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It takes years of experience and a high degree of expert knowledge to make baby remedies effective. "MOTHER KROHS" remedies are designed for children only. They are made right and recommended with confidence.

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Property Transfers.
This week Ritchie & Cosens, real estate agents, report the sale of Dr. P. Macdonald's residence on Centre street to Dr. E. H. Cook, who will get possession at once. Dr. Cook has secured a good and centrally located property. The same also report the sale of three lots on the Bluevale road from the Quay estate to Messrs. W. F. and C. G. VanStone.

Buttermilk for sale at the Creamery Kent block.

Another Severe Storm.
This section was again visited by a severe electrical storm on Thursday morning. The storm did not last very long, but it was very severe. A bolt of lightning struck the large brick chimney at the saw works and made a big hole in it. The chimney was so badly shaken that it will have to be rebuilt. Another bolt struck the roof of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church and made a hole and shattered a rafter.

Piano for sale. Apply to P. Fisher.

Expert Judges for Wingham.
The following are the judges for Wingham fall fair which are being supplied by the Ontario Department of Agriculture: Heavy horses, James Graham, Edenville; light horses, Sam'l Eastwood, Long Branch; beef cattle and sheep, A. J. McMullen, Chatham; dairy cattle and swine, G. A. Brethen, Norwood; dairy products, Mrs. M. L. Woelard, Toronto; ladies' work, Miss M. E. Douglas, Markdale; fruit and flowers, W. W. Gammage, London.

Death of a Morris Pioneer.
This week the TIMES again chronicles the death of another of the pioneers of this section in the person of John Elston who passed away at his home on the 2nd line of Morris on Tuesday evening. The deceased gentleman had not been in robust health for some time. He was born in Lincolnshire, England, and came to Canada in 1850. In 1853 he purchased the homestead on the 2nd line of Morris and moved up to this country in 1860. Mr. Elston was a good neighbor and he made a large circle of friends during his long residence in Morris. He had always taken an active interest in the Wingham fall fair and had for many years been a director of the Society and at the time of his death was Honorary President. In religion he was a Methodist and in politics a Liberal. His wife died in 1877 and three children died some few years ago. He is survived by four sons and four daughters, viz.:—John Elston, Prince Albert, Sask; Mrs. Hubbard, Wayne, Mich; Mrs. McKague, Coultter, Man; Robt. Elston, West Hope, North Dakota; Jas. Elston, Austin, Man; Wm. Elston and Misses Annie and Nellie Elston, at home. The funeral will take place this (Thursday) afternoon to the Bluevale cemetery.

Annual Meeting Lord's Day Alliance.
The annual public meeting of the Wingham Branch of the Ontario Lord's Day Alliance was held in the Methodist Church, on Wednesday evening, Sept. 4th. Rev. Dr. W. L. Rutledge presided, Rev. D. Perrie and Rev. G. V. Collins assisted in the opening and closing exercises. Rev. W. G. Hanna, B. A., General Secretary of the Ontario Lord's Day Alliance gave a splendid address in which he reviewed the excellent work this Society has accomplished in securing a better observance of the rest day laws and in trying to bring the people of this country to a realization of the value of the Lord's Day as a national asset. The general moral tone is very much improved where the rest law is observed. Manufacturers, corporations, nations are recognizing the fact that the "rest day" is of immeasurable value. Through the influence of this Society 125,000 working men in Ontario, who, 6 years ago, were compelled to work seven days a week, now enjoy rest on the Lord's Day. The election of officers and representatives as follows:—President, Alexander Campbell; Sec.-Treas., Jno. Kerr, re-elected; Representatives, W. A. Campbell, F. Buchanan, Ed. Nash, W. Pringle and R. Mooney. The ministers of town, also the S. A. Captain are members of the executive committee.

Booth Privileges.—Tenders for refreshment booth privilege at Wingham fall fair on September 27th, will be received by the undersigned up to September 14th. H. B. ELLIOTT, Sec'y.

Read Wills & Co.'s adv. on page 8

Annual Convention.
The fifteenth annual convention of Huron County Women's Christian Temperance Union, will be held this year in Blyth, Sept. 24th and 25th. A large number of delegates from Goderich, Clinton, Exeter, Wingham, Brussels and other places are expected. One of the special features of the convention will be the Gold Medal contest at one of the evening sessions. This is the first Gold Medal contest that has been held in Huron County.

King Bros. New Store.
The large new store for Messrs. King Bros. is nearing completion. This firm will have one of the best stores in Western Ontario. A cement floor has been placed in the basement and the two other floors are about completed. The interior of the store is being arranged very much after the style of the store destroyed by fire, but the new premises are much larger than the old store. Mr. W. H. Rintoul, who had charge of the building of the new store has made an excellent job all the way through. The store will be ready in the very near future and the TIMES wishes King Bros. many years of prosperous business in their new premises.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—About two and a half acres of land and small house, opposite Western Foundry. Possession at once. Apply to D. McCormick, Wingham or phone line 194, ring 11.

Funeral of Mrs. Merkley.
The funeral of the late Mrs. Merkley who died very suddenly at her daughter's home was held on the 4th inst., to Wingham cemetery and was largely attended. An impressive service was conducted by Rev. Dr. Rutledge. Many floral tributes were laid on the casket, including a cross from her daughter, Mrs. Robenhaver, Spokane; a pillow from the family; wreaths from Miss Robinson, Mrs. Valey, and Mrs. Green; sprays from Miss Reynolds, Miss Gracey, Mrs. Breen, Mrs. T. Bennett and Mrs. Duncan. The pallbearers were her four sons and two sons-in-law Messrs. Martin, Henry, Ezra and James Merkley, George Simmons and A. Runstedler. One son and one daughter were unable to be home to the funeral.

Wingham Fall Fair.
The Wingham fall fair will be held on Thursday and Friday, September 26th and 27th. Help along the fair by your presence and by your exhibits. Many people miss assisting the show by not exhibiting. Look at the prize list and see if there is something you can show that will be of interest to others. Do not worry about the prize, but do it from a spirit of patriotism. The increasing show of horses here each year has made the Association pay special attention to this part of the exhibition and the prizes have all been increased. This year promises to see the biggest number and classiest lot of horses ever shown here. For Friday afternoon, September 27th, there are three good horse races and this should make a good afternoon's sport. The Citizens' Band will furnish the musical program. On the evening of the 27th, there will be a high-class concert held in the opera house. For full particulars see advt. in another column of this paper.

WANTED.—Two first class polishers for stove work. Must be experienced; also experienced moulder for baseburner and cast ranges, drilling done, steady work, highest wages. BOWES, JAMESON LIMITED, Hamilton, Ont.

Death of Methodist Minister.
Rev. Walter S. Jamieson, of Palmerston, Chairman of Palmerston District of the Methodist Church, died quite unexpectedly Wednesday morning of last week at the parsonage. Mr. Jamieson was born at Peterboro and received his education at Goderich High School and McGill University, Montreal. He taught school for five years before going into ministerial work and spent most of his probationary term in Huron District. He has since been stationed at Queenston, Stamford, Niagara-on-the-Lake, Brantford, Hamilton, Tara, Welland, Hespeler, Chesley, Durham and Palmerston. He married Miss Acheson, of Goderich, who survives, with sons J. A., traveller, New York; W. K., manager for Eaton's Winnipeg; W. H., of Wood, Gundy Co., Toronto; and Gordon, at home. Daughters, Marion and Beth, teachers; Carrie, Kathleen and Laura, at home. The remains were taken to Goderich for interment.

Putting in New Boiler.
The boiler which has done duty at the Public School building for a number of years became defective and at a special meeting of the board the contract of putting in a new boiler was awarded to W. J. Boyce. The new boiler is manufactured by the Gurney Foundry Co. and will heat the school building more economically than the old one.

Smart boy wanted to learn dry goods business. Apply King Bros.

Smash on G. T. R.
Two Grand Trunk flangers and a big snow plow were smashed to pieces at Brucefield, Tuesday evening. The apparatus was on the way from Wingham to London to be repaired and put in shape for the winter. The plow was running between the flangers, and when the leading flanger broke away from the rest of the train the whole three pieces of apparatus piled up in a heap wrecking each badly.

FOR SALE.—Will sell one of my high class Durham bulls at right price. A. KELLY.

Pretty Home Wedding.
"Woodland," the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Kerr, was the scene of a pretty home wedding on Wednesday, when their second daughter, Miss Annie Laura Kerr, became the bride of Mr. Ernest A. Hammond, of this town. The ceremony was performed at 11.30 o'clock by Rev. Dr. Rutledge, under an arch of ferns and asters. The house was beautifully decorated with ferns and white asters. The bride was dressed in white satin, entrain veil and carried a bouquet of roses and lily-of-the-valley and was unattended. The groom's gift to the bride was a beautiful necklace set with pearls and pendants. Miss Hammond, sister of the groom, played Mendelssohn's wedding march and the groom's cousin, Miss Griffin, sang "Because" at the signing of the register. After the ceremony about fifty guests sat down to the wedding dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Hammond left on the 2.30 p. m. G. T. R. train for Toronto and Lake Simcoe, the bride travelling in a tailored suit of navy blue with hat to match. The gifts were numerous and costly, showing the esteem in which the young couple are held. The TIMES heartily joins with numerous friends in wishing the young couple many years of happy wedded life.

FOR SALE.—One six-horse power gasoline engine and one 30-16 candle light dynamo, both as good as new; a new stone-hoist. For particulars apply to Geo. McKenzie.

Wingham Choral Society.
The Wingham Choral Society will resume its practice in the Council Chamber on Tuesday evening, Sept. 17th, at 8.15 sharp. All the former members are requested to be on hand early to facilitate re-organization. Any persons desiring to join the society for the first time should consult the membership committee which consists of Messrs. P. Jenkins, N. T. Sinclair and H. A. Percy. The fee for membership for the season of 1912-13 is, ladies 50 cts, gentlemen \$1.00. The following program will compose the season's work:—
Lift up your Head..... "Messiah"
Amen and Worthy is the Lamb..... "Messiah"
And the Glory..... "Messiah"
Hallelujah Chorus..... "Messiah"
Then round about..... "Messiah"
O Father whose Almighty..... "Messiah"
Achieved is the Glorious work..... "Creation"
Soldiers' Chorus..... "The Trovatore"
Shoot False Love..... R. L. De Pearsall
The Fisherman's Goodnight..... Bishop Evening.
..... Leslie
Star of Descending Night..... Emerson
Orpheus and his Lute..... G. A. Macfarren
There will be several other selections of high merit. As will be seen the society sanctions only the highest, the most ennobling and the most inspiring music and members will attain a good speaking and a fair practical knowledge of the classics. Advantage should be taken by all music lovers to acquire this acquaintance with the best from the masters of music.

FOR SALE.—Several choice Oxford lambs, both sex, for breeding purposes. Apply to Wm. Maxwell, Wingham, Ont. Phone 12 on line 193.

Women's Institute
The Women's Institute will resume their fall and winter series of meetings the first of which being held on Thursday, Sept. 19th, at the home of Mrs. Gillespie, Francis street. Papers of interest will be read by some of the members, also the comfort of properly fitted corsets will be given by Mrs. I. Davidson. A good attendance of all members and others interested is urgently requested that the work for the coming months may be arranged for. A. BONE, Sec'y.

TRUNKS AND VALISES.—Big stock of select from at lowest prices. W. J. GMEEL.

PERSONALS.

Miss Gerry, of Brussels, was visiting in town this week.

Miss Lillian Nicholls was visiting with friends in Toronto.

Miss Martin, of Ripley, is visiting with her friend, Miss Mulvey.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Willis spent a few days in Toronto this week.

Mr. K. Rae and children are visiting at Mrs. Rae's parental home in London.

Dr. P. Macdonald, of London was calling on old friends in Wingham last week.

Miss Maud Hanna, of Toronto is spending her holidays at her home in town.

John Wilson, V. S., has returned home after a two months' trip through the West.

Miss Marion Allen was visiting with her cousin, Miss Jessie Thomson, of Harriston.

Mr. Fay Patterson, of New York is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Patterson.

Mr. Jas. McGillivray, of Detroit has been visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arch. McGillivray.

Mrs. Harry Ansley, of Winnipeg is spending his holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ansley.

Mrs. R. Musgrove, of Toronto spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Wm. H. Campbell, 10th of Turnberry, who has been seriously ill.

Miss Ryan who has been engaged at the office of the Wingham Business College staff left last week for Orangeville, her place here is taken by Miss Ross, of Welland.

Mrs. George Green has returned home after an extended visit with her daughter at North Augusta. She also took in the Toronto Exhibition.

Mr. and Mrs. Copeland and children of Dauphin, Man., were in town this week. Mrs. Copeland was formerly Miss Gertie Russell of Wingham.

FOR SALE.—As I am leaving town I offer for sale my household effects private, for a few days only. Call before the 19th September and get some of the bargains. JOSEPH PUGH.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

Many of the W. H. S. graduates are going to Normal Schools or Faculties of Education and many also are teaching.

Plans are being made for the re-organization of the Athletic and Literary Societies and for the holding of the annual Field Day.

The High School opened on Sept. 3rd. A large number of new scholars are being enrolled. The attendance is as follows:—Form IV, 25; Form III A, 22; Form III B, 30; Form II, 40; Form I, 44. Total 161.

We are pleased to learn that Stewart McKercher has been granted Part II Entrance to Faculty standing on his Scholarship Matriculation Papers. He secured his Part I certificate last year and now has a complete, non-professional First-class certificate. This brings the number of successful Form IV students up to 14.

At the regular monthly meeting of the High School Board on Monday evening it was decided to close the school for half a day on September 27th, the second afternoon of the fall fair. The Board visited the school in a body on Tuesday morning and made an inspection of the improvements made during the summer vacation. The members were delighted with the painting and decorating done by Mr. Adam Schaefer. The attendance in Form IV is much larger than usual and it was decided to put in more seats to accommodate the extra students.

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TOWN COUNCIL.

A special meeting of the Town Council was held on Monday evening to take the place of the regular September meeting. All the members present except Coun. Bone. Mayor Spotton presided. Minutes of last regular and special meetings were read and adopted.

A petition was read, asking for a sewer on Frances street, between Patrick and Alfred streets and on Alfred street between Frances and Shuter streets.

The Sewer Committee was instructed to proceed with work if petition is properly signed, on motion of Coun. Elliott and Reeve McDonald.

An account of \$11.25 from John Rogers for digging train at lower dam was referred to the Electric Light and Waterworks Committee.

The Clerk reported that E. C. White had paid two years' taxes and was entitled to a refund of \$32.70 of his transient trader's fee. The refund was granted on motion of Couns. Elliott and McKibbin.

Mr. Joseph Hall tendered his resignation as poundkeeper and on motion of Couns. Mills and Mitchell, Mr. E. Dennis was appointed to the position till the end of the year.

The Finance Committee recommended the payment of a number of accounts and on motion of Couns. Elliott and Mills, the report was adopted.

Robert Johnston was present and reported that he was entitled to a refund of \$1 dog tax as dog was dead before the Assessor made his rounds. Refund to be granted as soon as Mr. Johnston pays his taxes, on motion of Couns. Elliott and McKibbin.

Mr. R. Clark, President of the Hospital Board was present and asked Council to proceed with work of laying new water main on Carling Terrace from John street to the Hospital as service at Hospital is very bad. He also requested Council to place a street lamp at corner of Patrick street and Carling Terrace.

The Committee will proceed with the work of laying new water main as petition has been properly signed and on motion of Couns. Mitchell and Mills it was ordered that a street lamp be placed at the corner requested.

Mr. R. A. Graham addressed the Council with reference to the draining of his property at the south end of the town, but the Council did not take any action in the matter.

On motion of Couns. McKibbin and VanStone, Mr. Wm. Stokes' salary was raised from \$40 per month to \$10 per week.

Messrs. John O. McGregor and Geo. S. Cruickshank have entered claims in Court for damages, to the amount of \$60, done to their property in Lower Wingham by high water and Mr. F. G. Sparling has entered a claim for \$58 which he claims is balance due on rental of drilling machinery.

On motion of Couns. Elliott and Reeve McDonald, these claims were referred to the Electric Light and Waterworks Committee to confer with the Town Solicitor and that the cases be defended if they deem proper.

The Mayor, as Chairman of the Special Committee which visited the Western Foundry reported that the Committee was shown accounts and invoices showing that the machinery and equipment had been installed at a cost of \$10,569.44 and there had been spent on the buildings, \$20,994.77, making a total of \$31,564.21. This is exclusive of the power house.

Moved by Couns. McKibbin and Elliott, that we accept the mortgage from the Western Foundry Co. and that the money be paid over when the terms of the agreement are complied with.

The years and days were taken on the motion as follows:—Yeas—VanStone, McKibbin, Elliott, Spotton, Nays—McDonald, Mitchell. Coun. Mills did not vote as he is a shareholder in the Western Foundry Co.

CHURCH NOTES.

On Sunday evening, September 22nd, Rev. D. Porrie, pastor of St. Andrew's Church will commence the preaching of a series of sermons on the ten commandments.

Rev. Mr. Young, of Kenilworth conducted the services in the Baptist Church on Sunday last. The pastor, Rev. G. Victor Collins took Mr. Young's work at Kenilworth.

Rev. Dr. Rutledge, pastor of the Methodist Church has accepted the invitation to become pastor of Wesley Church at Clinton, providing the call is accepted by the stationary committee.



School Shoes

The Boys and Girls have, of course, worn out their Shoes during the Summer vacation.

Now it is school time again and new Shoes must be provided.

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Blyth.....October 1-2
Fordwich.....October 5
London.....September 6-14
Seaforth.....September 19-20
Toronto.....Aug. 24-Sept. 9
Wingham.....September 26-27
Zurich.....September 13-19
Atwood.....September 19-20
Ripley.....September 24-25
Teaswater.....October 3-4

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