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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, 10.05, 9.05, 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.—(8.20, 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 8.35 p.m. for B. 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.—5.35, 8.10, 9.10, 10.10, 11.35.  
P. M.—12.15, 1.15, 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.15, 7.15, 8.15, 9.15, 10.15, 10.30, (Preston only.)

## ARBITRATION COURT.

POLICE VILLAGE OF WELLESLEY VS. WELLESLEY TOWNSHIP—JUDGE CHISHOLM GIVES SECOND AWARD—VILLAGE GETS 71 PER C. OF TOWNSHIP RATE.

The short experience of Wellesley as a police village is not of a nature to make the ratepayers go into ecstasy over the Provincial law governing the matter.

Last winter a petition was presented to the township council asking that Wellesley be created into a police village. The council granted the petition and offered the village 35% per cent. of its township rate taxes and a similar portion of the licenses, fines and dog taxes received from the village. The trustees were not satisfied with this small amount and requested an arbitration before His Honor, Judge Chisholm as provided by law. This was granted by the council and the arbitration was held, Judge Chisholm granting the village 60 per cent. instead of 35% offered by the council. The council then appealed the case to the High Court at Toronto where Judge Chisholm's award was nullified on the grounds that the licenses, fines and dog taxes were not included in its jurisdiction, and the case was sent back to him, to decide upon the amount of township rate taxes only which the village is to receive.

This second arbitration court was held in the Opera House here on Saturday afternoon last in the presence of a large attendance, including the reeve of the township, councillors Hastings and Reidel, township clerk Schumacher and others outside the village. His Honor, E. P. Clement (of the firm of Clement & Clement, barristers, Berlin) trustees, and Mr. McBride, (barrister, of Waterloo) for the council.

Mr. McBride stated that the township council was willing to have the judge cut everything out of his previous award except the 80 per cent. of the township rate and give that amount to the police village.

Mr. Clement believed the High Court had referred the whole matter back for readjustment. If His Honor is deterred from considering the license moneys, etc., a large sum going from this source into the township treasury from Wellesley village, then there are certain reasons why the village should get a large portion of the township rate to make up the deficiency.

His Honor asked that the assessed value of the village be obtained, as also the assessed value of the township.

Assessed value of tp. \$3,600,000.00

" " village 210,000.00

This gave the village as paying a proportion of about \$1 in every \$18 of taxes. In order to get at the village's share of the cost of doing the business of the township the court went over the last auditors report and averaged the normal annual expenses of the township as follows:

Township officials, salaries,	\$1370
Printing and stationery	175
Law costs	100
Board of Health	25
Interest	174
Debt interest	39
Miscellaneous	364
	\$2491

It was then agreed that as the village pays 1-18th of the taxes \$138 would represent the village's proportion of this total cost of \$2491 for township governing expenses. It was then shown that (on the 2% mill rate of assessment this year for township purposes)

Wellesley village is paying into the township treasury \$523 on the assessed value of \$210,000, of which only \$138 (1-18th) was for official expenses. This left \$387 which the village is paying out of its "township rate" alone towards the roads and bridges of the township.

Mr. Clement argued that to this \$487 is added about 30 dog taxes, about \$300 in licenses and fines besides about \$100 under the new county good roads by law—making in all over \$800 which the township receives from the village more than the \$138 it pays for salaries, etc. For this reason, he contended, the village is entitled to more than the 60 per cent. of the township rate which Mr. McBride, representing the council, now asks His Honor to award. He explained that the trustees accepting the Judge's first award as final had gone on making valuable public improvements and issued cheques therefor \$21.18 have since been dishonoured, and this unexpected appeal to the High Court had left the village in financial straits unless they were now liberally dealt with.

Mr. McBride urged that the law confused His Honor to the township rates in making his award and then so far as the council is concerned it is a mere matter of calculation in granting a sum to the police village, if they choose to do so, after they receive the Judge's present award. The decision should be reached apart from any sentimental notions. If the Court grants too much the council can afterwards, by simple calculation, regulate their grant to the village.

## THE AWARD.

His Honor in summing up stated that although the figures presented might not be absolutely accurate, they were very close and he was satisfied no injustice would be done by accepting them for the purpose of rendering an award. By these figures it appeared to him that 28% of the police village's taxes for township purposes would pay a proper share for the governing expenses of the township. He therefore would award to the police village the remaining portion, 74% of its township rate. If he granted more than this his award would be open to the same objection which had carried his former decision to the High Court. He doubted his authority to consider the license moneys in any way, believing that it would again set aside his award. He suggested that the trustees again approach the council's fair-minded generosity, taking Mr. Clement with them to set forth their claims.

He then requested Reeve Robertson to have the council pass a by-law legalizing the matter.

The court then closed.

## HAMPSTEAD.

Threshers are busy in this neighborhood at present.

Mr. Conrad Smith, sr., had a heifer struck by lightning and killed the other day. Messrs Stewart and Neundorfer valued the animal at \$42, and it is expected the insurance, which is in the South Easthope Co., will be adjusted upon this basis.

Mr. Sloan, the new principal of the Hampstead public school, commenced his duties on Monday morning. We wish him success.

Mr. Dow, of Vancouver, B.C., is visiting friends and relatives hereabouts at present.

Farmers have to be kept back somewhat by the recent heavy rains. Many fields of oats were thoroughly soaked.

## ST. CLEMENTS.

Mrs. E. and Mrs. Regina Ament, returned to their home at Green Lake, Mich., after a visit of two weeks with relatives here.

Mr. Peter Kroetsch, spent a few days (last week) here renewing old acquaintances. He was at Quebec with the 29th battalion band, Berlin, taking part in the tercentenary celebrations.

Miss Florence Miller, of Caladonia, Mich., spent last week visiting relatives here.

Mr. Simon and Miss Rose Rosenblatt, of Milwaukee, Wis., are spending a few weeks with relatives and friends in Berlin and St. Clements.

Mr. John Forwell, of Barryton, Mich., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Forwell. He also visited his brother George, of the Forwell Hotel at Hawkesville.

Miss Theresa Meyer, Toronto, is spending holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Meyer.

Miss Minnie Adam left for Toronto on Monday, intending to stay for some time.

Mr. Leo Boppe, Linwood, spent a week's holidays in St. Clements and vicinity.

Miss Eltona Compass, is holding a party at her home here.

Mrs. J. G. Meyer, Waterloo, is spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Meyer.

Rev. Father Fischer, of St. Jerome's College, Berlin, officiated in the local R. C. church on Sunday, in the absence of Rev. Halm, parish priest.

Mr. August Knepp, owns 800 acres farm situated 2 1/2 miles north east of St. Clements to Mr. Martin of Heidelberg.

Mr. Alux Stumpf, employed as the local Rosenblatt Art Works had the misfortune on Monday to have his thumb badly cut while operating a buzz planer, making an amputation at the back joint necessary.

The fire engine purchased by the local police village trustees was given a trial recently and it is giving good satisfaction. In case of fire the wisdom of the purchase could surely be seen.

The local sawing and heading mills are still working full time. Mr. H. E. Rata, the proprietor thinks of building an addition to the mills and install machinery for manufacturing hoops which would enable him to operate the mill the fall year.

The citizens of our enterprising village are receiving daily praise for the pains they take in having our main streets present a nice clean appearance. The streets have been given a general clean up this summer and freed of some objectionable piles of rubbish and in their present condition are a credit to our burg.

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### EDITORIAL NOTES.

The death of Senator Samuel Merner occurred at his home in Berlin last week at the advanced age of 85 years. He was a self-made man, having been apprenticed as a blacksmith when 15 years of age. Early in his life he started in business in New Hamburg, extending it until he owned foundries in Baden and Waterloo and New Hamburg. Later on as his wealth increased he became connected with other extensive businesses in the county. He was for a long time member of parliament, and was appointed a Senator by Sir John A. McDonald.

Guelph and Arthur have just concluded their Old Boys' Reunion celebrations, both being immeasurably successful. There is something about these gatherings which appeals to the hearts of all and when it is fully demonstrated that the smaller villages can make these home-gatherings successful we may expect to hear of them being held all over the Dominion. Young Canadians have left their childhood homes and scattered to all parts of the world, carrying with them only the memory of their juvenile home and playmates. This memory grows fonder with advancing years so that when the word comes that a foregathering is to be held at a given date the desire to return and visit their childhood scenes and friends becomes irresistible and they flock home from all parts of the world—a joyous, prosperous crowd, and they carry away with them wonderful stories of the growth and greatness of Canada and a deeper love for their native land and childhood companions which cannot help enhancing Canada in the eyes of the world. There is no danger of this new class of celebration becoming a "fad," it is too full of family reunions, schoolmate gatherings, heart-burning meetings with old friends, renewings of forgotten acquaintances, and revived home love, to permit these home gatherings to be destroyed by the money making schemes which are already creeping in. By all means let us have these reunions in every village and hamlet until the feeling "Once a Canadian, always a Canadian" becomes a part of the very life-blood of every son and daughter of our fair Dominion.

We are publishing in this issue the minutes of the Wellesley township council from the columns of a neighboring newspaper. Our readers, who are ratepayers in the township will, we believe bear with the Maple Leaf in having to be so late in furnishing this important news and in a second hand, possibly inaccurate, manner. We have appealed personally to the council for this copy—have even offered to pay them for it, to no avail so far. There is no friction of any kind between the Maple Leaf and the council, and we are totally unaware of any reason why the council or its clerk should pursue so little a course. The councils of former years have always shown an anxiety to lay the minutes of their meetings before their constituents through the Maple Leaf, and on one occasion the clerk's salary (which is already one of the largest in this part of the Province) was increased by a further \$25, to ensure

the publication of these minutes in this journal. We have no "grinch" personality of any kind against any member of the present council, and we cannot conceive a reason for their present course unless it is that they are either coming what they, or some of them, think is a blow at the Leaf, or else have too little respect for the electors who voted them to office to place the minutes before them.

The arbitration between the police village of Wellesley and the township council is apparently settled at last, and it looks just now as if the village is worse off financially than it would have been under the 33% per c. offer made by the council originally. A certain class of people in the township are openly rejoicing at the village's discomfiture, but there is a much larger broad-minded class of ratepayers who believe the present Provincial law governing this matter does not permit justice to be done unless the council so chooses. The subject of incorporation is being carefully investigated, and meantime the village will be specially taxed to raise the money spent upon the streets this year by the trustees who did not suspect until the last moment that the council were going to appeal against Judge Chisholm's first award.

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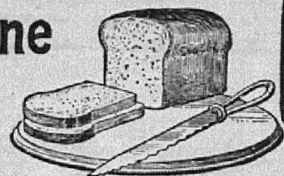
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## Local News.

### LIBERAL CONVENTION.

A Convention of the Liberal Electors of the North Riding of Waterloo will be held in the Town Hall, Waterloo, on Wednesday, Sept. 24th 1908, for the selection of a Liberal candidate for the coming Dominion Election, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the Convention.

A meeting of the Liberal electors of the township of Wellesley, to appoint delegates to the convention will be held in the township hall, Waterloo, on Friday evening, Aug. 22nd, 1908, at 8 o'clock. J. F. Bonner, President; J. C. Haight, Sec. N. W. L. A.

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Mrs. Ed. Burns, of Toronto, is the guest of her sister Mrs. Spahr.

School commenced on Monday with a good attendance.

Mrs. (Dr.) Sheir, of Uxbridge, (nee Mrs. Martha Kaufman,) is visiting relatives in town.

Miss Spahr, and her guest, Miss Douglas, spent Wednesday with friends in Linwood.

Messrs. Albert Reiner, and Will Ratz, spent Wednesday evening in Linwood.

Miss Margaret Kocher, of Hamilton, is visiting under the parental roof.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ramsecker, of Elkton, Mich., are visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. August Kertler, left on Saturday for a short visit with his sister in Goderich.

Messrs. Ed. Spahr, and Harry Schumacher, of Linwood, spent Sunday at Mr. John Spahr's.

The minutes of the North East, hope council reached us too late for this issue. They will appear next week.

Mrs. D. Doering, of Salina, Kansas, is on an extended visit to her sister Mrs. J. G. Reiter.

Miss Anna Spahr, Miss Douglas, Messrs. Albert Reiner and Will Ratz, spent Sunday in Berlin.

Mr. Casper Meyer is employed as engineer at Reiner Bros. & Co., while Mr. Moses Gascho is absent in Manitoba.

Mrs. Thos. Keachie and daughter Erma, and Mrs. Wesley Fether, of Galt, have been the guests of their sister, Mrs. Green, the past week.

Miss Annie Huber, of Rochester, N. Y., and Miss Lola Spahr, of Linwood, were the guests of Miss Spahr, on Friday last.

On Sept. 1 the Berlin Business College re-opens. You can obtain a free copy of the college catalog by writing the principal, W. D. Eiler.

Mrs. Hammond, Woodside, mother of Mrs. Robt. Frechberger, died on Aug. 10th, in her 82nd year.

Mrs. Ernesta Spahr, who has been visiting her grandparents in Linwood has returned home.

J. W. Green, of the Maple Leaf, accompanied by his daughter, Erma, last week attended the Old Boys' reunion at Arthur, where he spent his boyhood days.

The Union B. S. picnic, held on the banks of the Nile a week ago Thursday was a most enjoyable success.

Miss Gatzmeyer, of Seaford, is teaching in the public school, replacing Miss Carter, who resigned just before the holidays.

The Ottumwa family are arranging for a reunion picnic to be held on the river bank next Saturday.

Mr. Wm. Green, manufacturer, of Chicago, called on his brother, ye editor, on Monday. He was on his way home after attending the Old Boys' Reunion in Arthur.

The following students of the Berlin Business College have recently been sent to positions: Natal Digman, stenographer, Miller & Sims; E. Bingham, stenographer, Mutual Life Co.; G. Ziegler, Bank of Nova Scotia; O. Meyers, sten. C. Spachtel; B. McGinnis, sten. W. G. & R. F. Koefer, Head Office Mutual Life Co.; H. Geach, United Empire Bank; C. Sallath, book-keeper Winters & Co.; E. Brew, Cactus House; Grace Zepf, sten. H. Krag, Furniture Co.

Gerald Dillon, has returned home to Simira after a week's vacation with Will Spahr.

## LOCAL SPORTS.

### BASE BALL.

Last Saturday evening a crack team from New Hamburg played the locals on the fair grounds here. The game had all the features of base-ball excitement that the most fastidious fans could desire. There was the sunniest kind of ball for six innings at the end of which the score was 3-2 in favor of Wellesley. Then Hamburg rigged up its airship and went up in it. When they came down the score was 6-2 against them. In the first half, ninth innings, the locals borrowed Hamburg's balloon and went away, away up in their for a sail, during which time the visitors notched up 4 runs leaving them one to the good. Then Wellesley went to bat in a last effort to win the game and would have succeeded had the umpire, who had been doing good work up to this time, not have jumped into the balloon and under the highest flight of them all. It was like this: C. Froehlich out at first; Reiner struck out; Dingwall singled for two bags; C. Schaub advanced, advancing Dingwall to third. Then Froehlich batted and got under to first by two yards while Dingwall came home and Schaub took third. But the umpire called Froehlich out and the game was all over except for some earnest, simultaneous remarks made by Mr. Cope in two languages as he about fifty excited spectators and players. Score: New Hamburg 0 0 0 1 1 1 3-7 Wellesley 0 0 2 0 1 0 0-6

Hamburg—Metc, cf; Schmidt, c; E. Schultz, 3b; Urquhart, ss; Finn, 2b; Pfeiffer, lf; Boulier, rf; O. Schultz, 1b; Beck, p.

Wellesley—Klein, 3b; N. Gascho, lf; C. Froehlich, ss; A. E. Reiner, 1b; W. Dingwall, 2b; C. Schaub, p; C. Froehlich, rf; H. Schulz, cf; Edw. Stahl, c.

Umpire—Frank White, of New Hamburg.

### MILBANK V. WELLESLEY.

The Juniors of Milbank played the local team here on Monday evening last. The visitors gave a fine exhibition of the game except in one fatal inning when the little fellows completely lost their heads, and the game. They b. v. a fine battery and smart fielders, and put our boys out in 1, 2, 3 order in the last two innings. They brought with them, however, an umpire whose decisions were very inferior and disgraced the game, and one who played to see the game played. The score: Milbank 0 3 1 2-5 Wellesley 1 1 0 0 0-11

Milbank—Pratt, p; Thomas, 3b; Grieco, c; Diemont, rf; Mulcahy, 1b; Babb, ss; Milne, 2b; Felch, lf; Arnold, c.

Wellesley lined up the same as in the Hamburg game.

### BOWLING.

Three rinks from the newly organized bowling club at New Hamburg visited Wellesley a week ago Thursday. It was their first match game and although they were beaten they are learning the game rapidly and next season will be "in it" with the best clubs. The games resulted as follows: New Hamburg, Wellesley.

Afternoon game: Rau, skip...12 Saunders, skip 7 Boettger, sk. 7 Robertson, sk 14 Sutherland, sk 5 Gaisler, sk...17

Evening game: Rau, sk...10 Gieghorn, sk...14 Gieghorn, sk 8 Green, sk...23 Sutherland, sk 3 Gaisler, sk...10

### SPORTING NOTES.

Three rinks of Berlin bowlers are expected here this (Thursday) afternoon, and on Friday two or three rinks from Stratford.

The local Scotch doubles competition for the rink championship is progressing. Two or three games have been played.

The Tavistock junior foot-ball club are expected here for a friendly game this evening.

### MISSIONARY FESTIVAL.

The annual missionary festival was held in the Miss Lutheran church on Sunday last. Rev. Mr. Mitchell, preached in the morning, and Rev. Mr. Gross, of Kurtzville, in the afternoon. In the evening services were conducted in English Rev. Mr. Haugl preaching. The choir rendered a specially-prepared program for the occasion. All the meetings were well attended and interesting. Collections amounting to \$75 were taken up.

### CATTLE ELIMINATED.

Three gilech cows belonging to Mr. Jacob Wagner, Greenwood's hill, were instantly killed by lightning while taking shelter under a tree in his pasture field during Sunday night's storm.

## HARVESTERS AWAY.

On Friday last the following from this village left for the station to take part in the Northwest harvest: Moses Gascho, Joe Best, J. Loeppke and John Forier, Wellesley village; Dan Erb, 3rd line; Dan Steinman, 5th line. They will be absent a couple of months.

### GREEN'S PLATS BRIDGE.

The contract for the cement flooring and repairs to the big bridge on Grolm's Plats, near Nithburg, has been let to Janitz & Licht. The price to be paid is \$1378.00, and we understand the entire amount is to be paid from the fund raised by the new county good-roads by-law. Some work is to be done on the hill also, but the bridge floor is not to be raised as was desired by a recent writer in the Maple Leaf.

### PHILADELPHIA.

Intended for last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Roth, of Ohio, have been visiting the former's cousin, Mr. David Boettcher.

Among last Sunday's visitors to friends in this village and vicinity were: Mrs. Peter and Miss Kate Dousman, of Wellesley; Mrs. Theo. F. Schmidt and children, Berlin; Mr. and Mrs. Long, Woodstock; Mr. and Mrs. Herberh South East; Messrs. Geo. Berdach and Ed. Koehler, Wellesley.

Messrs. Herman Wagner and Ed. Lentz were in Berlin on Sunday.

Miss Selma Planner, Berlin, is holidaying here with her mother.

### This week's budget.

Aug. 17.—Rev. Mr. Schukle, of Heidelberg, occupied the pulpit of the Lutheran church here on Sunday.

School re-opens here today with Miss Nina Weber, of Fleischerton, Grey county, in charge.

Mr. John F. Schmidt, of Niagara-on-the-lake, spent a few days here last week.

Mr. Gordon Boettger, Bridgeport, is visiting friends here at present.

Mr. Chas. Zuchman, was in the village one day last week.

Miss Elorosa Becker, Oshawa, is the guest of Philipburg friends this week.

A horned chub measuring 13 1/2 inches in length, was caught in the river near here the other day.

Messrs. John Heldmann, of Baden, and Messrs. Nile and Royal, Waterloo, Sundayed with their friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hartung, of Heidelberg, spent Sunday last with Mr. and Mrs. Adam Hartung, at Wilbia.

We extend our sympathy to Mrs. Evelyn Ford, our former school teacher, who is mourning the loss of her sister, Isabelle, whose death at the early age of 19 years, occurred in North Dumfries, last Thursday.

### Farm for Sale.

Being Lot 11 in the 4th con. West Section, Wellesley township.

Also a house and one-acre lot in the village of Crosshill.

The above is the estate of the late John Richardson.

For particulars apply to the undersigned executor: WM. CLAUSTER, M. D., Wellesley; J. E. F. SCHMIDT, New Hamburg.

### CIDER MILL.

The Wellesley Cider Mill commences running on WEDNESDAY, AUG. 26th, 1908.

2 CENTS—No cider made on Saturday afternoons.

In SCHMIDT, Proprietor.

### Wind-Storm Insurance.

We the undersigned farmers hereby testify that we have obtained insurance in the Ontario Farmers' Weather Insurance Mutual Company of Grand Valley, Ont., and have had certain losses by storm; that the Company has settled our claims promptly and to our entire satisfaction; and we heartily recommend said Company to any one wishing storm insurance.

JACOB W. BRUCKER, Hawkeville; C. C. BERNHARDT, "

DAVID SNIDER, "

W. H. FORWELL, "

J. C. LARKNER, "

F. C. DEKAY, "

CHARLES MILLER, Wellesley.

H. J. BALLARD, Agent, Hawkeville P. O.

Head Office, Grand Valley.

### Police Village Notice.

Bicycle riding on the sidewalks, and coasting on the sidewalks by children's express wagons is strictly prohibited by by-laws in the Police Village of Wellesley. Parties violating this by-law are liable to a fine of \$1 and costs.

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Black and white checked suits, worth \$1.85, selling price.....	\$1.50
Linon striped suits, worth 90c., selling price.....	65c
Plain crash suits, worth 90c., selling price.....	65c
Plain blue duck suits, worth \$1.75, selling price.....	\$1.35
Fancy grey duck suits, worth \$1.50, selling price.....	\$1.00
Fancy blue-striped suits, worth 90c., selling price.....	60c
Linon suits worth 90c., selling price.....	60c
Boys' double-breasted linen suits, Norfolk style, with belt, from 7 to 14 years, worth \$2.25, selling price.....	\$1.50
Boys' knickerbockers, worth 85c., selling price.....	45c
Boys' knickerbockers, worth 45c., selling price.....	35c
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# WELLESLEY COUNCIL.

(Copied from the Waterloo Chronicle of August 13th.)

Council met at their hall, Cross-street, on Aug. 3rd. All members present, the record in the chair.

Minutes of last session read and adopted.

Moved by Messrs. Lintick and Reidel that the clerk be hereby instructed to notify the treasurer of sep. S. B. No. 4, Linwood, to refund to the treasurer of the township all the school money received from the John Hill lot No. 2 in the 11th con. owed John Hill for the year 1907.—Carried.

Dugmiller—Hastings—That Jos. Brechner, w. h. of lot 7, con. 12, w. s. be assessed as a supporter of the sep. S. B. No. 12.—Carried.

Accounts passed:

E. Bier, gravel to path, m. p. 3	20 70
Lions Bank, gravelling, etc.	49 57
M. Schleuter, grav'g per contract	77 00
J. M. Sealy, auditor's fees	25 00
Mrs. Nichol, stable hand refund	6 00
J. P. Patch, w. k. on road machine, etc.	10 31
W. Guise, gravelling, h. p.	22 77
W. Hahn, " per cent	19 25
T. Farrell	50 82
Jos. Farrell	41 60
L. Hartmann	33 00
John Patch	20 00
J. Keifert	32 00
E. W. Weber, shoring 1 1/2 days	5 62
Jas. Birmingham, rep. bidge.	6 00
Jas. Hewitt, leveling clay and filling culvert	17 75
Crowley & McDonald, Bren. drain contract, m. pay	500 00
G. Yung, plank for t. line bridge, half pay	5 00
Moses Smith, rep. drain	2 00
A. Boppre, putting in culvert drawing plank, etc.	9 50
G. Farenkopf, gravel to path-masters	14 40
J. Sheffner, rep. road mach.	6 30
Ratz & Co., elm plank	9 60
Jos. Lels, Jr., rep. culvert cementing etc., 1/2 pay	16 40
A. Tillie, rep. two culverts	5 35
J. Patch, rep. bridge and w. k. with team on road mach.	10 25
Fred. Steever, cleaning ditch and drawing clay	36 00
E. Kuehloch, sewer pipes and gravel	22 52
G. Lichty, gravelling per contract, putting in sewers & spreading gravel	14 60
A. Hydt, gravelling, putting in tile and opening ditch.	15 62

Dammeier—Reidel—That the treasurer deposit the sum of \$800 in the bank at Linwood to this township's credit to meet current expenses.—Carried. As an order of \$500 was paid at the Western Bank, St. Clements, only \$300 was transferred to Linwood.

The following by-laws were read and passed:

The township rate was struck at 2 1/2 mills in the \$, and the county rates at 1 and 3-10th mills. School rates were made to comply with the various regulations.

By-law No. 508, appointing W. J. Beggs, collector for the n. h. of the west section, at a salary of \$32; J. J. McFadden for the s. h. of the west section, at a salary of \$32; J. Lorenz for the whole of the east section at a salary of 75.

Dammeier—Hastings—That at the request of the police village of Wellesley trustees a rate of one half mill in the \$ be levied on all the realty properly within the area of said village over and above the township rate.—Carried.

Adjourned.

## FALL FAIRS.

WELLESLEY, Sept. 15-16.	20
Toronto, Aug. 29-Sept. 14.	14
Drumbo, Sept. 29-30.	10
Elmhurst, Sept. 22-23.	10
Listowel, Sept. 16-17.	10
Milverton, Sept. 24-25.	10
New Hamburg, Sept. 17-18.	10
Tavistock, Sept. 21-22.	10
Arthur, Sept. 23-24.	10
Calodonia, Oct. 8-9.	10
Drayton, Oct. 6-7.	10
Fordwich, Oct. 3rd.	10
Galt, Oct. 1-2.	10
Hanover, Sept. 29-30.	10
Ingersoll, Sept. 24-25.	10
London (Western Fair) Sept. 11-19.	10
Mount Forest, Sept. 17-18.	10
Midway, Sept. 28-29.	10
Mitchell, Sept. 15-16.	10
Newsadd, Sept. 23-23.	10
Paris, Sept. 24-25.	10
Rockwood, Oct. 1-2.	10
St. Marys, Sept. 23-24.	10

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100 Acre farm, common house, fairly good barns, drive house and other buildings, extra well watered, about 10 acres extra good bush, lots of Pine and Oak. Mostly black sand, nearly all underdrained, adjoining Grand River about 5 1/2 miles from Dunnville. Price \$4,500.00.

140 Acre farm, about 14 acres fairly good bush, a very good house, nearly new, 26 by 45 with cellar under same. Good drive house, large barn and shed. This is a beautiful farm and can be bought by making a binding agreement and possession given Oct. 1st next, about 1 1/2 miles from Canboro and near school.

One of the best, if not the best farm in our country is a 200 acre farm about 3 1/2 miles from Canfield Station and 2 1/2 miles from Canboro with an extra good barn, a lot of laraw, well watered, plenty of fruit. On this farm there was cleared in the last three years close to \$6,000.00. One of the nicest lying farms in Ontario, and school house on farm, and mail delivered every 2nd day. Price \$7,350.00. A Great Bargain on this farm, there is a lot of Lucerne or alfalfa, and about 25 acres of good bush.

Another nice 100 acre farm across the road from farm just mentioned. New house, fairly good barns, fairly well fenced, also very nice lying farm, drilled well, etc. Price about \$3,200.00.

Another beautiful 140 acre farm with double set of buildings, near Station, good building, nice orchard, drilled well, soil mixed with black sand, about 25 acres of bush, the biggest part is very good land, easy to work, about 5 miles from Dunnville. A very good farm. Price \$4,500.00.

150 acre farm about 1 1/2 miles off our village and about 30 acres bush, new house with cellar, good barns, plenty of water, good drilled well, land easy to work, well fenced, Rural Telephone to be built past this place in Spring. Price \$5,000.00.

Besides these there are a lot of other farms from 50 acres up to 300 acres which can be bought very cheap. These farms are nearly all, if not all well watered and the very best of reasons for selling. Anybody wishing to see these farms, will be gladly met at Canfield Station.

Also 235 acre farm about 5 miles up the Grand River from Canaga 1 1/2 mile from the village of York. This is a very beautiful farm very Bank Barn nearly new, all cemented, 1 litter carriers and water supplied all through the Basement for the stock, everything up-to-date. Large house in extra shape with cellar under same, quite a lot of fruit and a lot of fruit also lot of grapes on place. This is as nice a farm a person can wish for. Price \$10,500.00. Buildings alone are worth about \$4,500.00

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