Our Township Exhibition. The Exhibition of Esquesing Agricultural Society, for this year, which will be held in Acton on the third of October, promises to be one of the most successful ever held by the society. The committee here are using every effort for the success of the affair and the residents of the township will on this occasion have an opportunity of seeing what a little healthy exertion and enterprise will de for an Exhibition of this kind. The committee at Acton alone have collected something over \$250 for special

prizes, and this list will be much more ex-

tensive than at any former year.

The action of the people of Georgetown toward the Exhibition this year is certainly very discreditable. Because the directors decided to have the show in Acton this fall, they exercise a spirit of retaliation by almost universally refusing to make any exhibits or subscribe any amount for prizes. This, after having been given the exhibition, and receiving its accompanying benefits, for fifteen successive years, has very much the appearance of selfishness, and we must say, we expected better things from Georgetown. The fact of the matter is the people there are jealous of Acton and the commendible spirit of enterprise it possesses, and we presume they conclude that if their support is withheld from the exhibition this year, it will be a failure and they will thus sccure it for another decade. But when Acton people take hold of thing they invariably carry it to a successful issue, and not withstanding Georgetown's disreputable tactics, the Exhibition of Esquesing Agricultural society for 1983 will be no exception to this rule. Acton certainly has just as strong claims to the 9th report, recommending payment of the recognition of the society as has her jealous | following accounts, viz :neighbor, and will hereafter demand that | Thos. Moore, salary for August, these claims be observed.

Manitoba's Crops.

The Manitoba crop bulletin, issued from the Department of Agriculture, says:-"The prospects of the barvest are of a most encouraging nature, in marked contrast to the sister Province of Ontario and many of the principal wheat districts of the United States. From the severe lessons of last year it is believed that more care will be taken in stacking the grain than has hererefore prevailed. The supply of threshing machines throughout the province has been very largely increased. and facility will thus be afforded for marketing the product of the harvest earlier than usual. There is no doubt whatever | and adopted. that the quality of the seed sown was much ! better than is 1882, and with fair average weather for another few weeks the farmers of the province will be placed in a most extisiactory position."

Notes and Comments.

Has bottom been reached in the North-West? Some say so. Others as emphatically grotest no. If the actual hard bottom has not been reached it must be very far down. for things have gone down pretty considerably. Even the biggist and most | and duly passed, for levying certain sums important speculators and William Laws of other days are pretty shaky. Well, some things need to die in order to live, and very likely the North West or else the bottom is one of those things .- Truth.

The tattle of the new school readers is very keen. There must be any amount of money in what can stand so much adverusing and fibbing. for falsehood there undonbtedly is, somewhere.

A paralyzing paragraph to the christian liquor drinker is this sentence from one of the sermons of Queen Victoria's late chaplain, the calebrated Dr. Thomas Guthrie: -" Whiskey is the devil's way to man, and man's way to the devil."

The Governor General and the Princess Louise will pay their farewell visit to this Province early in September. They will be in Toronto on Sept. 12th and 13th, and will also remain in Ottawa for some time. While in Toronto the Princess will again visit the General Hospital. The vice-regal party will not come further west than

Teronto Bay aiready this season, being the largest number in any one season.

Village Council

A meeting of the Village Council was held in the Council Chamber on Tuesday evening last.

Members present, Mesers. D. Henderson, J. Kenney and W. Ismond. The Reeve being absent, it was moved by

D. Henderson, seconded by W. Ismond that Councillor Kenney take the chair .-Carriel.

read and confirmed. presented, and payment of the following

accounts recommended and passed, viz.:-A. A. Scored, one night's services as watchman, A. Stauffer, work, etc.,

H. P. Moore, advertising, T. Ebbage, alterims bell rope, etc., Thos. Easton, half year's salary,

Upon motion the Council adjourned.

Rockwood News.

Farmers busy harvesting and threshing.

returned from his trip to England. . The Presoyterians of this place intend

Mr. Dann, G. T. R. agent here, has sometimes affected. If allowed to continue having a garden party in the Agricultural for Tetter, Itch, Salt Rheum, all scaly, self abuse, over brain work, &c. . Grounds on Friday, 14th Sept. Acton crusty Skin Diseases. Sent by mail for 50 written guarantee of cure in every case or Cornet Band are expected to be present. cents; 8 boxes, 81.25, (in stamps). Ad
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Board of Education.

The regular meeting of the Board of Education was held in the Council Chamber on Monday evening last.

Members present, Mr. Jas. Matthews Chairman, and Messre. W. H. Storey, Jas. Moore, D. Henderson and J. E. McGarvin. Minutes of last meeting read and con-

Moved by W. H. Storey, seconded by Jas. Moore, that the chairman be instructed to advertise for tenders for the supply of thirty cords of good, sound, bbech and maple wood, either two or four feet longtwo feet preferred .- Carried.

The Finance Committee brought down the estimates of receipts and expenditures for the current year, as follows :-

Cash on hand from 1882, \$769.51 112.00 Government Grant,

\$880.51 Total, EXPENDITURES. \$1,100.00 Ceachers' salaries, Carctaker's salary, Secretary-Treasurer's salary, interest on Depentures & borrow-

ed money, Repairs, including rem. of library. School furniture and stove, 125.51

\$1,730.5 The committee also recommended that the village council be requested to levy collect and pay over to the School Board the sum of \$850.00.

Moved by D. Henderson, seconded by E. McGarvin, that the report of the Finance Committee, respecting estimates, be adopted.—Carried:

'Moved by W. H. Storey, seconded by Jas. Moore, that the chairman be instructed to employ means to have the school grounds properly cleaned, and the debris removed at as early a date as possible .-

The Finance Committee presented their

Miss Gerion. 20.83 Miss Grant, Mrs. Adams. Christie, Henderson & Co., wood, D. Kennedy, work, &c., Thos. Ebbage, repairs and material for same, including removal of

\$290.75 Moved by D. Henderson, seconded by W. H. Storey, that the report of the Finance

Committee just read be adopted.-Carried.

Nassagaweya Council.

Board then adjourned.

The municipal Council met pursuant to adjournment on Monday, the 27th day of August. Members all present the Reeve in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read

On motions duly seconded, the following accounts were ordered to be paid, viz, \$13.50, to lunes & Davidson for printing voters' list, and \$6.00 for 100 Pathmaster's schedules; \$1.50 to each of the Auditors for preparing a financial Statement requir ed by the Provincial Government; \$17.50 to John McKinnon for five sheep killed by dogs; \$40 to Archie McTavish, for twelve killed: \$28 for four months' board for David Hunter, and \$2 for two shirts

furnished by Mason Bros. to the said party On motion of Mr. Hutcheon, seconded by Mr. Marshall, a by-law was introduced. required by the Trustees of the several school sections in the township for school purposes for the present year.

On motion of Mr. Wheelihan, seconded by Mr. Gould, a by-law was introduced and duly passed, for raising the following sums required for the current year, viz.. \$1.207.13 for county purposes and \$178.23 for county buildings; \$1,427 for the Credit | Dr. Van Bonen's Kinney Cire. Its ac-Valley Railroad; \$450 for the municipal | tion in these distressing complaints is simgrant to schools, as per county by law, and ply wonderful. Sold by J. E. McGarvin. \$958 for township purposes, which requires a rate of 4 mils and 4-10ths of a mill, on all the rateable property in the municipal-

ity to raise said amounts. On motion of Mr. Wheelihan, seconded by Mr. Gould, a by-law was duly passed, appointing Joshua Norrish as engineer for ditches and water-courses, in accordance with the Act of the Provincial Legislature

in respect thereof. Moved by Mr. Hutcheon, seconded by Mr. Wheelihan, that the communication from James Goodfellow, requesting the use of the Township Hall for religious services, be received and read .- Carried. The communication being received and its contents duly considered; it was moved by Mr. Marshall, seconded by Mr. Gould, that the There have been 24 persons drowned in | request of James Goodfellow to preach in

the Township Hall be not granted .- Car-The account of Dr. Freeman of \$17.50 for medical attendance on the Scriber family, was ordered to lay over.

On motion, the Council adjourned to meet again on the last Monday in Novem ber next, at the hour of 9 o'clock a. m. J. EISTERERDOE, T'p. Clerk.

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Lot 25, con. 4. Esquesing, Aug 30th, 1883.

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Acton, Sept. 5th 1883.

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