

THE ACTON FREE PRESS, NOVEMBER 12, 1875.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ACTON'S PROGRESS.
Acton has grown more the past three years than at any time, during many years of its previous history, and the season now closing has probably been productive of a greater number of new buildings and a greater outlay of money than any previous year. While we have had no speculative movement or any indication of unhealthy growth, the building operations have been going quietly along during the season to supply the demand for dwellings and for business purposes. Although we cannot yet boast of having acquired any very large additions to our manufacturing interests, we have made fair progress in that direction, and our people have faith to believe that another season will witness very substantial growth in our manufacturing industry. Acton offers tempting inducements for the opening of many branches of business, which we believe will shortly be taken advantage of. We herewith present a brief memorandum of the work of the past season, which we think shows a very fair record—comprising as it does an outlay of over \$30,000.

MAIN STREET.

Arch. Currie—Rough-cast dwelling, one storey and a half. Cost about \$400.

James Cameron—An imposing two-story red brick dwelling, mostly finished, at a cost of about \$1200. Eli Snyder, contractor.

Thos. Overton—A two-story rough-cast dwelling, built by Ebbae & Campbell, at a cost of about \$700.

Wm. Stephenson—A one-and-a-half storey frame dwelling, 22x30, Gothic front, with bright battenings, neatly finished, at a cost of about \$800. Built by Richard Hamilton.

John Kennedy—Semi-detached red brick dwellings, two storeys, built by Clarke & Caldwell at a cost of about \$1,800.

Robert Agnew—Addition to the Dominion Hotel, Richard Hamilton, builder. Cost about \$300.

Kennedy Bros.—Rough-cast store occupied by themselves, and Masonic Hall above. Built by Fulljams & Cameron at a cost of about \$1,500.

John Burns—Large rough-cast cottage with wings. Also frame barn. Ebbae & Campbell, builders. Cost about \$1,000.

James Campbell—Praine addition to dwelling. Elsie & Campbell, builders. Cost about \$400.

MILL STREET.

Second Bros.—Addition to ware-room. Thos. Craine—Addition and repairs to frame dwelling. \$200.

Eli S. Morrow—Addition and improvements to drug-store.

Christie, Henderson & Co.—Improvements to store.

James Matthews—Rough-cast building, one storey, adjoining his store, for the FREE PRESS Printing Office. Ebbae & Campbell, builders. Cost about \$300.

Patrick Kelly—Repairs and improvements to store.

Robert Fisher—One-storey rough-cast, for zincsmith's shop. Cost about \$150.

Methodist Church—An imposing red brick structure, with basement story. Not yet completed. To cost about \$1,000.

Dr. McFarlin—Handsome red brick residence, 24x40, with wing 24x16; two storeys; bow windows, veranda, massive cornices, etc. Not quite finished. To cost about \$1,600. Eli Snyder, contractor.

James Ryder—Large two-storey frame carriage show-room and work-shop. Eli Snyder, builder.

Edward Matthews—Two-story rough-cast dwelling, gothic front. Not yet completed. To cost about \$700. Thos. Ward, builder.

Dr. McFarlin—Handsome red brick residence, 24x40, with wing 24x16; two storeys; bow windows, veranda, massive cornices, etc. Not quite finished. To cost about \$1,600. Eli Snyder, contractor.

James Ryder—Large two-storey frame carriage show-room and work-shop. Eli Snyder, builder.

John Sharp—One-and-a-half storey frame dwelling, corner John and Church streets, with stables, etc. Cost about \$900.

John & Hugh Cameron, builders.

C. Massiles—Frame barn.

ANSON STREET.

John Kenny—Rough-cast cottage.

Hugh Cameron, builder. Cost about \$300.

John Speight—Improvements on dwelling. Cost about \$100.

POWER STREET.

Abraham Matthews—Rough-cast cottage. Eli Snyder, builder. Cost about \$600.

Miss Stafford—Frame dwelling re-set and repaired, at a cost of about \$200.

Thos. Watson—Rough-cast dwelling, one-and-a-half storey. Cost about \$300.

Geo. Walters—Stable to dwelling.

WILLOW STREET.

Peter McCann—Frame dwelling and carpenter shop. Not yet completed.

To cost about \$500.

Acton Plow Company—Substantial frame building, 22x54, and engine house, 21x24, for the manufacture of the Stephenson Iron Plow. With machinery, cost about \$7,000.

ELGIN STREET.

W. H. Storey & Co.—Kid leather tannery. A substantial stone and frame building, with out-buildings. Thomas Moore, builder. Cost about \$2,300, besides machinery.

NEAR THE STATION.

John Garstang—Addition to dwelling.

By Ebbae & Campbell. Cost about \$150.

An earthquake in California and an extensive prairie fire at North Laramie in Wyoming Territory are reported.

HALTON (Dominion) ELECTION TRIAL.

MITTON, Nov. 10.

The trial of the petition against the return of William McCraney to the House of Commons for Halton, began today in the Court House, his Honor Judge Patterson presiding.

The petitioners are Henry McCraney, of Trafalgar; and

David Cross, of Esquinton; Hector Cameron, Q. C.; James Beatty, Q. C., of Toronto; and D. McGibson, of Milton, appeared for petitioners, and James Bethune, Q. C., of Toronto; and J. Dewar, of Milton, for the respondent. The court-room was densely crowded.

Great interest was manifested in this trial. A large number of wit-

nesses were examined. Evidence

of offers to induce three electors

to vote for Mr. McCraney was

given by the parties, only one be-

ing personal to Mr. McCraney.

The respondents claimed to be able

to easily refute all these charges.

No other evidence of importance

was brought out. The Court will

most likely be through to-morrow.

Some dozen witnesses were exam-

ined who did not need any cross-

examination, so unimportant was their

evidence. No money has been

shown to have passed between any

one of the parties.

LATER.

MILTON, Nov. 11—6 p.m.

By Special Telegraph to the Free Press.

Trial adjourned till morning.

Evidence weak. Defence nearly

through.

HALTON ELECTION.

According to the official count,

the majority for Mr. Lyon is only

67, instead of 87, as reported last

week. The following are the offi-

cials returns:

ESQUINTON.

CLAY, LYON, CLAY, LYON, LYON.

No. 1 24 54 30 . . .

2 60 13 47 . . .

3 71 59 12 . . .

4 23 31 . . .

5 40 36 4 . . .

6 62 47 15 . . .

7 50 24 26 . . .

330 264 . . .

TRAFALGAR.

LYON, CLAY, LYON, LYON, LYON.

No. 1 60 54 6 . . .

2 103 49 54 . . .

3 51 59 . . . 8

4 40 44 . . . 4

5 28 34 . . . 16

6 31 50 . . . 19

313 300 . . .

NELSON.

LYON, CLAY, LYON, LYON, LYON.

No. 1 65 41 24 . . .

2 51 38 . . . 15

3 51 60 . . . 9

4 61 59 22 . . .

220 198 . . .

NASSAWAYA.

LYON, CLAY, LYON, LYON, LYON.

No. 1 34 45 . . . 11

2 47 73 . . . 26

3 24 51 . . . 77

105 219 . . .

MILTON.

LYON, CLAY, LYON, LYON, LYON.

No. 1 26 25 . . .

2 28 27 1 . . .

3 43 46 . . . 3

107 108 . . .

GEORGETOWN.

LYON, CLAY, LYON, LYON, LYON.

No. 1 30 32 . . . 22

2 41 35 6 . . .

71 87 . . .

ACTON.

LYON, CLAY, LYON, LYON, LYON.

No. 1 52 . . . 12

BURLINGTON.

LYON, CLAY, LYON, LYON, LYON.

No. 1 59 . . . 9

Total vote for Lyon 1363

do Clay 1296

Majority for Lyon 67

SIX TORIES ON THE RAMPAGE.

(From the Guelph Mercury.)

Six supporters of Col. Clay, the de-

feated of Halton, have been going for

Mr. J. H. Hacking, because he

opposed the election of Mr. McCraney.

He was sent to the Guelph assizes

and there he was sentenced to

one month's imprisonment.

He was released on bail.

He has since been examined by

the coroner, and he has been found

not guilty of the charge of

assaulting Col. Clay.

He has been remanded to the

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