GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

Trains leave Acton as follows:—

GOING WEST.

Night Express	1.03a.m.
Toronto mail	9.10a.m.
Day Express	4.42p.m.
Express	5.17 p.m.
Galt mixed	7.07 p.m.

GOING EAST.

Night Express	3.35 a.m
Galt mixed	9.45 a.m
Day Express	11.30 a.m
Western mail	5.17 p.m
London mixed	9.33 p.m

MAIL TIME TABLE.

MAILS RECEIVED

From the East,—9.10 a.m.
From Toronto and the West,—5.17 p.m.
From Knatchball, 8.25 a.m., on Tuesdays and Fridays.
From Speyside, 8.30 a.m., on Tuesdays and Fridays.

MAILS CLOSED.

Going West,—9.15 a.m.
Going East,—4.50 p.m. Mail for Toronto 11.30 a.m.
Knatchball mail 10.00 a.m. on Tuesdays and Fridays.
Speyside mail 10 a.m., on Tuesdays and Fridays.
Registered letters must be mailed 15 minutes before closing time.

Service in the Methodist Church every Sabbath, both morning and evening at 10.30 a.m. & 6 o'clock, respectively.
REV. S. FORSE, Pastor.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Public Meeting—Acton.
Court of Revision—Acton.

TOWN AND COUNTY.

THURSDAY MORNING JUNE 5, 1879.

—Goods that you can buy at the sign of the Big Watch.

—If you want good reliable Quadruple and Triple Silver plated Cruets, Pickle Stands, Butter Coolers, Napkin Rings, Tea Spoons, Knives and Forks; call at George Hynd's Jewellery store;
—AND—
If you want Fine Combs, Dressing Combs, Back Combs, Circular Combs, perforated Card Board, Mottoes, Fancy Note Paper, Envelopes, Purses, Crochet Needles, Albums, Spectacles, etc., call at Geo. Hynds Jewellery Store, Acton.

—Ice Cream at

—Clark & Matthews.

—Lilacs are blooming.

—Flower gardens are receiving due attention.

—Call at J. C. Hill's tin shop for a nice bird cage.

—Didn't we have some splendid rain this week!

—The latest styles in stiff felt Hats at Fyfe & McNab's.

—Halton County Council meets next Tuesday in Milton.

—'Rah for —— Wait till to night and we'll finish this item.

—Ice Cream by the dish or quart at Nicklin's Ice Cream Parlor.

—Potato bugs collar every "vine" as soon as it appears above the ground.

—Many parasols were blown inside out during the windstorm on Saturday last.

—Be sure and call at Nicklin's Ice Cream Parlor for a dish of Ice Cream.

—Mr. Haslett's new store and dwelling-house on Mill street is fast nearing completion.

—Mr. D. D. Christie, reeve, who went to Michigan on the 25th inst., on business, returned on Friday last.

—Shingles for sale at the Speyside Mills. No. 1 Shingles at $1.40 per square.
H. SAYERS. 17-1m.

—The Hanlan-Elliott boat race to come off on the Tyne course on the 16th inst., is receiving great attention in sporting circles.

—On the 10th of June-st, excursion to Kansas, 1,800 miles and return, will leave Stratford. Fare $30 for the round trip of 2,600 miles.

—A heavy windstorm visited this section last Saturday afternoon, but outside of a few trees being broken we know of no damage being done.

—Owing to the absence of Mr. McIntyre, to the annual Union Meetings, Kingston, Rev. D. R. Cameron will preach in the Congregational church on Sabbath evening next, at 6 o'clock.

—The exercise of whipping carpets is recommended for the development of the muscle. Don't let your wife do it or she may get the start of you in developement, and then you might regret it.

—Although quite a number of persons got wet in the rain on Saturday and Sunday last all agree in saying that it was a good rain and the crops have been much benefitted by the showers.

—Rev. R. Hobbs, pastor C. M. church, Acton, is attending Conference meetings in London this week. He will be absent until next week, but the pulpit will be supplied on Sunday, both morning and evening.

—Mr. H. Richardson, student of Georgetown College, preached in the Acton C. M. Church, on Sunday morning last an excellent sermon from Luke x, 42. "But one thing is needful: and Mary hath chosen that good part, which shall not be taken away from her."

—Great bargains in new Spring Goods—Our Dress Goods unsurpassed. Our Millinery, nothing to beat it in Canada. In our Ordered Clothing we are ahead of any season yet—all goods sold at popular prices, to suit the hard times. McLeod, Anderson & Co.

—On Tuesday of last week, Mr. John Smith, assignee of the Coleman estate, Acton, sold the stock consisting of Dry Goods, Groceries, etc., amounting to $3,482.32, at 58 cents in the dollar, to J. Ryan, of Orangeville. The terms were one-third cash, and the balance in three and six months. The store has been opened by Mr. Ryan, and we understand rushing barvains are being given.

—The *Phrenological Journal and Science of Health*, for June, closes its sixty-eighth volume. The contents of this number are especially interesting. As the July number begins a fresh volume, it is a convenient time for subscribing, and it seems to us that $2.00 is a mere trifle for so valuable a publication as the *Phrenological Journal*, but at this price the publishers offer valuable premiums to each subscriber. It is also offered "on trial" six months for $1.00. Single numbers, 20 cents. Address S. R. Wells & Co., Publishers, 737 Broadway, New York.

Victimizing the Farmers.—A contemporary says:—"As regularly as the seasons come and go we have to notice the fleecing of farmers by agents of one thing and another, in the face too of the earnest exposures and warnings of the newspapers to have nothing whatever to do with oily-tongued strangers. As we have repeatedly advised on this subject, but only from those whom you know to be responsible and honest. If the farmers of Halton would all read their local papers instead of *Montreal Witnesses, Family Heralds*, and other papers, they would know of the swindles in their neighborhood, and would not be so easily victimized.

—Fair Day.

—Cisterns are full again.

—J. C. Hill for first-class Tinware.

—Recent rains did the hay crop a great deal of good.

—All the newest things in soft felt Hats at Fyfe & McNab's.

—Blossoms have nearly all disappeared from the fruit trees.

—Hurdy-gurdy, the first of the season, visited Acton yesterday.

—Best Buns in town at Nicklin's Bakery. Be sure and try them.

—Bazaar Patterns at 20 per cent. under catalogue prices at Mrs. Secords.

—Not much excitement, either, considering there is an election to-day.

—Choose ye for whom you shall vote, and cast your vote at the poll to-day.

—If you have not yet voted your vote and influence are respectfully requested.

—Bush fires were raging in this neighborhood during the latter part of last week.

—This is a fact. The candidate who gets the most votes is sure to be elected.

—Make your homes cheerful by buying some House Plants at Clark & Matthews.

—The agony will all be over by to night. Anxious politicians will then learn whether their candidate has or has not been successful.

—Has anyone taken up the challenge published in last week's issue from Geo. Gibbs, jr., quoit pitcher? Come, boys, don't be bluffed.

—Mr. H. McDiarmid, of Toronto, will (D.V.) preach in the Disciple Meeting House, Acton, next Sunday, June the 8th, at 11 o'clock a. m.

—An adjourned meeting of the Court of Revision of the municipality of the Village of Acton, will be held on Monday evening, 16th inst.

Quoiting.—A quoiting tournament for the championship of the Dominion will be held at Toronto on Thursday, 12th June. A number of special prizes will also be competed for.

Building.—There are quite a number of buildings in course of erection in the village just now, and should such work continue during the summer, as it likely will, Acton will have been much improved in appearance and considerably increased in size.

—Our Ordered clothing is ahead of anything in the County. Beautiful Tweed Trouserings for $2.50 a pair, made to order, they beat the $3.50 pantaloons offered in Toronto or Hamilton. The Mammoth is the spot. McLeod, Anderson & Co., Georgetown.

—The funeral of Mr. Samuel W. Weavers, who died at Limehouse on Sunday last, passed through Acton yesterday, on its way to the Catholic cemetery, and was attended by a large number of sympathizing friends.

—An excursion under the auspices of the Waterloo Mechanics' Institute, to Scarboro' Heights passed through Acton on Monday morning. Passengers were taken on at different stations along the railroad. There were about 300 on board when the train arrived at Acton station.

Broken Leg.—The other day as a young son of Mr. W. Gibbons, of Esquesing, aged seven, was leading a calf to water, the rope by which he was leading it in some way became entangled in the boys legs, and the calf, suddenly jumping away, threw the boy down, and in falling the boy had the misfortune to have his leg broken. Dr. Lowry, of Acton, was immediately called in and he set the fractured limb. The boy, we are glad to learn, is speedily recovering.

People's Common Sense Medical Adviser.

We rejoice to hear that the People's Common Sense Medical Adviser is much appreciated by the people of Acton. We are glad that so many show their good taste and judgment by adding this valuable book to their library. The book is perfectly reliable in every particular, and deserves a place in every house. It is a large, beautifully bound volume, and though worth $4.00, it is sold for the remarkably low price of $1.50. Improve the golden opportunity and buy the Medical Adviser by all means. It will save many doctor bills.

Fluff.—Again it has come. It fills the air, crawls through open windows and key holes, congregates in corners, makes broad-cloth men look as if tarred and feathered, inserts itself into eyes, and insinuates itself into noses. It is the fluff of a species of poplar which our deluded forefathers planted for shade trees. There is a high flown name for the tree, but it is not so high flown as is the fluff, and the nawsty thing don't deserve a high flown name any way. A large number of these trees have been cut down in various parts of the city, but enough remain to make every good churchman think profaneness, and to put every house-keeper into a paroxysm of rage. The flying nuisance is here, there and everywhere. The citizens groan, perspire, wear out dusters and ejaculate sentences hotter than the weather. But still it flies. And it will fly for a week.—*Guelph Herald.*

Shade Trees.—We wish to call the attention of property owners in this village to the great improvement in those properties where shade trees have been set out. By far the prettiest streets in this village are those that are lined on one or both sides with shade trees. Will property owners not extend this good work into places where it has not yet been introduced? There is nothing that so much beautifies a house or locality, and in addition to the looks the presence of the trees actually enhances the value. Any one would rather give a hundred or two more for a nicely shaded house and lot than he would for the same, minus these ornaments. Then, in By-law 18 of this municipality, we find that any person who plants shade trees in the manner and according to the directions of that By-law, they are entitled to the sum of fifty cents for every tree which lives three years, so the cost of planting the trees is ultimately borne by the municipality.

Political Meeting.—The political meeting on behalf of Dr. Robertson on Tuesday evening was well attended, notwithstanding the unsettled state of the weather, there being between 200 and 300 present. Messrs. Dr. Robertson, Dr. McGarvin, and W. D. Lyon M. P., addressed the audience. D. D. Christie occupied the chair. The meeting broke up about 10.20 with three cheers for the Queen, three for Dr. Robertson, and three for the Chairman.

Last evening another meeting was held in the Drill shed in Mr. Beaty's interest. Messrs Nicholas Flood Davin, Jas. Beaty, Esq., Mayor of Toronto, and Mr. Dunbar delivered addresses. The attendance was as good as the previous evening. Mr. D. Henderson occupied the chair. The meeting broke up much the same as the previous meeting, with the exception that Beaty received three cheers instead of Dr. Robertson.

As the Free Press is published on election day we think that the publication of the different addresses delivered would not be of any benefit to either party.

—Election Day.

—O, those refreshing showers.

—General Sessions next Tuesday.

—Clark & Matthews for pure Maple Sugar.

—A large stock of Stoves and Tinware at J. C. Hill's.

—Ice Cream by the dish or quart at Clark & Matthews' Parlor.

—Farmers in this vicinity have nearly all finished their seeding.

—Nothing to surpass those ten dollar suits at Fyfe & McNab's.

—Has anything been done to reorganize the Acton Quoit Club?

—School children are looking forward to the 1st of July as their next holiday.

—Cocoanuts, Oranges, Lemons, Nuts, &c., at Nicklin's Ice Cream Parlor.

Personal.—Mr. Chas. A. Leahy returned home for vacation, from Victoria College, last week.

—The rains we have received of late have done more to revive the spirits of the people than all the politics talked about on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

—A child aged six years, son of Mr. Archie Fairbairn, cooper, of Oakville, was found drowned in a cistern one day last week. It is supposed he climbed up the curb to look in, and, losing his balance, fell over. He was in the cistern about an hour and a half before being found.

—Magnificent display of Dress Goods—beautiful Dress goods for 5c., 8c., 10c., 12c. and 15c. per yard, some of them worth three times the money and all of them worth double. An immense stock to choose from in all the latest styles, shades or delorges, and silks. Mammoth House, McLeod, Anderson & Co., Georgetown.

—Advertisers are requested in future to notice these facts: All changes of contract advertisements must positively be handed in by noon on the Monday preceeding publication. All advertisements intended for the local columns must positively be handed in by the Tuesday evening previous to publication. Unless these rules are observed we cannot insure the insertion of any advertisement in that week's issue.

A Fact.—The editor of the Paris *Transcript* thus refers to a too numerous class of patrons of the public press: "That was a very interesting little note received on Tuesday which concluded with 'Please publish and oblige the Committee.' Did it not strike the worthy person who wrote it, though, that his game was to use a vulgarism, just a 'little too thin.' Our friends in Burford village should act like their respected brethren here and elsewhere, and either pay for their advertising like men, or seek it gratis where they get the balance of their printing done. It would really seem as if some people thought printers and printers' material and time and labor were created for 'free exhibition.'"

—Cool yourself this warm weather by getting some of Clark & Matthews' Ice Cream.

Swindling the Farmers.—The following is the latest swindling operation we have heard of:—A person left a plough at a farmer's with a verbal consent to use the plough, and if not liked to return it. He also left a printed advertisement of its merits. The farmer, looking over it, found a notice in due form, stating that where trial is made of a plough the agent must be notified within two days and given a chance to regulate the workings of it. Many farmers will not see this notice, but will take the advertisement heedlessly, and then through failure to notify in two days will be compelled to keep the plow, inasmuch as the agent can swear that the farmer was daly notified, and the farmer cannot deny receiving it.

F. G. Widdows.—This individual, so well known in Western Ontario, and who several times visited this Village has at last reached the end of his tether—as it were. Recently he lectured in the City Hall, Glasgow, and in the course of his lecture he recited his history—Well known to all in this neighborhood. But a certain gentleman who heard his lecture contradicted his statements, and investigated his character, and now we learn that Mr. Widdows from the day of his birth until a few years ago bore the name of Nobbs, that he had been convicted in Toronto, that he had also been convicted twice of stealing in London, Eng., that he was originally a Protestant, that he had become a Roman Catholic and remained such for only five years, that his family were Protestants, and that his brother, with whom he said he quarrelled, was never a Roman Catholic. Widdows, it is said, has gone to Italy.

BEYOND CONTRADICTION.

GUELPH, August 2nd, 1878.

Messrs. Archdale Wilson & Co., Hamilton.

Dear Sirs,—My daughter was suffering some time from a bad hacking cough and it become so severe that she could not rest at night but coughed continually. After trying other remedies I procured a bottle of your Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry and the result is, it gave her such marked relief that I procured her a second bottle which effectually cured her, and she is now enjoying the best of health. If this statement will be any benefit to you in enabling you to induce those suffering from Coughs or Colds to try your Compound, you have my consent to use it as I can confidentially recommend it. Wishing you every success with your remedy I remain,
Yours truly,
A. P. CROOKS.

We are confident that every Medical Man will agree with us in saying that this young lady would certainly have fallen a victim to consumption if her disease had not been cured in its early stage. Sold by G. E. Morrow, Druggist, Acton; and all Medicine Dealers generally. 42-4t.

There were only two elections by acclamation — Cornwall and South Simcoe. The first-named constituency returned a Ministerialist—the latter an Oppositionist.

A few changes have been made in the Dominion Cabinet. Dr. Tupper is now Minister of Railways, Mr. Langevin is Minister of Public Works, and Mr. Campbell is Postmaster General.

PUBLIC MEETING.

A meeting of the

INHABITANTS OF ACTON

Will be held in

MATTHEW'S HALL,

on

FRIDAY, AST INST.,

at the hour of 2 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of purchasing a piece of land for

TOWN HALL.

By order of the Council.

D. D. CHRISTIE,
Reeve.

HOUSES & LOTS
—IN THE—
Village of Acton.

The following properties are for sale.

For terms and particulars apply to T. A. & H. P. MOORE, Real Estate Agents, Free Press Building, Acton.

1. A splendid lot in the Village of Acton, on which is situated a frame house in good condition. Cellar, well, &c., and other privileges.

2. One third of an acre, with frame house in good condition. Title indisputable. Immediate possession.

3. On Bower street, opposite Dr. Morrow's, one-fifth of an acre on which is an excellent roughcast house, with splendid cellar, and good cistern and well. Young orchard of first-class fruit trees. Easy terms of payment.

NASSAGAWEYA.

1. On lot 18, con. 5, Nassagaweya, 2½ acres. Good land. Dwelling house and blacksmith shop, everything in good condition. Shop doing a good business. A better chance could not be had. All buildings and fences in excellent condition.

ESQUESING.

1. Lot 25, con. 2, Esquesing, first-class farm of 100 acres, 82 acres under cultivation, 10 acres maple bush, 4 acres limestone quarrie and remainder good cedar swamp. Two never-failing springs. Two good bearing orchards on the farm. House, part log and part frame; barn and stables log; land heavy loam; farm is all well fenced. There is also a trickyard on the farm in good working order. The property is about ½ of a mile from corporation limits of Village of Acton, and about 2 miles from G. T. R. station. Terms on application to this office.

Parties having houses and lots in the Village, or farms in the adjoining townships for sale, will find it to their interest to have them inserted in this list. No charge unless the property is sold.

T. A. & H. P. MOORE,
Real Estate Agents, Acton.

NOTICE.

All parties indebted to

C. T. HILL

have requested to call and settle their accounts without further delay.

GROCERIES CHEAP AS EVER.

C. T. HILL.

LIVERY,
SALE & BOARD
STABLES,
ALLAN'S OLD STAND,
Mill Street, - - ACTON.

Is where you can get first-class

Rigs at Reasonable Rates

—:o:—

GOOD

COMMERCIAL RIGS.

—:o:—

An Express Delivery Waggon

will meet each express train and deliver goods to any part of the town.

—:o:—

All parties indebted to this establishment are requested to pay up without further delay, and save costs.

E. Matthews.
Proprietor.

Acton, Feb. 28, 1879.

NEW
BOOT & SHOE SHOP

W. Williams would respectfully intimate to the people of Acton and vicinity that he has opened a Boot & Shoe Shop in the building opposite

W. H. STOREY'S GLOVE WORKS,
MILL STREET, ACTON

Any one in want of a substantial and good fitting Boot or Shoe should leave their order at this stand.

Repairing a specialty and promptly attended to.

W. WILLIAMS.

Acton, Feb. 2, 1879.

GREAT
BARGAINS.

—:o:—

NEW

BLACK SILKS
BLACK CASMHERES
WHITE COTTONS
SHIRTINGS
GREY COTTONS
MUSLIN EMBROIDERY
WHITE COTTON QUILTS
DRESS GOODS
TWEEDS, TWEEDS
DRESS SHIRTS
TIES AND SCARFS
CORSETS
KID GLOVES
TABLE LINENS
TOWELLINGS

Cheap,
Cheap,
Cheap,

—AT—

WM. STEWART
& CO'S.

CHEAP STORE,

GUELPH

Removal

I have removed my

TIN & STOVE
DEPOT

To Mill Street, 3 doors from Main, and next door to Cargill's Sammery.

While returning thanks to my customers for the liberal patronage they have heretofore extended, and trusting a continuance of the same at my new stand, I would state that

All Orders entrusted to me will receive my early and especial
—ATTENTION.—

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—Builders take notice that,—

W. LEITH'S

Is the spot to order EAVETROUGHING. None but the best stock used, and as cheap as the cheapest.

Satisfaction Guaranteed

W. LEITH.

NEW
Millinery Store
IN ACTON.

The subscriber takes pleasure in announcing that she will open her

Millinery Show Rooms

On SATURDAY, 12th APRIL,

With a choice stock of Millinery—all new goods, which will be sold as cheap as the cheapest.

Mantles and Children's Clothing
MADE TO ORDER.

Store—In the premises on Main St., formerly occupied by Mr. J. H. Smith, as a Furniture Store.

Miss C. Smith.

Nassagaweya
LUMBER AND SHINGLE
MILLS.
PETER SAYERS

Would intimate that he has purchased the Mills in Nassagaweya, formerly owned by H. Cargill, and known as Cargill's Mills, and he is now in a position to supply the Public with

LUMBER, LATH AND SHINGLES,
Of all Kinds and Qualities, Cheap.

Bill Stuff Cut to Order.

Terms Cash.

P. SAYERS.

Nassagaweya, May 9, '79.

Christie,
Henderson
& Co.,

ACTON,

Cordially invite attention to their very excellent selection of general

DRY GOODS,

Millinery and Millinery Goods,

DRESS GOODS—in all the popular shades.
BLACK CASHMERES and BLACK LUSTRES—all of which by the best judges are pronounced excellent value.

BOOTS & SHOES

Have had special attention.

The stock is very complete and marked at unusually close prices. We show lines of

FINE AND HEAVY TWEEDS,

And very rare value in all kinds of COTTON GOODS, such as

Gray and White Cottons,
Ducks, Denims, and Cottonades,

For men and boys summer wear.

THE MILLINERY SHOW ROOM

—Will be opened on—

FRIDAY THE 4th INST., and will show all the latest novelties—and we are determined to maintain our reputation for

NEAT, STYLISH AND CHEAP MILLINERY.

Clothing Made to Order on short notice.

20,000 DOZ. FRESH EGGS WANTED,

For which we will pay the highest price during the season.

—REMEMBER OUR—

FAMOUS 50 CENT TEA.

Christie, Henderson & Co.

CHEAP DRESS GOODS.

IMMENSE PURCHASE, TERRIFIC BARGAINS!

16000 YARDS TO BE SOLD THIS WEEK.

We have just concluded and received into stock an immense purchase of NEW SUMMER DRESS GOODS, and commenced on MONDAY the 19TH of MAY, inst. a grand

SPECIAL OFFERING,

At Prices which will Command a Ready Sale.

MARK THE PRICES. 12½c., 15c., 20c.

and we unhesitatingly say that there are no goods will compare with them in the trade of Guelph to-day.

Anticipating a rushing demand for these goods we have engaged another salesman for that department. Two counters will be devoted to the display of these goods which will disappear at the prices quoted like snow in summer.

Heads of families should be on hand early in the week to secure a good choice.

For Cheap Dress Goods ladies should come direct to the FASHIONABLE WEST END.

16,000 Yards to be Sold at once.

A. C. BUCHAM, GUELPH.

MAKE HOME ATTRACTIVE.

FIRST CLASS GOODS.

LOWEST PRICES.

WORSFOLD & WILEY,

Keep the largest, most varied, substantial and elegant stock of Plain, Fine and Artistic

FURNITURE IN THE COUNTY.

Visit their Warerooms. It will pay you. Prices the lowest known.

CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES—Large and varied stock. Elegant styles—low prices.

SIGN OF THE CHAIR. HAZLETON BLOCK.
UPPER WYNDHAM STREET. GUELPH, ONT.

PIANOS.—We are selling the celebrated KNABE Pianos. If you want a first-class Instrument call on us.

NEW SPRING TWEEDS.

The Spring Stock at the

EAST END CLOTHING STORE,

is now complete. A Larger and More Varied Assortment than ever. Everything new in Suitings and Trouserings both in

TWEED AND WORSTED.

Do not Fail to see our Suits ranging from $10.00 to $16.00.

In Hats our Stock cannot be surpassed for Style and Cheapness.

FYFE & McNAB.

Acton, Apl, 15, 1879.