

An Acknowledged Success.

The following paragraph, with the comments thereon, appeared in the Hamilton Spectator a few days ago...

It is understood that Mr. Robert Agnew of Acton, has concluded to give up his hotel business there and lease a hotel in this city...

Georgetown and Acton, as a portion of the world knows, are in the county of Hamilton, in which the Scott prohibitory act is in operation...

In the above paragraph the Spectator virtually acknowledges that there is now very little revenue derived from the sale of liquor in Hamilton...

The Spectator resumes that fewer hotels are now necessary than formerly. It is one of the old facts that fewer hotels are necessary...

Notes and Comments. A Scott Act agitation has commenced in Grey county. Politically the Canadians hold the balance of power in Dakota.

Late reports from Glengarry county, Ontario, indicate great enthusiasm in the Scott Act campaign.

Three thousand dollars collected in fines from Scott Act violators had been placed in bank up to a recent date in Charlotte town, P. E. Island.

Ontario has decided in favor of women suffrage with regard to municipal elections. A bill to grant women the right to vote at municipal elections has passed by a large majority...

The triumph in Prince County, P. E. Island, in voting down the petition for the repeal of the Scott Act was not a mere match verdict, for, whereas the majority for the Act at its adoption in 1878 was 1,544, that against repeal was 1,874—a gain of 330 in five years.

The Fenian scare has struck Toronto. Special armed guards at night have been placed to watch the Parliament buildings and the Government House. Government officials are reticent on the subject, but it is supposed threatening letters have been received from Buffalo.

The Dominion Alliance has issued a circular urging all the counties in the Dominion to organize immediately a Scott Act campaign, the object being not only to secure to the counties the great blessings of that act, but to poll the whole country on the question of prohibition.

A grand meeting of residents of Moncton, N. B., was held on the 15th inst. which had for its object the election of a delegation to the Dominion Alliance...

Prof. Foster, M. P. has introduced a prohibition resolution into the House with a fair prospect of a large vote in favor of it. It defeated this year it is intended to have it introduced each succeeding year until carried.

Mr. Farquhar left on Monday to take a position in Toronto. Mr. Chas. A. Matthews, who has been visiting in Hamilton friends for a week or so, returned home last evening.

Halton Teachers' Association. Between forty and fifty members of this association met in convention at Georgetown last week. The programme was very good, but many of the teachers thought the convention would have been productive of more good had it been of a more diversified character...

Fire Protection. The citizens and council of Fergus are at present engaged in taking up a system of fire protection. At the last meeting of the council the fire and water committee reported that they had an offer from Mr. Northey, of Hamilton, to put in a steam engine and complete pumping plant, and lay one mile of six inch iron water main or piping, with ten or a dozen hydrants, for \$6,150.

Rockwood News. From our own correspondent. A new teacher has been engaged for the Public School in this village. Mr. John Turner, who for many years carried on the blacksmithing business here, but has been farming in the Northwest for the past year or two, has returned to Rockwood. In the frequent instances of this kind we realize the truth of the maxim "Far off fields are green."

Correspondence. Tolson vs. Arthurs. To the Editor of the Free Press. Dear Sir:—I notice in your late issue, under the heading of "The Tolson-Arthur Case" that the "Defendants" says he did not desire to appear in the newspapers. I would just ask, why did he do so, for if he had not I am sure I could have thought of such a thing. Everybody understands who "Defendants" is, and he certainly puts me in mind of the old story of the jackdaw dressed in peacock's feathers, and being newly fledged and wanting to spread his wings, and not finding room elsewhere he thought he must spread, as spread he must, and did so over a portion of the Faxe Pass, and yet he did not desire it.

Coal for Sale. The undersigned intends keeping constantly on hand a stock of hard and soft stove Coal of all kinds, which will be delivered to any part of the village. Parties desiring coal should give him a call. C. S. SMITH.

Seed Grain for Sale. The undersigned has for sale a quantity of Egyptian White Oats, weighing 45 lbs. to the bushel, suitable for seed. These oats give larger returns for the seed, than any other variety of oats now in use in this section. Also a quantity of seed Potatoes. E. NICKLIN & SON, Acton, March 15th 1884.

Benefit My Suffering Sisters! Mrs. Geo. M. Franklin, of Hunter street, Hamilton, Ont., suffered from torpid liver, congested lungs, and falling of the womb, weakness and palpitation of the heart, dyspepsia and constipation, the complaint of pain in the left side, small of back and between shoulders, nervousness and debility, and a general feeling of weakness, which she could not get rid of until she was cured by the use of Dr. K. & K.'s medicine...

Life looks bright to me. Mr. L. D. Boardman, editor of the Peterborough (Ont.) Daily Mail, writes: "My health having become undermined when lighting for the Union, I was attacked in 79 by consumption in its worst form. I had sore throats, coughs, and frequent vomiting of blood from the lungs. I was cured by the use of Dr. K. & K.'s medicine...

As hard, solid work. Charles Shad, of North Bay, Ont., was operated on for a hernia in December, 1883, by the use of Dr. K. & K.'s medicine. The recovery was complete and he has been able to do his usual work since...

As fresh as a rose. Mrs. J. Flinn, of Ontario, writes: "I was 60 years old, previous to Sept. last, when I was attacked with a severe attack of rheumatism, which rendered me almost helpless. After one month's treatment by the use of Dr. K. & K.'s medicine, I was cured and feel better than I have in ten years."

Itching Piles—Symptoms and Cure. The symptoms are moisture, like perspiration, intense itching, increased by scratching, very distressing, particularly at night, seems as if pin-worms were crawling in and about the rectum; the private parts are sometimes averted. It allowed to continue very serious results may follow. "SWAYNE'S OINTMENT" is a pleasant, safe cure. Also for Tetter, Itch, Salt Rheum, all scaly, crusty Skin Diseases. Sent by mail for 50 cents; 3 boxes, \$1.25, (10 stamps). Address, DR. SWAYNE & SON, Philadelphia, Pa. Sold by Druggists.

Wife—What's the matter now, John? Husband—Oh, that neuralgia and toothache near kills me. Wife—Why don't you go to J. E. McGavin's Drug Store and get a bottle of Fluid Lightning? You know it cures all such things as Toothache, Neuralgia, Headache, Lumbago, Earache, Sore Throat, etc. It gives instant relief.

Backer's Arnica Salve. The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sore Throats, Salt Rheum, Fever sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chillsblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by J. E. McGavin.

Wanted—Agents for the "Wanted" section. A No. 1 Roller Flour, Equal to any made in Canada. We ship every day. Give us a trial. We guarantee satisfaction. J. T. ROSE, Georgetown.

Wanted—Agents for the "Wanted" section. Canada, Wares & Shirts, as per advertisement in the "Wanted" section. All kinds of Produce taken in exchange. Hoping to secure a fair share of the trade of Acton and vicinity. Yours &c. Marshall & Edmundson.

Benefit My Suffering Sisters! A large advertisement for Dr. K. & K.'s medicine, featuring a portrait of a man and text describing various ailments cured.

A Walking Advertisement. A large advertisement for the U.S. Medical and Surgical Association, featuring a portrait of a man and text describing medical services.

"CITY GROCERY." Everything else in my line accordingly. Quality and prices defy competition. W. H. HOWELL, Corner Mill and Main Streets, Acton.

Dominion Boot & Shoe Store. You Can Secure Bargains in Boots and Shoes. Kenney Bros., Main St., Acton.

CREDIT SALE. Farm Stock and Implements. The undersigned has been instructed by Mr. John Kennedy, to sell by public auction at lot 17, con. 2, Esquimaux, on TUESDAY, 25th MARCH, 1884.

You Can Secure Bargains in Boots and Shoes. Kenney Bros., Main St., Acton. Advertisement for boots and shoes.

AUCTION SALE. Farm Stock and Implements. The undersigned has been instructed by Mr. Robert Wallace, to sell by public auction at lot 19, con. 1, Esquimaux, on THURSDAY, 20th MARCH.

ROLLER FLOUR. Under the care of an expert the GLEN ROLLER MILL is humming. The Flour made is second to none, and can't fail to please the most fastidious housewife.

ROLLER FLOUR. GEORGETOWN MILLS. Having spared no expense in repairing my mill, and having put in the latest and most improved machinery, I am now prepared to start out.

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