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EORGETOWN

Day Express Express C. Wight Express . 3:37 a.m. | Thos. Campbell's of \$2.20, for lodging Vight Express Day Express

9.10 a.m.

and meals to "tramps," on the order of

the Reeve; S. Zimmerman's of \$292.25

for grading streets and making side-

onded by Mr. Smith, the above ac-

counts were ordered to be paid. No

The Council then adjourned

For a number of years past a fleshy

tumor has been growing upon the hip of

Acton, and it became so cumbersome

that he finally resolved to have it cut

off. On Monday, Drs. Freeman and

vin, of Acton, proceeded to the resi-

dence of Mr. Sprowl, and after consul-

the operation without the use of chloro-

form or other narcotic. When cut

off the tumor was found to weigh 41

pounds, measuring several inches in

years of age, underwent the operation

-The Listowel Banner comes to

type. This increase in size is required

in order to keep pace with the rapid

growth of the town. It is only some

Listowel stands was an almost unbroken

forest, and it is now one of our most

flourishing towns, with a population of

nearly 3,000. We must congratulate

-Galloway Bros, make the best

-Fresh Oysters, Haddie, Bloat-

ers, Sausage, and Bologna Sausage, kept on hand at the Post Office Store,

-For good tea cakes and bun

to Galloway's Bros., Acton Bakery.

They talk of it in Eramosa, They go mad about it in Esquesing. They buy it and drink it in all those

places, as well as freorgetown, Milton,

offered in Acton or anywhere else, It

is an 80 cent tea. Try it and you will

-Galloway Brox give 100 lbs

Esquesing Township Council.

Monday, Oct. 16, pursuant to adjournment. The Reeve in the chair. All

the members present. The minutes of the last meeting read and confirmed. On motion of Mr. Warren, seconded

by Mr. Lindsay, leave was granted to introduce a by-law to appropriate the

Municipal Loan money. It was read a first, second and third times and passed with the blank filled up with the sum of \$7,209.23 for the Hamilton and North Western Railway, and the sum of \$5,-175.87 cents for the Credit Valley Rail-

Moved by Mr. McEnery, seconded by

Mr. Lindsay, that 85 be granted to Jerentiah Kentner for building culvert

on the town-line between Erin and Es-

quesing, Erin having raid a similar sum; also \$10 to Richard Anthony,

Moved by Mr. Lindsay, seconded by

Mr. Warren, that a committee consist-

the best means of repairing the same .-

On motion of Mr. Warren, seconded

by Mr. Lindsay, leave was granted to

ship of Esquesing for the current year, and said by-law was read the first, sec-

ond and third times and passed, and the blank filled up with a rate of five mills

Moved by Mr. Warren, seconded

Mr. Lindsay, leave was granted to in-troduce a by-law to appoint collectors

of rates for the current year. Said by

law was read the first, second and third

Moved by Mr. Laidlaw, seconded by Mr. Warren, leave was granted to in-

troduce a by-law to assess School Sec

tion No. 11 for school purposes for the current year. Said by law was read the first, second and third times and passed.

The Council then adjourned until

David B. Boyd, editor of the

Lucknow Sentinel, dropped dead

from heart disease while teaching a

class in the Methodist Sunday

AUCTION SALES.

thoroughbred and grade cattle, and

Leicester sheep, on the premises of

Mr. WM. WALDIE, lot 28, 1st con.

Esquesing. Wm. Hemstreet, Auc.

riday, Nov. 10th, at the Railroad

Hotel, Rockwood, a quantity of

household furniture, also a cow and

sulky. Wm. Hemstreet, auctioneer.

Tuesday, Nov. 14th, sale of Durham

and Grade Cattle, Horses and Farm Implements, on the premises of Mr.

Thos. Easton, lot No. 27, 5th Nassa-

gaweya. W. Hemstreet, Auctioneer.

of live stock, farm . implements,

household furniture, grain, hay,

straw, roots, etc., on the premises of

Messrs. SLESSER & ALEXANDER, Lot

26, 4th con. Esquesing. Geo. Gibbs,

Parties getting sale bills printed at the FREE PRESS office, may have a notice similar to the above free of charge.

Thursday, Nov. 16th, an extensive sale .

school last Sunday afternoon.

of bread for 100 lbs. of flour.

They smell it in Erin,

They hear of it in Nelson,

read in the county. Give them a call.

other lusiness was done.

Thursday, 30th inst.

Surgical Operation.

LOCAL MATTERS.

-Muddy roads.

-Thanksgiving to-day. Services in the several churches. -Special religious services are

being held nearly every night in the

asement of the Methodist Church. -And now we are having a spell of regular old-fashioned hazy In-

-The anniversary of gunpowder | Cosford, of Georgetown, and Dr. McGarplot, November 5th, will be celebrated by the Orangemen of Guelph, by attending service at St. George's Church on that day, in a body.

Mr. Henry Stingle, the popular host of the Ontario House, Nassagaweye, returned from the Centennial Exhi- length. Mr. Sprowl, who is about 65 hition a few days ago, very much gratied with the visit

-Mr. Alex. Waldie, of Acton, highly gratified at being so successfully has purchased from Mr. F. W. Stone, of Guelph, the pure Bates' bull call Duke of Kent, eight months old, got by 3d Duke of Springwood, dam the im ported cow Sultana 7th, for \$300.

-A nice fresh stock of fine jewelery, watches and clocks, has just been received by Mr. George Hynds, which, added to his previous assortment, makes a very handsome display. He keeps a good class of jewelery and sells cheap.

-The dry goods merchants of the publishers of the Banner on their Guelph have resolved to close their stores at six o'clock each evening except Saturdays, during the winter commencing this week. How about early closing in Acton? Nine or ten o'clock seems to be the general practice here.

-The contract for the carpenter work of the new Congregational Church was let last week to Mr. John Cameron, of Acton. The brick work is proceeding rapidly under the contract of Messra Chirk & Cadwell. They expect to have the walls completed in about

The last cheap excursion to tiuciph, and many other places, and they are not happy if they can't get it. Second Bros. new 60 cent Tea is decidadvantage of by quite a number from edly the greatest bargain in teas ever Acton and vicinity. Amongst others, we noticed in the party -Dr. McGarvir, Reeve ; James Matthews, postmaster, Thos. Christie, merchant, Henry P. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Came-

-The building operations in Guelph during the season just closing are figured up by the Daily Herald at about \$300,000. Last year's work amounted to about \$250,000. It is doubtful if another town in the Dominion can exhibit a state of progress anything near as great as (juelph. The population is now nearly sufficient for a city corporation, and it is altogether likely that another year's growth will fetch it up to the ED,000 standard.

The social at the residence of that the surplus money granted to the Mr. James Ryder, last Friday evening Township of Esquesing from the Municipal Loan Fund be divided equally betional Church building fund, amounted to about \$22 Another social, for the same object, will be given at the residence of Mr. Christopher Swackham mer, near Churchhill, on Friday evening of next week. We say, go and be

-A complimentary supper was given to Mr. Geo. Hynds, Senr., at worth be appointed to examine the cul-Agnew's hotel, on the eve of his departure from Acton. Quite a large number of invited friends were present, and a very agreeable evening was spent, with toast, song and sentiment. Major introduce a by-law to assess the Town-Allan occupied the chair in his usual happy manner. Mr. Hynds has resided in Acton a number of years and has a host of friends, who regret his departure. He is removing to Orangeville.

We would call the attention of all parties interested, that James Warren, P.L.S., will be about Acton for a short time. Any orders left with Wm. Allan, Esq., or at the Post Office; will be attended to.

The Georgetown Herald says the job of repairing the hill on lot 25, 10th line of Esquesing, has been let to Messrs Joseph Thompson, Wm. McClure and Wm. Hoare, the sum of \$40 being granted by the commissioners therefor.

Granger's Hall. The Herald is informed that the Grangers about Gleawilliams are erecting a hall for their own use near the town line between Esquesing and Chinguacousy, on lot No. 23. The building will be built of brick, supplied by Mr. John B. Fraser.

The Base Ball Championship. The judiciary committee of the Cansdian Base Ball Association met last

week in Hamilton, and decided that the Tecumsehs, of London, were entitled to the championship, that club having made the best record during the season of 1876. The records of games were entered from the following clubs: Maple Leafs, of Guelph ; Tecumsehs, of London ; St. Lawrence, of Kingston, and Standards, of Hamilton.

-The celebrated Rubber and Enamel Paint, all ready mixed and ready for the brush, in all colors, just received at Secord Bros.

Council met Thursday evening, 26th ult. Present, the Reeve and Messre. Christie, Second and Smith.

The finance committee reported the following accounts with a recommenda-EXHIBITION tion that they be paid, viz : Alex. Mc-Nab's of \$2.50 for cutting thistles; THE SEASON.

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walks. On motion of Mr. Christie, sec- Begs to announce to he inhabitants of Acton and surrounding country that he will hold his Grand ANNUAL EXHIBITION SALE

Silks, Dress Goods, Shawls, Millinery and

Mr. John Sprowl, who resides on the 2d line of Esquesing, a few miles below ON

> Our Stock on this occasion will be one of the finest ever offered, for sale Guelph. The various departments will present varied attractions, while our prices will place the

Very Best Goods Within the Reach of All. tation it was decided to proceed with For prices and other particulars we must refer to circulars and hand bills

now being circulated. We will make it an object for people to deal with us during the week of the Central Exhibition

Fashionable West End Dress, Millinery and Manile Establishment. without a murmur. He was no doubt | Guelph, October 1. 1876.

relieved of the cumbersome protrusion. hand considerably enlarged and printed in eight-page form, partly from new

eighteen years since the place where Stragers visiting the Central Fair at Guelph should should make it a point to call and see the immense stock of

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No. 31 Lower Wyndham Street, Guelph. OVERCOATS A SPECIALTY

New Hats & Caps, and Gents' Furnishing Goods. To Beautiful Goods.

WM. RUTHERFORD & CO,

Guelph, Oct. 2, 1876.

HURRAH FOR BARGAINS.

STILL AHEAD.

CHEAPER

tween the Credit Valley and Hamilton & North Western Railways, each re: NEW PANCY DRESS GOODS Stylish and Cheap. NEW BLACK LUSTRES, Extra value. NEW WINCEYS, 25 per cent LESS than last year's prices. White, Scarlet, Grey and Funcy FLANNELS. Coarse TWEEDS and ETOFFS.

Hollands, Table Linens, Towels, Towelling. Factory and Bleached COTTONS. Hosiery, Gloves, Crochet and Knitting Cotton Ladies' and Gent's Collars and Ties. Laces, Edgings, Ribbons, &c., &c.

In all the Latest English and American Styles. Also a very good

Stock of General Groceries, Crockery & Glassware If you wish to Save Money, don't fail to call at

G. M. SCOTT'S

Next door to Galloway Bros.' Bakery, Mill Street, Acton. Acton, Sept. 20th, 1876.

OUR FALL STOCK

BOOTS AND SHOES

IS NOW COMPLETE.

Call and examine our Goods and Prices.

Acton, Sept. 5, 1876,

CRAINE & SON.

WONDERFUL MAN.

Just arrived from Grent Britain and the United States, 1823 Packages Antumn and Pall Goods.

JOHN HOGG & SON, Upper Wyndham street, Guelph, are the Progressive Men of the Trade

variety is immense, the quality of goods is wonderful, the prices sinteringly cheap:
A most complete assortment of New Autumn. Fall and Winter Goods will be presented to intending purchasers that will duli forth surprise and admiration. We
will mention a few departments that cannot be approached in Guel; h.

In Silk and Velvets our stock is really immense, and all bought over a week before any knowledge of an advance. These goods are a marvel'of excellence of quality and style as well as

In Ladies' Dress Goods our Stock is simply so intimense, so varied in colors, styles, material and price, that no lites car be conveyed of the beauty and richness of it. Suffice to say that the leading colors of every material is to be had at our store; and we would especially call attention to the newest productions now in use for ladies dresses, viz: The scroll, the Cicillian diffchong, the Mathilesse cloth, Armenian Stripe, Berges, 40. These materials are all at present on show, and in the leading colors and shades. and price, that no lites cair be conveyed of the brainy and richness of it. Sprice to say that the leading colors of greety material is to be had accuratere; and we would especially call attention to the newest productions now in use for ladies dresses, viz.

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In Ladies Jackets and Jacket Cloth an immense presented Matchieste Cloth, Bear, Seal cloth, Venetian cloth, in all the shades of brown, green, navy blue; aquiline blub—charming goods for ladies' dresses.

Millimonty—in this department we have a long to strip the seal specially low price.

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Our Jackets are a novelty to behold, and every lady intending to use a Jacket this Autumn and Fall, should call and examine

Shawls In shawls we have a fremendous stock, the variety is large, the styles new, the prices chear, the quality excellent, and a pleasure to have an opportunity of showing such nice goods, Carpets, Carpets is wonderfully large. The styles, our motte, viz. Small profits, quick sales, cheap and good goods, and down with bight.

First to receive Fall Goods, first to sell them, first to battle against high prices and we will guarantee our prices lower. This department is well worthy of special end long profit, and first to bring down a rices of all goods in order to meet the press attention, and we invite all intention to purchase to dail on us, and we will satisfe them that we cannot be best.

Ready-made Clothing -800 Overconts, 700 over thaters, 600 Per.
detablishment, 100 Tweed stiffs at \$9 per su't-ex, ellent grade, 2000 pairs pantaloin a of every kind and quality, very chenp, 900 Showing Coats, Sack Coats and Drose Conts. 1491 Vests, double stid single breasted, some nice koods.

We would just mention, without attempting to dispurage our neighbors goods, that there cannot possibly be an equal quality of goods in any other store in town at the same prices. We offer an excellent overcent at \$4,000 or in \$5, an Ulster overcent at at least 25 per cent.

Millinery. In this department we have pleasure in stating that Miss finest and most tasteful novelties in ladies' hats, ladies' bonnets, and an immer to variety by the Ladies whip would like to procure the very newest in velties, styles and designs, will find the fruste gratified by calling at our place of business. We offer this Fell to the inhabitions he most enoice stock of rancy and Ptaple Dress Good, Carpets, Resdy-made Cirthing, Millibery, do, ever presented to this section. Our piles are down at hot-tein floures, and we only ask intending purchasers to visit our place of business in the same liberal manner as they have done heretofore, when we will convince them of

> JOHN HOGG & SON, Almu Block, Upper Wyndfam Street, Guelph.

Works Wonders beyond all Anticipations.

All Goods Reduced from 10 to 40 per cent on Credit Prices.

Below we give a few of our present prices, showing a striking comparison between the old Credit Prices and the new Cash System Prices. We have not room to quote all the Goods we handle here but we have given most of the principal articles in the trade. All other goods are being slaughtered in the same manner, and our patrons will recognize the fact at a glance that it has been our aim in marking down our goods to make a genuine reduction on everything that it is possible to reduce. We respectfully invite all persons to participate in the benefits of this great reduction.

SECORD BROS.

OLD CREDIT NEW CASH

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Medium Gunpowder Tea 50 35	5
Best Japan Tea)
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Good Japan Tea)
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Best Black Tea	7
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Best Amber Syrup 1 00 85	5
Best Golden Syrup 80 70)
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Best Turkish Pranes, new 10	7
Best Layer Raisins 15 15	21
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Set best white granite Tea ware, 44 pieces 3 50 2 88	
Set of China Tea ware, 44 pieces 5 50 4 00	
One dozen white granite Cups and Saucers 1 25 1 1	4 1
One dozen white granite Dinner Plates, largest 1 25 1 1	
Set white granite Toilet ware, nine pieces 3 50 2 7	
One dozen Knives and Forks 3 50 3 00	
One dozen Knives and Forks 3 00 2 60	
James' best No. 1 White Lead 3 00 2 40	33 m.t
Gold medal White Lead 2 50 2 3	- 4

Who would buy on Credit when they can get goods at such astonishing Prices.

All other Goods in our store reduced accordingly.

Acton, Sept. 14, 1876.

SECORD BROS.

CASH SYSTEM POST OFFICE CASH STORE

ACTON, ONT



The subscriber desires to thank his numerous cash customers for the liberal manner in which they have supported him in carrying out the Beady Pay way of doing business. When I commenced on the Cash or Trade System and 8 per cent discount

I had for competer against the credit trade of our vile. lage, but to day I am pleased to say we are all doing business on the only right principle, that is ready pay, ce the trade of our village is now done on the Cash System. I will discontinue giving discount for cash on and after 1st Oct., and reduce

all my goods in price to the strictly cash figures. My customers will always find my stock complete Groceries, Crockery, Glassware,

Wall Paper, Efationery, Provisions, So

CASH FOR PRODUCE. Specialties kept in Season. Sausages, Finnan Haddies, Oysters, &c.

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Have just received their

FALL STOCK OF BUOTS AND SHOES,

The Best that ever came into Acton, for Price, Style and Quality

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Main Street, Next Door to Agnew's Hotel

KENNEY & SON Acton, Sept. 19, 1876.

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The undersigned bega leave to inform the people of Actin and sur-HEARSE

and most moderate terms.

Caskets, Coffins, Burial Robes, And all kinds of Funeral Furnishings kept in stock, and supplied on the

Hat Bands and Gloves supplied when required. JOHN SPEIGHT. Acton, Aug. 8, 1876.

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Drugs, Chemicals, Dye Stuffs, Patent and Proprietory Medicines, Fancy and Tollet Scaps, Sponges, Brushes.

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