

THE FREE PRESS.

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A GOOD IDEA

The latest New England device for compelling recalcitrant saloon keepers to obey the Sunday-closing law is simple and promises to be effective.

Business Prospects.

If it were necessary to prove that an improved state of business exists in Canada, we should naturally turn to the reports of the commercial agencies of the country.

The Value of a Live Paper.

At a recent dedication of an important industrial establishment the proprietor made a speech in which he made the following remarks, which apply no less to this town and every other place in the country than to Dubuque.

Institute for the Deaf and Dumb.

The 19th annual report of the Ontario Deaf and Dumb Institute, at Belleville, has been received, with the superintendent's compliments.

Death of Beaconsfield and Panshon.

During the past week the world has lost two of the most renowned men of the present age. On Thursday, 14th inst., the Rev. Wm. Morley Panshon, D. D., the distinguished Wesleyan minister, died at Brixton, England.

Many members of other denominations than his own will bear with regret the death of Morley Panshon, the most brilliant pulpit luminary of the Wesleyan Methodist Church.

With Lord Beaconsfield's death the Empire is bereft of one of its greatest political leaders and statesmen. While he was ever to his honor to be spoken of as a true-hearted friend and defender of his race and people, he was also one of the most loyal of Englishmen, and he is one of the exceptional instances in which great literary and political eminence have been attained without the aid of a public school and University course.

Both of the deceased gentlemen were what may be termed "self-made men," and were an honor to the age in which they lived.

Between 2,000 and 4,000 volumes from the old Provincial Depository, Toronto, have been transferred to the Agricultural College library.

VICTORY, VICTORY.

The Scott Act Victorious.

OUR NOBLE COUNTY SUB-TAINS HER HONOR.

A Long Pull, A Strong Pull, but a Glorious Result.

AN EXCITING DAY IN ACTON.

The Band, The Bonfire, The "Life Guards."

Carried in Kings and Annapolis Counties N.S. with Large Majorities.

The Scott Act excitement in this county reached its climax on Tuesday, the day on which the polling took place. Considerable activity was exercised at every poll in the county during the entire day, and the number of votes polled was very large.

Table with 2 columns: Location and Votes. Locations include Acton, Milton, Oakville, Georgetown, Burlington, Essexville, Newmarket, Niagara, and Trafalgar.

Total majority in favor of the Act.

Immediately on the result being learned the Scott Act party joined in a rousing and prolonged cheer, and the greatest enthusiasm was apparent.

The Scottites are all well pleased at the result of the election, and feel that it is ample reward for the exertions put forth to gain the victory.

The hotel-closing law was very strictly observed, we believe, and not even a glass of ale or a cigar could be obtained in a hotel in town by any person.

The Scott Act was voted on in Kings Co., N.S., on Friday last, and resulted in a majority for the Act of 1200 votes, and Annapolis Co., N.S., carried the Act on Tuesday by a majority of 1175.

Acton Village Council.

The village council met in the Council Chamber on Tuesday evening, 19th, pursuant to adjournment.

The Finance Committee presented their report and recommended that the following accounts be paid:—

Moved by W. H. Storey, seconded by D. Henderson, that the fourth report of the Finance Committee just read be adopted. Carried.

Moved by W. H. Storey, seconded by M. Speight, and resolved, that the time is opportune for taking steps to secure the erection of a town hall and look-up for this municipality, and that the rovers be instructed to call a meeting of the ratepayers at as early a date as convenient to obtain an expression of their views on the matter. Carried.

Moved by W. H. Storey, seconded by D. W. Campbell, that leave be

granted to introduce a by-law at the next meeting of this council to legalize the acceptance of a street from Major Allan, in lieu of the same quantity of roadway belonging to the corporation, enclosed by him, and on condition that he pays all costs and charges connected with publication of notice, transfer of titles, and registrations of same with by-law.

Moved by W. H. Storey, seconded by M. Speight, that the Street and Sidewalk Committee be authorized to obtain as many soft maples as are necessary to plant out Bower Avenue, and also to place guards about the same. Carried.

Moved by M. Speight, seconded by D. W. Campbell, that this council adjourn.

Card of Thanks.

To the Editor of the Free Press.

DEAR SIR.—Allow me through your columns, and in behalf of myself and family, to return thanks to the many old friends of other years, for their sympathies and kindnesses during the occasion of my late visit to Acton, for the purpose of placing my wife's remains at rest in the old family burial lot at Litchouse, and to assure them that I shall ever remember with gratitude their honest outpourings of genuine sorrow for the loss of one who for so many years went in and out among them.

Truly yours, DOX ST. GEORGE FRASER, Houtzdale, Clearfield Co., Pa.

Imminent Danger threatens any one troubled with a hacking cough. Inflammation, when it attacks the delicate tissue of the lungs and bronchial tubes, tends to a serious result. Do not allow the lung eating tubercles to develop themselves before resorting to medicine. Experience has shown that the preparation best adapted to subvert a formidable cough—to soothe and heal the lacerated lungs—is Northrop & Lyman's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil and Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda—a safe and sure specific for bronchial and lung affections, arrhythmia, and the various forms of scrofula. It is not pretended that this favorite remedy will cure fully developed consumption, but that it will avert it in a fact too well proven to admit of any reasonable doubt. The fact is equally well known and appreciated, both by the public and the profession, that the article is an admirable fertilizer of the blood, imparting to it those constituents which are essential to the complete nutrition of the system and its preservation in a state of health. In an enfeebled system, phosphorus is a necessary element of bodily substance—a deficient. This constituent, as well as lime and soda, (important in bone formation) are supplied in the Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil. Prepared by Northrop & Lyman, Toronto. Sold by all druggists.

For all purposes of a Family Medicine, HAYWARD'S YELLOW OIL is at the head of the list. It is used with unprecedented success, both internally and externally. It cures Sore Throat, Burns, Scalds, Frost Bites, rashes, and often cures Asthma.

Ask your druggist for a trial bottle of BEEBEEK BLOOD PURIFIER. It will only cost you 10 cents, and a few doses will prove its efficiency as a health restoring tonic.

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THE SADDLER OF SAN SUEVA.—The grey lines of age being brought with sorrow to the grave is now, we are glad to think, becoming rare every year as the use of Cingales Hair Restorer becomes more general. By its use the scanty locks of age once more resume their former color, and the hair becomes thick and luxuriant as ever; with its aid we can now defy the change of years, resting assured that no Grey Hair at any rate will come to assist us. Sold by J. E. McGarvin 50 cents per bottle.

SPRINGVILLE, Ont., Feb. 26, 1880. We have much pleasure in certifying that we have kept Perry Davis' Pain-Killer constantly in stock for upwards of twenty years, during which time it has taken the lead in sales over all other patent preparations, and has become an old, reliable family medicine. No effort is required now on our part to sell it, as it is as staple an article as flour in our trade.

See advertisement in another column.

Auction Sale Register. SATURDAY, May 7th.—Auction sale of valuable village property and household furniture, the property of J. Henry Smith, Esq., Acton. Sale to commence at one o'clock, Wm. Hemstreet, Auctioneer.

Anniversary Sermon.

Acton Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 204.

The Anniversary Sermon of Acton Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 204, will be preached in the Methodist church, on Sunday evening next, at 6:30 p.m. All are invited to attend. THOS. SMYTH, H. H. MOORE, N. G. R. S.

THE WONDERFUL MAN.

SPECIALTIES.

MANTLE SILKS, MANTLE CASHMERES, FRINGES & GIMPS, SATIN PARASOLS, FINE DRESS MATERIALS.

THESE GOODS WE HAVE JUST OPENED OUT, AND ASSURE OUR PATRONS THAT THEY ARE EXCEPTIONALLY GOOD VALUE.

The bare fact that our sales thus far in 1881, are larger than they have ever been in the history of our business, shows conclusively that the public appreciate our efforts to place before them goods which for quality and price are second to none in the Dominion.

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A Big Purchase in COLORED DRESS SILKS at 75 cts a yard. All the new spring shades represented in this lot.

JOHN HOGG & SON, Direct Importers, Guelph.

Groceries, Glassware, Crockery & Cutlery

CHEAPER THAN EVER.

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Well Assorted Stock

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Our Millinery Show Room is now open. A large assortment of Millons and Fancy Cloakings, Parasols and Sunshades. An immense stock of Domestic Goods, Grey and White Cottons and Denims. A superb assortment of Canadian and Imported Cloths and Gents Furnishings for our Ordered Clothing Department. Our ordered Clothing Department is an immense success.

Carpet, Oilcloths, Boots & Shoes, &c. We cordially invite inspection of one of the Largest, Cheapest and Best assorted stocks in this section of the country. We guarantee satisfaction. We are going to insist on CASH, and no second price. McLEOD, ANDERSON & CO., Mammoth House, Georgetown.

R. E. NELSON, MERCHANT TAILOR, MAIN STREET, ACTON, ONT.

Wishes to announce to the people of Acton and vicinity that he has removed his Tailoring Establishment to the premises lately occupied by Mrs. McNair. At the same time, I would thank those who have so liberally patronized me since commencing business in Acton, and solicit a continuance of their favors.

MY STOCK OF SPRING GOODS IS NOW COMPLETE, AND COMPRISES THE LATEST STYLES IN Irish, English, Scotch and Canadian TWEEDS, WORSTEDS &c.

Which were purchased for Cash and will consequently be made up at as reasonable prices, for cash, as any house in the trade. Examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere. A perfect fit guaranteed. Large stock of Spring Hats in latest styles. R. E. NELSON



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