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INDEPENDENT.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Work on the Guelph-Goderich extension of the C. P. R. is progressing steadily. It is expected that the line will be open for traffic from Guelph as far as Elmira by the first of July or August and it is possible that Linwood will be reached before winter in which case the entire line will be completed and trains running on schedule time by the middle of 1907.

Next Monday, at the Wellesley council meeting, the Brenner drain petition will again be presented to the Board. The petition is from the owners of a long stretch of swamp lands extending from the Ninth line at the Linwood side line northwesterly to the thirteenth line where it finds an outlet in Morington township. The principal objection to the scheme seems to come from those whose land naturally drains towards this swamp and who will be asked to help pay for the drain. The promoters of the drain complain that the petition is left open too long at the council meetings, so that the "antis" have an opportunity to influence the signers to take their names off the petition thus leaving it in the minority when it is thrown out by the Board. This has twice occurred at the council meetings, the expense in each instance falling upon the petitioners. Those who are interested in having the drain built seem confident that the signers they now have secured to the petition will "stand pat" this time, but there will likely be a lively canvassing time at the meeting next Monday if the council leaves the petition open until late in the day as they did on the former occasion.

The Queen's Own regiment was in New York last Friday and Saturday taking part in the military parade and drill contest. The Canadians showed up well and won great applause, but British flags and British music were, according to dispatches, conspicuous by their absence.

Ask for Union Jack cork-tip cigarettes and V. C. cigarettes; Primrose smoking tobacco in curved tins and Red Cloud Sliced Club. They are the latest. If you can't get them in Wellesley ask at W. E. Egan's Berlin. He keeps all the good things. 9-28

The Maple Leaf from now until Jan. 1, 1907 to new subscribers for 65 cents. Subscribe now.

Steele Briggs seeds are the best. Royal Giant Sugar Beet, Giant Yellow Oval Mangel, Giant Yellow Globe Mangel, Prize Mammoth Long Red Mangel, all for sale at Wm. Kelterborn's.

Why Suffer From Rheumatism? Why suffer from rheumatism when one application of Chamberlain's Pain Balm will relieve the pain? The quick relief which this liniment affords makes rest and sleep possible, and that alone is worth many times its cost. Many who have used it hoping only for a short relief from suffering have been happily surprised to find that after a while the relief became permanent. Mrs. V. H. Leggett, of Yum Yum, Tennessee, U. S. A., writes, "I am a great sufferer from rheumatism, all over from head to foot, and Chamberlain's Pain Balm is the only thing that will relieve the pain." For sale by A. J. Saunders, druggist, Wellesley.

Do you want to get the home news? If so, subscribe for the Maple Leaf—the home paper.

DON'T FAIL TO SEE our immense select stock of

Mens', Boy's & Children's Spring Clothing

They LOOK STYLISH, FIT PERFECT, WEAR WELL, and AT VERY MODERATE PRICES; from \$4.50 upwards for Men's, \$3.00 upwards for Boys', \$2.00 for Children's.

Call, Examine and you will be pleased.

OUR STOCK OF WALL PAPERS—the Largest, Brightest and most Artistic ever shown in Wellesley from 4c per roll upwards.

PAINTS & OILS—Full stock of the celebrated Sherwin-Williams Ready mixed Paints in Stock. Once used, you will have no other. Also large assortment of Oils, Varnishes, Brushes, Etc., at low prices.

Field and Garden Seeds, and Garden Tools—Our line is fully complete.

OUR MILLINERY DEPARTMENT, in full swing. Another large shipment just RECEIVED. Place your order for your Spring hat NOW. Exclusive Styles, Dainty modes, high class workmanship, Moderate prices, Largest Selection in Town.

Reiner Bro. & Co.,



ROSE MILLINERY Over Kelterborn's Store.

We have made ample preparations for the Spring Trade in our Wellesley Store. Our show-room is filled with the most stylish and smartest Hats. Whatever Fashion calls for, we can answer. Ready-to-wears, all smart, pleasing styles, including many of the newest New York sailors with smartest trimmings at the very lowest prices.

MISS EDWARDS (late of the T. Eaton Co., Toronto,) is in charge.

The Rose Millinery & Ladies' Outfitting Parlors,

WELLESLEY.

BERLIN

Going Out Of The Carpet Business

It is the New Manager's intentions to sell out our Entire Stock of CARPETS, and FLOOR OIL CLOTHS.

This will be done with a very liberal reduction of prices throughout the department.

There are hundreds of yards of Carpets, hundreds of yards of Oil Cloths and Linoleums, dozens of Rugs, both large and small sizes here for you to make a selection from.

To have a "Sale" of this sort come on just when the majority of people are HOUSE CLEANING is a lucky event for the Economical Customers.

The notable feature of this business change is that EVERY ARTICLE IN THE HOUSEFURNISHING DEPT. IS SUBJECT TO A DISCOUNT OF **15** Per Cent reduced.

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Great Sale
G. B. Ryan & Co.,

BERLIN

NORMAN RYAN - - - - - Manager.

[We do what we say.]

Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines.
Drug Sundries.

PURE HELLEBORE,
BLUESTONE,

For Spraying Trees.

Formaldehyde

For Smut and Worms in Seed Grain.

—FOR SALE AT—

THE DRUG STORE.

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The LARGEST and BEST
ASSORTMENT

—OF—
GROCERIES

at the LOWEST Prices

—at—
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Wellesley,

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—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

Sale Bills

Concert Posters

Dodgers Programs

Office Stationery

Cards, Circulars or anything in the line of Printing.

LOCAL NEWS.

Who is going to report the capture of the first big carp.

Mr. John S. Zehr has leased his machine shop in this village to Mr. Amos Leis.

The pupils of Mr. Kerr's room in the Wellesley public school are organizing a basketball club.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McDonald spent Sunday last the guests of Tavistock friends.

Mr. Robt. Fleischnauer and family spent Sunday in Wellesley, the guests of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Weber, of Berlin, were Wellesley visitors last Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Krentzweiser spent Sunday last the guests of his father in Bridgeport.

Mr. L. Fleischnauer has had a marmalade window placed in his residence, making a noticeable improvement in the property.

Mr. S. Michin has this week moved his family to Baden where he will work during the coming summer.

Mrs. (Widow) East is absent this week attending at the bedside of her aged mother who is ill near St. Anns.

The friends of Mr. Dan Koehler are pleased to see him around again after an illness extending through the winter.

Plans are being prepared for the opening of the Lutheran parsonage in this village to replace the one recently destroyed by fire.

The Wellesley Club's bowling green has wintered well and the lawn is now nearly ready for the opening games.

Quite a number of our villagers are planting ornamental trees in front of their property this spring. The beautifying effects of this excellent work will be noticeable in a few years.

Steele Briggs Turnip Seed, Hall's Westbury Purple-Top Swede, Jumbo Swede, Steele Briggs' Good Luck Swede, Hazard's Improved Swede, for sale at Wm. Kelterborn's.

Mr. Fred Divor is adding a large addition to the rear of his store which will give much more floor space and accommodation in his ice cream parlors.

This week will see the finish of spring seeding in this vicinity. The weather has been quite favorable and the work was pushed to the extreme limit.

We are still selling clothing and shoes at our old stand at special bargain prices. Come and see what in Berlin. A. Weseloh & Co., next to the post office.

It is said that from six to ten heavily loaded teams leave Wellesley every day with freight for train shipment. Railway connection is needed.

Kelterborn's butcher shop has been moved to the rear of the lot and a fine brick building is being erected in its place. The new premises will be larger and much more accommodating for the rapidly increasing business.

While a bilious attack is decided, it is unpleasant it is quickly over when Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are used. For sale by A. J. Saunders, druggist, Wellesley.

English church services have been re-established at Crosshill. Rev. Mr. Jones, of Millbank, preaches there every Sunday after noon at three o'clock. The public are cordially invited.

The Mr. Andrew Bohlander, whose unaccountable long sleep has caused considerable excitement recently, as reported in the Detroit News, is connected with several families in Wellesley, and he formerly resided here.

The Co-operative Cigar Co. of Berlin, have on sale in Wellesley their famous "Lustig" and "Cobalt" 10c cigars. Have you tried them? They're great.

CHEAP WALL PAPER. Spahr will sell the balance of his Wall Paper at cost.

Rev. Irl B. Hicks, the weather predictor, promises several sharp thunder storms early in May, followed by a spell of exceptionally hot weather.

A large attendance of the members of the Woman's Institute is requested next Thursday in the school room adjoining the Opera House, at 2:30 p. m.

The first of May inaugurated the trout fishing season with the Wellesley Rod and Gun club. Several fine strings were caught, Mr. J. G. Heiner leading with a catch of 18 fine ones.

Reimer Bros. & Co. are placing a new "condenser" or "dasher" in their woollen mill this week. The new machine is of 48-inch capacity and is required to keep pace with the new spinning "mules" recently installed.

Rev. Mr. Ead presch his farewell sermon to his Wellesley congregation last Sunday evening and will shortly remove to Dashwood, where he has been stationed by the recent conference of the Evangelical Alliance. Both as a pastor and preacher, Rev. Mr. Ead has endeared himself to all with whom he came in contact in this section, while the great affliction he was called upon to undergo in the death of his young wife called forth the special sympathy of all who knew him. The heartiest good wishes of the public go with him to his new field of labor.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy The Very Best.

"I have been using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and want to say it is the best cough medicine I have ever taken," says Geo. L. Chubb, a merchant of Harlan, Mich. There is no question about its being the best, as it will cure a cough or cold in less time than any other treatment. It should always be kept in the house ready for instant use, for a cold can be cured in much less time when promptly treated. For sale by A. J. Saunders, druggist, Wellesley.

The great athletic tournament at Athens, Greece, is over. Athletes from all over the known world contested, as they did two thousand, and even three thousand years ago. But it was a Canadian—William Sherring, of Hamilton—who won the great event, the 26 mile race, from 83 competitors. He did it in record time, 2 hours and 51 minutes in the presence of over 200,000 people.

Once more Canada is to the front athletically. Shake, Billy!

The hotel and shop licenses in North Waterloo were paid for on Monday last for six months at the same rates as charged last year, the new law not having been long enough in force to legally collect the increased price. The first report, last week, was in error in stating that Mr. Wm. Witte, of the station hotel, Berlin, was refused a license. His license was duly issued and we are informed he intends to build a new hotel the coming summer.

Two hundred and fifty extra copies of the Maple Leaf are being sent out each week to give greater publicity to the large advertisement of the Wellesley Milling Co. If you wish to become a subscriber you can do so by paying the small sum of 40 cents which will carry your subscription until Jan. 1st, 1907. After next week's issue these extra papers will be discontinued.

NOTICE.

A meeting of all adherents of the Union Church will be held in the church Friday evening, the 4th inst., at 7:30. A large attendance is requested.

Jas. McDonald, Chairman.

How to Ward Off Old Age.

The most successful way of warding off the approach of old age is to maintain a vigorous digestion. This can be done by eating only food suited to your age and occupation, and when any disorder of the stomach appears take a course of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets to correct it. If you have a weak stomach or are troubled with indigestion, you will find these Tablets to be just what you need. For sale by A. J. Saunders, druggist, Wellesley.

WELLESLEY MARKETS.

Wednesday, May 2nd, 1906.

To-day's quotations are:

Wheat	..... 77c.
Oats	..... 55c.
Barley	..... 42c.
Peas	..... 65c.
Corn	..... 56c.
Flour, cash	..... \$2.25
Flour, (per 5 cwt) cash	..... \$2.15
Middlings, (per ton)	..... \$30.00
Bran, (per ton)	..... \$19.00
Low Grade, (per ton)	..... \$24.00
Butter, 7 lb	..... 17c.
Eggs, 40	..... 14c.
Lard, 1 lb	..... 10c.
Tallow, (crude) 1 lb	..... 8c.
Dried apples 1/2 pound	..... 6c.

MORE NEW LIBRARY BOOKS.

The Wellesley Public Library last week catalogued the following long list of new books, including many of the latest works of popular authors. There are now nearly two thousand volumes on the library shelves for the use of members, while the fee is placed at so low a figure that every one who thinks an educative institution of this kind is worthy of support should hand in their names: Robin Redbreast, Children's Kingdom, A Knight of St. John, Broke of Gooden, The Scarlet Pimpernel, A Son of the People, How to Know the Wild Flowers, Lulu's Library, Jo's Boys, Under the Lilacs, Little Women, The Virginian, Meg's Friend, Cecelia's Loves, Tom and Co. Helen's Battles, Flashlight on Nature, Canadian Girl in S. Africa, A Motor Car Divorce, An Old-Fashioned Girl, Sir Roger's Heir, A Captain in the Bands, Six to Sixteen, Under False Colors, Adventures of Harry Rochester, The Red Window, The Storm Signal, Daddy's Girl, A Young Millionaire, A Millionaire Baby, The Gentlemen From Indiana, Karl Grier, Courier of Fortune, Captain's Partners of the Tide, My Friend the Chauffeur, Three Bright Girls, A bunch of Cherries, My Sword for Lafette, Pen pictures, Barbara Heathcote's Trial, Wee Wee, Wifey, Wooded and Married, Om Bessie, Mrs. Jim, Dawn of Tomorrow, The Burn's Country, The Captain's Wife, At Close Range, The Betrayal, Giant Circumstances, The Hundred Days, Silver Bells, When it Was Dark, The Widow O'Callaghan's Boys, Carolina Bell, Leo Beck's First Error, Abroad with the Jimmies, At Home with the Jardines, The Outlet, Beverley of Graustark, Girl Neighbors, A Prince of Sinners, The Lightning Conductor, When You Were a Boy, The Jungle, Hail, The Conquest of Canada, The Arachne Puzzle, Blazed Trail Stories, Kindred of the Wild.

EARLY CLOSING.

We the undersigned Merchants and business men of the Village of Wellesley hereby promise and agree to close our respective places of business at 7 o'clock p. m., sharp, every evening, commencing May 1. Wednesday, Saturdays and evenings before Public Holidays excepted.

Reimer Bros. & Co.,
Wm. Weseloh & Co.,
John Spahr,
C. Haimmer,
H. Hiltz,
C. D. Koehler,
Chas. F. Ottmann,
J. J. & L. Fleischnauer,
Ratz & Fleischnauer,
J. A. Drnar,
G. Wolwade,
Robt. Kube.

Cheese Factory Machinery For Sale.

As I am about to install machinery for the manufacture of Swiss Cheese I am offering for sale at bargain prices, the Wellesley Cheese factory machinery consisting of—

- 2 Cheese Vats—one new
- 1 new Cheese Press
- 2 Sinks

Apply on the premises personally or by letter to

CHRIS. BURGNER,
Proprietor,
Wellesley P. O., Ont.

TIME TABLE

of the Preston and Berlin Electric Railway.

Timetable No. 3, effective Oct. 6th

Leave Berlin for Preston, Hespeler 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, carrying passengers and baggage, at 8:40 a. m. and 6 p. m.

Leave Preston Junction for Berlin, Hespeler and Galt:—

A. M.—9:50, Hespeler only, (6:30 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, 11:35.

Extra express cars will leave Preston Springs at 9:08 a. m. and 6:35 p. m. for C. P. R. station Galt.

Leave Galt for Berlin, Preston and Hespeler:—

A. M.—8:00, 9:00, 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, 11:05, (Preston only).

Another Rug SALE

DO YOU NEED A RUG ?

Visit our Rug Dept. There is but one side—the bright. That is the conclusion of people who have seen it from every view-point. The stock is satisfaction in magnitude and variety. The prices are attractive because all our goods in this department are bought for spot cash from the best makers of the old lands. You know what that means to you. It means money in your pocket.

Here is our Bargain List for this week. This is a money-saving opportunity.

TAPESTRY SQUARES

New Goods, Beautiful Designs:—

3x2 1/2—\$5.	3x3—\$7.
3x3 1/2—\$8.50.	3x4—\$9.
3 1/2 x 4—\$10.	4 1/2 x 4—\$17.
4 1/2 x 4—\$22.	

VELVET SQUARES

Lovely goods, new colorings.

3x8—\$13.	3 1/2 x 3 1/2—\$14.
3 1/2 x 4—\$17.	3 1/2 x 4—\$30.

SEAMLESS VELVET SQUARES

Lovely Colorings and Designs:

3x3—\$16.
3x4—\$22.
3 1/2 x 4—\$19.

We have the exclusive agency for the sale of a European maker of Oriental Squares. The prices are \$16.50, \$18, \$22, \$25, \$30, \$35 up, according to size. Come in and look through.

SMYTH BROS.,

South side King Street.

BERLIN.

Cash and one Price

Cheap Cash Store

John, David, Edward, Ethel, Jacob, Roth, Ethel, Sanders, Ethel

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SUIT?

This is a common expression heard on the street and applies to our "High-Grade" Suits and Top Coats. We only ask a few minutes of your time to-day to show you our Spring Lines and you will say they are the most perfect models that have been shown. Without doubt we know that our Clothing is one hundred per cent. ahead of any other make and we're a reason for making such a bold statement.

Satisfaction Guaranteed.

P. J. KELLY,

STRATFORD'S

Best Clothier and Furnisher.

Nothing More

Acceptable than MUSIC.

A Parcel of the latest, or Classic Music, A Mouth Organ, Music Box, Ocarina, Music Bag, Whistle Blow, Accordion, Violin, Guitar, Mandolin, or Autoharp, Phonograph, Organ, or Piano, any of these are cheering delightful presents.



Long Price Range 2.00, 3.50, 3.00, 3.50, up to \$4.50.

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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.

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Merchant Tailor,

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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 the best.

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The very best varieties of **SEED CORN**, including

White Cap, Leaming,

White Flint, Butter Dent,

Also American No. 3 Yellow Feeding Corn, all at prices to suit the Farmer.

MILL FEEDS of **SPECIAL QUALITY**, at **SPECIAL PRICES**

Particular attention given to Custom Chopping and Gristing.

All kinds of grain taken in at our mill at the highest market prices at all times.

GOVERNMENT INSPECTED BUSHEL TESTER used for testing purposes.

Our paramount aim is to give our farmers and local customers the very best values in milling products that we possibly can.

Assist us in the "good work" by enlarging our field of operations in giving us your trade---We want it, and wish to assure you that **SATISFACTION** in every way is **GUARANTEED POSITIVELY**.

The WELLESLEY MILLING COMPANY, Limited
of Wellesley, Ontario.