GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

Trains cave Acton as follows:—

GOING WEST.	
Night Express	1:03a.m.
Toronto mail	9.10a.m.
Day Express	1.55p.m.
Express	5.17 p.m.
Galt mixed	7:07 p.m.
GOING EAST.	
Night Express	3:35 a.m.
Galt mixed	9:42 a.m.
Day Express	11:30 a.m.
Western mail	5:17 p.m.
London mixed	9:50 p.m.

Service in the Methodist Church every Sabbath evening at half-past six o'clock; and both morning and evening on the first Sabbath of each month. REV. R. HOBBS, Pastor.

LOCAL MATTERS.

SEE!—Wedding and Birthday presents in Fancy Goods and Jewellery all the year round at Geo. Hynds Jewellery Store, Acton. Call.

—Been wet of late.

—Millet Seed at McGarvin's.

—The population of Milton is 1,291.

—Pure Honey at J. E. McGarvin's.

—See Regent Hall windows Saturday night.

—Village Council meets next Monday evening.

—Buy your Garden and Flower Seeds by weight at McGarvin's.

—Matthews & Nicklin's advertisement appears in another column.

—A large quantity of Tomato and Cabbage plants at Secords cash store.

—A license has been granted to Mr. Clark, of the "Royal Exchange," in this Village.

—Mr. Edward Moore commenced operations at his stave factory in Speyside last Monday.

—Early Corn at McGarvin's.

—Mr. John Cummins, who left here for Australia a short time ago, has arrived in Melbourne all safe.

—We are glad to learn that Mr. Robt. Agnew, who has been ill for the last couple of weeks is able to be around again.

—The great boat race between Hanlan and Plaisted, for $2,000, will take place on Toronto Bay next Wednesday.

—The draught match between Halton Co. and the Guelph club will commence at the American Hotel, Guelph, to-night.

—Beet Seed at McGarvin's.

—"Regent Hall" opened yesterday with a full line of day goods, boots and shoes, etc. For particulars see advertisement.

—A farmer, living a short distance out of the Village, informs us that he has a field of fall wheat which is about 2½ feet in height.

—On Monday, at 4:33 p. m., a number of young men tried to observe the transit of Mercury through an opera glass, and—didn't observe it.

—We have for sale one of Beatty's celebrated Pianos that will be disposed of at a great bargain. For particulars apply at this office.

—Onion Seed at McGarvin's.

—Owing to his increased business, Mr. Campbell, of the "Rossin House," is having another shed erected on the commons, opposite the hotel.

—Mr. John Burton, formerly miller at Tolton's mills, left yesterday for Mount Vernon, Co. Brant, where he has leased a flouring mill for a term of years.

—On Sunday morning a named William Wallace, of Georgetown, was found dead in his bedroom with his throat cut. He is supposed to have been insane.

—Tomato Seed at McGarvin's.

—James Symon will show today the latest styles in Ladies' and Misses' Hats for Summer wear. Ladies, now is your time for a fashionable Hat or Bonnet.

—The *Sporting Tribune* is the name of a new paper just started in Brantford. Although it is small, it contains a vast amount of interesting reading matter.

—Advertisers wishing to have their advertisements changed should have the copy in by Tuesday at noon, otherwise we cannot ensure an advertisement in that week's paper.

—Gents, if you want stylish, nobby, cheap and durable suits of Clothing, call at the Mammoth House and leave your orders and secure your Gents Furnishing at the same time. McLeod Anderson & Co.

—J. E. McGarvin's advertisement, announcing that the Hall of Pharmacy is the best place to buy drugs, stationery, toilet articles, notions, etc., was received too late for this issue.

—Lettuce Seed at McGarvin's.

—Mr. John Elliott, son of the late Thos. Elliott, Esq., of Nassagaweya has been elected to the highest position that an undergraduate can attain in the University of Toronto.—He has been elected First Vice-President of the Literary Society.—*Champion.*

—Ladies, McLeod Anderson & Co. are doing the leading Millinery trade in this section of the Country. Their Show Room is crammed full of customers—and they have got all the latest novelties of the season in Millinery, Mantles, Shawls, Parasols, &c. Carpets in this Room likewise.

—Just arrived, a splendid assortment of Ladies' Frilled Trimmings, Puritan Lace Collars, Fancy Collarettes, Dentille Russe Lappets, Portland Linen Platings. The latest Goods in the market. No fancy prices charged for fashionable Goods at Symon's, New Brick Store.

—The Dress Goods are still being slaughtered at the Mammoth House, Georgetown, although we sold immense piles of those dress goods at 5c 7c 10c 15c. Still, lots more of them and a fresh lot of grey and Brown Grey—finest all wool Debreiges from 15c to 50c per yard. These are an extraordinary cheap lot of goods. It is the hard times that makes us sell. Then look at those ridiculous low prices. Likewise a magnificent lot of colored silks, at 50c per yd worth $1.00. Inspection invited. McLeod, Anderson & Co.

Open Division.

The Acton Division S. of T. held an Open Division on Tuesday evening, in the Temperance Hall. The Hall was literally jammed, and seats had to be put along the aisle and every clear place in the building. Mr. John Warren occupied the chair. Interesting and instructive addresses were delivered by Rev. Mr. Davis, Rev. Mr. Hobbs and Mr. John Speight. The readings by Mr. John Ross and Mr. W. H. McDonald were splendid. Misses Agusta and Maggie Nicklin, Fannie Christie, Mr. Giggons and Master Lozier furnished an abundance of vocal and instrumental music. Mr. Hobbs pronounced the benediction. During the progress of the entertainment, the floor of the building gave two very loud cracks, but little notice was taken of them until the audience rose to leave, when the floor, owing to the extra weight upon it, sank in the centre fully three inches. This caused some excitement and the crowd made their exit as speedily as possible.

Acton School Board.

The School Board met on Monday evening. Present—Messrs. S. Moore, Jos. Lasby, Jos. Fearnley and D. Henderson.

Mr. Henderson presented the report of the Finance Committee recommending the payment of the following accounts, viz: John Ross, sundries, $1.55; John Ross, salary for April, $45.83; Wm. Watson, cutting pine, 50c; Ransom Adams, for one cord of pine, $1.50; T. A. Moore, advertising abstract of accounts, $6.50. Total, $55.88.

It was moved by Mr. Lasby, seconded by Mr. Henderson, that the report of the Finance Committee be adopted. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Lasby, seconded by Mr. Fearnley, that it be an instruction to the Grievence Committee to have requisite repairs made to the pump, and loose stones removed from the school yard. Carried.

The Board then adjourned, to meet again on the first Monday in June, at 7:30 p.m.

Painful Accident.

On Saturday morning last, Charlie, a bright little three year old son of Mr. Robert Ramshaw, of this village, met with a painful accident, and one which will disfigure his right hand for life. It appears that he has been in the habit of going to the Plow Works to see his father working. On Saturday morning he went to the shop and was watching his father work, but, getting tired of this, he went a short distance away towards one of the lathes. Mr. Ramshaw did not miss the little fellow from his side more than two or three minutes before he heard him call out "O, pa!" He ran to see what was the matter, and found that Charlie's hand was covered with blood and that the first and second fingers of his right hand were off, they having been caught in the cog-wheels of the lathe. The child was immediately taken home, and Dr's McGarvin and Lowry were sent for and dressed the wound. On Monday the child was playing around in the yard, with his hand in a sling, as if nothing had happened, and he does not complain in the least about his hand hurting him.

—In the *New Dominion Monthly* for May we see an exceedingly interesting "Sketch from Canadian History," which gives a very full account of the war of 1812, especially of the actions of Gen. Brock therein. "Two Scottish Heroes" is an account of the early lives of Andrew and James Melville, who lived in Reformation times. G. H. F. contributes an article on the late Geo. Cruikshank—whose portrait appears in the frontispiece,—in which are cuts of several of his humorous drawings. "The Wolf of Badenoch" is a critism by a Backwoods farmer of a recent Canadian work. A subject of rare interest to ethnologists is to be found in a paper commenced in this number. It is entitled "Monograph of the Dene-Dindjie Indians." These Indians dwell in the northern part of British North America, and their character, manners and customs, and relationship to other races were made a matter of enthusiastic study by the Rev. Father Petitot, who spent his life amongst them. The work has been ably translated by Mr. Douglas Brymner, of Ottawa. We may say further that Father Petitot hints at a "lost ten tribe" origin for these Indians. The manner of hunting racoons is well described in "Coon-Hunting," by Mack. In "Our Affectionate Townsman" we find a description of the villany of a "resurrectionist." For the Young Folks there is a selected peper, with illustrations, which tells about the School for Deaf-mutes in Boston, and the way in which the children are taught to speak. In the Home Department is begun an interesting story entitled, "Lotty Farwell's Duty." Under Literary Notices is an extract from "Macleod of Dare," Mr. Black's last novel. The *New Dominion Monthly* is published by John Dougall & Son, Montreal. Price $2 per year.

—Cucumber Seed at McGarvin's

—Get your Horse Bills printed at the FREE PRESS office. We have a good assortment of cuts to choose from

—We clip the following from the Milton *Champion*, which refers to Mr. J. C. Allan, son of Major Allan, of this Village, and think it will interest a number of "Johnny's" old friends here. It shows to what extent Mr. Allan advertises, and the benefits he is deriving from it: "Mr. Allan, who is a competent druggist has for some years been experimenting at odd times on various specialties, and invented some really useful articles, but finally decided to devote his attention to the manufacture of "Allen's Fly Brick," "Allen's Anti-Fat," and one or two other remedies. He accordingly started operations on a small scale, putting every spare dollar into advertising. The sales increased very rapidly, additional hands were employed, and more advertising was done, the latter amounting last year to $32,000, and this year they intend to expend about three times that sum in printer's ink. On Tuesday last we visited, with Mr. Allan, some of the offices where he was arranging for a lot of printing. We saw a tender from the *Commercial* for a bill of printing consisting of 100,000 4pp. circulars, 2,000,000 8pp. circulars, 2,000,000 blue cards, 500,000 lithographs cards, 42 on a sheet, amounting when cut to 21,000,000; an indefinite number of labels for one article, 50,000 for another; 100,000 snipes; 100,000 whole sheet posters, and 500,000 colored lithograph cards, amounting in all to about 25,000,000 pieces. Think of that when you are ordering 25 fourth sheet bills or 100 cards. By far the greater part of the expense in such a business is for advertising, and that it pays is proved by the fact that Messrs J. C. Allen & Co. are now making large additions to their staff of operatives in order to keep up with the orders that are coming in from every part of the south, where flies are now plentiful, and Fly Brick is found to be all that is claimed for."

Eighteen lives were lost by a recent explosion at Minneapolis.

In the case of Oliver Cummings, against the Grand Trunk Railway, in the U. S. Court at Portland, the jury gave a verdict of $15,700. Cummings was an engineer, and was injured by a collision with a wild engine.

Thos. Burk and John Macpherson were placed on trial, at Whitby, on the 2nd inst., for the committal of an outrage on the person of Mrs. Ellen Bennott. They were both sentenced to be hanged on Friday, the 14th of June.

On the first day of May James Duff Henderson, an amateur pedestrian of more than local reputation, began at the Roller Skating Rink Toronto the stupendous walk of 25,000 miles, or the circumference of the earth. He undertakes the walk in two years, walking each day, except Sunday, forty miles. The walk will be extended through the United States, Britain, and France, finishing on 1st May, 1880, in Toronto.

DIED.

At Waterdown, on the 2nd inst., after a short sickness, Mable Estelle, only daughter of W. R. Wilson, late of Acton, aged 2 years and 2 months.

NOTICE.

Any person or persons found trespassing, either fishing or shooting, on lots E. half 26, E. & W. half 27, 28, and 29, 5th con., township of Esquesing, and Dr. Morrow's premises in this village will be prosecuted according to law.

DR. MORROW,
JAS. SHAW,
ROBT. WATSON,
ANN GORDON,
JOHN MANN,
JOHN WARREN.

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1878.

Weekly Globe.

The success that has attended the publication of **THE WEEKLY GLOBE** in the year now fast drawing to a close, has far outstripped that of any other year since the establishment of the paper. Notwithstanding the serious business depression and financial stringency existing all over the American continent, the circulation has been maintained throughout the year at an average issue each week of 37,000 copies—being a decided advance on the average of any previous year. Enthusiastic expressions of approval come to the publishers from every direction—of the new form of the paper, of its mechanical execution, of its **Beautiful and Copious Illustrations**, of the varied and interesting mass of reading matter culled weekly for the information and instruction and entertainment of its readers, and of the small price at which it is supplied annually to the public.

The Biographical Notices of Public Men and the Sketches of Canadian Towns, Buildings, and Natural Scenery—that have lent such a charm to the weekly contents of the paper—will be continued with fresh energy under the care of able artists and experienced writers.

Agriculture, as the foremost industry of the Dominion, and the firm basis of our National prosperity, will receive, as heretofore, earnest and constant attention.

Ecclesiastical Intelligence, Science Notes, and Educational Affairs will continue prominent in each number.

The Answers to Correspondents, on every variety of subjects, which have proved so valuable and interesting to crowds of readers, will be kept up with increased vigour.

The Literary and Ladies' Department, under the care of special conductors, will be fresh and racy.

News from all parts of the world up to the latest moment of publication—Parliamentary Debates, Federal and Provincial—market and Financial Reports at home and abroad—and Letters of Special Correspondents from all points of interest—will be gathered with all the care and energy that has kept THE GLOBE in the front rank of Canadian journals for thirty-five years past.

The annual subscription to THE WEEKLY GLOBE will remain as heretofore, only TWO DOLLARS PER ANNUM, sent FREE of POSTAGE to all parts of Canada and the United States, payable invariably in advance.

AGENTS WANTED. SEND FOR TERMS.

The WEEKLY GLOBE will be sent free of postage to any Post-office in Great Britain for $2.20—or nine shillings sterling.

Remittances may be sent by P. O. money order, bank draft, registered letters, or by express, at our risk.

Orders and Remittances to be addressed to the

GLOBE PRINTING COMPANY,
Toronto.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ROYAL EXCHANGE HOTEL.

Mr. E. Clark, Proprietor. One of the most commodious Hotels in the county. Good commercial room. The bar is always supplied with the choicest brands of liquors and cigars. First-class stabling, and attentive hostler. House situated in the business part of the Village. E. CLARK, Proprietor.

NOTICE.

The party that took the parcel from Campbell's Sitting Room, on Saturday, had better return it, as he is known.

CASH FOR STAVE TIMBER

Having purchased the mills formerly belonging to P. & H. Sayers, at Speyside, I am prepared to pay cash for soft elm and oak Stave Timber. Cash will also be paid for good, sound Pine.

45-tf EDWARD MOORE.

PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS.

In accordance with the Statute, and the General Regulations, the July Examination of Candidates, for the year 1878, will be held as follows:—

For First Class.—At the Normal Schools, Toronto and Ottawa, on Thursday, 11th July, 1878, at 9 a.m.

For Second Class.—At the Town Hall, Milton, and the Oakville High School, on Monday, 8th July, at 2 p.m.

For Third Class.—At the Town Hall, Milton, on Monday, 8th July at 2 p.m.

Forms of the notice to be previously given by the candidates, can be obtained on application to any Inspector.

It is indispensable that candidates should notify the undersigned **not later than the 1st of June**, of their intention to present themselves for examination. All notices to the Department of intending candidates must be sent through the Presiding Inspector.

ROBT. LITTLE,
P. S. I. Co. Halton.

Acton, 29th April, 1878.

CASH FOR SKINS.

I am prepared to pay the highest cash price west of Toronto for all classes of Calf and Sheep Skins, delivered at my tannery. Lace Leather constantly on hand.

41-ly JAMES MOORE.

NOTICE.

Farmers, now is the time to improve your stock. The first prize bull, "Sir William Temple," 11, (83) got by "Sir William Temple," [2296], dam Diana, by Red Prince [602] g. dam Annetta, by the Guelph Baron [869], 4419 g. g. dam. Ann, by Patriot [525], will serve cows on the premises of the undersigned during the season. Terms to insure—Thorough-bred cows, $4.00 Grade cows, $1.50.

JOEL LESLIE,
44-3m* Lot No. 5, con 1, Erin.

LADIES' STRAW HATS AND BONNETS

Cleaned, dyed and altered to the present fashion.

MRS. WM. THOMPSON,
43-3m. Bower Street, Acton.

YOUNG CHIEFTIAN

Hide your heads, you donkey race,
For the YOUNG CHIEFTIAN's in this place.

YOUNG CHIEFTIAN will stand for mares this season, health and weather permitting, in the townships of Erin, Eramosa, Nassagaweya and Esquesing.

YOUNG CHIEFTIAN is from Netherby, and Netherby from Imported Netherby. His dam was sired by Major Thompson's Horse, Stewarton, grand-dam by Harkaway.

TERMS.—To insure a foal, $8; Season Mares, $6; Single Leap, $4.

WALTER ROBINSON,
44-3t* Proprietor.

WEAVING! WEAVING!!

All orders in the Weaving line promptly attended to. Special attention paid to Carpet Weaving.

MRS. H. McLOUGHLIN,
40-4t near CREWSON'S CORNERS.

NOTICE.

Any person wishing to have painting or papering done should leave their orders with G. B. Levens, who will be at leisure every day except Wednesday and Saturday of each week. Shaving and Haircutting done at the shop every day except those mentioned above, and every night.

GEO. B. LEVENS.

Acton, April 10, 1878.

PLOW FACTORY OPENED.

The subscriber, having purchased the Acton Plow Works, is prepared to furnish Single and Double Frame Iron Plows, as well as the Boss Gang Plow, which has gained the reputation of being the best Gang Plow made, at the usual rates. All repairs done on the shortest notice and at the cheapest prices.

37-tf SYDNEY SMITH.

SHORT HORN BULL.

"Royal Beauford," dam, imp. "Lady Barnes," sire, imp. "Royal Oxford Gwynne," will serve cows on the farm adjoining the G. T. R., Acton. Terms. Pedigree Cows, $7.00; Grade Cows, $2.00. 10 per cent off for cash.

Also two Berkshire Boars will be kept for service at the same place. Terms, $1.00, cash.

40-6m C. S. SMITH.

THE THOROUGH-BRED DURHAM BULL,

"Young Zepher,"

Will serve on the farm of the subscriber, lot 29, 5th con., Esquesing. Terms—for thorough-breds, $4; for grades, $1. Inspection invited.

42-1m JOHN WARREN.

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GRAND

Opening Day!

—AT—

"Regent Hall,"

ACTON.

J. C. HURST

opens his new store to-day for business, May 8th, 1878.

In "Regent Hall" will be found all the latest novelties in

Fancy and Staple

Dry Goods

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods, Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes.

CHOICE NEW SEASON TEA, VERY CHEAP.

TAILORING A SPECIALTY!

In this department will be found the latest designs and patterns in SCOTCH, CANADIAN, FRENCH and ENGLISH TWEEDS and COATINGS, and best of Trimmings. Spring and Summer Fashion Plates just received from New York

This department will be under the able management of MR. GEO. E. ADAMS, a first-class cutter. Perfect fitting garments guaranteed. Suits from $8.00 to $30.00, and got up on short notice.

Acton, May 8th, 1878. **J. C. HURST.**

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SUMMER CIRCULAR!

MAGNIFICENT DISPLAY

—AT THE—

NEW BRICK STORE,

—OF—

FRENCH MILLINERY

MANTLES & COSTUMES.

Also, a splendid Stock of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, consisting of black and colored Silks, Cashmeres and Fancy Dress Goods. Kid Gloves, all the new shades (1, 2 and 3 buttons), Lisle Thread Gloves, Parasols, Sunshades, Lace Goods, Trimmings and Fringes, Prints, Comtrices, Muslins, Grey Linens, White and Grey Cottons.

English, French and German HOSIERY.

Ready-Made Clothing, Black and Blue Broadcloths, Diagonals, English, Scotch and Canadian Tweeds. SUITS MADE TO ORDER, AND A PERFECT FIT GUARANTEED, OR NO SALE.

A full assortment of Gents' Furnishings. White Dress Shirts, Collars, Cuffs, Ties, etc.

A splendid Stock of Choice Family Groceries.

TEAS A SPECIALTY.

JAMES SYMON, in returning thanks to his numerous friends and customers for the very liberal support accorded to him since he commenced business in Acton, would remind them that never before in the history of Canada were such bargains offered in Acton. The Goods have been bought for Cash and will be sold at a small advance on cost.

JAMES SYMON.

Produce of all kinds taken in exchange at the highest market price.

REMEMBER THE PLACE:

THE NEW BRICK STORE---MAIN ST., ACTON.

Acton, April 10th, 1878.

GRENADINES

Among the numerous important arrivals which have lately come to hand, we would ask special attention to

Fifty Pieces Choice New Black Grenadines

in all the new and favorite makes for the season. CHEAP.

—ALSO—

1 Case Handsome

"Bourette" Dress Goods,

at present commanding an immense sale in New York, and other cities of fashion. These we shall sell

AT TWENTY-FIVE CENTS PER YARD,

and every lady should see them.

One Case Lovely White Goods,

including Piques, Marseilles, Brilliants, Lawns, Centennial Stripes, Swiss Checks, etc., ranging from 10 cents per yard and upwards.

For a choice variety of New and Fashionable Goods, ladies should come direct to the Fashionable West End, Guelph.

A. O. BUCHAM,

Fashionable West End Dress, Millinery and Mantle Establishment.

Guelph, April 18, 1878.

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Great Rush

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Christie, Henderson & Co's.

THEIR MILLINERY

SHOW ROOM

is the great attraction. Please leave your orders early, and have no disappointment for the 24th.

Immense stock of

LADIES' PRUNELLAS

Those neat and comfortable Tie Shoes in great demand.

GENTS' FELT HATS

in new and leading styles.

Fresh Arrivals

daily of new and fresh lots of Goods. You can always depend on getting the latest.

Buy Montreal White Cottons

Best value in the Market.

Without a rival---our Famous 50c. Tea. 5lbs for $2.25.

CHRISTIE, HENDERSON & CO.

Acton, May 7th, 1878.