

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE. Morning Mail, Day Express, Express, Mixed, Night Express.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. Tenders—James Ryder, Watches—C. & G. Hyndal, Law Business—John McKindsey.

LOCAL MATTERS.

John Harvey calls the reaper to the field. The produce of his former fall is yielded.

—Thomas Wylie, Teacher S. S. No. 8, Esquimaux, has been appointed a Justice of the Peace of the County of Halton.

—Timothy Gash, measuring five feet seven inches, may be seen at Andrew Lang's place, Crown's Corners. That's pretty good for tall.

—A hearse costing about \$1,000 has been built for Mr. John Speight and is expected to be here in a few days. It ought to be a handsome one.

—At the Cash System—arriving daily, new lots of these famous low priced American prints, fronted up. See them—Christie, Henderson & Co.

—Rev. Mr. Scott, Discipline minister of Toronto, will preach in Matthews' Hall, next Sunday, at 4 1/2 and 5 p.m. A general invitation is extended to all.

—Rev. Laghin Cameron, of Thamesford, formerly of Acton, will preach during the communion services in the Presbyterian Church, commencing on Friday, at 11 a.m. He is expected to remain here through the following week.

—Myriads of little fads about the size of a full-sized pencil were hopping around every night after the heavy rain shower of Sunday afternoon, in the neighborhood of the railway station. Did they come down with the rain? or did the rain have the effect of trying them into life? Questions for naturalists to ponder.

—Boys who are in the habit of robbing birds' nests should be made to understand that they are liable to a heavy fine and imprisonment. These lads who were seen climbing up a tree and meddling with a nest, the other day, on one of our streets, had better not try it again. Remember, our laws protect the birds.

—On Tuesday, in St. Alban's Church, Acton, eleven candidates were examined by Bishop Fuller, of Hamilton.

—A grand concert is announced to be held in the Drill Shed, on the 14th inst., at which there will be an abundant supply of strawberries, ice-cream and lemonade. Go and be happy for one evening.

—On Friday last, a lad about twelve years of age named Theo. Coghlan, had his left hand badly injured by a circular saw, in Mr. Duncan Robertson's saw-mill on the Milton road. The fore-finger and thumb were split open. Dr. Bennett, of Milton, dressed the wounds. It is yet uncertain whether or not the hand will have to be amputated.

—Some men working on the H. & N. W. Railway, on Turner's farm in the Scotch Block, Esquimaux, last week came upon the skeletons of two human bodies, supposed to be those of Indians. They appeared to have been dug up at some time previously and again thrown into the hole, as parts of the bones were scattered about in different directions.

—A warrant was issued yesterday afternoon by Dr. McFarvin, Reeve, and placed in the hands of Constable MacIsaac for the arrest of a young man named Neil Keith, in connection with the charge of committing rape on the person of Mary Ann Flynn, daughter of Mr. Martin Flynn, late commissioner of Esquimaux. The constable arrested him at his father's house last evening. He was arraigned this morning before Justices McFarvin and Hall, and committed to Milton jail to stand his trial at the Fall Assizes. The evidence was very clear.

—Yesterday the remains of a still were brought through Acton and shipped east by Esq. officer Hartley, of Brantford. We learn that part of the apparatus was found in the barn of Mr. Neil Keith, and part on the premises of Mr. John Dyke, 2nd line of Esquimaux, near Spayville. There is said to be abundance of evidence that whiskey had been manufactured in that neighborhood, but the detectives were unable to discover any. No arrests were made.

—On the evening of Saturday, the 24th ult., a number of men assembled to work on the property of Mr. James Gibbons on the 2nd con., Esquimaux, under the name designated in the locality as a "bee," freely indulged in spirituous liquors, when a constant hand to fist, took place both before and after supper. We learn the complainants will not seek redress, such being only a matter of form along the ancient Colby. William Gibbons was badly injured.

Acton Public School. Mr. Ross, head teacher in the public school, has handed us the annexed house list, which we have much pleasure in publishing. The teachers give a very favorable report of the diligence, punctuality and general good conduct of all the pupils.

Table with columns for FIFTH CLASS, FOURTH CLASS, THIRD CLASS, and SECOND CLASS, listing names and marks.

Acton Council. The regular monthly meeting of the Village Council was held on Thursday evening, only three members being present—Messrs. Smith, Christie and Second.

Mr. Smith moved, seconded by Mr. Second, that Mr. J. Zimovcan be appointed collector of the statute labor tax, with instructions to make full returns by the 27th July. The Chairman of Finance Committee reported the account of J. H. Hacking, for printing and advertising \$30, and on motion it was ordered to be paid.

Mr. Second, chairman of Street and Sidewalk Committee, reported that he had had jobs of work on Speight's Mill, and for contracting sidewalk on Mill Street, that he had employed two men and a team for nine days doing odd jobs of repairs to streets. In reference to work on Hynes' Mill, he had already taken action and further requested by the Council. He suggested that more work be done than at first contemplated, and that it be done by days work. He was instructed to exercise his discretion in the matter.

Mr. Christie remarked that there were on the Clerk's books a small amount of taxes not collected, which had been carried over from year to year, and suggested that they be levied at once. On motion of Mr. Second a committee was appointed to examine the tax book with instructions to strike off all that were not collectible.

On motion, a committee was appointed to confer with the owners of the land lying along the road leading towards Nassagaweya, with the view of having the road widened in order to prevent snow drifts.

Council adjourned till Thursday evening, 27th inst.

Waubasheje has a shoemaker, remarks the Barrie Advance. Do tell!—at last, after all this yearning of soles, for a human creature that could peg away, day by day, and wax wealthy in the end. —Vancouver Courier.

Well, gentlemen, it's a tough, leathery subject, but if you would save your soul from destruction, tread lightly upon the Waubasheje shoemaker. The French calf who wrote the above quotation should try and keep his gutters out of the mud or he might get a facing. —Kinardine Review.

If the half-soled critter who wrote the above is not more careful in tracing his remnant of common sense, his counter will not last. —Esquimaux Standard.

GOLDEN LION OF GUELPH.

People's Cheap Dry Goods Store.

GREAT CLEARING SALE.

On and after Tuesday, June 27th, and up to the 15th July, we will offer special inducements to purchasers. First, because we are determined to keep up our reputation for cheap goods.

AT COST PRICE.

SEE OUR PRICES.

Beautiful Dress Goods, 10c a yard. Striped Lawns, worth 25c, at 6c. Finest English Prints, 5c and 10c. East American Prints, 5c. Striped Grenadines, 10c.

Immense Assortment of Ladies' Gloves, Ruffles, Frilling, Belts, and Ribbons at prices lower than ever.

Millinery and Mantle Department.

In this branch prices will be reduced to a minimum for the balance of the season, giving our lady friends a chance of getting Summer Millinery and Mantles at marvellously low prices.

NO DECEPTION—GOODS WORTH FOUR TIMES THE PRICES ASKED—COME AND SEE FOR YOURSELVES.

GREAT SPECIAL SALE.

DRY GOODS AND CLOTHING.

Preparatory to Removal.

WM. STEWART & CO.

Our entire stock of Dry Goods and Clothing is now offered regardless of cost, to reduce stock before removing to our new premises, now building. The public may rely on this.

Best and Cheapest Bargains ever offered of NEW CHOICE GOODS.

Cheaper than Old Bankrupt Stock at Half Price—Cheap because just the goods wanted—Cheap, because Fresh and New.

THE STOCK MUST WILL AND SHALL BE SOLD.

But we are aware how perplexing it is for honest people to read the advertisements here and elsewhere. Who'll talk the loudest and brag the most seems to be the maxim of each. But an intelligent Public know well that Shoddy Goods are dear at Half-price.

GOODS REDUCED.

1,500 yards of Dress Goods, former prices, 15, 20, 25 and up to 50 cents—reduced to 10, 15 and 20 cents. Lace Curtains 75 cents. White Cotton Hose from 6 1/2 cents. Straw Sun Hats from 5 cents. Cashmere Jackets from \$1.25. Linen Suits from \$1.50.

A JOB LOT OF LADIES UNDERCLOTHING TO BE SACRIFICED.

This Sale is no Clap Trap. Reduced Prices Must Be Cash. WILLIAM STEWART & CO. Guelph, June 5, 1876.

THAT WONDERFUL MAN, JOHN HOGG, GUELPH.

Tremendous Excitement! A Panic! See the Rush! Great Slaughter. No Old Bankrupt Stock to Palm Off.

An Immense Quantity of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods.

These are times that people must have good, sound and honest goods in return for their money. (much eaten and bankrupt stuff won't do for the present intelligent day). I have had to come to the rescue before to day; and now that the Trade of Guelph requires regulating, I am again called in to battle against high prices, inferior classes of goods and old foggy notions.

AT CHRISTIE, HENDERSON & CO'S.

Beautiful Dress Goods, 10c a yard. Ladies' Hats, Bonnets, Jackets, Mantillas, and all the New Designs in the Millinery and Mantle Department. MISS SULLIVAN the Lady Milliner presents to the public the most elegant taste and designs in Ladies' Hats and Bonnets to be found on this Continent.

Big Drives!

Great Reduction in Dress Goods.

Dress Goods worth 25c, reduced to 12c. Dress Goods worth 30c, reduced to 15c. Dress Goods worth 40c, reduced to 20c. Dress Goods worth 50c, reduced to 25c.

DRUGS, DRUGS.

Medical Hall, Mill street, Acton. G. E. MORROW. Acton, March 13, 1875.

SECORD BROS., MONTREAL HOUSE, ACTON.

We believe the correct principle of advertising and doing business generally to be, to show customers and others, clearly, positively and convincingly, that it is to their interests to trade with the party advertising. This of course is not possible to every merchant, for to do so he must be able to show clearly that he can give them better value for their money than they can get elsewhere.

Table listing prices for various goods: 5 lbs. Meteor Tea, 50c per lb. \$2.50; 11 lbs. Best Sugar, 1.00; 12 lbs. Medium Bright Sugar, 1.00; 1 lb. Best Hyson Tea, .85; 1 set Knives and Forks, 1.50; 1 set China, 44 pieces, 4.00; 1 gallon Coal Oil, .30.

Another party who didn't buy at Secord Bros., had to pay the following prices for the same goods:

Table listing prices for various goods: 5 lbs. Meteor Tea, 75c per lb. \$3.75; 11 lbs. Best Sugar, 1.10; 12 lbs. Medium Bright Sugar, 1.00; 1 lb. Best Hyson Tea, 1.00; 1 set Knives and Forks, 1.75; 1 set China, 44 pieces, 6.00; 1 gallon Coal Oil, .35.

Brought down, \$15.04; \$3.89.

Secord Bros' customer thus saved no less than \$3.89 on a purchase of about eleven dollars. The man who didn't buy from them now thinks it would have been to his interests if he had gone to Secord Bros. That man is now a living, standing, walking advertisement for us. These are every day facts, witnessed to by hundred of our customers and commend themselves to the attention of every frugal housekeeper.

McBEAN & CO'S

Spades, Shovels, Rakes, Hoes.

FISHING TACKLE AND SPORTING GOODS.

Throughout, they have the best assortment in Town.

A. McBEAN & CO. ALMA BLOCK, GUELPH. May 8, 1876.