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Information of others settlers in the Village.

Mr. George Missere was the first cooper in Mildmay. In 1876 the foundation was laid for the Commercial Hotel by Mr. Fred. Weller, who was grandfather to Dr. E. J. Weller and Fred Weller of town. First proprietor was Eli. Salyards.

In 1856 Wm. Lambert built a carding mill and employed some twenty men. Later weaving was done in this same building. After her husband's demise, Mrs Lambert carried on the weaving with her growing family and some women employes John Shefter, Father of Alvin, better known as (Sport) Shefter of Mildmay opened the Star Grocery, in the building where Mr. Seiger is now running a druggist business.

Urban Schmidt was the first Drover and owned the butcher shop where Jim Goetz now carries on a butcher business.

Charles Wendt Sr. opened the jewelery store, after retirement his ^{son} Chas. E. Wendt carried on the business which is now owned by David Wendt, grandson of the original owner.

In 1880 the Vogt and Rosenow Flax mills started an industry which employed twenty men from August until spring, paying a salary of \$1.50 a day. The products were shipped to New York.

Dr. Deoring was our first dentist, and in 1923 Dr. E. J. Weller started a successful career in dentistry in the apartment above Leisner's hardware store.

DrS. Murphy, Macklin, Wilson and Clapp, our first medical servants were responsible for the health and growth of our village. Others have followed in serving town and community and at present Dr. Wm. Walters is the practising Physician.

A local paper seemed important and in 1893 the Mildmay Gazette was founded. This was published by a Mr. Green of Gorrie and later was moved to Mildmay. In 1898 the paper was purchased by James Johnston, who at the change of the century turned it over to his son J. A. Johnston, who became editor and proprietor until 1945, when he sold to Barry Wenger, now of Wingham ^{advance}" His brother Robert edited the paper until 1957 when the subscription list was purchased by the Walkerton Herald and Times."

The Mildmay Red Cross society was formed in 1919 with Mrs. P. D. Leisner as President. Members of our village and the township of Carrick made quantities of war apparel and raised large sums of money for the war effort. A cenetaph was built in 1927 in honored memory of the men of Mildmay and Carrick who gave their lives in the great war effort.