-- The residents of Church Street are very anxious for a new sidewalk on Church Street, between Mill and Willow streets. They should have it. -The Brussels Post celebrates its twelfth birtlday this week. The Post is an excelrepresents the town of Brussels. -The Herald goes for Georgetown council for not supplying the fire brigade with satisfactory hose and other appliances. The hose is in a rotten condition. -The reconstruction of the roadway on

next Tuesday.

in the Sun's career.

corporation limits is most favorably commented upon by all who traverse it. -The Milton Sun says the H. & N. . R. station in that town is the model as much respecting the G. T. R. station

Main street from the school lane west to

-Halton gaol has two crazy and two indigent occupants. It is, likewise, the cleanest and tidiest gaol in the province, and is a credit to the gaoler .- Milton Sim (next door.)

-The Wiarton Echo has just entered upon its seventh year. The Echb is a live newspaper and exerts itself in the interests of the village of Wiarton and the Northern Peninsula generally.

-The officers of the Salvation Army spent several days during the past week at Grimsby camp-meeting. Privates Marshall, Agnew and Hemstreet superintended the services in their absence.

-It is our aim to give all the local news possible, and to that end we are always pleased to receive anything in the way of news-items interesting to the community generally from our subscribers and readers.

-To Seneca G. Ketchum, Esq., editorin-chief of the Dufferin Post. Kind and respected sir. We crave your dignity's pardon, and will promise hever to say it again, if you won't fire any more of those mysterious caps. at us. Will that do?

-Our Limehouse correspondent has apparently forgotten his "Sparks;" this week. Perhaps as having has commenced he's more than ordinarily busy. We hope your harvesting operations won't interfere with your spicy and always welcome weekly let-

ters, friend " Rock." -Mr. Henry Hough, for many years editor and proprietor of the Cobourg World, has sold out that journal to Messrs. Williams, Snellgrove & Howell. Mr. Hough will remove to Toronto, having purchased a considerable interest in the Grup Publishing Company.

-Mr. A. E. Matthews, superintendent Press. It is full of home news, and welcome it Saturday mornings as a letter.' Thanks. Will endeavor to make it an ever

Twould Be a Leathery Pic-nic. The employees of the Canada Glove Works pie-nicked in Cameron's Grove Saturday afternoon. The pic-nic was ar ranged by the cutters and finishers, the lady operators were their guests. very enjoyable afternoon was spent.

THE WEEK'S RAKINGS.

At GEO. HYNDS', Acton.

School Books, Slates, School B.us, Ser

goods, toys, birthday cards, &c., &c.

GEO. HYNDS, Acton, Ont.

The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY MORNING, JULY 9, 1885.

CRUMBS FOR BREAKFAST.

Provided by the Ever Thoughtful Free

Press Reporters.

Council meeting next Tuesday evening

-There's a run on paris green just no

.-School's closed, and the small boy

-A roller skating rink prospector was in

-A band concert or fruit festival wou

-Brampton is laying down sidewalk

eight feet wide at \$5.75 per rod.

Liornes of the above town.

last week, \$132 was realized.

celebration at Guelph next Monday.

brought only slush and mud; but the sum

Mesars. Dice, Centre, and Hon. G. C. Mc-

that much fall wheat will be rusted.

just now by boating and bathing parties.

-Last Sunday was the first in two

loose again.

town this week.

now be acceptable.

Testaments, a large stock.

of goods. Give us a call.

Besides my well selected stock of Watches,

Clocks, Jewellry, Spectacles, Silverware, I Which are Principally Local and Al keep in stock the best selection to be found Interesting

in Acton of Stationery. Note paper from 5c, per quire to 40c.; Envelopes from 5c. Damages Claimed. per package to 20c.; Monraing Envelopes Mr. R. F. Leslie has demanded \$10 from the County Council for damages to the contents of his wagon when it went through bling Books, Pencils, Pens, Ink, Bibles and the bridge over the river Credit at George Wedding and birthday presents, fancy town paper mills some weeks ago.

Boys For Canada. The leading store in Acton for this class Dr. Barnardo, of London, England, sending out about the last week in July, party of one hundred Boys for farm other employments. Those desirous engaging boys should apply early to M Edward Duff, Superintendent, Hazel Brae Peterborough, Out. Visiting Our Cemetery.

Reeve Storey and Councillors Henderso and Stephenson, cemetery committee Acton, paid Guelph a visit on Friday They came to have a look at the Union Cemetery and see how the plots are laid out Acton recently purchased land for a ceme tery, and its representatives are desirous having the place properly surveyed. company with Mr. Davis, surveyor, they -Is the Acton cheese factory project en drove to our city of the dead," and made a thorough four of inspection. They expressed themselves as highly pleased with its appearance, and no doubt obtained the information they are desirous of acquiring.

Guelph Herald. The Canadian Pictorial. The fourteenth number of this interesting publication is to hand. It contains a large number of illustrations among which are the following :- Roughing it at the Front -The farmers are now expressing fears from sketches by Mr. F. W. Curzon, Special Artist of the Canadian Pictorial, with Gen. Middleton's Command : Louis Riel taking -Nicklin's pond is liberally patronized his daily Constitutional at Regina. Also a fine two-page supplement showing Gen. -The Glorious Fourth was fittingly obdiddleton's Expedition by river to Fort served by American citizens last Saturday. Pitt; Battalion Drill by the pupils of the -The regular bi-monthly session of the Public Schools, in the Old Lacrosse grounds Fourth Division Court will be held here to-

Toronto, June 25th, 1885, from Special

Photographs and Sketches. The paper sells

at 15 cents per copy, obtainable from local

months that hadn't a shower of rain before booksellers and from the office of publication. Free Press Job Department. -The Mount Forest Representative wants The FREE PRESS Job rooms are well equipped with the best styles of type and the Star Lacrosse Club to challenge the presses and first class printing material generally. As a consequence the excellent -At a strawberry festival at Mount job work we turn out has a wide reputation Pleasant circuit, Rev. R. Hobbs, pastor, and we are frequently favored with orders from distant places. During the past week -Acton Cernet Band has been engaged we sent out several jobs respecting two of to accompany Erin L. O. L. to the Orange which the following acknowledgements are

-Cold was winter, fall was dreary, spring I'm delighted with the eight-page annual reports, you can depend upon receivmer makes us weary, and unstarches every ing further work I may require."-REV. R Houns, Mount Pleasant. "Circulars to hand. I am more than -Milton's Board of Health is composed leased with them. The type is splendidly arranged and the circular exceedingly atas follows:-The Mayor and Clerk, and tractive and cannot fail to command atten-tion. -- W. H. Howert, Jerseyville.

An Acceptable Appointment. -Another session of the Court of Revi-Rev. Robt. Phillips, late of Granton, who sion was held on Tuesday evening. The was recently appointed at conference as roll will be finally audited and approved superintendent of Acton circuit of Methodist Church, arrived with his family -- The Milton Sun had added steam power last week. His introductory sermons on to its cent improvements. We are pleas-Sunday were interesting, scholarly, ed to notice this additional mark of progress most acceptable, and proved to the hearers that the new pastor is a man of no mean ability and education, and that his greatest desire is to be the successful instrument in God's hands of winning multitudes of souls for the Kingdom. His pastorate lieretofore has been fraught with marked success. The members of the church here are a unit in lent local paper, is neatly printed, and ably | welcoming Mr. Phillips to Acton, and are prepared to join hands with him in every work calculated to advance the interests of

Albert College Convocation The convocation and closing exercises Albert College. Belleville, last week were specially interesting and successful The several meetings and entertainments were largely attended by citizens, visitors, and former students, and particularly at the conferring of degrees, the granting of diplomas, and the awarding of honor certificates. depot on the road. Wish we could say half At the annual meeting of the Afumni Society the following officers were elected for the

President—Rev. Amos Campbell. Vice-Pres.—Ida E. Martin, M.L.A. -Minnie Reynolds, Mus.

-H. P. Moore, Com. Secretary-Prof. T. F. Holgate, B.A. Treasurer-Matilda Young, M.L.A. The college closed on the 30th June for summer vacation, and will re-open with the Michaelmas term on the 4th Sept.

Installation of Officers. At the regular meeting of Acton Lodge, I.O.O.F., No. 204, last Friday evening, the officers for the current term were installed by Bro. H. P. Moore, D.D.G.M., assisted by Bro. Geo. Havill, P.G., of Waterloo Lodge, Galt, and Bro. Jas. McLam, P.V.G.,

Acton Lodge, as follows :+ Bro. J. E. McGarvin, J.P.G. I. Francis, N.G. R. Geo. Pratt, V.G. A. E. Nicklin, R.S. . P. Moore, P.S.

> R. E. Nelson, Treas. W. Williams, W. Havill, C. Speight, I.G. Durno, O.G. Jas. McLam. R.S.N.G. R. Wheeler, L.S.N.G.

. McFarlane, R.S.V.G. R. Garvin, L.S.V.G.

V. H. Lowry, R.S.S. Worden, L.S.S. Marshall, Chap. . E. Nicklin, R. to G.L.

The Grand Lodge will meet this year Hamilton on the second Tuesday in August. Inother Anti-Scott Fire.

It was only a couple of weeks ago that

we published an item from the Kincardine Reporter rtspecting the burning of the Prominent among the greatest medical buildings in that town of Mr. Jos. Barker, president of the Bruce Scott Act Association by liquor men, who had previously threatened it, and this week we give one from the Subjected to the minutest chemical analysis, to plastering the fire hall now occupied as Orangeville Advertiser, showing that this it has been found to contain one of those a school room. cowardly and diabolical business is being injurious ingredients characterizing the of the B. & O. Telegraph Co. Syracuse, N. carried out in Dufferin too :- "On Thurs- Northless specifics daily offered to the Y. writes us ;-If there is anything I ap day night the alarm bell sounded and it public. Every ingredient possesses a peculwas soon discovered that the saw mill of iar adaptability to the various complaints. Mr. O. Juli was in flames. There was a for which it has been compounded, and its good deal of delay in bringing the hose to efficacy is being established by testimonials play on the fire, and the mill was soon de- hourly received. We are therefore confistroyed. There is no doubt but this was dent that we have a preparation which we the work of an incendiary. Mr. Jull is an |can offer to the public with the assurance earnest supporter of the Scott Act, and we that it will be found not only a relief but learn that threats were made against him an absolute cure for Dyspepsia, Liver Comby some of the liquor party. The loss of plaint, Indigestion, Constipation and Im-Mr. Jull is serious, as there was no insur- pure Blood. Free trial bottles at J. E. ance. Such acts of persecution will only McGaivin's Drug Store.

to punish the law breakers."

Telephone Extensions. The Bell Telephone Co. announces the the completion of a Trunk Line, east from Kingston as far as Prescott, connecting also Gananoque, Brockville and Maitland n Ontario, as well as Ogdensburgh, Cantou, Hewelton, Richville, Potsdam and other points in the State of New York. The Company has a large force of men at presout engaged in building lines, and will be able to complete new extensions in many

different directions shortly. Assault and Battery. A case of assault and battery was arranged for hearing before Reeve Storey at 10 o'clock on Tuesday morning, but when the constable went to take charge of defendent he had flown. The affray took place in Nassagaweya, and was as follows :- On Sunday a man named Arch. Currie living near Sayers' mill was abusing his wife, who fled to Mr. Sayers' residence for protection. Currie, followed her and attacked Mr. Sayers for protecting her, struck him in the face and threatened to shoot him. Efforts are being made to bring the fugitive

Dominion-Day Prizes. The secretary of the Driving Park As sociation favorss us with the following list prizes awarded at the games and races on Dominion Day :--100 Yard Race-1st, C. Martin; 2nd, Geo.

300 Yard Race-1st, Best; 2nd, King. Half Mile Race-1st, Best; 2nd, W.

Running Jump-1st, King, 18 feet; 2nd Running Hop Step and Jump-1st, King, 10 feet 3 in ; 2nd, Martin, 38 feet 7 in. Standing Jump-1st, D. Bell, 10 feet 101

Green Trot-1st, R. Creelman, Georgetown; 2nd, A. W. Green, Acton; 3rd. W Three Minute Trot-1st, Mr. Vail, Mont eal; 2nd, Thos. Black, Brampton; 3rd.

Running Race-1st, McClure, Brampton; 2nd, Henry Ross, Little Falls; 3rd, T. Black, Brampton. Open Trot-1st Thos. Black, Brampton nd, Mr. Vail, Montreal.

PURELY PERSONAL.

aragraphs Respecting People with Whom our Readers are Individually or Collectively Acquainted.

Mrs. I. Francis spent several days last week with friends in Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Nicklin of Glovers ille, N.Y., are home on a visit.

Miss Alice Hughes spent several days his week with friends in Guelph.

Mr. Robert Snyder, of Mount Forest, risited friends in Acton last week. Miss Daisy Burtch, of Toronto, has been the guest of Acton friends during the past

Mr. John Cook returned to his duties in Coronto on Monday, having spent a week Mrs. J. E. McGarvin returned home

Friday after spending a few days with friends at Orangeville. Mr. John Mann, Richard's Dock, Manifoulin Island, left yesterday, after spending

week or so with friends here. Mr. W. A. McIntyre, B.A., Principal of Winnipeg Public Schools, formerly a P. S. teacher in this vicinity, paid us a friendly

Mr. P. Frick, of Newark, N.Y., is guest of his brother, Mr. W. Frick, the zentlemanly superintendent of the mechanical department of Moore & McGarvin's Satchel Factory.

The school teachers in 'this section or their homes last Friday, as follows: Miss Jelley to Mount Forest, Misses Baxter and Forfar to Toronto, Miss Easterbrook to Brookville, and Mr. Shannon to

Mr. F. H. Smyth, of Detroit Post staff and Mr. W. J. Nicklin, of the Montreal Times, both graduates of the FREE PRESS office, are in town spending a few days with old friends and acquaintances. They both look well and hearty.

Rockwood News.

From our own Correspondent: Mr Thos. Black is still very low from

A log building erected in 1840 has been torn down. The first building is still in a

good state of preservation. Several cases of inflammation have

occured in this neighborhood lately. None have so far resulted fatally. Rev. W. W. Sparling preached his fare well sermon to a large audience Sunday

He has won the esteem and regard of all denominations during his sojourn here, and his departure will be regreted by all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance. Mrs. McKechnie and daughter were injured by lightning during the thunder

storm on Sunday 27th ult. A barn was also day evening. burnt together with all the implements &c. The insurance had run out some weeks before and had not been renewed, consequently a total loss.

Mr. A. Abbot was buried in Everton the following accounts: Cemetery on Sabbath last. His funeral C. W. Francisco, remodelling blackwas largely attended, there being about one hundred and seventy-five vehicles in the procession. He had been suffering from broken ribs that had imperfectly knit together. Rev. Mr. Kilgour preached the funeral sermon in the Disciples' church to a. full house of all creeds and denomi-

ed, McGregor's Speedy Cure leads the van. also to confer with the council with a view make the friends of the act more determined

-Gooselierries and courrants for sale cheap at Mrs. S. A. Secord's.

C HOW OR NEVER

HARACTER, I BEG TO inform the residents of Halton that I am about to leave Acton short-APACITY, ly, and those desiring

A high financial authority of this country recently pronounced these three-Character, Capacity, Capital as the chief elements of success in the career of men, and while all were considored requisite, he put the relative value of each in the order in which it is placed, Applying this principle to the business of Dry Goods it means character first. Character that makes a man's name the synonym for probity, honor and commercial safety. | Character that will cause a man to adhere to truth even at an apparent sacrifice. Character that will scorn hypocritical pretensions and deceitful methods Character that ensures a good repute, for a man is generally estimated at

APITAL.

Character that will make a man inflexible to principle, yet kindly considerate and sympathetic towards all. Character whose past record makes a man's statements worthy of cred

is true worth.

Character that will demand and receive the confidence of those with whom he comes in contact.

Capacity second. Capacity to direct, control, to master details as well as acquire a broad view of general

Capacity to keep expenditure within the healthy scope of income, "Capacity to understand the wants and desires of the times. Capacity to say a decided "yes" or "no" as occasion requires. Capacity to comprehend and act on the fact that this world was created to be occupied by a few others besides the man himself.

Capital third. Capital to meet engagements promptly and punctually, to take advantage of every benefit accruing therefrom and of every phase of the market. Capital that will open every door and avenue to the man of business, and cause him to stand firm during times of depression and difficulty. These three are all great, but

the greatest of them all is Character. 'Please note. We are in constant receipt of Novelties, and have just opened out some specially Cheap Lines in every Department. Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Millinery, Ibressmaking and Clothing.

E. R. BOLLERT. 27 Lower Wyndham St., CUELPH.

Letter From the North-West. To the Editor of the Free Press.

DEAR SIR : - I enclose amount of subscription for the FREE PRESS and pen you a few lines respecting our present situation.

The crops here are looking very well just now. We have had a good deal of rain but at present the weather is very dry. spring was an exceedingly early one. have fifty-nine acres of prairie, broken up and all ready for crops next year. day was observed by us, and while dur old friends and fellow-citizens in Acton were planting their streets with maples, we were engaged in planting poplars and balm of gilead. We set out two hundred trees, Glad to say the rebellion has been ought to a termination It has had the effect of very much retarding emigration

into the country this spring. It has caused us all very much pain and Myrte sorrow to read of so many deaths during the winter and spring among the people of Adton and vicinity.

We receive the FREE PRESS very regularly and it is the most welcome paper that comes into our home. We would be almost lost here without it, as neighbors are very

Believe me to be Yours truly,

somin, Assini boia, N.W.T., June 30th, 1885.

BOARD OF EDUCATION Light Docket and a Short Ses-

sion at the Monthly Meeting. The regular monthly meeting of the Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Board of Trustees of Acton Public School Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quickwas held in the council chamber on Mon- en the Blood and Heal, as its acting power

The Finance Committee presented ourth report recommending payment of world, should be in every family hardy for Thos. Ebbage, building fence, &c .. |

I. P. Moore, salary, postage, &c... John Lindsay, interest on note .... Moved by J. E. McCarvin, seconded by Geo. Hynds, that the report just read be

The property committee was instructed to examine the school building and premises

The board then adjourned THE ALTAR. DYNES-MICHIE-At the Manse, Acton.

Valentine Dynes to Miss Thomason Michie, daughter of James Michie, Esq., Lowerby, Mr. Peter J. Smith to Miss Susan M. Worden, all of Acton

THE GRAVE. McPhenson—In Esquesing, on the 30th June, Archie Thomas, infant son of Robert and Caroline McPherson aged 2 noss, give the Syrup according to directmonths and 28 days.

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For coughs, colds, bronchitis and all lung

INQUEST.

An inquest was held over a large potato bug found dead, and the following verdict returned :--That the said bug had come to its death by swallowing the Photos thirty-second part of a grain of pure Paris Green, obtained at Mc-Garvin's Drug Store. This shows the minimum dose required to cause death when this drug is obtained in its purity.

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