

THE FREE PRESS.

TUESDAY MORNING, Oct. 6, 1881.

TO THE FARMERS.

We are often called Geo. Hynd's Sign of the Big Watch and our large stock of Watch Clocks, Jewellery & Spectacles. As large a stock as any other house in Toronto. Bring along your Watch and Clocks for repair. All work is in line done cheap and promptly. Call in Geo. Hynd, Sign of the Big Watch, Acton, Ont.

HOME NEWS.

Sailors and Boats in Town and County.

ITEMS COLLECTED AND REPORTED FOR THE FREE PRESS.

OCTOBER.

PREPARE for winter.

HEAVY frost Tuesday night.

LAY in your stock of coal and wood.

YOUNG man, order that new overcoat.

THE stove dealer's harvest has just commenced.

THE tinsmiths' are busy putting up stoves for winter.

COUNCILOR Campbell is re-roofing his residence.

ALL kinds of country produce finds a ready sale in town at present.

EX-MAYOR Beatty, Toronto, preached in the Disciples' House on Sunday.

"LEAVES have their time to fall" and they are monopolizing the present.

A NEW driving shed is being erected at the Methodist Church, Crowsnest's Corners.

ACTON Brass Band gave an excellent open air concert on the band stand last evening.

RV. J. H. Lowe, of the Baptist Church, preached his farewell sermon on Sunday evening.

It always pays to advertise in the Free Press, but particularly so at this season of the year.

THE Herald says that Mr. G. Gibbs has sold his hotel at Georgetown to Mr. Watson, for \$2,000.

THE Artillery Band, Guelph, won the second prize and \$250 at the Band Tournament in London last week.

THE editor of the Clearfield, Pa., Union, says he would like to see what a bill looks like. Funds must be had, Bro. Bister.

THERE are a number of very dangerous holes in the sidewalks. Why don't the Street and Sidewalk Committee attend to the matter at once?

THE funeral of the late Samuel Moore was held on Thursday last and was largely attended. The brothers and brothers-in-law of the deceased acted as bearers.

"There's what everybody says," said a mark a young lady, on Mill street Monday. We venture to say that she hadn't heard half a dozen people say so."

ON Saturday while a couple of sons of Mr. W. H. Jameson, of Erin, about ten and twelve years of age, were scuffling one of them fell, breaking his arm, the elbow.

A NUMBER of our citizens attended the Esquerring and Naamagweya exhibition on Friday. The band contest was the great attraction to Aesthetics at Georgetown.

OWING to the unusual demand for advertising space we are compelled this week to leave over the price list of Esquerring Fall Show, and other important reading matter.

THE following omissions were made in the Naamagweya Show price list:—Bobt. Ham received diploma for best Heavy Draught Colt, and D. W. Wildie was awarded the first prize for Democrat.

IT seems pretty hard when a young man wants to get married, and because he can't obtain a residence has to store his household furniture in a stable. Such is the fate of one of our Acton young men.

GRAIN is a good price and quite a large amount is coming into market here every day. Farmers are safe in selling at present prices. Wheat may rule higher next summer but the chances are that they may not.

We cordially invite the clergymen of each parish in town, to call upon us once a week, or oftener, with their announcements. If they have no announcements, they frequently have news items that would be of benefit, were they published.

Mr. Jas. Wilson of Milton had his arm very badly injured the other day. He was assisting to raise a threshing machine at the farm of Mr. Bobt. Knight, when by some means, it fell on his arm causing bruising, the flesh at the elbow very badly.

STRANGERS coming into town express surprise at the amount of drinking done here. We endeavor to please as a sort of mitigation that the Scotch Act will come in force next May, and that the drinkers are endeavoring to improve the time.—George Town Herald.

ACTON Brass Band was awarded the first prize in the Band Competition at Georgetown last Friday. Wonder if the members of Normal band think they were fairly beaten this time. Our band intend to compete for first place at our County Show at Milton next week, and we have no doubt they will win the red ticket.

The Acton Fair Prize bonds of

bear pods from 25 to 30 inches long. But

Mr. A. Fowles, P.L.S., has left the Pader

other two pods of Tasmania beans, 312 and 314 inches in length, respectively. These

were taken at random in Mr. Fowles' garden, and it is quite probable that larger

could be found there.—Orville Pease.

That's very well, Bro. Pease, but we must remember that your friend's beans had been growing for several weeks after the seeds appeared in the Free Press.

Paints, Oils, Varnishes, etc., etc., at J. E. McGarvin's Drug and Stationery Store, Acton.

GET UP YOUR OWN ALIVE.

"GRAPES" socials are the latest.

DO YOUR winter underclothing.

SPLENDID moonlight nights now.

THE social season is fast approaching.

The Turner family have removed to Toronto.

REMEMBER the Teachers' Convocation here next week.

Our merchants are making splendid displays of new goods.

HALTON County Show at Milton on Tuesday and Wednesday next.

SEND us \$1.00 and secure the Free Press from to-day until Jan. 1st, 1882.

THREE cows were impounded on Monday night, and three pigs last week.

Two horses which were exposed to the weather on Tuesday night suffered.

ACTON brass band has shown that it deserves the confidence reposed in it by our citizens.

Rev. T. L. Wilkinson is conducting special services in the Methodist Church, Crowsnest's Corners.

Mr. Socrates Conine has sold his farm in Esquerring next Park, to Mr. Wm. Alexander, of Nassagweya.

THOSE merchants who fail to do their advertising now, will have plenty of time to do good hunting this winter.

SCOTCH, English and Canadian Seating in great variety, at the East End Clothing store, J. Fyle, Action.

THE Presbyterian congregation of St. John's Church, Halifax, N.S., have selected a call to the Rev. H. H. McPherson, M.A., of Nassagweya, Ont.

We are informed that while visiting friends near Port Hope, Mr. R. R. Bas, G. E. R. Agent of this village, had the misfortune to break his arm. No particulars.

CONSIDERABLE rain has fallen during the past week. It has had the effect of quenching the bush fires which were causing so much apprehension during the recent dry weather.

MR. JAMES Nickell, who has his home burned during the big storm on the 1st of September, has received \$1,000 insurance from the Grand Mutual Fire Insurance Association.

WE are happy to say that Mr. Benj. Huntress, who was so badly injured by being upset from his buggy about two weeks ago, has at last recovered so that he walked down street as far as Mr. Hume's feed store yesterday.—Milton Champion.

THE Halton News man evidently draws largely on his own imagination, or else does considerable dreaming. He has not read anything of the kind concerning the amount of our income, we understand you name, Mr. News.

FARMERS and others in need of saddle bills this fall, will find it to their advantage to go to our order. We give a free formal notice of sale in a paper of a much larger circulation in this locality than any other, and all work of the kind will be completed in the best style, without delay. Call and see us about it. It will pay you well to do so.

MR. JAMES Wilds, formerly of this village, has withdrawn from the firm of Wild & Selwood, glove makers, Luton, and entered into partnership with Mr. J. Bineman, Berlin. Messrs. Bineman & Wilds have removed the Glove Factory to Berlin, the council of that town having agreed, according to the News to exempt the concern from taxation for five years.

MESSES Christie, Henderson & Co. have purchased the property of Dr. E. Morrow, on Bower Avenue, for \$3,000. We are informed that they intend to have the property surveyed and divided into lots. A number of excellent building lots will be available to any who wish to erect private residences. Messrs. C. H. & Co. will reserve part of the property on which to build residence for themselves.

THE want of freight cars on the G. T. R. is causing serious inconvenience among the grain buyers and other shippers here. On Monday about twenty-five cars were wanted for grain and eight for staves, heading, and other merchandise, and it was impossible to get a quarter of the required number. The G.T.R. authorities should exert themselves to supply the requirements of their patrons.

THE new Methodist Church at Mc. Garry's, Traillair, will be dedicated on Sabbath October 9th, the service to be delivered at 10:30 a.m., and 3:30 p.m., by Rev. W. Brige, of Toronto, and at 2 p.m. by Rev. Geo. Brown, Hamilton. On the following evening a tea meeting will be given when addresses will be delivered by Rev. Dr. Weston, of Milton, Brown, of Hanover, Briggs, of Toronto, MacLennan, of Meadowvale and others.

REV. T. A. Moore, of Belmont, who came home to attend the funeral of his uncle, the late Samuel Moore, was taken suddenly ill on Thursday evening. Medical aid was at once called in and he had so far recovered that he was able to return to his clerical duties on Wednesday morning.

LIFE OF GARFIELD.

(Guelph Daily Herald, Sept. 23, 1881.)

We have just examined advance sheets of the "Life of Garfield" from the World Publishing Co.'s Office, Guelph. It contains about 710 pages, beautifully printed on good paper and profusely illustrated with colored engravings, including the portraits of Gen. Garfield and others, this is the only edition of the book published, endorsed by the family and relatives of General Garfield. Read the following endorsement from B. H. Hinckley, of Hiram College, Ohio, the most intimate friend of Gen. Garfield, and author of "The Pathways to the Holy Land." He said: "I beg leave to say that I regard this book as a most valuable and well worthy of a general circulation."

B. A. Hindle. This work is being issued by the World Publishing Company in connection with the largest publishing house in the United States, and neither labor or expense has been spared

to make the work all that it should be.

Several cheap imitations are on the market, be sure you see this life of Garfield, before you buy it.

It is well worth the price.

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