

RAILWAY TIME TABLE.



Table with columns for 'GOING WEST' and 'GOING EAST', listing various train routes and times.

Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY MORNING, AUG. 2, 1883.

AT GEO. HYND'S. Tea Spoons, Table Spoons, Knives and Forks, at Geo. Hynds. Watches, Clocks, Jewellery, a large stock.

BITS OF BREVITY.

Vertical column of short news items including: 'Streets very dusty', 'Eighth month, August', 'Look out for hot weather this month', 'Friday's storm was hard on the corn', 'The New York excursion party has returned', 'Woodcock season opened yesterday', 'Regular monthly meeting of the Board of Education next Monday evening', 'A large amount of travelling is being done now', 'The boys under thirty years of age but those over thirty in a cricket match last week', 'Erasmus Fall Show will be held at Rockwood on Thursday and Friday, 11th and 12th October', 'Raspberries are not so plentiful as was anticipated', 'The slang phrase "a dead sure thing" has been superseded by the elegant expression, "a deceased surety"', 'A base ball match between the Beavers of Milton, and the Stars, of Acton, will be played here this afternoon', 'The "Dreadnaught" entered upon its twelfth year with last issue', 'Acton cornet band gave a free open-air concert last Thursday evening', 'The Palmerston council have advertised in Toronto dailies that the town is prepared to give a bonus of \$2,000 to aid in building a grist mill', 'Some party or parties have been helping themselves to new potatoes from a lot south east of the cricket grounds', 'The sinuous lines of golden grain now wave gently and gracefully to and fro in the sunlight', 'Mr. Edward Hyde, formerly of this village, has been appointed caretaker of Guelph city hall', 'As they make nearly everything of paper now it is singular that waste paper is not utilized for carpets', 'The cities and towns throughout the Province are now arranging for their annual civic holidays', 'We were shown some raspberries this week from the garden of Rev. 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Table of cricket scores for Acton vs Georgetown, listing batsmen, runs, and bowlers.

PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, &c. CHEAP AND DURABLE. J. E. McGarvin's Drug and Stationery Store, Acton, Ont.

"ARCTIC" Ice Cream Parlor! FRUIT DEPOT. A. E. MATTHEWS. Having purchased the business lately carried on by Mr. L. G. Matthews, in the Post Office, building, and remodelled the establishment, is now prepared to supply the public with.

WANTED! 1001 Cash Customers. TO REMOVE. W. P. Brown & Co's. Arctic Ice Cream, Delicious Soda Water, Ice-cold Lemonade, Fresh & Ripe Fruits, Best Brands Cigars, and everything pertaining to the line of first-class quality.

NEW Furniture Store. CHARLES H. HEIMBACH has decided to engage in the FURNITURE BUSINESS IN ACTON. And will open out on Thursday, 12th inst., in the Store below the Oddfellows' Hall, on Main street, a complete new stock of Furniture of All Kinds.

DOMINION Boot & Shoe Store. MAIN ST., ACTON. KENNEY BROS., Having purchased the stock and business of Kenney & Son, manufacturers and dealers in Boots and Shoes of all kinds, in the same premises, and solicit a continuance of the patronage accorded to the late firm.

HILL'S Tin & Stove Depot. GOOD ASSORTMENT ON STOVES CHEAP FOR CASH. TINWARE OF ALL KINDS AT BOTTOM PRICES. Eavetroughing a Specialty, AND PUT UP ON SHORTEST NOTICE. FIRST CLASS MATERIAL ONLY USED. A CALL SOLICITED. J. O. HILL, Mill St.

HANLAN BARBER SHOP. J. P. WORDEN. Has opened a Barber Shop in the premises lately occupied by Dr. Forster as a medical office, and solicits a share of the patronage of this vicinity. Every department of the business will be conducted in first-class style. Give us a call. J. P. WORDEN, Jan. 23rd, 1883.

Summer Announcement! GLASGOW HOUSE, NELSON & McRAE.

We would respectfully call attention to our large and complete stock of goods for the Summer Trade. Every department is replete with all the Novelties of the Season.

DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT. In this department we are showing splendid value in Black and Colored Cashmeres, Plain and Check Nun's Veilings, Wool Bunting, and all the leading goods for Summer Wear. We claim to have the best value in the county in 50 cent Blue Black Cashmeres. The immense quantity we dispose of in this line of goods is a sufficient guarantee of their excellence. We are showing a magnificent line of Muslins, and a large and select stock of Prints and Cretonne Goods.

Our Millinery Department. In this department will be found all the leading styles of Ladies and Misses Hats, Bonnets, &c., in Straw Goods, Tape, Leghorn, &c., and a choice selection of Flowers, Feathers, and everything usually kept in a First-class House. This department is under the management of First-class Milliners, and parties can rely on receiving perfect satisfaction. Before placing your orders be sure and examine our stock of MILLINERY GOODS.

Ordered Clothing. We are now showing a splendid stock of Tweeds in all the leading styles, also full lines of Blue Serges, and a splendid range of Trouserings. We are also showing a complete range of Worsteds, in Diagonal, Check, and Corkscrew patterns. As this department is under our own personal Supervision, parties can rely on getting perfect satisfaction, from the fact that our goods are bought at the lowest cash price, and we employ none but experienced hands in the manufacture of our clothing. We also give a fashionable and perfect fit every time, and at prices to suit everybody. Call and inspect our stock of Tweeds.

GENTS' FURNISHINGS. We are showing full lines of Gents' White and Colored Shirts, and also full lines in Felt and Straw Hats, Collars, Cuffs, Ties, Braces, &c., in endless variety.

STAPLE DEPARTMENT. This department will always be found complete, and good values in all lines of Cottonades, Shirtings, Hollands, Towellings, and all goods pertaining to the department.

BOOTS and SHOES. In this department we are showing A 1 value in all lines, as we carry an immense stock to select from. We have sizes to fit everybody. We give 5 per cent off to any person who buys 5 pairs & upwards. A CALL SOLICITED. KENNEY BROS., Acton, July 16, '83. In every department of our business our aim is to place before our customers the best goods at the lowest possible prices, and as our business is constantly increasing it is a guarantee that our efforts are appreciated. We hope by strict attention to business, and fair dealing, to merit a continuance of the public Patronage. We are, Yours, &c., NELSON & McRAE, Successors to Christie, Henderson & Co., Glasgow House, Acton.