

AT GEO. HYND'S.
Seasonable goods arriving—Express Wagons, Carriage Bells, Rubber Balls, Shipping Ropes, Lacrosse Supplies, Fishing Tackle. Our stock of School Books and Stationery is the best in town. Give us a call.
GEO. HYND'S SELLS CHEAP.
The Acton Free Press.
THURSDAY MORNING, APRIL 23, 1886.

CRUMBS FOR BREAKFAST.
Provided by the Ever Thoughtful Free Press Reporters.

—Hot X buns.
—Now for street cleaning.
—Good Friday, tomorrow.
—Roads in fine condition again.
—Milton people talk of organizing a rifle club.
—The oyster has farewelled for the season.
—Straw hats have been ordered to report for duty.
—Read Kenney Bros. new adv. in our next issue.
—April showers will bring May flowers. Yes, and mud.
—The farmers here are busy with their spring plowing.
—The lacrosse boys expect to wear a neat suit this season.
—Fishing tackle will now be brought from its hiding place.
—Most agreeable and acceptable spring weather the past week.
—The thermometer rose to nearly 80° in the shade on Tuesday.
—Business generally will be suspended to-morrow—Good Friday.
—Rev. Sam Jones, the revivalist, will spend October in Toronto.
—The carpenters, painters and paper-hangers are rushing business now.
—Our citizens generally have inaugurated their spring gardening operations.
—The Metropolitan Studio will be open for business on Good Friday as usual.
—There'll be a boom in eggs about Saturday. They are down to ten cents now.
—Guelph Millinery openings were inaugurated with the aid of brass and string bands.
—Every farmer can show just caws for the killing of a crow. Give us the crow-mo—
—\$50,000 damage was done in the immediate vicinity of Oakville by the recent heavy storm.
—There was no meeting of the Council Tuesday. The Councillors failed to put in an appearance.
—A meeting of the Board of Health will be held in the Council Chamber on Monday evening next.
—Easter sermons will be preached in the Methodist and Episcopal churches next Sunday morning.
—Acton is likely to have a lively and attractive celebration on the Queen's Birthday. More anon.
—The Street and Sidewalk Committee should get their street cleaning brigade immediately to work.
—Mr. W. Kelly, of this place, has purchased a barbering business in Erin, and is doing a lively trade.
—Acton has paid \$108.85, and Nassagaweya \$33.43 to the Upper Canada Bible Society since 1st January.
—Counterfeit 25-cent pieces are in circulation. They are dated 1883, and are good imitations of the original.
—Talmage.—The newspaper is book pulp, platform and forum all in one. Subscribe for the FREE PRESS.
—Acton should have two or three additional Magistrates. At present the list of active J. P.'s is rather inadequate.
—The revising officer will hold a sitting in the town hall, Acton, on the 4th June, at 10 o'clock, for final revision of the Dominion Voters' List for Acton.
—Two weeks ago the trains experienced a snow blockade. To-day balmy spring is and has been here for a week in all her luxuriant warmth and growth.
—The FREE PRESS job presses are just now running on an order of 40,000 cards for the enterprising firm of W. H. Storey & Son, wholesale Glove Manufacturers.
—Service in St. Alban's Church to-morrow morning at 10.30 and in the evening at 7.30. Service in the Methodist Church to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock.
—The minutes, accounts, &c., of Esqueving Township Council have just been executed by the Georgetown Herald. The job is creditably done and a fair price paid for it.
—Mt. Forest's three newspaper men are members of the new Fire Brigade. Nothing like getting men into the company who are used to hard work and accustomed to being in hot water.
—Lacrosse and base ball playing on the street should be discontinued. Windows have been broken through this practice in McGarvin's Drug Store and in the FREE PRESS office during the week.
—Rev. R. Phillips will preach a sermon to Odd Fellows in the Methodist Church next Sunday evening. It is the occasion of the sixty-seventh anniversary of the establishment of the order in America.
—His Honor Judge Miller has fixed the date of the final court of revision for Milton town, under the Electoral Franchise Act, for June 10, at ten o'clock in his chambers. The 15th May is the last day when objections or amendments may be put in.
—Mr. Anderson Beatty writes that he is not a member of the firm Robinson & Beatty, referred to in connection with the Rossin House, in our last issue. We are undecided as to which deserves congratulation therein, the firm, or the Rossin House, or Mr. Beatty.
—Mr. Stirtan, Dentist, of Guelph, will devote Saturdays exclusively to patients from a distance. Nitrous oxide gas or vitalized air given. See card.
—Messrs. Rutledge & Crosson are doing the best business of Acton now. You can get first-class meat and any kind you may desire whenever you order.

THE WEEK'S RAKINGS.
Which are Principally Local and All Interesting.

Ankle Broken.
Last Friday morning as Wm. Schraif, who is employed by Mr. Wm. Newton of the 4th Con. near Limehouse, was in the act of getting over a fence he fell and fractured his left ankle. Under the skill of Dr. Lowry he is progressing favorably.
A Good Order.
Messrs. W. H. Storey & Son, of the Canada Glove Works, have received an order from the Dominion Government for fifteen hundred pairs of real buck, one fingered, lined driving mitts for the North West Mounted Police. The order is worth about \$1600 and must be completed within six weeks.
The Black Knot Nuisance.
Our readers should pay attention to the black knot on their plum and cherry trees. At this season all diseased trees should be destroyed in order that those not already affected may be saved. Any owner or occupant who allows any black knot to remain on any plum or cherry tree shall be liable to a fine of not less than \$5 nor more than \$30.
License Commissioners' Meeting.
The new Ontario license commissioners, held a meeting in the jury room of the court house on Tuesday. There were present Col. Campbell, Messrs. Dice and Kennedy, commissioners, and License Inspector Brothers. Mr. Kennedy was elected chairman of the board, and Mr. Dice secretary. We understand that a vigorous campaign of Scott Act enforcement has been decided upon, of which more anon.—Milton Sun.

The Free Press at the Colonial.
The Free Press Job Department ships this week a frame of specimens of job work to be placed on exhibition at the Colonial and Indian Exhibition. A Montreal gentleman who has seen and admired a good deal of our work kindly volunteered to exhibit the specimens in connection with his own exhibit, without reference whatever to the paper by us. He thinks "it will surprise a good many Englishmen to learn that such work can be turned out in a Canadian town of 1250."
Right Foot Badly Cut.
On Monday evening as James Sinclair, a young man about eighteen years of age was cutting wood at his home on Young street, by some means the axe glanced and coming in contact with his right foot effected a very deep and painful gash. The cut extends from the large toe obliquely across the centre of the foot, the muscles and tendons being severed. Dr. Stacey has called in and upon examination found that some half a dozen stitches were necessary. The wound is now healing nicely.
A Narrow Escape.
While a daughter of Mr. Peter Redpath, of Nassagaweya, about 18 years of age, was crossing the C. P. R. Bridge, near Christie & Henderson's lime and stone works, she was taken by surprise by a train, which came so suddenly upon her that all she could do to avoid being run over was to get on one side of the track and cling to the timbers. She managed to do this, but owing probably to fright fell through the bridge into the water below, a distance of 30 feet. She was badly shaken and bruised, but fortunately no bones were broken, and she is progressing very favorably.
Knox Church.
Rev. Dr. Torrance, of Guelph, preached impressive sermons in the Presbyterian Church last Sabbath. At the close of the morning service the congregation was asked to vote on the petition to Presbytery for leave to extend a call. The vote was unanimously in favor of petition. A public meeting of the congregation will be held next Monday evening to appoint commissioners to support the petition before the Presbytery, and to determine the amount of stipend the congregation is prepared to offer. Rev. D. B. Cameron will occupy the pulpit next Sabbath, and will preach sermons in both English and Gaelic.
Blockade on the G.T.R. at Limehouse.
On Monday evening not a little consternation was caused at Limehouse, and along the line of the G.T.R. when it was found that a few minutes after an eastern bound freight train had passed through "the cut" west of the depot at eight o'clock, about seventy feet of the stone wall on the north side had fallen upon the track, covering it with rocks, stones and earth to a depth of from three to eight feet. Traffic was completely suspended over the road for the night. Construction trains were summoned from Toronto and Stratford and all the section men between these points spent the night in assisting to clear the road. Under the superintendence of Engineer Clark and Road Inspector Bruce, the track was cleared about 6 o'clock on Tuesday morning and the Chicago express passed through as usual. The midnight train was sent around by Hamilton and Harrisburg and the other trains were cancelled.

THE CRADLE.
EBBAGE.—In Acton, on the 19th April, the wife of Mr. Thos. Ebbage of a daughter.
TALBOT.—In Erin, on the 19th April, the wife of Mr. Thomas Talbot, of a daughter.
THE ALTAR.
PETTIT—KENNY.—At the residence of the bride's father, on the 14th April, by the Rev. W. S. Griffin, D. D., Melvin Pettit, of Comber, Essex Co., to Anne Augusta, only daughter of W. W. Kenny, Esq., Guelph.
THE GRAVE.
GIBBONS.—In Esqueving, on the 9th April, Jane, widow of the late Thos. Gibbons, aged 87 years.
SAYERS.—In Nassagaweya, on the 16th April, Mary, wife of Mr. Peter Sayers, aged 23 years.
CLARK.—In Georgetown, on the 17th April, the wife of Mr. Thos. Clark, Clark's Hotel, aged 42 years.
BLACK.—In Nassagaweya, on the 19th April, David, son of Mr. Geo. Black, aged 8 years and 7 months.
ELLIOT.—At her residence in Guelph, Township, on the 14th April, after one week's illness of inflammation of the lungs, Elizabeth, wife of Mr. John Elliot, and daughter of Mr. Robt. Brown, Esqueving, near Acton, aged 30 years.

An unnatural shortness of breath, with unusual disposition to pleurisy and bronchial affection, indicate that the blood is full of uric acid poison, which can be removed through the kidneys by means of Warner's safe cure.

PURELY PERSONAL.
Paragraphs Respecting People with Whom our Readers are Individually or Collectively Acquainted.

Mrs. H. J. Hall, of Berlin, visited friends in Acton this week.
Mrs. R. Reid, of Orangeville, is the guest of Mr. J. E. McGarvin.
Mr. Charles Freeman, of Akron, Mich., visited friends here this week.
Mr. Silas Hill, of Markdale, visited friends here during the week.
Mr. H. M. Maslans, who is attending Woodstock College, is home for Easter.
Mr. John Henderson of Upper Canada College, Toronto, is home for Easter vacation.
Mrs. Dr. Freeman, of Georgetown, spent a couple of days this week with Acton friends.
Mr. E. Bailey, late founder and editor of the Oakville Express, spent Sunday last here.—Oakville Star.

Misses Jenny Storey and Tena Bremner are home from Demill's College, Oshawa, for Easter vacation.
Mr. Asa Hall left on Tuesday to spend a week or so with Rev. C. Coolman, and family, at Waterdown.
Mrs. P. McGregor, and Miss Jessie, of Galt, who are about to remove to Georgia, paid Acton friends a farewell visit this week.
Mrs. M. Bricker, of Listowel, is visiting friends here. We believe Mr. and Mrs. Bricker are shortly to remove to Southern California.
Colonel Allan, of Acton, was in town on Wednesday last, and was the guest of Mr. D. McDougall, County Registrar.—Berlin Telegraph.

The FREE PRESS was favored with a call on Monday evening from Mr. R. E. Nelson, of Guelph. R. E. is just as popular in Guelph as he was here, and both business and social affairs are booming with him.
Scott Act in New Brunswick.
St. John, N. B., April 19.—The Scott Act was defeated in St. John to-day. The vote was, for the act, 1,610; against, 1,687. In the adjoining city of Portland the act was carried by 614 for, to 485 against.
An Ex-Lt. Governor's Successful Risk.
SYRACUSE, N. Y., Jan. 1st, 1884.—Three years ago I felt tired and worn out. Had nausea, occasional retchings, sense of weight and fullness in the lower part of the body. Feverish, hot and chilled. Seemed to be giving out. Unable to obtain relief. Determined to take my case in my own hands. Used Warner's safe cure. Am completely restored to health. Nothing like it for diseases incident to declining years.—T. G. ALVORD, Ex-State Lieutenant-Governor.

FOR SALE.—One Brussels, one Tapestry, one Kidderminster and one Hemp carpet, all too large for floors of new houses. Will be sold for best offer, in preference to cutting them up. Also three walnut bureaus, two 8-day clocks (more than required), and handsome black walnut bedstead. Intending purchasers will please apply between the hours of one and three p.m., and get a bargain. Mrs. S. A. SEXTON.

St. Alban's Church
EASTER SERVICES.
REV. W. J. FICOTT, Incumbent.
Good Friday, April 23rd
Morning service at 10.30.
Evening service and sermon at 7.30. Subject—"It is Finished."
EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 25th
Holy Communion at 10.30 a.m.
Usual evening service at 6.30.
ALL ARE CORDIALLY INVITED.

BAD BLOOD.
SYMPTOMS Blisters, Pimples, Boils, Rash, Eruptions, Tumors, Abscesses, Bad Complexion, Low Vitality, Poor Circulation, &c. An Impure Blood and Poor Circulation is sufficient to cause nearly every disease. The Symptoms must vary according to the Organs most affected.
CAUSE Scrofulous Constitution or Hereditary Taint in the system, Bad Air, Improper Diet and Manner of Living, Bad Drainage, Inactive Bowels and Kidneys, Weak Lungs, Torpid Liver, and many other obvious causes, including want of Cleanliness. An imperfect Organic action makes Bad Blood, so too Bad Blood in turn makes imperfect action of every bodily Organ.

CURE Observe strictly all the Laws of Health; Keep the Skin Clean; the Bowels and Kidneys in perfect working order to carry off poisonous matter; Avoid High Living; Have access to Pure Air and Healthful Exercise; Eat Plain Nourishing Food, and take
BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS,
The Great Key to Health, which unlocks all the Secretions by acting upon the Four Cardinal Points of Health—the Stomach, Liver, Bowels and Blood. In this manner Burdock Blood-Bitters makes Pure Blood.

"A BIG MAJORITY"

Guelph, April 19th, 1886.
Now that the event of the "opening season" has passed, when thousands were delighted with the rich musical treat which we were enabled to tender to them, and thousands were still more delighted with the magnificent display of lovely goods which adorned our Store and Show rooms, and the verdict of everybody in reference to the whole affair was that "Bollert is ahead by a big majority," we purpose settling down to solid business, to give our customers the very best attention, and to further demonstrate, as we have already done, that No. 27 is not only the best place for music, but also the most satisfactory, reliable and profitable house to make your Dry Goods purchases.

Every Department is crowded with Beauty, Novelty and value.
Specialties this week in the Dress Goods Department.
Large Lines of Nut's Nelling, much under price.
Great piles of Black Cashmeres, at 50c., worth 75c.
IN THE CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.
Grand Line of Scotch Suitings, lovely goods.
Big range of All-Wool Tweeds for Boys' Wear, very cheap.
IN THE STAPLE DEPARTMENT.
Great bargains in Twilled Sheetings.
Beautiful line of Linen Table-cloths.
IN THE FANCY GOODS DEPARTMENT.
50 doz. Ladies' Hosiery at 12c., worth 25c. per pair.
50 doz. Ladies' Extra Seamless, at 25c. worth 45c. per pair.
Great values in Ladies' Lisle Gloves.
Great value in Ladies' Silk Gloves.
All sizes and shades in well-known Marquise 4-button Kid at 75c., absolutely without its equal in the trade.
Grand lines in Laces, Embroideries, Flouncings, etc.
Polite attention, no herring to buy, no puffing, splendid light to see goods, one price, strictly cash.

E. R. Bollert,
27 Lower Wyndham Street, Guelph, Ontario.

THE Cemetery Question
Is not settled yet, but the fact that
W. WILLIAMS
Has the best stock of
Boots and Shoes
In the County is settled beyond dispute.
I have just received my Spring Stock, and am prepared to suit all old customers and as many new ones as see fit to give me a call, in all lines of footwear.
Boots for the babies.
Boots for the men.
Boots I do make.
Boots I do mend.
Custom Work and Repairing promptly attended to.
Wm. Williams.

EXCELSIOR BAKERY, ACTON.
Having purchased the above Bakery from Mr. D. MANN, I hope to give satisfaction to the numerous customers who patronize it.
Thanking them for past favors, I will endeavor to attend to customers promptly and obligingly, and trust that they will one and all extend to us their patronage.
I use nothing but the best Roller-Flour, and keep it in stock.
Fresh Bread, Buns, &c., every day.
Also Steam Bread.
Cakes of all kinds, New York Tea Biscuits, Soda and Oatmeal Scones, on hand or made to order at shortest notice.
Wedding Cakes a specialty.
Biscuits and Confectionery of all kinds, being Sugar, Ginger Snaps, Boston Mixed Cakes, Wholesale Flour.

Butter and Eggs taken in Exchange for Bread at Market Prices.
Mrs. T. Statham.

GARDEN SEEDS
OF ALL KINDS. FRESH AND RELIABLE.

PAINTS AND OILS.
FIRST-CLASS AND CHEAP.

LACROSSE & BASE BALL GOODS
JUST ARRIVED. NEW PATTERN CAUGHNAWAYA STICKS. SPAULDING'S STANDARD BALLS.
CHEAP!
McGarvin's Drug and Stationery Store, Acton.

"IN 'OMNIA PARATUS."
I am advised, through the Photographic Press that owing to labor difficulties in the United States, glass is very rapidly increasing in price. This has caused a large increase in the price of the patent instantaneous DRY PLATES, now in general use by photographers, and the photographers will, in order to protect themselves against loss, shortly be obliged to increase the price of Photos. Fortunately I have a good stock of Dry Plates on hand, and will execute first class photos at the old prices up to the 1st May. All desiring photos should sit for them, prior to that date, for immediately thereafter, prices will be raised.
A. A. RUBY, Metropolitan Studio.

ORDERED CLOTHING!
JOHN NELSON
Begs to inform the public that he has opened an
ORDERED CLOTHING DEPARTMENT
and has a choice stock of
SCOTCH, ENGLISH, AND CANADIAN TWEEDS, WORSTEDS, FANCY PANTINGS, &c., At Lowest Prices. Satisfaction Guaranteed.

We still have on hand a full line of
NICE FRESH GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, ETC.,
VERY CHEAP.
TERMS, CASH OR PRODUCE ONLY.
JOHN NELSON.

GRAND MILLINERY OPENING
—AT THE—
GOLDEN LION

GUELPH.
Nos. 5 and 7, Wyndham St. 84 Oswald St., Glasgow.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, 15th, 16th and 17th INSTS.
Ladies all cordially invited to attend. No Cards.

OUR STOCK OF—
French Dress Goods, Silks, Satins,
Millinery, Mantles, Fancy and
Staple Dry Goods,
Is unequalled in Guelph.

Our Dress-maker, MISS TODD, has already earned for herself a most enviable reputation as being at the top of her profession. The steadily increasing orders that she is receiving shows that she is appreciated. Remember
THURSDAY, FRIDAY & SATURDAY
OF THIS WEEK,
THE LION, OF GUELPH,
HOLDS HIS
Spring Millinery Opening
And that the fare will be refunded to anyone on Saturdays who buys \$5 worth, and on any other day to anyone who buys \$10 worth of Dry Goods.

J. D. WILLIAMSON & CO.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.
NOTICE.

VILLAGE OF ACTON.
In the said Electoral District, for the final revision of the list of voters for Polling Districts Nos. 1 and 2 of the Village of Acton.
All objections and claims for additions to or amendment of the said list, with grounds therefor, and the name, address and post-office address of the person objecting to any name on the list, or claiming to add to or amend the list in any other respect, unless the same have already been sent or delivered at the preliminary revision of the said list, must be delivered to the said Revising Officer at his chambers, Milton, or sent to him by registered letter, addressed to him at Milton, before the twenty-first day of May, 1886, in the same form as nearly as may be as of notice of complaint in the schedule to "The Electoral Franchise Act."
If the objection be to the name of any person already on the list, the person so objecting must at the same time deliver or mail by registered letter to the person so objected to, at his last known address, a copy of the notice of objection.
T. MILLER,
Revising Officer for the Electoral District of the County of Halton,
Dated April 10th, 1886.

NOTICE.
VILLAGE OF STEWARTTOWN.
In the said Electoral District, for the final revision of the list of voters for Polling Districts Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the Township of Esqueving.
All objections and claims for additions to or amendment of the said list, with grounds therefor, and the name, address and post-office address of the person objecting to any name on the list, or claiming to add to or amend the list in any other respect, unless the same have already been sent or delivered at the preliminary revision of the said list, must be delivered to the said Revising Officer at his chambers, Milton, or sent to him by registered letter, addressed to him at Milton, before the eleventh day of May, 1886, in the same form as nearly as may be as of notice of complaint in the schedule to "The Electoral Franchise Act."
If the objection be to the name of any person already on the list, the person so objecting must at the same time deliver or mail by registered letter to the person so objected to, at his last known address, a copy of the notice of objection.
T. MILLER,
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Dated April 10th, 1886.

GUELPH CLOTH HALL.
SHAW & GRUNDY
Would announce the arrival of a large
Importation of Scotch Tweeds
Direct from Britain.
Gentlemen would do well to call at once and secure an early choice of Patterns.

SHAW & GRUNDY
Merchant Tailors, Guelph.
MRS. E. H. PASS
GUELPH.
Millinery Opening.

LADIES, we beg to inform you that our Millinery Show Rooms are now open.
NEW SPRING HATS, FEATHERS, FLOWERS, WINGS, LACES, GLOVES,
Ladies, kindly give us a call.
Our Dress and Mantle Making.
In this department we are fully prepared to execute all orders entrusted to our care. Our reputation being established for the last fifteen years, we need not tell our numerous customers they are sure of a fit and latest styles. FINICKS TO SUIT ALL OCCASIONS.
Jackets and Dresses Cut and Fitted.
Straw and Chip Hats made over in all the latest styles.
We have on hand a large assortment of Hair Switches, Saragosa Waves, Frizzes, &c., &c.
APPRENTICES WANTED.
51 Lower Wyndham Street.

Your Spring Suit
M. BRENNAN
Has pleasure in announcing that his Tailoring Shop in Mrs. Secord's Block is now open and in full running order, and in a position to fill all orders.
—He is showing—
GOOD TWEED SUITS AT \$12
(SOLD ELSEWHERE FOR \$15).
SCOTCH TWEED SUIT, \$17 & \$18
(SOLD ELSEWHERE FOR \$23 AND \$24).
FINE WORSTED SUIT AT \$20
(SOLD ELSEWHERE AT \$25).

Gentlemen wanting a first-class, good-fitting coat, etc., may rely upon being gratified in every respect by leaving their orders with
BRENNAN,
THE CLOTHIER.