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LOCAL MATTERS.

_Village Council this evening. Business dull Items very

-Farmers and others are referred to the advertisement of L. Rose, Geergetowu. He has improved his mill -Remember the tea meeting in she brick church, 14 miles west of

Acton, this evening. -We understand that Bishop Fuller, of Hamilton, is to preach in St. Albana church, Acton, next Sabbath

-The fine weather of the past few days has nearly taken away what little show we have. The roads are getting bare again.

setting, was lost in Acton, yesterday, leaving it at Second Bros. store.

-Mr. J. W. Bengough's enterdrolleries and his life-like sketches were well appreciated. We haven't room for further details this morning. -Great crash in Coal Oil .-

Secord Brea, new stock at about half the old price, will arrive in a few days The oil ring in London has busted. -A \$400 organ has just been introduced into the new Methodist shurch, from the factory of W. Bell & Co. Guelph. It is a very fine looking

.- The Congregational Church in Acton will be formally brganized on the afternoon of Wednesday, March 7th, in the basement of the new edifice. Appropriate services will be taken part in ing, a tea-meeting will be held in the received : Temperance Hall.

will prove to be as good as it looks.

-Crewson's Corners Division Sons of Temperance intend opening their new hall on Friday evening of next week, with a grand Concert and Source. We learn that they have secured the services of no less than 21 musical and vocal celebrities to entertain the audience. Good arrangements are being made for the accommodation of

teams, with ample sheds; and stabling -The Hamilton and Northwestern Railway is opened for regular traffic as far as Georgetown-with but | cord Bros. one train daily. As it leaves George town about a half-an-bour before the arrival there of the Grand Trunk mornless they go by foot or team.

ment Inspector, was present at the got up for the purpose of showing meeting, and submitted a sketch of a towards Mr. Kennedy a neighborly. proposed building, the estimated cost of and kindly feeling. which would be about \$10,000-the Government to pay half of that amount The committee consists of the Warden, and Messrs Dewar and Waldie.

A Durham bull calf twelve months old last Friday, was weighed on the public scales and ticketed at 1070 pounds. I girts:6 feet 3 inches around the breast. Mr. C. S. Smith is the owner.

Sabbath School Convention. The regular annual meeting of the County of Halton S. S. Convention will be held in the new Methodist Church Georgetown, on Wednesday, the 28t of Pebruary, and Thursday, the 1st of March. The committee appointed for securing accommodation to the visitors is making every preparation for a large number, and there is every indication of there being a very large assembly. All friendly to the cause of Sabbath School

Fery Clever. "The FREE PRESS is jubilant over the fact that that village is free from debt. Considering the fact that its incorporation dates back to the remote period of two or three years ago it cermade by exhibiting the Acton magnates is a glass case; to admiring thousands throughout the country at ten cents a head. The taxpayers of such slow-going hamlets as Toronto and Hamilton would

education are requested to attend.

be particularly glad-to see them.' The Oakville Expans, from which we clip the above, is particularly sharp and brilliantly ironical. While we submit that the FREE PRES never was "jubi lant" over what was merely given as a passing remark, we cannot resist the thought that our cotem, was more tent upon exhibiting his stale witicism than in giving point to his paragraph. We commend him to the office of show man. He could doubtless make money

at the enterprise, if anybody could. -Some dead bargains that you can't afford to loose :---

Bench axes worth \$2.50 for \$1.25. Shingle hatchets worth \$1.00 for 50c. Lath hatchets worth 80c for 50c. lath hatchets, star, worth \$1 for 50c. oy's axes, handled, worth \$1 for 50c. Adze eye claw hammers worth \$1.25

Bottles of Worcester sauce worth 25c date will be handed into court for colfor 15c.

Non-breakable chimneys, tobaccos,
teas a service worth 25c date will be handed into court for collection, with costs.

What is harder then earning Baos. syrups—all bargains—at SECORD

Missionary Meeting. The annual missionary meeting in connection with Knox Church, Acton, was held last Monday evening. . Rev. D. B. Cameron, who occupied the chair, opened the meeting with devotional exercises. Mr. John Ross, on behalf of port, supplementing it with some inter-esting remarks. Rev. G. L. Murray, of Woodville, then delivered an appropri-ate address in an intelligent and earnest

the Treasurer, read the annual report, which showed a better financial position than in former years. Mr. Archibald Campbell moved the adoption of the remanner. He was followed by Rev. R. Torrance, of Guelph, who gave a great many interesting facts, which were strongly enforced on the consideration of his hearers. The chairman then sub-mitted a few present strongly and strongly enforced by the consideration to be paid out to farmers for Pork every week during December, at mitted a few practical remarks. . The singing of the choir was excellent. There was a large attendance, and alto-gether this is said to be one of the best HURRAH! HURRAH! meetings of the kind ever held in the church. The amount collected for missichary purposes was stated to be about

-The Social on Tuesday evening at Mr. Armstrong's, in aid of the Congregational Church building fund, was well attended, and a very enjoyable evening spent. Proceeds about \$18.

-Always Wide-awake to the interests of themselves and their customers, Secord Bros some time ago became convinced that there would be another LOST .- An ear-drop, with green duty put upon Teas, Tobaccose, and several other articles, and acting upon The finder will be well rewarded by this conviction they ordered direct from the art, done on the shortest notice and Montreal an extra large stock of Teas, at reasonable rates. Tobaccoes, &c., and have got them Also a splendid stock of Mouldings through before the duty was put on, and Picture frames kept on hand and whereby they will by this shrewdness and foresight be able to sell those
articles, at the old prices, and even
lower as they bought most of them much
lower than usual. They have the

Made to order.

A call is solicited and you will be
convinced that this is the place to get
photographs.

Yours respectfully, largest stock of these goods ever shown in Acton. Go and see them.

DEPLORABLE. -- It is lamentable to see the way some of the young men in Milton are going to destruction. The Champion says : Out of five who were one night recently, four thought they saw a mouse running across the floor, and No. 5 says that they chased it instrument, and we have no doubt it around the room and struck at that imaginary mouse, and gazed behind trunks with their eyeballs sticking right out of their minds. No. 5 couldn't see any mouse, and he managed to get the other young men calmed down before they got to the snake degree.

-Direct from Montreal via G. by a number of ministers. In the even- T. R., new goods for spring trade just

Barrels of golden, honey and amber syrups-cheaper than ever. Barrels of sugars, all kinds. Boxes and caddies of tobaccos Chests of new choice Teas, better still

Cases and boxes of raisins, salmon, sar-

strels, kees and mats of Prunes, currants, dates, etc., etc.-all bought low, and will be sold cheap. Examine our goods and prices and if buy, but if you want to get a dollar and dollar you spend, you must call at Se

A SURPRISE PARTY IN NASSAGA weva .- On : Thursday evening a ing train from the west, it is perfectly number of the farmers and others useless for the accommodation of per- residing in the neighborhood of lot sons at Acton or other places west un- 24, 2d con. Nassagaweya, drove to the residence of Mr. John Kennedy, who has just got a new mill in -The County Council on Tuesday | running order on that lot, and as is appointed a committee to secure plans | were took possession of the premand specifications and generally to pro- ises. Refreshments were provided cure information as to the cost of by the visitors, and besides dancing building a new jail or large additions to other amusements were indulged in the old one. Mr. Langmuir, Govern- until a late hour. The party was

> ERIN GRANGE. - This grange is in a very satisfactory position. At one of its recent meetings the ex-Secretary, Mr. Alex. Smith, was presented a handsome sum in recog

nition of his services. Hereafter all parties doing business with Galloway Bros. must pay up in full on the last day of every month. No accounts allowed to run more than one

GALLOWAY BROS. -Dried Apples, Potatoes, But ter, Apples, etc., etc., wanted at Secord

-Large stock of new fresh Teas very fine, cheap and good, just received at Secord Bros.

.- Don't fail to secure some of the Tes they are selling at the Post

Office Store for 30c per lb., or four pounds for \$1. It is extra value. -10 pounds of Tea for a dollar

6 pounds of fair Tes for a dollar. 3 pounds of good Tea (worth 50c) for 2 pounds of their 60c Tea for a dollar. The great Tea House, Second Bros.

Secord Bros. have decided to continue their great Cheap Cash Sale Groceries, Crockery, for one week longer. Make no mistake, bring your cash and make money UNDOUBTED BARGAIN. Christie, Henderson & Co. on opening a fresh lot of their famous 50c Tea thi morning were pleased to find it turn out.
by far superior to anything of the kind
they had before handled. Evidently a
mistake had been made by the shipper than they paid for it, but they will, notwithstanding, offer it at the same ol

popular price, giving their customers the decided advantage of their good luck. In view of the probable additional duty to make up for the large NO fail to procure a 10 lb. lot of this i

Important Notice. All parties indebted to Galloway Bros. are earnestly requested to settle up their accounts by the 28th of this month. All accounts not paid by that

What is harder than earning money? Collecting it;

PORK! PORK!!

Charles Cameron is prepared to pay the Highest Market Price for 50 tons of Good Pork. Call and see him at the Old Stand on Main Acton, Nov. 30th, 1876.

FOR THE

BEST PHOTOGRAPHS in the County, at

The Ontario Photograph Gallery For Beauty of Finish and Brillian

cy in Tone, they cannot be surpassed.

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Yours respectfully, C. W. HILL

Lumber, andiShingles

Acton, Dec. 5, 1876.

PINE AND HEMLOCK LUMBER

Pine Shingles and Lath. Shingles of the best quality for only \$1.85 per square. GUMMING MACHINE

to gum Drag or Cross-cut Saws. BROWN & HALL Acton, Dec. 12, 1876. _ 24-3m

dines, pickles, spices, soaps, cheese, TOB PRINTING of all kinds

FREE PRESS OFFICE,

DECIDED BARGAINS

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Glassware and

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Post Office Store, Acton.

The Subscriber.

YEMEN CEORCE

Is now prepared to offer a choice selection of

Glassware, Wall Papers,

Paper Window Blinds, &c.

At prices that cannot fail to please even those who rail at the Hard Times

SPECIAL PRICES ARE QUOTED,

As a trial of his goods, he is convinced, will be found to be the best

advertisement.

A call is solicited.

February 7, 1876.

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Post Office Store, Acton

WONDERFUL EXCITEMENT! RUSH !

THAT WONDERFUL SALE.

The largest amount of Goods sold yesterday JOHN HOGG

Ever Sold in one day in Guelph. GREAT BARGAINS!

Best quality of Seasonable Goods less than Manufacturer's Prices

The great Sale continues each day. Hurry in and partake of the great advantages offered.

JOHN HOCC & SON Feb. 8, 1877 Alma Block, Upper Wyndham Street, Guelph,

Strike!

FOR ONE WEEK ONLY.

Sale.

TOO LATE.

G. D. PRINGLE'S

OR SALE The undersigned have for sale at their | March. If you want to get Watches mills in Acton a large quantity of all and Jewellry cheap, now is your time. After that date the full price

We have just introduced a new Gumming Machine, and are prepared G.D. PRINGLE

neatly and promptly executed at the

Watchmaker, Guelph. February 12th, 1877. Next the Post Office. Will Street.

ACTON,

Henderson

This Week will offer extra special values in the following Goods to reduce preparatory to Stock-taking:

2 dozen Cardigan Jackets, \$1.50, worth \$2.00 2 dozen Cardigan Jackets, \$2.00, worth \$2.50 22 pairs Blankets, \$2.50, worth \$4.00 17 pairs Blankets, \$3.50, worth \$5.00 20 pieces Full Cloth, at 55c per yd, worth 70c Goblets, Tumblers, 16 pieces Full Cloth, at 60c per yd, worth 75c

CLOUDS, WOOLEN GOODS.

MILLINERY.

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At Give Away Prices.

Any one in need of Full Cloth for Men or Boys' Clothing, will find our stock well suited to the

times. Positively free from shoddy.

Remember that Famous 50c Tea.

Cash paid for any quantity of really good Tobeccos, Rice, Barley, Corn Starch, Rice Flour, Stare, etc. Tub Butter.

HENDERSON & CO.

Acton, Jan. 23, 1877.

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Have laid in a mammeth Stock of everything Rich, Rare, Useful and and Beautiful, in

GROCERIES,

Glassware, Hardware, &c.

CHINA DEPARTMENT

Ladies' Mottoed Cups and Saucers.

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Glass and China Muga, mottoed, all colors

Glass Pitchers.

Preserve Dishes. Colory Glassus

Pickle Jars, Wine Glasses Glass Sets,

Sick Cups and Fooders Stone and China Tea Sets,

Lamps, Lanterns,

Gents' Mottoed Mustache Cups and Saucers.

Everything in Granite Ware, Everything beautiful in andless variety.

GROCERIES.

Canned Peaches, Plums, Goodeberries, Blackberries, Cherries, Peace, Preserves, Jams, Jellies, Pickles, Lobsters, Salmon, Sardines, Clams, Cysters, Fruits, Raisine, Currents,

The Largest and Cheapest Stock of Tons ever brough

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Acton, Nov. 29, 1876.

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Figs, Nuts; Biscuits, Confectionery and Honey

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