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ACTON, THURSDAY, MAY 19, 1881.

Car Streets.

We think it would have a tendency to give the streets of our village a more dignified appearance in the evenings, and also make it less dangerous to pedestrians, if a by-law including the following was passed by our village council:—

1. That no person or persons shall engage or take part in athletic games, trials of strength or agility, or games of sport of any kind, for money, pleasure or otherwise, upon the streets or sidewalks of this municipal ity.

2. That no person or persons shall upon or in the streets, in a noisy or loud and unbecoming manner, utter any profane, obscene, immoral or abusive language, nor throw stones, balls or other missiles.

3. That no person or persons shall drive, whether singly or otherwise, any horse or horses, mules, or any of the said streets or lanes, on any day or at any time, at a greater rate of speed than six miles an hour.

A fine could be imposed for infraction of such by-law, and it would most decidedly make the village have a look of respectability and order, not at present enjoyed. Will the council look into the matter.

Late Hours.

The law in San Francisco now is, that if a boy is found on the street after nine o'clock he is to be arrested and fined. We would not like to see such a law carried out amongst ourselves, but think at the same time that if boys were compelled by their parents to be home at that hour it would be much better for all concerned. Boys learn enough evil during the day, but when permitted under cover of darkness to roam the streets, they are almost certain to learn much more.

The Governor-General.

The Marquis of Lorne receives \$50,000 a year salary as Governor-General of Canada. The Princess Louise has an annual grant of \$20,000. She received \$150,000 on her marriage, which brings in \$6,000 more, and with an allowance of about \$15,000 to the Marquis from his father, the Duke of Argyll, the couple have an annual income of about \$100,000. Strict economy is the rule at Rideau Hall, as it is at Windsor Castle.

Prohibition in Kansas.

The effect of the prohibitory amendment in Kansas is, according to the Governor of the State, most gratifying to all who have the welfare of the people and the commonwealth at heart, while the immigration induced by the new order of things is of the class which builds up a nation. Before six months have passed there will not be an open bar in the State.—E.

Acton Village Council.

The village council met in the Council Chamber on Tuesday evening, 17th inst., pursuant to adjournment. Members all present. Mr. C. S. Smith, in the chair.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Moved by Michael Speight, seconded by D. W. Campbell, that leave be granted to introduce a by-law for the appointment of pound keeper for the village of Acton. Carried.

By-law read the required number of times and passed.

The Street and Sidewalk Committee recommended the extension of the sidewalk on Church street to Maria street, thence to cross to the south side of the street, thence to Guelph street, thence along Guelph street 60 feet until opposite the G. T. R. tank, and that the sidewalk recommended in last report to be built on Church street from Main to Willow streets be not constructed this year. Carried.

Moved by D. W. Campbell, seconded by M. Speight, that the third report of the Street and Sidewalk Committee be adopted. Carried.

Moved by W. H. Storey, seconded by D. W. Campbell, that the time for receiving plans and specifications for town hall and lock-up be extended to another week. Carried.

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

H. P. Moore, printing and adv'g. \$5.40

E. Dimes, work. 1.25

H. B. Cook, maple trees. 17.25

Total. \$23.90

Moved by W. H. Storey, seconded

by D. Henderson, that the above report be adopted. Carried.

Moved by D. Henderson, seconded by D. W. Campbell, that the report be referred to the committee on the subject of the proposed extension of the sidewalk on Church street to Maria street, thence to cross to the south side of the street, thence to Guelph street, thence along Guelph street 60 feet until opposite the G. T. R. tank, and that the sidewalk recommended in last report to be built on Church street from Main to Willow streets be not constructed this year. Carried.

Moved by W. H. Storey, seconded by D. Henderson, that the report be referred to the committee on the subject of the proposed extension of the sidewalk on Church street to Maria street, thence to cross to the south side of the street, thence to Guelph street, thence along Guelph street 60 feet until opposite the G. T. R. tank, and that the sidewalk recommended in last report to be built on Church street from Main to Willow streets be not constructed this year. Carried.

Moved by D. Henderson, seconded by W. H. Storey, that this council do adjourn to meet again on the 28th inst., to confer with the council of E-quesing on school matters, as requested by said council. Carried.

Find Lot of Cattle.

On Tuesday last Messrs. Tilton & Craig shipped from here several car loads of fat cattle, including the following list:—

Table with columns for Name, Sex, Age, and Price. Includes entries for Royal Hill, C. Smeadhammer, John Warren, Edward Tilton, Peter Watson, Peter Anderson, J. W. Anderson, Robert Atkins, Geo. Mulholland, D. McTavish, L. Currie, James Brown, Henry McLean, George Tilton, etc.

The prices ranged from 5 1/2 to 6 cents per pound. The heaviest animal weighed was one of the oxen of Mr. McLean, which turned the scales at 2,345 pounds. The cattle were all weighed on the scales of Messrs. Christie, Henderson & Co., and perfect satisfaction was given in every instance. The cattle were shipped to Liverpool.

Requesting Township Council.

E-quesing Township Council met in the Council Chamber, at Stewarttown, on Saturday, 14th inst., pursuant to adjournment. Members all present.

Moved by Mr. Graham, seconded by Mr. Warren, that leave be granted to introduce a by-law to appoint overseers of highways, fenceviewers and pound keepers, and that the same be read a first time. Carried.

By-law read the required number of times and passed.

Moved by Mr. McEary, seconded by Mr. Warren, that \$234 be refunded to Donald Campbell for statute labor performed in 1880. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Warren, seconded by Mr. McEary, that Mr. Lindsay, Mr. Graham and the mover be appointed a committee to examine the road on the check line, referred to in the petition of Mr. Alex. McDonald and twenty others, with power to let contracts and report. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Lindsay, seconded by Mr. Warren, that the following accounts be paid:—

Table with columns for Name, Description, and Amount. Includes entries for H. P. Moore, Barbara Lambert, John Kelly, Alan Cook, T. Sumnerville, etc.

Total. \$21.75

Moved by Mr. Warren, seconded by Mr. McEary, that leave be granted to introduce a by-law to commute the statute labor of the village of Norvel, for the purpose of constructing sidewalks in said village for the term of five years, and to appoint commissioners. Carried.

By-law read the required number of times and passed.

The question of the rural portion of Acton School Division separating from the Division, was brought up and discussed.

Mr. Alex. Kennedy presented the grievances of the rural portion and thought they were oppressed by the corporation of the village of Acton. He wanted a separation or else have the village council agree to build all future accommodation necessary, and lower the amount that is at present paid by the rural portion, as he considered that they paid nearly one-half too much.

Mr. Little addressed the council, stating that he had carefully considered the grievances of the rural portion and also what would be required by the rural portion in case a separation took place, and if they were determined to separate he wished them to do so with their eyes open to the consequences.

It was decided by the council that they meet the council of the village of Acton on Saturday, 28th inst., to confer with them, as well as representatives from the rural section, as to the best means of solving the difficulty.

Moved by Mr. Warren, seconded by Mr. Graham, that the first sitting of the Council of Revision for the township of E-quesing be held in the Council Chamber on Monday, the 6th day of June next, at 10 o'clock, a. m.—Carried.

Manufacturers of Reapers, Mowers, and Threshing Machinery, prefer "Case" or "Case" Machine Oil for any other. It will outwear lead, seal and elephant, and is warranted not to gum.

Toronto Oil Co. are sole manufacturers of "Castrolina" Machine Oil. Infringements will be prosecuted.

The Greatest Blessing.

A stimulant, which not only cures every form of nervous debility, but also cures the blood, purifies the system, and restores the vitality of the organs. It is the best regulator of the Liver, Bowels and Kidneys; the most perfect Blood Purifier and permanent Tonic known. Purely vegetable, safe and pleasant to take, and unailing in its effects as a health restorative. Sample Bottles 10 cents.

All forms of Nervous Debility, as common complaint, yield to the vitalizing powers of Burdock Blood Bitters. It is the best regulator of the Liver, Bowels and Kidneys; the most perfect Blood Purifier and permanent Tonic known. Purely vegetable, safe and pleasant to take, and unailing in its effects as a health restorative. Sample Bottles 10 cents.

Where have you been for a week back, enquiring a man of his neighbor, "I have not a weak back," retorted he, "you misunderstand me," remarked his friend; "but if you ever get a weak back try Burdock Blood Bitters. It cures all debility arising from disordered Kidneys, Liver or Blood, and is the best purifying Tonic in the world. All medicine dealers supply Sample Bottles at 10 Cents, Regular Size \$1 00.

ZOPESA, from Brazil.—As a result of the new commercial enterprise just assuming importance with Brazil, is the introduction of Zopessa, a justly celebrated medicine, known for its efficacy in the treatment of the various ailments of the system. The company have opened a laboratory in Toronto. Zopessa comes to us highly endorsed and recommended, its wonderful all-its have and nature. Zopessa is a necessity in the household of every family. It is the best medicine for the treatment of all ailments of the system. The company makes sample bottles at the trifling cost of 10 cents, to be had of J. E. McGarvin, Acton.

Best and Comfort to the Sufferer.—"Brown's Household Panacea" has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and Heat, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever and of double the strength of any other Elixir or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when needed. It is really the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds, and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle.

Thousands perish before the meridian of life is reached, in consequence of disregarding lung disease in its earlier stages. Consumption fastens its relentless grasp upon them while they do not even suspect its advent. Trifling or tampering with a cough will not answer. Delay, and unwisely chosen medicines both encourage its progress. The proper course is to select a well-known and sterling remedy, and use it systematically at the outset. The best is Northrop & Lyman's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil and Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda. The value of cod liver oil as a nutrient is too well known to require comment. The hypophosphites are especially useful for their invigorating properties, contributing to the development of muscular and fibrous tissue, both of which are greatly depleted and weakened in cases of pulmonary decline. The bones are also strengthened by their use. This time-honored specific and tonic also possesses properties of a peculiarly refreshing character in cases of prostration. Persons of weakly constitution derive from it a degree of vigor obtainable from no other source, and it has even proved itself a most efficient protection to those troubled with a hereditary tendency to the malady. As before intimated, its prompt use is particularly recommended in a climate rigorous, as our own, and where the summer is so fleeting, persons with weak chest and lungs are especially in need of a reliable medicinal safeguard. They will find no one so thoroughly tested and highly approved article. Prepared by Northrop & Lyman, Toronto, and sold by all druggists.

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DISCUSSION ON BAPTISM

To All Whom it May Concern

I have received the following communication from H. McDiarmid, Toronto, Ont., May 11th, 1881.

Rev. T. WILKINSON, Sir.—In your recent GUARDIAN article in the following language in regard to my wife's case, you state: "I thought it any longer here according to his own estimation. If he is now, however, I may say to him, through your columns that I have enough ammunition in readiness for another ten nights." I take this as a challenge to continue the discussion ten nights longer in Acton. I accept it. Name the time, that will suit you, giving me three weeks notice, and the case will be on. I thought to respond through the columns of the GUARDIAN, but was of course refused space. Hence the delay. I propose you will interpose some conditions that shall not apply in the former ten nights, and thus avoid another ten nights. We shall see, however, what course you will take.

Yours, etc., H. McDiarmid.

In reply I beg to say to Mr. McD. that in "three weeks" from the present time I will be at our Annual Conference. I have also accepted an invitation from the Pedo-Baptists of Everton to deliver a course of lectures on Baptism there, commencing about the 20th June, so I could not give ten-nights to debate earlier than the last of June, or first of July. I am prepared to discuss the subject of Baptism with Mr. McD. any time after that to his heart's content, but consider the heat of summer an inopportune time. As my people in Acton, however, employ my services, and have a right to control my labor, I am prepared to submit the matter to their judgment, and let them fix the time. The only condition I would now "interject" is the one interjected in the GUARDIAN, and which Mr. McD. has seen, viz.—That the debate must be reported and published, as may be arranged, that the public will be able to judge for themselves to whom the victory belongs, and who does the winning and misrepresentation and lying. I suggest that other terms and conditions be arranged by a joint committee, say of five, two to be chosen by Mr. McD., two by myself, and a fifth by their four.

Signed, T. L. WILKINSON, Acton, May 14th, 1881.

ALWAYS SOMETHING NEW!

We have received this week a

LARGE CONSIGNMENT OF

New Dress Goods,

ALSO 3 CASES OF

Straw Hat and Bonnet Shapes,

In all the most popular designs.

100 Pair of 50 and 75 cent Corsets,

JUST OPENED.

ANOTHER LARGE STOCK OF

Boots and Shoes

to arrive this week, at

PRICES THAT CANNOT BE BEAT.

Highest Price Paid for Produce.

HUGHES & GRIFFIN.

SECORD'S BLOCK, - ACTON.

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 reasonable prices, for cash, as may be desired in the trade. Examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere. A perfect fit guaranteed.

Large stock of Spring Hats in latest styles.

R. E. NELSON

NOTICE TO DEBTORS.

All parties indebted to the estate of the late Hanson Adams, either by note or book account, are requested to call and settle their accounts forthwith.

W. H. STOREY, D. W. CAMPBELL, Executors. Acton, May 14th, '81.

TO ALL Whom it May Concern

That the Municipal Council of the Village of Acton, purpose passing a By-law to stop up that portion of Agnes street lying between Blocks 21 and 22 in said village, and opening up in lieu thereof as a public street lots 5 and 14 in said Block 21.

Signed, J. E. MCGARVIN, Clerk. Acton, 16th May, '81.

HEURY E. GRINLINTON,

House Painter, Grainer, Paper Hanger, and Decorator.

Is prepared to take contracts for Painting, Paper Hanging, and Kalsomining. Orders promptly attended to in town or country. Terms Reasonable.

Having an experience of thirty years, I can guarantee satisfaction to all.

H. E. GRINLINTON, Mill St. Acton.

VALUABLE Village Property FOR SALE.

The subscriber offers for sale that beautiful situated piece of property lying north of the G. T. R. depot, in the corporation of the Village of Acton. The property contains 12 acres more or less, 8 of which are in a high state of cultivation and nearly all planted with fruit trees of every description, and all of the best varieties. The balance is good pasture land, with a never-failing stream running through it, on which is situated a handsome and commodious dwelling, containing 8 rooms, also back kitchen with three rooms, good stable and shed, and first-class hard and soft water, etc.

The above would be a very desirable place for a well-to-do gentleman, or for a market gardener. Terms liberal and made known on application to ELI SNYDER, Acton, P. O.

THE CITY GROCERY.

A. W. GREEN

Will open his stock in the premises lately occupied by Mrs. B. A. Secord, on

Saturday, 7th May,

When he will be prepared to offer bargains in all lines in

GROCERIES, GLASSWARE, CROCKERY, STONWARE, & C.

The Goods were received direct from Montreal this week, and as everything is Pure, Fresh and New, Satisfaction will be given to every purchaser.

"Competition is the Life of Trade," and the City Grocery intends to lead in Acton with

FIRST-CLASS GOODS AND LOWEST PRICES.

A. W. Green.

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.

Showing To-day.

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.

AHEAD OF ALL COMPETITION!



SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

MAMMOTH HOUSE, GEORGETOWN:

Reg leave to announce that they have made extensive purchases in

Tweeds, Dress Goods, Muslins, Prints, Carpets, & C.

In addition to their former immense stock they have purchased Large Lines of the above goods.

100 pieces, or 2000 yards, all of New and Fashionable Scotch Tweeds—Regular prices—\$24, \$26 per Suit, and in the city they charge \$30 for the same goods—and to be sold for \$18 per Suit, made to order.

DRESS GOODS, \$6, 10c, 12c, 16c, 20c, worth double the money. DRESS MUSLINS, \$6, 8c, 10c, worth double the money. PRINTS for \$6, 8c, 10c, worth in each case 33 1/3 per cent more.

Tapestry Carpets for 50c per yard. We have made an addition of 50 pieces of Tapestry Carpet to our stock. We have further a magnificent stock of Brussels. In our Millinery Department we have never a buy—our hands are working night and day. Our Ordered Clothing Department was never in such a flourishing condition.

The above is proof positive that we are doing the business—giving the bargains and pleasing the people. Come and trade with us and Save Money.

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