

THE FREE PRESS.

THURSDAY MORNING, April 27, 1882.

At Geo. Hynds' Jewellery & Fancy Goods Store, Acton, Ont.

BITS OF BREVITY.

Deal and otherwise, prepared by the use of the sea and seawater for readers of the Free Press.

—Pilot shade trees. —Lots of fun next week. —Balmly spring weather.

—Sunday was St. George's day. —Carpenters are in demand here. —Identify your front yards and lawns.

—Read all the advertisements in this issue. —The churches were well attended on Sunday.

—Private credit is wealth; public honor is security. —Messrs. Brown & Hall's saw mill is now running.

—Russian White Oats are claiming the farmers' attention now. —Board of Education at the school house next Monday evening.

—Good-bye to the eyster until the months containing "C" come again. —The whole landscape will soon present a delicious green—the opening leaves.

—Next to advertising, a tastefully kept store is a great inducement to purchasers. —The laws of Mr. W. H. Storey and Reeve Smith look very neat and tasteful now.

—And now the "men's cheap straws" are on sale at the hatters. A sure sign of spring. —It's just 35 years since the first tree was cut on the site of the present city of Guelph.

—Mr. H. E. Smallpiece, of the Guelph Herald, was seriously injured by a runaway horse last week. —Those narrow two-plank crossings and ladies with pearlambrosias don't get along very well together.

—Why didn't they send the boys down to the county castle, too? 'Tis as fair for the cadder as the goose. —Many a jealous eye is directed to the windows of Mr. H. Jenner's residence. The flowers there are really beautiful.

VILLAGE VARIETIES.

A Collection of local news and other matters of special interest to our Village Readers.

IMMEDIATELY.—Wanted at the Glasgow House, four girls to work in Millinery room. Christie, Henderson & Co.

WANTED.—A smart, intelligent boy, about 15 years of age, is wanted at the FREE PRESS OFFICE to learn the art of printing.

BUILDING.—The sound of the carpenter's hammer and saw tells us that they are not idle. Building operations are progressing very satisfactorily.

ACCIDENT.—Mr. Wm. McDonald, of the 4th line, Enquising, cut his foot badly a couple of weeks ago while chopping. He is now able to be about again.

U. S. CONSUL.—Mr. Chas. Rand, of Windsor, succeeded Mr. Worden as consular agent at Guelph. Mr. Worden has received an appointment at St. Hyacinth, Que.

THANKFUL.—A Rev. gentleman in town says he thanks the Lord he has no Scott Act men in his church; and the Scott Act men thank the Lord that they have a clergyman for a spiritual adviser.

HOTEL BURNED.—Shaw's hotel at Bronte was burned to the ground on Friday night. The fire caught about 12 o'clock; its origin is unknown. The loss, including all the furniture, which was burned, will not exceed \$3,000.

TREE PLANTING.—We would be pleased to see our Village Readers immortalize themselves by the institution of annual Arbor days for Acton. If the good work is to commence this year, it's time a proclamation was issued to the citizens.

CONFERENCE.—The Ontario Conference of the M. E. Church is now in session in Georgetown. Upwards of one hundred ministers are in attendance. The Georgetown people will have to conduct themselves respectfully this week.

STREET WATERING.—Are the streets to be watered this summer? Those in favor of the project should present a petition to the council, or make some arrangements among themselves to have this very necessary convenience introduced.

WHITEWASH.—One of Acton's hotel keepers says that Acton might as well be whitewashed after this week, as no more business will be done here. Guess he means that the hotel bars might as well be whitewashed, as no more business will be done—legally—over them.

CHANGED HANDS.—Mr. C. S. Smith, of Bronte, has purchased the dwelling on Main street belonging to the estate of the late Arch. McNab, for \$1,700. Mr. Smith intends removing the shop and stable from the premises and thereby improve the appearance of his own residence.

BUILDING SOCIETY.

At a meeting of a number of influential citizens last Thursday evening, it was decided to form a Joint Stock Company for the purpose of erecting tenement houses.

THE SCOTT ACT IN HALTON.—The hotel-keepers of Burlington and Milton will not close up their taverns on May 1st, although the Scott Act comes into force in the county of Halton on that date.

HIGH SCHOOL ENTRANCE EXAMINATION.—The next examination for the admission of pupils to the Oakville High School will be held (D.V.) on Thursday and Friday, the 29th and 30th days of June, beginning at 9 a.m. of each day.

STRIKE IN BRAMPTON.—The foundry men employed by Haggart Bros. Manufacturing Co., Brampton, struck last week. The dispute seems to be that the Company want to pay but one-a month, and ten days pay kept back—but no more though they work a year—as in good faith the men will not leave their employ without giving a week's notice.

MANIFACTURES COURT.—On Friday morning last Mary Brent and Pearl Davenport were tried before Messrs. W. H. Storey and C. S. Smith, J. P.'s, under the charge of being street walkers. They were fined \$15 each, and costs, or six months in jail. Being unable to pay the fine they were taken to Milton jail by constable Hemstreet.

TEMPERANCE CONVENTION.—Halton County Prohibition Alliance will hold a Convention in the Town Hall, Milton, today, (Thursday) and a full representation of the friends of the Scott Act from all parts of the county is expected. The forenoon and afternoon sessions will be taken up with business in connection with the Scott Act, and in the evening a mass meeting will be held and addresses delivered by Rev. Dr. Wild, Toronto, Mr. D. B. Chisholm, Hamilton, and Rev. W. McDonough, Clinton. Let there be a good attendance from this vicinity.

ACRON'S CENTENARIAN GORE.—On Thursday last Mr. Angus McDonald, Acton's Centenarian—who was visiting his friends at Uxbridge, departed this life at the remarkable age of 105 years and two months. The old gentleman left Acton on the twenty-third of March, in his usual health, and intended remaining at Uxbridge for some time. Mr. McDonald emigrated to Canada in 1832, having been discharged from the army sixteen years before. He settled on a farm near this village, where he has lived ever since, except when at rare intervals he visited some of his numerous descendants. He had seven children, the majority of whom are still living, and leaves a large progeny extending through four generations. A lengthy account of the deceased's career appeared in the FREE PRESS of February 16th, 1877. The funeral took place on Saturday, and was attended by a number of friends from this village.

WHAT PEOPLE THINK.—That the sidewalks should be repaired at once. That a new cemetery will soon be a positive necessity. That the hotels are doing a flourishing business this week.

That they would like to see the rules of order of Acton Council. That there'll be lots of fun next week over the Scott Act. That the Scott Act will be a grand success if it gets half a chance.

That Beers Smith should make arrangements for an Arbor day for Acton. That a street watering cart would be a great convenience during the summer months. That loop-holes are numerous in the organization of the hotel-keepers to resist the enforcement of the Scott Act.

That the time operations were commenced at the new town hall if the contractor intends having it completed by this 1st of October. That the constable would be doing good work by causing corner loafers to move on, as the practice is disgusting to right-minded people.

That there'll be something in the North West land speculation boom by the end of 1882 to remind us of the historical South Sea Bubble. That after this week many of the working-men in town, who have hitherto spent their earnings for whiskey, will spend them for better food and clothing. That it's about time the auditors' report of the receipts and expenditures of the village of Acton for 1881 was published. It generally appears about the 30th March.

Spring. -- 1882. -- Spring.

DRY GOODS AND MILLINERY. Hughes & Griffin. BOOTS & SHOES, AND HATS & CAPS.

OUR SPRING STOCK.

SPECIAL LINES.

917 Patterns of Choice English and French Prints at 5 cents a yard and up.

Mantle and Dress Cashmeres, 50 inches wide, single width.

Dress Goods, all the Fashionable Colors and Shades, with Trimmings to match, from 8c. a yard upward.

Linen Goods of every description, at prices that Cannot be Beaten. Heavy White Counterpanes at \$1.00

Beautiful Stand Spreads at 80c. and 40c.

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,

THE MOST COMPLETE STOCK IN ACTON.

MILLINERY.

Our Millinery will be found more attractive than ever this season, as we have taken all pains to obtain the latest and choicest class of goods in the New York, Montreal and Toronto Markets.

Special lines in Children's Hats. Fancy Straws at 15c. & 20c.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Spring. -- 1882. -- Spring.

DRY GOODS AND MILLINERY. Hughes & Griffin. BOOTS & SHOES, AND HATS & CAPS.

MEN'S AND BOYS' Felt, Fur & Straw Hats.

SPECIAL LINES.

917 Patterns of Choice English and French Prints at 5 cents a yard and up.

Mantle and Dress Cashmeres, 50 inches wide, single width.

Dress Goods, all the Fashionable Colors and Shades, with Trimmings to match, from 8c. a yard upward.

Linen Goods of every description, at prices that Cannot be Beaten. Heavy White Counterpanes at \$1.00

Beautiful Stand Spreads at 80c. and 40c.

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,

THE MOST COMPLETE STOCK IN ACTON.

MILLINERY.

Our Millinery will be found more attractive than ever this season, as we have taken all pains to obtain the latest and choicest class of goods in the New York, Montreal and Toronto Markets.

Special lines in Children's Hats. Fancy Straws at 15c. & 20c.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

Our Prices will be found the very lowest for all classes of goods.

Highest Price paid for any quantity of good Butter and Eggs.

EDINBURGH WAREHOUSE, ACTON.

I'M NOT GOING TO MANITOBA,

But I'm going to stop right here in Acton, and intend to do the largest trade this season I have ever done because I have the goods to do it with, and the prices are closer than ever.

The question is often asked, "How can GREEN sell so cheap and still make money?" My answer is just this: I buy close and keep a sharp look-out at all times for bargains, and buy everything that a farmer offers for sale, and my customers invariably get the benefit of it.

I have a Full and Complete line in GROCERIES,

All Fresh, Clean and New. The Largest Stock of CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE

Ever Shown in Acton.

DISHES, any color, any price, or any style you want. Special attention given to the Provision line.

Cash paid for Produce of all kinds.

American Silver and Nickels taken at par for goods.

GREEN SELLS CHEAP.

"CITY GROCERY" A. W. GREEN.

NEW Flour and Feed STORE.

The undersigned has just opened in the premises formerly occupied by Mr. J. C. Hill, Mill street, Acton,

Flour, Feed & Provision Store,

and will keep constantly on hand a full supply of

Flour, Bran, Shorts, Buckwheat Flour, Cornmeal, Seed Corn, Oatmeal, Pea Meal,

And all kinds of Feed.

Goods delivered any place inside or out of Corporation.

Your patronage is respectfully solicited.

R ELLIOTT

Acton, April 18th, 1882.

to settle. I must have money to run the business.

to settle. I must have money to run the business.

to settle. I must have money to run the business.

to settle. I must have money to run the business.

to settle. I must have money to run the business.

to settle. I must have money to run the business.

to settle. I must have money to run the business.

to settle. I must have money to run the business.

GOODS CHEAPER THAN EVER.

W. P. BROWN

Has just received a fresh lot of Groceries,

TWO CRATES OF GLASSWARE AND CROCKERY

which he is determined to sell at ROCK BOTTOM PRICES.

REMEMBER HIS CELEBRATED 50 CENT TEA.

WANTED.—All kinds of Produce, especially Butter and Potatoes.

FANCY GOODS.—A new lot of Fancy Goods just to hand.

W. P. BROWN.

NEW STORE,

NEW GOODS,

BOTTOM PRICES.

Everything Fresh, Neat and Clean!

T. H. HARDING

Wishes to inform the people of Acton and surrounding country that he has opened out in the New Brick Store (opposite Agnew's Hotel), a Complete New Stock of

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,

COMPRISING:

Family Supplies of all kinds; Teas, Sugars, Coffee, Fruits, Canned Goods, Dried & Salt Meats, etc.,

And is convinced that he can sell as

CHEAP AS THE CHEAPEST.

A splendid stock of CROCKERY, GLASSWARE and CHINA, is now on hand.

Call and inspect our goods.

T. H. HARDING

Kindly call and settle account as soon as ready.

Kindly call and settle account as soon as ready.

Kindly call and settle account as soon as ready.

Kindly call and settle account as soon as ready.

Kindly call and settle account as soon as ready.

Kindly call and settle account as soon as ready.

Kindly call and settle account as soon as ready.

Kindly call and settle account as soon as ready.

J. E. McGarvin's Ac-

count against you will

be sent at once. Be ready

to settle. I must have money to run the business.

to settle. I must have money to run the business.

to settle. I must have money to run the business.

to settle. I must have money to run the business.