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THURSDAY MORNING. Nov. 1, 1883.

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readers of the Free Prem.

-First of November.

- -No school next Thursday, boys. -The gloomiest month of the year.
- -Ice cream has gone out of fashion. -Read our liberal offers to subscribers.at the head of this column.

-Mr. Henry Mariatt is about to remove to Shelburne with his family.

-Mr. J. Fyfe is having his grounds neatly laid out, sodded and gravelled.

-For long winter evenings-a good supply of first-class papers and books. -Present appearances indicate that mu-

nicipal honors are likely to go a begging this year. -Messrs. Beardmore & Co. are getting a famous stack of bark at the G. T. R.

-Monthly meeting of the Board of Education in the Council Chamber next Mon-

day evening. -The 10th of November will be the four hundredth anniversary of the birth of

Martin Luther. -There was some exceedingly fine wea-

ther during the past week, and a little disagreeable weather, too.

comes to Actou to reside. -The Mercury says that nearly \$160,000

have been spent in building improvements in Guelph since last spring. -Advertise your stray cattle at once and your chances will be all the better of find-

ing them with little expense: -The cases for violation of the Scot Act, announced for trial last Thursday

were postponed until to-day. -Servant girls are exceedingly scarce in this vicinity. They command from \$7 to 19 per month in ordinary families.

-A full attendance of the members of Acton Lodge, LO.O.F., is desired for tomorrow evening. Important business.

-Hunting will be largely resorted to on Thanksgiving day: Every gun in town will do doubt be brought into requisition.

-Mr. John Ahern has purchased the place adjoining Mr. J. B. Burns' property, and is building a dwelling thereon. -Memorial cards in great variety may be had at the Pazz Pazzs office. They serve as very neat mementos of loved ones

-A "social hop" was engaged in by a company of young folks in the town hall, last Friday evening, after the concert was concinded.

departed.

-Sportsmen are putting in full time now. It is only occasionally, however that a satisfactorily filled game bag is

brought home. -A new teacher will be required for the second department of Acton Public School, as Miss Gordon intends resigning at the of friends followed her remains to the

close of the year. -It is whispered that it was a dear and not deer that the genial agent of the G N. W. Telegraph Co., here, left to find last week in Muskoka.

-Mr. James Nicklin has purchased the property on Mill street recently own ed by Mr. James Goodall, and has taken

up his residence there. -Bev. W. Bryers was in Fergus on Sunday and preached in the Methodist Church there. Mr. M. Threadgold, of Brampton,

occupied the pulpit here. Mr. Pearson has done a very sensible thing by having the new platform and ville, and should have first prize. The friends here. sidewalk in front of his store built on the fact of the matter is, the playing of the Mrs. R. Swan and Miss Minnie Swan, same level. He seems determined to have Norval band was more meritorious than who have been visiting friends at Point having thus removed a hitherto considered similar manner by Burdock Blood Bitters everything about his premises convenient | Spreetsvile. The Streetsvile boys shouldn't Edward for several weeks, returned home | fatal disease from our path. It was paver which couldn't and in good order.

-The ground for Mesers. W. H. Storey | Town Hall Stage Ourtain. & Son's new factory on Bower Avenue has been staked out. The building will be

about 40x100, and four stories high -Mr. A. W. Green has sold his fine team af greys to a gentleman in Halifax. for a very good figure. Mr. Green is remarkably successful with his horses.

-Dame Rumor-that Indefatigable old gossip-whispers, and not very insudibly either, that several weddings will be consummated in Acton before Christmas. -Any of our subscribers who are not re-

their cases will receive prompt attention.

-The Municipal Council met on Tuesday evening, but as there was no business of importance on the docket it was decided to adjourn until Tuesday evening, 18th inst. -Two children of Mr. James Moore, of the Scotch Block, aged respectively about from, owing to some affection of the limbs

diphtheria. They were buried on Monday. -Communion services will be held in 1.90 the Methodist Church next Sunday, instead of last Sunday as previously an-7.50 nounced. Rev. C. Cookman, of Trafalgar, will officiate. -We omitted to mention last week that

Mr. James Matthews won another first prize on his horses at Erin fair. They won in all six red tickets this fall, and not one of any other color.

-It is said that Milton town hall is i an unsafe condition and liable to give way at any time that a large audience may be assembled. The civic authorities should make it secure at once.

-A company of Swiss bell-rangers and vocalists intend giving an entertainment here in the course of a couple of weeks They bear an excellent reputation, and an enjoyable entertainment may be expected. -Another Hallowe'en has passed.

few pranks were perpetrated last night but the old time depredations were not attempted. The boys are evidently a little shy of those "coolers" in the new town

can send him nothing that will be more appreciated than your local paper. Send us a dollar and we will forward the Fazz

-Next Thursday will be Thanksgiving Day, and will no doubt be observed by our Teacher's Mission," on Thursday evening. merchants and business men as a general holiday. Thanksgiving services will be announced in the Fazz Pazes next Thursday morning.

-The tax collector has entered upon his arduous duties. If our ratepayers would make it a point to be ready for him with their cash when he calls they would save both themselves and him considerable trouble and annoyance.

-The three head of young cattle which had been in the pound of the municipality for the past three months, were claimed by be held in Georgetown next spring. the owner on Saturday. They were advertised to be sold by auction on Monday. The owner came just in the nick of time.

-" Our Little Ones" for November is to hand, and fully sustains its previous reputation for excellent matter intended to interest, edify and instruct the little folks. Send fifteen cents to the Russell Publishing Co., Boston, Mass., for a specimen

-We notice by the prize list of the Marlette, Mich., Agricultural Society, published in the Leader, that Mr. John Nicolas follows :- Peerless potatoes, 1st; Late potatoes, 2nd; Genta Glories potatoes, 1st; woollen stockings, 1st; woollen yarn, 1st.

-The plow factory property, recently purchased by Messrs. W. H. Storey & Son, is being overhauled and put into a good hardly a week passes but some new family | flooring and other dressed lumber for their

new shop. -The Hamilton Tribune continues prosper, and now ranks as one of the most important daily papers of the country, and "head-and-shoulders" above any of its one cent" contemporaries. Its sworn circulation now numbers considerably over 7,000 copies daily, and for its outspoken and impartial editorials it is daily growing

in popular favor. obliged to- give up his work. Several are becoming just a little distasteful. The others also received injuries at the same time, but none of a very serious nature.

Auction Bale.

A credit sale will take place at lot 19, con; 2, Esquesing, on Saturday, 3rd Nov. of farm stock and implements, the property of Mr. Abram Mogridge. Sale at one o'clock. Wm. Hemstreet, Auctioneer.

Mrs. R. F. Pollard, of Sheridan, Trafal gar Township, whose death we regret to announce, was the only sister of Mrs. Chas Cameron, of this village, who has been in attendance upon her for several weeks past. Mrs. Pollard was a lady universally es teemed and respected, and her loss will b deeply felt, not only by her husband and family, but by all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance. A very large concours place of interment, to pay her the last sad

token of respect.

Streetsville Band. This band has been carrying off most o the laurels this fall. They carried off the 1st at Cooksville Fair over the Parkdale | week. band, and three judges out of four were in their favor at Milton Fair.-Brampton Times. How absurd. If three judges out of four were in their favor why didn't they receive the prize. The writer was present at the contest at Milton, and two of the judges out of the four stated to him that Mr. Geo. Matthews, of Montreal, spent kidney troubles, half the terrors attached to disease in a neighborhood than; bed drain. Acton band was much superior to Streets- two or three days during the week with these complaints have been removed. For age. Open the culverts and siniceways EXCHANGE HOTEL, ACTON, BEFORE PURCHASING ELSE-

-A good drop curtain for the stage in the new town hall is a necessity in almost any entertainment, and this fact was very clearly shown at the concert last Friday evening. The Fazz Parss suggested a few weeks ago that instead of asking the Council to go to any further expense in the matter, the young folks of the town take upon themselves the duty of supplying this much-felt want, by means of a series of entertainments, and we would again urge them to consider the matter. To set the ceiving the FREE PRESS regularly will oblige do any printing required for the first enterby reporting at once at the office, when tainment held for the above purpose, free

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a good deal of satisfaction with this new vehicle, and we imagine that her generous son would feel amply repaid could be see with what ease and comfort his mother is now conveyed from one point to another. She takes considerable pride in exhibiting her present to visitors.

Halton Teachers' Convention. The regular half-yearly convention of the in Oakville last Toursday, Friday and Saturday, was very well attended, consider-Oakville from many points of the county Besides 10 or 5. teschers, there were preslocal clergymen, and several others interested in the education of the youth of our county. The programme, circulated among the teachers a few weeks ago, was pretty generally carried out, and a number of very profitable discussions upon practical subjects took place. Dr. McLellan, High -Have you an absent friend? If so, you School Inspector, was present during three sessions of the convention, and in his sereral addresses presented many points of interest to those engaged in the profession Passs to any address until January 1st, of teaching. The public meetings on Thursday and Friday evenings were well attended. Dr. McLellan's' lecture on "The

St. John's Church Concert.
The concert in the town hall last Friday evening, under the auspices of St. John's Church. Rockwood, was attended by a large and appreciative gathering, and the programme presented by the management was one of the best ever given an Acton audience. The talent was of a higher order than is generally found in an ordinary concert, and included Miss Hastings, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Crowe, and Messrs. Crowe and McLellan, Guelph; Miss Williams, Glenwilliams; Miss Strange, and son, formerly of this village, received prizes Messrs. Strange and Strachan, Rockwood. The vocalists were all enthusiastically applauded, but Miss Hastings, with her sweet and powerful voice and harmodest, unassuming style, was the general favorite. Her rendition of the "Cuckoo" was exceptionally fine. Miss Williams' singing was state of repair. Messrs. Storey & Son in. much enjoyed, as was also Mrs. Moore's. tend putting in sufficient machinery to The solos of Messrs. Crowe and Strange -Our population is rapidly increasing, enable them to get out the sash, doors, were also awarded encores. Mr. John Struchan proved himself an elecutionist of more than ordinary merit, and held the rapt attention of all present with his second reading, "The Old Homestead." The instrumental portion of the programme was performed by Mrs. Crowe, Mrs. Clarke, Miss Strange, and Mr. McLellan. The two ormer opened with a duett, " Pearl of the Sea," which was very creditably rendered. Miss Strange played in fine style "Schulhoff's Brilliant Valse," which deservedly brought down the house. Mr. McLellan -Mr. Edward Nicklin of this villags was | made a splendid rendition of the "Masonic considerably injured in a smash-up on the Marsh." Four tableaux were presented, C. V. B. at the forks of the Credit, a couple | the several characters and their surroundof weeks ago, while coming home-from ings being prepared with very good effect. Hillsburg where he is engaged in buying Our citizens have, however, seen these

> feel considerable pride in the success attending their efforts.

entertainment was greatly enjoyed by all

present, and those in charge may justly

Mr. Henry Mariatt visited friends in Shelburne last week. Miss Stells Butlin, of China, Mich., is visiting Acton friends.

Miss Emms Moore, of this village, is visiting friends in York. Miss Emma Tubby, of Georgetown, visit-

Miss Polly McDonald of Chicago, small amount. visiting friends in this vicinity. Mrs. B. F. Connor, of Orangeville, visi ed Acton friends during the week. Mrs. D. B. Freeman, of West Lorne,

Miss Emma Strange, of Rockwood, spent several days during the week in Acton. Mr. Thos. Arthurs, of Singhampton. visited friends in Actor and vicinity this

Mr. Jas. F. Grant and wife, of Sylvan Ont., are visiting Acton and Georgetown Messrs. E. and H. Manhard, of Brock-

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Teachers' Association of this county held ing the difficulty experienced in reaching ent a number of ex-teachers, trustees, the 6 LBS. FAIR TEA FOR A S. was well received, and Rev. J. E. Lanceley's "Why," on Friday evening, was

particularly flowery, and greatly enjoyed by every person who heard it The important subject of the introduction of new readers into the schools of the county was brought before the convention FURNITURE, FURNITURE. but it was deemed advisable to reserve discussion upon the question until the conference of trustees for consideration of the matter-referred to in the county council some time ago-had been held The next meeting of the association will Now is the time to get Good Bargains in Furniture, as the

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ville, paid their Acton friends a visit dur-

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