The Free Press.

THURSDAY MORNING, MAY 25, 1882.

Taste and Comfort in Building.

We have been greatly pleased to notice the spirit of usefulness and tastefulness that has been exhibited by a number of those citizens who have erected houses for themselves in our pretty little town during the past year or two, and are still more pleased to learn that those who contemplate building houses during the present season, have profited by the good example of those referred to above, and have had their plans, etc., prepared with a special view to taste and comfort combined.

Let a man's house be made the most beautiful in the town or village, and it tends to improve all the other houses in the place. Money was made to be spent. It is like powder that you do not burn—it is worth nothing until it goes off. The man who has made a happy home, who is able to make it and able to keep it, gives an example to the people in the place where he resides, which must lead to general improvement. We would recommend every citizen who purposes building a home for himself and family to combine taste with comfort, and to erect a building he will be proud to call home, at the same time keeping with the limits of his resources.

Every Man For Himself.

Now that the season of political excitement and turmoil has fairly set in, consequent upon the prospect of an early general election, it becomes the duty of every man who has a voice in the affairs of the nation, be he Reform or Conservative, to weigh well the issues involved in the appeal soon to be made to the electors of this country. Occupying as we do a neutral position, it is not our duty, much less our desire, to defend the actions of one political party as against those of the other. What we wish to speak of more particularly is the system of canvassing often practiced by persons anxious for political notoriety, and who are unable to obtain it in any other way. The practice has become so common of late years as to be looked upon by many with a good deal of displeasure. We allude to the system of secret canvassing as practiced in every election and by every person engaged in the service of either political party.

Conventions are very good in their place, and very necessary, we suppose, as a means of resisting the attacks of the enemy. But it does not stop there. Men are asked to lend their support to this or that man without knowing who is to be his opponent in the election. We hold that it is every man's duty to exercise judgment and precision before pledging his support to any candidate. He should hear both aspirants expound their views and then form his opinion. There is too much politics in the affairs of our time. The spirit of partyism exerts itself in every concern unchallenged and unrebuked. This should not be. There is a serious responsibility involved in a man's vote. On it may depend the hope and pride of a nation. One vote has plunged a nation into bankruptcy before to-day.

It would be better if all canvassing were done away with and men were left to vote from conscientious conviction. To this end let no man pledge himself blindly to any convention or party until the candidates on both sides are fairly in the field, and the leading questions of the day fully discussed from both political stand points.

Nassagaweya News.

From our own correspondent.

Messrs. A. Fletcher and S. Carson started for Dakota on Tuesday, the 16th inst.

Mr. S. R. Lister will soon have his new building fit to move into at Campbellville.

A meeting was held in the Union Hall, Brookville, on Wednesday afternoon, 17th inst., by the supporters of the Scott Act, to consider the working of the Act in Nassagaweya. The reports were all favorable to the Act except the absence of a house of accommodation at Campbellville. A committee was appointed to confer with the committee of the 1st Ward to see what arrangements could be made to supply the wants of the travelling public. The success of the Act in this township has been more than was expected, and a resolution was passed at the meeting that the Act be sustained in all possible ways.—NED.

Editorial Notes.

Dominion Parliament was prorogued by the Governor General last Wednesday.

The Governor General's proclamation dissolving the present Parliament, has been published.

The writs for the general elections have been issued bearing date of May 18th. Nominations, 13th June.

Acton Village Council.

Council met on Tuesday evening. Reeve in the chair. Present, Messrs. M. Speight, D. W. Campbell, D. D. Christie and Paul Jarvis.

The Finance Committee presented their eighth report recommending payment of the following accounts:—

Wm. Gurney, 3½ months salary,	$31.50
H. P. Moore, printing Abstract, &c.,	16.88
	$48.38

On motion of Mr. Jarvis, seconded by Mr. Campbell, the above report was adopted.

Moved by D. W. Campbell, seconded by M. Speight, that the Court of Revision be held in Matthews Hall on Thursday, 22nd June.—Carried.

Mr. G. Tolton addressed the council in reference to the erection of a roller mill in this municipality.

Moved by D. D. Christie seconded by M. Speight that the reeve be and is hereby instructed to call a public meeting of the ratepayers at an early date, to take into consideration the propriety of granting a loan to G. Tolton to erect a flour mill in this municipality.—Carried.

Council then adjourned.

Don't know Defeat.

The *Georgetown Herald* of last week says:—Despite the efforts of the hotel keepers and their few remaining friends throughout the country to destroy the business of the various towns and in other ways cause the people to return to the good old days of drunkenness, the Scott Act is working very satisfactorily. We have some drinking on the sly, it is true, but very little in comparison with what used to be. A place like Georgetown, which literally reeked with drunkenness, cannot be entirely reformed in two weeks, but if things go on as they have been doing, a few months will work wonders among our people. We know no defeat. We work for humanity's good, and naught but the devil and his chosen instruments could be sunken so low as to oppose us. Our retail merchants say that comparing business day by day with the corresponding dates of last year the balance is in favor of the Scott Act period.

Queen's Birthday.

The sixty-third anniversary of the birthday of our beloved Queen was celebrated yesterday. The day was as fine as could be desired, and nearly all our citizens seemed anxious to be loyal and at the same time find pleasure for themselves. Early in the day quite a number went off on fishing and shooting excursions, a large number left by the forenoon trains for Brampton, Rockwood and other places, while others remained at home to witness the game of base ball between the junior clubs of Acton and Guelph.

THE BASE BALL MATCH.

The game was very well contested, and resulted in a tie, with the following score:

ACTON STARS.

	Runs.	Outs.
R. Lawson, Captain,	1	6
J. Agnew,	4	2
W. Storey,	5	0
W. Marlatt,	3	4
F. Midgley,	1	5
D. Kenny,	3	2
A. Marlatt,	2	1
T. Kenny,	3	3
W. Worden,	1	4
	23	27

GUELPH OAK LEAFS.

	R.	O
Sharpe, Captain,	2	2
Murton,	2	2
Chase	2	6
Simpson	2	4
Stonehame,	2	4
Young,	4	1
Hewer,	2	4
Newton,	4	2
Tolton,	3	2
	23	27

Our boys have conceit enough to think that the return match will not be a tie, but will result in a few runs in their favor.

ACTON BRASS BAND.

In the band contest at Brampton yesterday, Acton band received 2nd prize and $20, which, considering that two of the judges were Brampton men, is quite a victory. The general verdict of the Brampton people as well as all others who heard them, is that Acton should have had first money.

PROF. SMITH'S CONCERT

in the drill shed was a success. Every piece on the programme was well rendered, and the choruses from the Oratorio of Joseph were very much enjoyed by the audience. The professor intends giving the full oratorio in the course of a week or so, and it will no doubt be a great success.

On a whole the day passed off quietly and pleasantly, and a remarkable fact was the absence of drunken men on our streets. There were, however, a few drunken boys from Guelph, who brought their "tangle leg" with them. It was no doubt sold under the "blessed (?) Crooks Act," by the Guelph dealers, to minors.

What People Say.

That the success of the Scott Act is now an established fact.

That the idea of inducing Messrs. Tolton to erect their new mill here is a good one, and should be taken hold of with vim by the village council.

THE REFORMERS—A meeting of the Reformers of the County was held in Milton last Monday, when we understand general matters relative to the coming election were discussed. A meeting of the leading adherents of the party is advertised for Monday evening next.

HALTON.—The *Oakville Express* says:—"It is gratifying to know that the Scott Act is working so well in Halton county, a county which must soon be known as the cradle of the future giant, general prohibition. There are some farmers who were accustomed to imbibe freely when attending market in Oakville, go home quite sober and far better pleased with their visit." Acton's experience is similar.

MECHANICS INSTITUTE.—From the annual report of the directors of the Guelph Mechanics Institute, published in the Guelph papers, we glean the following:—"The reading room has been well supplied with the choicest literature of the day, and in this connection your directors have to thank the editors of the Acton FREE PRESS, the Guelph *Mercury* and Guelph *Herald*, for copies of their paper, free."

INDEPENDENT.—In referring to the press on the Scott Act in Halton the *Wafford Advocate Adviser* says:—"The Acton FREE PRESS is a paper that has maintained its independence, and spoken earnestly and firmly for the right, in this matter, in spite of all the entreatments which the whiskey party are always able and willing to offer." And we have done so because we feel confident that we are working for the very best interests of the people of Halton, not through any malice against those engaged in the liquor traffic, as we most honestly believe the Scott Act will prove beneficial to them as well as others.

ACTON MARKETS.

White Wheat,	$1 28 to 1 30
Treadwell, old	1 28 to 1 30
Spring Wheat, (Glasgow) old	1 30 to 1 32
Red Chaff	1 25 to 1 28
Peas,	0 70 to 0 80
Oats	0 45 to 0 46
Barley,	0 65 to 0 75
Rye,	0 70 to 0 78
Eggs, per doz.	0 12 to 0 14
Butter, dairy packed	0 15 to 0 17
Butter, rolls,	0 16 to 0 2
Potatoes, new, per bag	1 20 to 1 30
Dressed Hogs,	7 50 to 7 90
Wood	0 23 to 0 25

BUSINESS BREVITIES

Some Facts about our Business Men and Houses, of benefit to our general readers.

—HATS from 75 cents to $2.50 at J. Fyfe's.

For Choice and Cheap Plumes go to Hughes & Griffin's, Acton.

—A GOOD Felt Hat for 75 cents at J. Fyfe's.

—IF you want a nobby, durable and cheap suit, J. Fyfe's is the place to go.

All kinds of Ladies Collars, Collarettes and Ties, at Hughes & Griffin's, Acton.

—Scotch, English and Canadian Suitings in great variety, at the East End Clothing store, J. Fyfe, Acton.

Hughes & Griffin sell Men's Fine Straw Hats at 40c. and upward. Fine Christy Stiffs at $1.50—newest styles.

—Suits and Overcoats at extremely low rates and made in latest styles. Be sure to call and see them. J. Fyfe, Acton.

Catarrh of the Bladder.

STINGING irritation, inflammation, all Kidney and Urinary Complaints, cured by "Buchupaiba." $1.

—McQuillan & Hamilton of the Wellington Marble Works, Guelph, Ont., are doing the largest retail Marble trade in Ont., owing to the fact that they do the best work and sell the cheapest. The public are warned against dealing with second hand trade peddlers, but should go direct to the firm or buy from their agents. See that the name, McQuillan & Hamilton, is on the printed form before you sign or order.

☞ Make your old things look like new by using the Diamond Dyes, and you will be happy. Any of the fashionable colors for 10 cents.

ERRORS OF YOUTH

A Gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the receipt and direction for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence,

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HONESTY.

It is commonly said that you cannot make an honest man believe that white is black and vice versa, but those who have grey hair, by using the "CINGALESE HAIR RENEWER," will find that this apparent difficulty is easily overcome. For sale by J. E. McGarvin, 50 cents per bottle.

Rest and Comfort to the Suffering.

"Brown's Household Panacea" has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures Pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and Heal, 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 wanted, "as it really is 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 cent a bottle.

Holloway's Pills and Ointment.—Those who have given these remedies a fair trial freely admit that they inherently possess every property suitable for healing and removing eruptions, ulcerations, fistulas, abscesses, sores, bad legs, gathered breasts, and all disorders of the glandular system. When carefully rubbed in the Ointment relaxes the swollen muscles, diminishes inflammation, assuages pain, and even alleviates dangerous maladies which may have lasted for months, or even years. Holloway's excellent preparations are effective singly, resistless in combination, and have been recommended by grateful patients to be resorted to as alteratives when all other means of regaining health have rallied. Their action is temperate, not violent or reducing.

A COLLAPSE OF VITAL ENERGY in lung disease is greatly accelerated by the loss of flesh, strength and appetite which invariably attends it. It is one of the chief recommendations of Northrop & Lyman's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil and Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda, that by reason of the blood-enriching and nourishing properties of the last-named ingredients, it renews failing strength by compensating for losses already sustained, while a healing and soothing influence is at the same time exerted upon the inflamed membranous lining of the throat, lungs and bronchia, by the Cod Liver Oil. Digestion is stimulated and appetite improved, the nervous system acquires tone and vigor, and the secretions undergo a healthy change when it is used. Purchasers should see that the bottles (sold at 50 cents and $1.00) have the firm's name blown in them, and that the wrappers bear a FAC SIMILE of our signature. Sold by all druggists. Prepared only by NORTHROP & LYMAN, Toronto.

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THAT AXE.

The party is known that took my axe out of the waggon in my yard on Monday night last, and unless it is returned by the 30th inst. I will show him up before authorities.

JAMES MATTHEWS.

Acton, May 24, '82.

PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple Vegetable Balm that will remove Tan, Freckles, Pimples and Blotches, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing the luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address inclosing 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandell & Co., 12 Barclay St., N.Y.

THOROUGHBRED BULL

The undersigned has for service on his premises, Lot 27, Concession 6, Esquesing, near Acton, a Thoroughbred Bull, with Pedigree, "Second Duke of Kent." Terms, $4.00 for Thoroughbred Cows, and $1.00 for Grade. Strictly Cash.

ALEX. H. BROWN.

April 13th, 1882—w71.

COURT OF REVISION.

The Court of Revision for the Municipality of the

VILLAGE OF ACTON,

Will hold its first sitting for hearing and determining appeals against the assessment of 1882, at

Matthews' Hall, Acton,

—ON—

Thursday, 22nd June, 1882,

At Eight O'clock, P. M.

J. E. McGARVIN,
Village Clerk.

Clerk's Office, May 23rd, 1882.

In the High Court of Justice.

CHANCERY DIVISION.

MOORE vs. MOORE.

Pursuant to the Order for Sale made in this cause, bearing date the eighteenth day of April, 1882, there will be sold with the approbation of Thomas Miller, Esquire, Local Master of this Court, at

AGNEW'S HOTEL in the
VILLAGE OF ACTON,
By Wm. Hemstreet, Auctioneer,
At the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon

—OF—

Thursday, June the 1st, A.D. 1882

in five parcels, the following property, viz:

Parcel No. 1—A farm of 150 acres, more or less, being the North East half of Lot No. 30, and the North West half of the North East half of Lot No. 29, Con. 1, Township of Esquesing, County of Halton. There is erected thereon a good framed dwelling house and a house plastered on the outside, two good frame barns, one with stone stable underneath. The soil is a sandy loam, and in a good state of cultivation. The fences are in first-class order and there is a good well; and an orchard consisting of six acres with first-class fruit trees.

Parcel No. 2—A farm of 50 acres, more or less, being the North West half of the Westerly part of Lot No. 29, Con. 1, Township of Esquesing. The soil is a sandy loam, twenty-five acres cleared and in a good state of cultivation, the remainder well timbered with good hardwood and cedar. The fences are in good order.

Parcel No. 3—The South East half of the Westerly part of Lot No. 29, Con. 1, Township of Esquesing, containing 50 acres, more or less. It is well timbered with good hardwood and cedar.

Parcel No. 4—A farm of 100 acres, more or less, being the South West half of Lot No. 31, Con. 2, Township of Esquesing. There is erected thereon a good frame dwelling house and a good frame barn with stone foundation. The soil is a sandy loam, ninety acres being cleared and in a good state of cultivation, the remainder well timbered with good hardwood. The fences are in first-class order, and an orchard of about two acres with good fruit trees.

Parcel No. 5—A farm of 66 acres, more or less, being part of the North East half of Lot No. 29, Con. 2, Township of Esquesing, more particularly described in a Deed from James Cameron to Samuel Moore. There is erected thereon a large two story brick dwelling house, a frame barn and driving shed. The land is a sandy loam, in a good state of cultivation. There is a valuable never-failing spring creek running through the premises. An orchard of about three acres. This farm is mostly situated in the Village of Acton.

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Milton, 4th February, 1882.

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