THURSDAY MORNING, Jan. 6, 1881.

### Silver Piated Ware.

would exil your special attention to me plendid assortment of Cruets, bezutiful ex petterns. Also to my stock of Tea Spootte Solid Nickle Tea Spoots, \$1.00 per dozen, warranted never to change color. Silver plated Tea Spoons from \$2.50 per daren to \$8.00. Dessert and Table Spoons a large strick. When god want any of these goods it will pay you to call at Geo. Hyude' Sewellery and Fancy Goods Store, Acton,

### Local and Other Jottings.

-Excellent sleighing.

:-Write up your diary. -Read our story on first page.

-School opened on Monday morn-

-Leap year bes gone and the young -Dan't be alarmed, friends, we'll

have warmer weather before next Christ--A good thing to have at this time of the year is a receipt for a year's subscrip-

tion to the Acton FETE PRESS. DIED .- Peter Cole, the man referred to in the FEER PRESS, who was so hadle frozen, died on' Wednesday last, and was baried in Georgetown on Thursday.

FEEDING STOCK .- Measire, G. & E. Tolton, grain buyers, have reated the stables of Mr. R. Warren, north of the G. T. R. depot, and have a man employed in fattening cattle for export.

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\$15.

Customs Receipts.—The customs receipts at the port of Guelph for the month of December, 1880, amounted to \$6036.62. showing an increase of \$1578.22 over corresponding month of last year. - Herald,

NEEDE REPAIRING .- The piece dangerous to pedestrians at night. The proper sutharities should have it repaired.

RIBS BROKES'. - On Thursday last is Mr. Henry Cole and family were returning home siter attending the funeral of the late Peter Cole, the sleigh upset. Mrs. Cole had several ribe broken, and Mr. Cole was bedly hart about the shoulder. The other occupants of the rehicle were more or less

CANADA GLOVE WORKS .- After, & N. H. Storey & Sun were reopened on Monday lest. This firm did a very exten; tinually increasing trade. Mesers. Storey perous year. .

care Certainly the does.

VICE'S FLORAL GUIDE -This work is before us, and those who send 10 cents to JAMES VICE, Rochester, N. Y., for it will thing, as the price would seem to indicate, they will receive a very handsome work of It's pages, and perhaps 500 illustrationsnot chesp, but elegant illustrations, on the very best calendered paper, and as a cet off is worth twice the price of the book.

PROPOSED SEPARATION—The farmers within the limits of Milton school section strongly object to paying the same rate of school tax as the people within the corporation do. Last Friday they held a meeting in the Temperance Hall, and passed a resolation to the effect that they would make an offer to remain with the town at a reduced rate. If the council will not accept of their offer, they will build a school for themselves, outside of the corporation .-Champion.

Personals. Mr. Eli Sayder and wife risited their friends in Milton and Trafalgar this week. Misses Bella and Tens Kennedy, of Glen-Williams, paid their friends here & visit

Miss Aggie Allan, head milliner for Chris- M. Speight. Mr. W. H. Storey proposed tie, Henderson & Cu., left for her home at Zimmerman last week

Mr. Harry and Misses Mand and Emms Ainsley, of Quelph, spent New Year's day

with their Actou friends. Mr. Henry F. Hill; who has been in Monroe, Mich., during the past year, retorned home on Tuesday evening.

Messes James and George Smyth heve been appointed teachers of Lowville public school. Tiey commenced their daties on

- Mr. John Moore, fr., lett on Monday for Georgetown College, which institution he purposes attending for a few terms. We tend meetings of this nature, and hoped the with him every success.

Mr. Charles Knees, of the Cordovan tan- after be introduced. The company then Bery, who went to New York last week, on sang the National Anthem and dispreed, all business, returned home on Monday even well pleased with the evening's entertain-

hes des my regular first-class stock of Watches, Clocks, Jewellery and Spectacles. I also keep a large stock of Fancy Goods,

comprising-Nilver Card Board, Mottoes, Berlin Wools, Wool Needles, Fine Combs, Cressing Combs, Circular Combs, Back Combs, Knvelopes, Note Paper, Putses, Albums, Vasca, Toys, Dolls, etc. The noted place for Wedding and Birthday Presents. Sign of the Big Watch—Goo. Hyuds, Jewellery and Fancy Goods Store, Acton, Out -

-Moonlight nights. -Very sossonable weather.

-Teaders for wood wanted. Se:

-The mild weather of this week is WEEK OF PRAYER - Religious ser

vices are being held in the Presbyterian and Baptist churches this week. -A number of bilarious youths who

pareded Mill street on Monday evening, shouting at the top of their voices were evidently still celebrating the holidays. BENEFICIAL -Skaling is a very healthy exercise. It not only puts in play all the muscles of the legs and arms, but it

creates bumps on the head for future phreaologists to feel of and report on. -The skatiog rink is visited by arge numbers of our citizens, all of whom seem to enjoy themselves. The rink is open four nights each week and closed each evening at 10 p.m. sharp. Our excellent village band attend on Monday and Thursday

UNDAUNTED -On Thursday evening last, a shanty in the swamp on Mr. Hyde's arm a few miles from here, which a family of colored people called home, by some mesus exacht fire and was totally consumed. The occupants did not believe in wasting time by weeping over their loss, but imnediately went to work with a will, and by the light of the burning shanty, out timber and erected a new one and had their store shot. On closer examination with th

cold after being barnt in the old one. Moses Outes' Weather Book -We have received from the Toronto News Co. a copy of the first weather almanac issued by the Ontario weather prophet, whose success during the past two years, in Chapman, of this village. The subjects are

map of the continent, and articles on the climate of Canala and meteorology genersidewalkon the Willowstreet side of Messre ally, besides a large number of prognostice We congratulate Mr. Chapman on his time Co's. A. Second & Co'e store, is very badly in for every day use. The book is neatly work. need of repair. Some of the plants are printed, and is well worthy of perusal. It lace, others are broken, and it is very is for eale at all the bookstores. Price 15.

Complimentary Supper.

On Monday eneming last the business men and citizens of our village entertained Dr. totel, on the eve of his removal to Georgetibles, the chair being occupied by Mr. W. justice had been done to the oyaters and week's holidays the glore works of Mesers. other good things provided, the cloth was removed and toxets, speeches and songs were the order of the remainder of the sive business last year, and they commence evening. Mr. Storey opened the programme the new year with every prospect of a con- by stafing that the usual formal manner of conducted meetings of this nature would be & Son give employment to a large number | duperied with, and he would commence by of our citizens, and we wish them a pros- proposing the torst, "The guest of the erquing, Dr. McGarviu." Mr. Storey spoke CARRIVAL -On account of the severe of his long acquaintance with Dr. McGarvin, cold weather, the carnival on Wednesday of the Dr's many excellent qualities, and evening was not as largely attended as it his regret that he was about to remove from and quite a number enjoyed themselves | inch Gray Flannel for 25c per yard would have been. The Acton Brass Bandt | the village which had been his home for notwithstanding the cold weather, filled such a length of time. The toast was then their engagement to the letter, and discours- drank and Dr. McGarrie responded in feeled plenty of sweet durie to the delight of ling and suitable terms. He said he came those present. We believe Acton basets of to Acton about 27 years and has spen a village hand second to none. - Erin Adoo. his best days in Acton, and always thought, natil a few weeks ago that it would be his home as long as he lived. But thinge had assumed a change and he expected by the present step to considerably improve his position. He did not like to leave Actou, be disappoisted. Instead of getting a chesp and regretted his removal. Had always taken a personal interest in the prosperity with it, and had at all times done what he could to further its interests. He was going only a short distance from Acton, and as he to the whole, a beautiful Colored Plate that had not disposed of his property here be might in a few years return. Hoped to always be remembered kindly by the Acton people, and wished the village every suc-

case. Short speeches were then made by Messre D. Henderson, R. Little, D. D. Christie, A. B. Wright and Geo. Tolton, referring to their acquaintance with the Dr. their business relations with him, the interest he had always taken in civic affairs, and wishing him prosperity in his new field of labor, and sesuring bim that if he ever coneluded to return to Acton; (and they hoped lovely child," after which Mr. D. Henderson proposed the tosst, "The visiting friends," which was ably responded to by Dr. Freeman, of Milton, and Mr. Outreed, of Oakville. Mr. G. Tolton proposed the toast, "The newly elected council," which was replied to by Mesers. W. H. Storey, D. W.

Campbell, C. S. Smith, D. Henderson, and White Wheat, "The Press," to which Mesers. H.P. Moore and John Chapman responded. Mr. John Waldie then sang & scotch song, which was followed by a short speech by Mr. H. H. Kittredge. "The newly elected school trustees " was proposed by Mr. H.P. Moore, and replied to by Messra James Matthews and Samuel Moore. Mr. Moore spoke of the Dr's estimable family and thought their removal would be very much regretted by our citizens. Mr. Storey said it would be wrong to lose eight of the Dr's family and asked the Dr. to tender to them the respects of the company. Mr. J. B. Coafes thought the ladies should always be invited to atcustom of having them present would here-

and exam-ine J. E. McGar-

-The election agony is over. -Read Mr. M. Speight's card.

-Did you vote for the right men. -Dato your letters January-1881.

PROFITABLE .- The merchants of our village, especially those who invited customers through the columns of the

FREE PRESS, report that they did very extensive and profitable trade during the holiday season. Bia Hoos .- Mr. John Irwin, East Flamboro, killed two pige recent-

-An exchange very correctly remarks :- " How few realize the con stant, ceaseless expense of a paper, even in the country. Many who are benefitted by the paper being published in their town will sponge its reading in

Suc'o Risk Ir !- " An Indiana girl who was kissed suddenly at a party has become inexne." This paragraph was read by Charlie to his lady love the other evening, and then queried : "Do you think that is true !" She evenings, and turnish excellent skating girl replied : "I don't know, but I

bink I'd risk it."

EAT OYSTERS .- - On Tuesday ovening number of others, were cating oysters Bakery. in Mesers. B. & E. Nicklin's oyster parlor, he exus across a hard substance and thought it was a large grain of in place in the new cabin before it had got aid of a microscope it was found to be wery fine oyster pearl.

PORTEAST PAINTINGS. - We had the Clothing store, J. Fyle, Acton. pleasure yesterday of examining a couple of portrait paintings, executed by Mr. John forecasting the weather, has been marvell- Mr. Chas. Knees and Mrs. Chapman, The one. The weather book, which contains portraits are exceedingly well executed, the probabilities of the weather of ISSI, in- and very truthfully represent the persons teresting records of the part year, a variety intended, in form and feature. The colorof almanae matter, also gives a weather ing is good and the tiuish is excellent and the general appearance of the plintings sarpasses any ameteur work we have seen.

LARCENT .- On Friday evening farceny of Jewellery was perpetrated in Il Savage's jewellery store, Guelph. The while Mr. Savege was at home at supper. At first no clue could be obtained at to who McGarvin at an oyster supper at Aguer's the thief was, but subsequently facts were learned which led to the arrest of Benjamin town. Between 60 and 70 sat down at the Sallows, for some time a resident of the The articles he had stolen, valued at H. Storey, and at his right sat Dr. McGar- | \$114, were all recovered, some of them via, the guest of the evening. After ample being in his own possession and some in the possession of his friends.

> NEW YEAR'S DAY .- The new year was ushered in by the ringing of bells, and quite a number of citizens sat up to see the old year out and the new year in. The day was a most pleasant Canada, Mammoth Bonse, Georgetown one and sleighing being excellent that \_McLaod, Anderson & Co. pastions was much indulged in. The skating riok was open in the afternoon there, while in the evening it was crowded. The band played a number of splended pieces, and every person Winceys for 5c, 9c, 10c, worth double Vick's Illustrated Monthly Magazine-32 present seemed to enjoy themselves.

DEBATE ON BAPTISM. -As announce ed by posters, Rev's. H. McDiarmid M.A., of Toronto, and T. L. Wilkinson. of Acton, have agreed to hold a public dehate on Baptism, to the Methodis church, Acton, commencing on Monof the rillage and everything in connection day evening, January 16th. Four propositions will be discussed, and exch proposition will probably occupy two or three evenings. The debate will commence each evening at 7:30 o'clock and continue until ten.

Since the public have been made sware of the above meeting a rumor has been circulated to the effect that the Methodist Church was defective. and would not sustain the weight of the large number of people who would assemble to hear the detate. To assure the public that such a statement was he would) he would receive a most hearty utterly unfounded, the trustees of the welcome. Mr. Chas. Kneet then sang "My church have had the building closely examined, and it has been pronounced substantial in every respect, and capable of sustaining any strain to which its capacity may be put.

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Notices Worth Attention.

-- Second hand Stores from \$1.00 up

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Vicklin's Bakery. -Freak biscuits exchanged for flour ly, which weighed 517-lbs. and 465 lbs. at Nicklin's Bakery. respectively. They were 15 months

old, and were purchased from Mr. W H. Dorland of Trafalgur, - Champion. -Don't fall to try A. Secord & Co's ew stock of Teas.

-Hardware of all kinds at A. Socord of Cu's. Christie. Henderson & Co. a store, and let their family go without,

while they neglect to give the paper -Wedding cakes supplied on the

enesp suit, J. Fyle's is the place to go.

blushed slightly, and then like a true sure to call and see them. J. Fyle, Acton. tin shop.

-See the splendid assertment of last as Mr. James Warren, with a Christmas confectionery at Nicklin's

-For the very finest Tear, good value in all prices, go to & Second

-The best stock of Christmas con fectionery ever brought to Acton, at Nicklin's Bakery.

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reason. Teax, at 40 cents, 50 cents, 60 cents, and 75 cents, go to A. Second &

package, 6 cls. Large Bottles 25 cents. theft occurred between eix and seven o'clock | Wellington Marble Works, Guelph, are

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