05 a.m. and 6.35

p.m. for C. P. R. station Galt.

Leave Galt for Berlin, Preston

and Hespeler:—

A. M.—7.00, 8.00, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05.

P. M.—12.05, 1.05, 2.05, 3.05, 4.05,

5.05, 6.05, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05,

(11.05, Preston only).

Extra express car will leave C. P. R.

station going north on arrival of

the 10.25 a.m. and 7.14 p.m. trains

Leave Hespeler for Preston, Galt

and Berlin:—

A. M.—6.35, 8.10, 9.10, 10.10, 11.35.

P. M.—12.14, 1.15, 2.15, 3.15, 4.15,

5.15, 6.15, 7.15, 8.15, 9.15, 10.15,

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