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## Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY MOESING, Oct. 23, 1884.

BITS OF BREVITY. Local and otherwise, prepared by the use of the pen and scissors for readers of the Free Press.

-More red sunsets-again.

-Fatten your Thanksgiving turkey. -Moses Oates predicts a mild winter. -Farmers are now busy with the root

-No beech nuts this year. Squirrels are

Cold Probabilities says a big storm

ville, has assigned. -Arthur village, with 1,000 inhabitants has eix medical men.

-The small boy is gleefully awaiting the arrival of Hallowe'en.

-Mr. A. E. Nicklin's new residence being rapidly pushed forward.

-Mr. Thos. C. Moore has now a good stock of firewood on hand. See adv. -Miss A. M. Brown's new residence, on Willow street, is completed. If looks very

well, too. -"Blessed are the piece makers" was written before the girls began to make crazy work quilts.

-Oakville has a vegetable and fruit good business. \*---Subscribe now fer the Fren Press. situation

Only ten cents per month, or one dollar a vesr in savance. -We have enjoyed some really fine

weather during the past week. Old folks ay it's Indian summer. -Missionary services in St. Alban's

Church to-morrow evening. Addresses of nterest will be delivered. -Actou's rate of taxation this year has

been fixed at 17 mills. This is two mills ess than that of last year. -Our town hall continues to be an at-

who comes to town pays it a visit. -County of Peel Scott Act Election today. We wish our neighbor a decisive victory, and believe she will realize it.

list. The ladies of the Methodist Church, white grape, and it is indeed a very fine Orangeriffe, announce one for the 31st inst. | variety. This grape resembles the Con- Nicklin.-At his residence, Main St., Acton, vote on the Cemetery By-Law? This subject seems for the time to supplent the Scott

-Arthur Cook, a young man of Brampton, injured last week while teaming poles for the telephone company, died on Satur--The Fare Parse job department has a

nicely assorted stock of Wedding Invitations in the very latest styles. Call and -Mas Mooney, Reeper of an unlicensed

hotel at the C. P. R. station, Erin, was fined \$20 and \$7 costs last week for selling liquor without a license.

-Out in the country just now there is we premise, lashin's of fun at paring bees. corn huskings and such like frivolity, peculiar to the lads and lasses.

-Leave your orders for Auction Sale bills at the FEER Pares office. We will give you a int, clean and attractive poster and for less money than city offices.

-The current question on the streets on Tuesday evening was, "Why are the street lamps not lighted;" Tommy, we don't wan't to have to speak to you again.

-The party who borrowed from this office a volume entitled "Success in Business," by a Canadian Barrister, will confer

a favor by returning the same at once. -The telephone linemen have very little respect for shade trees. They back them

up most mercilessly, and leave them presenting a rough and mutilated appearance. -An Auti remarks that those who vote for the Scott Act ought to be paralyzed; but unfortunately it is those who don't go for it who generally become so .- Ottawa

-The lamp at the Corner of Mill and Frederick streets was badly smashed by the telephone employees while engaged in trimming the willow tree there. The Telephone

Co. will be required to repair it. -The Mayor of Halton has appointed himself-Clerk of the town .- Orangerille Advertiser. When did you lose your geography, brother. Borrow one and you'll find Milton

to be a town and Halton a county. --The household goods of Mrs. John Mc-Beth will be sold by public auction at her residence, No. 10, Building Association Block, Bower Avenue, next Saturday after-

noon at 5 o'clock: Geo. Gibbs, auctioneer. -Girls who go to the trains to flirt with strange young men, should carefully read avoid all such unlady-like complications.

-Six out of seven Church of England clergymen of this county have taken the platform in behalf of the Scott Act. The old church of the people is coming nobly to the front on this important question .-

Orangeville Gazette. -Here are some interesting statistics compiled by a company of young folks while chatting about town matters the other evening:-There are residing in Acton 33 widows, 17 old maids (over 30), 11 widowers and 10 bachelors. Some are evidently destined to remain widows and old

-Mr. John Wrigglesworth, of Esquesing has sold his splendid matched team of bay horses to Mr. Hendrie, of Hamilton, for \$150. This team carried off many prizes this year and are a pair of beauties. Halton grows a very large number of first class horses, and the world is fast finding it out. -Guelph Mercury.

-Mr. J. W. Elliott. Barrister, has purchased the new frame residence, built Mill street this summer, from Mr. Huuter. It is a neat little structure, well laid out Tuesday morning to attend the wedding of and will make a cosy home for the rising a relative at Clifford. barrister. It is hoped he will not forget the one."-Milton News.

-For some cause or other Rev. D. M. Sunday, was unable to be present, and Rev. Mr. Colling Jeing absent there was no preaching service. An interesting fellow ship and praise meeting was conducted by Mr. W. H. Storey, in the morning but there was no service in the evening.

VILLAGE VARIETIES. A Collection of Local news and other mother.

Matters of special interest to our

Village Beaders. Mrs.

The Markets. The grain market shows very little change this week, wheat is a little higher is while barley and peas have dropped a cent or two. The prices are: wheat 71 to 74 Scott's private banking house, Oak. spring wheat, 72 to 74; barley 50 to 55; peas 50 to 55; oats 30.

Mammoth Roots. During the past week we have had exhibition in the Free Pres office a quar tette of mammoth white carrots, grown is the garden of Mr. J. Fyfe. Two of them weigh 44 lbs. each, and measure, one 17 inches in circumference and the other 173 The others measure, 23 inches in length. Pretty good growth.

Business Change. Messrs. Marshall & Edmondson, Grocers and Flour and Feed Merchants, have disposed of their business to Mr. H. J. Howson will take possession this week. Mr. Merevaporating establishment which is doing a . for some time, and Mr. Edmondson will go to Duluth, where he has secured a good

Curious and Interesting. Last Thursday afternoon as Misses Carrie Smith and Maggie Campbell were out rusticating in the vicinity of Smith's lime kilns, they came across a patch of wild raspherry bushes bearing second crop of fruit perfectly instured. They treated themselves to a nice little picking of the berries and brought a quantity to the FREE Parss office where they have been inspected by visitors with considerable curiosity. Ripe raspberries plucked from the bushes traction to strangers. Nearly every visitor in the middle of October is a rare sight in

A Fine Variety of Grapes. Mr. J. W. McPhee, agent for the Niegara White Grape Co., showed us the other day -Hallowe'en socials are the latest on the a sample bunch of the celebrated "Nisgara" -Have you heard any talk about the cord in size and flavor, but it is superior in Nicklin, Esq., proprietor Acton Flour Concord is among blacks. It is said to be enormously productive and a regular bearer. Mr. McPhee feels that the superior qualities of this grape renders it a pleasure to place it before the public and that he is doing all'a favor by recommending them to

become the possessors of one or more vines. Greate Synging Meeting. Ye ladyes of ye St. Alban's church con gregation will holde a grande concerte o sacred hymnes and tunes, and likewise worldlie songes, under the patronage of ve olde folkes in their best clothes, in ye synging halle of ye towne of Acton, on Thursday, ye sixth day of ye monthe November. in ye yeare of our Lord, MDCCCLXXXIV Thanksgivinge day. Ye cost to see and

beare ye olde folks shall be 2 Yorke shillings. Ye men and ye womenne can sit together. All ye monies wh shall be payde for ye hearing of this synging shall be for ye debt on St. Alban's parsonage house. This will be a greate tyme. See programs.

Death of a Respected Citizen. Yesterday morning the sad news of the death of Mr. Benj. W. Nicklin, proprietor Acton Flour Mills, was announced to our citizens. As previously referred to in these columns, Mr. Nicklin was the subject of a surgical operation, on the 4th Oct., when a cancerous tumor of considerable dimensions was removed from his arm-pit. Since that time he has been suffering from a complication of troubles. Erysipelas attacked his arm and in a few days rheumatic fever made its appearance in his system .-Thenceforth he was as helpless as a babe and suffered terribly until death came to his relief early yesterday morning. Mr. Nicklin was sixty-two years of age. Settled in Acton with his father's family in 1847 His father was engaged in the milling business, and in 1857 deceased with his brother Edward-now senior member of the firm of E. Nicklin & Son-took possession of the mill. This partnership existed until five years ago when it was dissolved, Mr. B. W.

of all in their affliction.

Itching Piles-Symptoms and Cure Nicklin continuing the flour business and The symptoms are mousture, like perspir-E. Nicklin & Son the baking and grain tion, intense itching, increased by scratch buying business which had developed in ng, very distressing, particularly at night, the meantime. Mr. Nicklin was a man seems as if pin-worms were crawling in and respected by all. Owing to his very close about the rectum ; the private parts are attention to business he never gave much ometimes affected. If allowed to continue attention to public matters. He was from very sérious results may follow. "SWAYKE's early manhood a member of the Methodist DINTMENT' is a pleasant, sure cure. Also Church, and was a charter member of for Tetter, Itch, Salt Rheum, all scaly, Acton Division Sons of Temperance. The crusty Skin Diseases. Sent by mail for 50 temperance cause was one much in favor the daily accounts of ruined lives caused temperance cause was one much in favor by this first seemingly innocent step. A with him. We are sorry to lose him from by this first seemingly innocent step. A our midst. The family have the sympathy virtuous young woman will be careful to our midst. The family have the sympathy our midst. The family have the sympathy Pa. Sold by Druggists.

Drug Store.

PURELY PERSONAL. The Strangers who are in Town and the Citizens who are out of Town for Picasure and Profit.

Mr. W. J. Moore, of Montreal, is here visit for a week or two. Mrs. H. Grindle and daughter, of Guelph,

isited friends here this week. Mr. Thomas Easton spent several days his week with his son John, at Sarnia. Mrs. Thos. C. Moore and Nelson spent a few days during the week with friends at

Miss Sade Wrigglesworth, of Toronto, is the guest of Mr. J. A. Lambert, foreman FREE PRESS.

Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Colling spent the past week with old friends and parishion. Messrs, Thos. J. Speight and Geo. Wilds

left this morning for Seabright on a deer Mr. J. A. and Miss Lottie Speight left on

Mr. J. E. McGarvin spent a couple of injunction: "it is not good for man to be days this week at Bathurst. Mrs. McGarvin returned home with him on Wednesday. Miss Emms Smyth who has been visiting McKenzie, of Milton, who was announced her brother, Mr. W. T. Smyth, for some to occupy the Methodist Church pulpit last time, left for her home, Midford, Muskoks,

Mr. Alfred Warren, of the Nebraska Jouract staff, Lincoln, Neb., returned home on Tuesday, after a visit of several weeks at his uncle's, Mr. John Warren, Dep.-Reeve Miss Morton had so far recovered from her recent illness that she was able on Friday to leave for her home at Arva, near London. She was accompanied by her

Mrs. Joseph Fernley, of this village, went to London a few weeks ago on a visit to friends in that city. While there she was taken seriously ill and is now in a very precarious condition.

Mesers. W. J. Nicklin, Montreal, Rich, Thurtell, Teeswater, Richard Nicklin, Pilkington, and other friends from a distance, are here to attend the funeral of the late

Benj. Nicklin, Esq. Col. Allan and Mr. C. S. Smith returned from their trip to Denver, Col., last Friday evening. They had a very pleasant time and found their sons-Mesers. J. C. Allan and W. S. Smith-who are in business in that city, doing well, and in excellent

The Key Note Sounded. Elsewhere will be found a large and attractive advertisement representing the business of Mr. W. P. Brown, Grocer, &c. of Milton, late of Toronto. Mr. Howson Mr. Brown has a very large assortment of goods and says he does not intend to be shall intends remaining with Mr. Howson undersold. His shop is not as large as some others but it would surprise you if you carefully examine his stock to find how little there is in the lines carried that Brown doesn't keep in stock. Read his

announcement and inspect his goods.

THE CRADLE Horrs.-At the Parsonage, Mount Pleasant

on the 19th inst., the wife of Rev. R Hobbs of a daughter. THE ALTAR. Bell' - Birxo. - In St. John's Church,

Elora, on the 6th Oct., by Rev. P. L. Spencer, Mr. Alex. Bell, of Nassagaweya. to Miss Susy Blinco, of Pilkington. WALTON-BOOMER .- In the Presbyterian Church, Clifford, on the 22nd inst., by Rev. Stephen Young, Mr. Frank Walton,

Banker. Palmerston, to Fanny, eldest daughter of Mr. Jno. Boomer, merchant,

Mills, aged 62 years and 5 months. STEPHENSON.-At Lowe Farm, Morris, Man. on 16th inst., William Wesley, son of Mr. Wm. Stephenson, formerly of Acton,

aged 4 years and 9 months. The little fellow was sick only eight days with malignant sore throat. He had good medical attendance but nothing could be done for him. 'He was a remarkably bright and smart child.

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