

The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY MORNING, JULY 8, 1886.

OAKVILLE HARBOR GRANT.

Our contemporary, the Milton Star, occupied over a column of its valuable space last week in needlessly telling the public how great was its esteem and respect for Senator McKindsey; and in haranguing the Free Press, as it has frequently done before, about being a political organ in disguise. The Star's excited leader is all provoked because, in the absence of the editor of this journal, the editor pro tem unintentionally omitted to credit the Senator with having been instrumental in securing the grant for Oakville harbor. We desire to see the Star cool down, considering the extreme heat of the weather at the present date, and consequently we make amends for the unintended omission of our associate editor by now giving Senator McKindsey due credit for the important part he took in inducing the Government to grant to Oakville the assistance with a grant of \$3,000. We are satisfied that the Senator used his great influence with the Government, and even with the Premier himself, in Oakville's behalf, for he informed us of the fact the other day with his own lips. But while on the subject we desire to point out just a little of the unfairness which is apparently necessarily followed by party political organs generally. It seems that the Star cannot be satisfied with ascribing all the credit in the matter to its "rare friend," the Senator, but it must go further and misrepresent the actions of the member for the county, simply because he is a political opponent. This the Star goes out of its way to do as follows:— "As a matter of fact Mr. McCraney did not even refuse to accompany the delegation of his own town to interview the Minister."

Now, we have no political reasons whatever for referring to this injustice, but when we have facts in our possession to prove the falsity of the statement, we cannot, as a public journal upholding truth and justice, stand quietly by and see a worthy citizen of the county, occupying the most prominent position in the gift of the electorate, be so miserably misrepresented. The facts in the case are these: It is true that, although Mr. McCraney exerted himself in every way in his power to accomplish what was desired from the Government in Oakville's behalf, he did not accompany the delegation—which, by the way, was very naturally composed entirely of Conservatives—to interview the Minister. But the reason for this was certainly not because of his refusal to do so, nor of any lack of interest in Oakville, his home, but simply because the delegation itself decided that it would not be beneficial for Mr. McCraney to accompany them before the Minister, as he was identified with the Opposition; and Mr. John Barclay, of Oakville, a member of the delegation, waited upon Mr. McCraney and made him acquainted with their decision. Mr. McCraney replied that he was willing to acquiesce in anything which was deemed best for the town, and would do all he could in any other way for it.

These are the facts about Mr. McCraney's refusal to accompany the delegation, and the Free Press is fully prepared to substantiate them. NOTES AND COMMENTS. From present indications there is no hope for the success of the Gladstone Government in the British elections now in progress. Canada is from fifty to one hundred years behind its nearest neighbor—Utica Press. In what, trineast? Railroad building? Canals? Merchant marine? Law and order? Rowing? Baseball? Seizing schooners? or What?—Hamilton Spectator. Owing to a defect of form the Scott Act is not applicable to British Columbia. It is due to the Senate that it was not made so during the past session. British Columbia owes the Senate undying opposition till that house of liquor representatives is wiped out.—Toronto World. One of the Pharaohs has been disinterred at Bulak, near Cairo. The mummy was dug up in the presence of the Khedive, and proved to be the remains of Ramesses III, of the twentieth Egyptian dynasty, who reigned about 1200 B. C., and was a near descendant of the Meneptah who was, probably, the Pharaoh of Exodus. The Kingston News fired off a vigorous editorial the other day in which it proved to its entire satisfaction that the Scott Act is a complete failure in Berlin. The article was well written, the logic faultless, the points well put. There was just one fault to find, but that is a somewhat serious one. The Scott Act is not in force in Berlin, and has never been even voted on there.—Woodstock Standard. The assurance given to the President of the Dominion Alliance by a representative of Cardinal Taschereau that the bishops were about to issue a pastoral in favor of prohibition is of the most momentous importance. A hundred thousand votes will be swung by such intimation. The country outside of the Province of Quebec has already declared itself for prohibition and this, it is safe to say, insures the achievement of Quebec.—Windsor.

The Winnipegcentricity of the world is the most interesting theme of an article just published. The writer looks forward as we do, and quotes Mr. Gladstone and the late General Grant as doing so likewise, so a complete federation of the Anglo-Saxon race, which, he thinks, would necessarily result in bringing the centre of the race to this Continent, and as Winnipeg is in the centre of the Continent, and on the shortest lines through it from Europe to Asia, Winnipeg might be the capital.

OUR NATAL DAY.

How the Day was Celebrated in Acton by an Immense Gathering of 3,500 PEOPLE IN TOWN. Thursday last, the twentieth birthday of our beloved Dominion, was celebrated in Acton by a gathering of people, the magnitude of which must have gladdened the heart of the most sanguine member of the committee in whose hands was entrusted the duty of arranging and carrying out the programme in connection with the day's celebration. The weather was fine and pleasant, a trifle too warm, however, for much exercise with comfort. From early morning vehicles of every description and crowded trains brought thousands to town to witness and take part in the sports, feeling confident of having a pleasant holiday, and in this they were not deceived. The amusements of the day commenced with a calthumpian procession under the leadership of General Papamichalopoulos. The grotesque band paraded the streets and then proceeded to the morning tea to welcome the arriving visitors. The Cornet Band and the Crescent Lacrosse Club also met the trains and escorted the Hamilton Lacrosse Club and visitors generally down town. At 10:30 the lacrosse match was opened. This match, which was expected to be an interesting one, proved a very one-sided affair altogether, the home team playing all around the Etinas, and taking three straight games. The Crescent defence had very little work to do, almost all the play being in the neighborhood of the visitors' flag. The first game, including stoppages, occupied about an hour, the second twenty minutes, and the third half a minute. The home team treated the visitors with the utmost courtesy, and did all in their power to assist them in enjoying the day. Following is a list of the members of each team:—

Table listing members of the Crescent Lacrosse Club and the Hamilton Lacrosse Club, including names like T. Kennedy, J. Lawson, and W. Spaight.

At 12:30 the athletic sports commenced. Considerable interest was manifested there. They resulted as follows:— One hundred-yard foot race—1st, A. McQuarrie; 2nd, Jas. Ross. Three hundred-yard foot race—1st, Jas. Ross; 2nd, A. McQuarrie. Half mile race—1st, R. T. Smith; 2nd, J. Lambert and W. Mitchell (divided). Running jump—1st, H. Saunders, 17 ft. 10 in.; 2nd, J. King, 16 ft. 11 in. Standing jump—1st, H. Saunders, 11 ft. 6 in.; 2nd, A. Brothers, 10 ft. 10 in. Running hop, step and jump—1st, H. Saunders, 39 ft. 3 in.; 2nd, J. King, 39 ft. 1 1/2 in.

Tag of war, between Esquering and Erin, won by the former. The teams were composed as follows:—Esquering—Jas. Murray, John Stewart, Alex. Campbell, John Campbell, W. Shortell and A. McDonald; Erin—A. Johnson, T. McEnery, A. McEachern, J. Near, A. Campbell and R. Talbot. The tug was the cause of a good deal of amusement. The horse races were opened at 3:30, and the several prizes won as follows:— Green Trot—1st, J. Gallop; "Right-eye-see"; 2nd, Dr. Winn; "Little Joe"; 3rd, R. Nicklin; "Telephone." Running Race—1st, Dr. Marshall, V.S.; "Edie Campbell"; 2nd and 3rd divided, N. Martin; "Maud"; and S. Mitchell; "Maud S." Three-minute Trot—1st, Thos. Black; "Joe Black"; 2nd, J. Robertson; "Rown Jack"; 3rd, T. Johnson; "Nella King." Open Trot—1st, Thos. Black; "Joe Black"; 2nd, D. Henderson; "Ringwood Stallion"; 3rd, R. Robertson; "Rown Jack."

DOMINION DAY NOTES. It is estimated that 3000 persons visited the Driving Park on Dominion Day. Ladies were admitted free, boys half price, and nearly \$900 was taken in gate money. A satisfactory feature of the celebration was the entire absence of serious accidents of any kind during the day. Goodwill and friendly feelings prevailed during the day, and all seemed intent upon enjoying themselves and assisting others to do the same. A noticeable particular in the day's proceedings was the remarkable absence of people under the influence of liquor. Only a load of rhydlies, who said they came from Waterloo, and who brought a keg of lager with them, and publicly exhibited their disgusting belligerent capabilities; and two or three others, evidenced indications of having imbibed intoxicants during the day.

More Resolutions. In addition to the resolutions of the County Temperance Association, published in the Free Press last week, the following were adopted after the departure of our reporter:— Resolved.—1. That this Annual Convention of the County of Halton desires to place on record its undiminished interest and confidence in the Scott Act, as a practical and powerful agency for the suppression of the evils of the liquor traffic. 2. That the success of the Act in this County and elsewhere inspires all temperance workers with fresh zeal to prosecute their noble, self-denying labors in moral reform and to save the youth from early corruption. 3. That the vigilance and base opposition from some well-known persons to the law for the enforcement of the Act, and the unmanly, villainous attacks made by some newspapers upon both the officers of the law and the temperance public, are every month reminding all the advocates of social reform and the churches of this our beloved country, of the imperative necessity of enforcing the law and of concentrating the franchise for general prohibition. 4. That this Convention cherishes a high regard for W. H. Young, Esq., for his faithful and honorable administration of the County Temperance Act, and also for the seal and integrity of the Inspector of the County. 5. That the Milton Reformer, Acton Free Press, Georgetown Herald, and Oakville Star are commended to the patronage of all who love happy homes and good order.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The Estimate of the Expenditures for the Current Year. ADJOURNED FOR TWO MONTHS. The Trustees of Acton Public School met in regular monthly session on Monday evening. Present, the chairman, Mr. J. E. McCarthur, and Messrs. Dr. Lowry, W. P. Brown and George Hynds. The Finance Committee presented their fourth report, recommending payment of the following accounts:— John Lindsay, interest on note... \$ 18 00 H. P. Moore, stationery and postage... 1 87 \$ 19 87 Report adopted. The following report was subsequently laid before the Board:— We, your Committee on Finance, present the following as our estimate of the expenditures for the Public Schools of the village of Acton for the current year:— Salaries..... \$1440 00 Fuel..... 100 00 Interest..... 60 00 Contingencies..... 128 00 \$1728 00 Government Grant..... 122 00 Balance..... \$1606 00

And we hereby recommend this Board to request the Municipal Council to raise by taxation upon the rateable property in the school division, the said sum of sixteen hundred dollars. Moved by W. P. Brown, seconded by Geo. Hynds, that the fifth report of the Finance Committee just read be adopted.— Carried. Moved by W. P. Brown, seconded by Dr. Lowry, that the Board do now adjourn for two months.— Carried.

PURELY PERSONAL. Paragraphs Respecting People with Whom our Readers are Individually or Collectively Acquainted. Miss Mary Brown is visiting friends at Bismark. Miss Minnie Secord is the guest of friends in Hamilton. Mrs. J. M. Fernley is visiting friends in Courtright and St. Thomas. Mr. C. L. Young left town last Saturday to enjoy a week or so of holidays. Mr. Geo. Marjatt, Jr., of Shelburne, visited friends in Acton and vicinity last week. Mr. and Mrs. R. Royce left Saturday to visit friends in Erasmus and Grand Valley. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Weavers, of Toronto, visited friends in Acton and vicinity last week. Mr. H. D. Warren, of the Herald, is W. P. of the Georgetown Division Sons of Temperance. Miss Annie Corrigill, who has been visiting friends at Orillia for some time, has returned home. Miss Ellen Goodall, left on Saturday to spend a week or so with friends at her home in Berkton. Miss Miss Langrill, of Knatchbull, has gone to New York to spend a year with her sister, Mrs. G. W. Malash. Mr. E. W. Draper, representative of the Finger Bicycle Company, of Coventry, Eng., spent Monday in town. Miss C. McPhail, teacher of Lorne School, left on Monday for her old home in Manilla, County of Victoria. Miss Crosson, who has been visiting Mr. W. H. Crosson for some time, left for her home at Woodbridge on Dominion Day. Mr. J. B. McLeod, son of W. McLeod, Esq., Reeve of Georgetown, received the highest honors in the fourth form for classical attainments at the closing of the Upper Canada College. Mr. P. C. Fleury, of Fleury & Sons, Stouffville, spent a few holidays this week with Acton friends. Mrs. Fleury and Miss Nellie Speight, of Markham, returned home with him on Monday. Rev. Walter Laidlaw, son of the late Dr. Laidlaw, of Milton, received suit accepted a call from the congregation of the Presbyterian Church at West Troy, New York, at a salary of \$1,800 and a free manse, and was inducted on the 25th of May last. Miss Louise Harrison, daughter of the late Thos. Harrison, graduated at the closing exercises of the Hamilton Wesleyan Female College last week and was awarded the gold medal for painting, and also the gold medal for music.—Milton Champion.

Mrs. G. W. Malash, who has been very ill with paralysis of the left side, for the past eleven weeks at the residence of her mother, Mrs. Langrill, Knatchbull, has owing to the care and skill of her physician, Dr. T. B. Winn, of Haltonville, been enabled to return to her home in New York city. At the meeting of Toronto Presbytery on Tuesday, Mr. John McKay, B. A., read a thoughtful and carefully prepared discourse on the text, "The seed of the woman shall bruise the serpent's head." After he had given an address on a New Testament subject, several members spoke in terms of the highest praise of the candidate. He was formally licensed after undergoing an examination in Church history and theology, and having subscribed to the necessary formulas.

A.O.U.W. in Rockwood. Rockwood Lodge, 265, was instituted at Rockwood by Wm. Long, D.G.M., assisted by members of Erin and Hillside lodges, on Wednesday, June 30th, with 30 charter members. The following are the officers: Past Master, Rev. F. Swan; Master, Hugh Black; Foreman, W. Faries; Overseer, D. L. Schultz; Recorder, John Strachan; Financier, John Innes; Receiver, Tindell Lundy; Guide, J. Farris; J. W. J. Croft; U. W. J. Bocket; Trustees, Dr. Dryden, J. McQueen and J. Hamilton. Medical Examiner, Dr. Dryden.

THE CRADLE.

Guelph.—In Erin on the 5th July, the wife of Mr. Robt. Campbell, contractor of a daughter. Berlin.—In St. Clair, Miss, on the 4th July, the wife of Mr. Lyman S. Babin, of a son. McCraney.—In Erin, on the 5th inst., the wife of Mr. Stewart McCulloch, of a son.

Interesting News. Dominion Day in New York was celebrated in a very satisfactory manner by the Canadian Club at their new clubhouse. Mr. Erasmus Winn, the President, presided. Speeches were made by the Rev. Dr. McCarthur, a leading Baptist divine of New York, who is a Canadian; Dr. Waters, of New York, also a prominent minister and Canadian; Mr. John Paton, of Jessup, Paton & Co., bankers; Mr. W. B. Ellison and Messrs. T. Gates, Short, Townsend and Olders.—The Club has now nearly 400 members and is increasing rapidly. Chief Poundmaker died on Monday at Crowfoot camp from the bursting of a blood vessel. While addressing the London Methodist Conference, Rev. Dr. Carman, General Superintendent, urged that it was not only expedient but necessary that the clergy should make their influence felt in Parliamentary politics. He said in closing:— On the great temperance question of the country he said that it was a sphere for the energies of the Church. It was marvellous, when people wanted ministers to keep out of politics, how holy they found these ministers were. But ministers were not in the etherial regions, and must put their feet on the solid ground of this earth if they would make their influence felt. The politics of the country were insular state that a general moral issue was needed. It was not for them to go after railway subsidies or land grabs, but the temperance question was a soul issue, and they were solemnly bound before God and his angels to stand firmly on this temperance question. Perhaps the time has come for an advanced statement on this question, but it was their duty to put the political influence of this country, as far as in their power, on the side of morality and temperance. In the case of slavery in the South a third party had been necessary to accomplish his destruction. He would not say that was necessary now, but the time had come, in his opinion for the religious bodies to speak out in the advance issues of the case.

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This is Division C. Raspberries are in. The Advocate was Erin.

Now complete and holiday excursion. There was no more on Tuesday evening.

The Mercury has churches on Sunday. Mr. E. Thurston brag the burdocks on Guelph.

Mr. P. Thurston's tion to his residence of. "New-mown-hay perfume of the counter begun heretofore."

A Sabbath school the Brick Church this able time is anticipated.

The plank floors House sheds have been class metal of fine bro

An interesting Anderson & Co., Geor a great cheap sale will issue.

As previously announced Knox Church for the purpose of minister.

A meeting of the Club will be held in on Friday evening, 9th desirable.

Arrangements for the holding of the Temperance Camp in the middle of August.

Short sessions at minister who reads in the—or the state of the who is the popular m

The weather of the warmest of the sea has spent most of his in the vicinity of the

Mr. John McKinn 6, near Acton, raised in the country last week largest, too, being 600

Midsummer motto millets and barbers; in the case of the latter their customers' hair marks.—World.

The Crompton Berlin, granting the ten years, was carried very large majority; by-law of \$12,000.

On Friday morning a clock, the stable of destroyed by fire. The work of an inch \$100 Insurance \$50

Among other which are unavoidable issue is a letter on "Rafe," by A.L.C. It first page of next issue

A normal bible of Sabbath School lesson in the Methodist Church lips. The class will room each Wednesday

Charles Sattin; residing in Guelph, on Monday evening; he had with a severe severe sufferer from a disease.

We are in receipt of the committee of the International Bazaar Berlin on the 11th, 12 An attractive program Chorus with from the

While singing Moore's tannery last Smith, foreman of ment, inflicted an ugly wrist. Dr. Lowry was ed and dressed the w will likely be able to few days.

The address last week after work on l very interesting read of our subscribers. The dates thereof many hundreds more of that feeling so long doted they do.

Rev. F. Swan, B the two appointment Brick—added to Re Methodist Church; he morn were earliest a til further notice the be: The Brick 2:30 6:30 p.m., each Sund

With its issue Declaration completes all thirteen numbers so admirably has the want, that its fortin, been welcomed by an increasing circle of prominent character tone, of all the room furnishing and fancy

A. Smeets.—The artist, is owing to his makes.—Metropolitan