call when you want a pair. GEO. HYNDS, ACTON, ONT.

THE FRUIT SEASON le now at its heachth, and

and all kinds of Fruit as they come it Orders for any quantity of any kind of Figuit taken and filled with the best the times afford-Fernley's is the attraction for Fine Confection ery, Campel Goods, Ice Cream, toda Water, &c.

J. M. FELNLEY. In the Post Office Building.

## The Acton Free Press. THURSDAY MORNING, AUGUST 5, 1886.

CRUMBS FOR BREAKFAST.

Provided by the Ever Thoughtful Free Press Reporters.

The wheat is being harvested in good -- Eighth month-August. Now for tor-

rid weather. -- The small fly is now altogether too

Mectionate. -The Prohibition Campopeus at George

town next Thursday. -Pritty cool weather two or three days

this work, for August. -The Bennett House, of Georgetown,

has been leased to a man from Glenwilliams.

-The Maple Leafs defeated the Binghamptons at Guelph the other day by a score of 8 to 1.

-The St. Alban's and Baptist Churches pic-nicked yesterday. They both had an enjoyable time.

-At excursion train from Goderich and Seaforth. 13 coaches, passed through Acton on Tuesday for Toronto. -Mr. Wm. Hemstreet, bailiff, sold his

chestrut driving mare, on Tuesday, to Mr. J. W. Kennedy, of Agincourt, for \$180 cash. - Read the new advertisement of Messrs.

Henderson, McRae & Co., in this issue. printing office. Drives, jobs and bargains are the order of | An Interesting Volume.

like some of her sister towns, finds the sub- duced at these two Conventions. The as happy as in the days of his youth.

-Elder Sheppard. formerly of St. Thomas, and well known to many of our readers. is expected to take charge of the Disciples' of the joint reports will be sent to any ad- days, and the good old scientific game is Church at Ridgetown.

-Au immigrant special train, composed of three coaches and some 85 passengers, went through Acton on Tuesday, on their way to the Western States.

-It is time now to cut off the prolific thistle in the prime of its existence, before it has grown to a ripe old age and scattered its seed over half a township.

-The stone store opposite the Rockwood flour mills, formerly owned by Mr. John Nelson, of this place, was sold the other day fee of 10 cents. It is hoped that in the are heavy hitters, as many of the home to Mr. S. Kert, Eramosa, for \$550. -The other day John Bushline, of

Arthur, pleaded guilty to a second offense against the Scott Act, and Police Magistrate Lowes fined him \$100 and costs. .- Butter yellow is a favorite shade with

brown this season, says a fashion writer. It is a sort of brown bread and butter.combination that ought to be popular with the Everybody says "whew!" these days.

It is the most popular word in town as chizens mon their red and perspiring faces A. Hemstreet, and John B. Cameron, and pause in the shady places to paut for -The 29th of August will be our civic

holiday. There will be an excursion ria N. & N.W., under the auspices of the Georgetown Band, to Port Carling .-Tegegetagen Herald. -Weddinginvitations. Parties contemp-

lating marriage should call at the FREE PRESS Office and see our samples of wedding invitations, which will be printed in fine style on short notice.

-Mr. James Moore's Cordovan Works, cordovan leather of first class quality. The

now disposing of the grain purchased last some few at least of our unfortunate fellowwinter, and are in consequence losing very heavily. It is estimated that a loss of \$20,000 will have to be divided amongst

-The poor photographer gets no holi days-in fact expects none. He knows a thing of beauty is a joy for ever, and he makes the beauty last as long as the joy by taking its photo. Mr. A. A. Ruby, our

town photographer, perpetuates beauty, -- The late Thomas Shortreed, whose death was announced in the FREE PRESS a few weeks ago, left an estate valued at \$35,400, consisting of household goods, \$1,000; moneys secured by life insurance, \$5,400; bank and other stocks, \$20,000.

-The communion services in the Methodist Church last Sunday were well attended. Rev. Mr. McKenzie, of Milton, was too ill to be present. There was no reason for disappointment, however, for the sermons of Rev. R. Phillips, the pastor, were all

that could be desired. book of narratives "Life Pictures from al valuable town properties registered free Rum's Gallery" has been appointed for from incumberance. Friend Hilliard's Acton, who will duly call upon our citizens. The work should have a very large circula- all times honorable, and the principles adtion. Testimonials from eminent gentlemen, respecting the book, will appear in | right and progress. The standing of the

-Judging from the manner in which some of those who drive treat those who that the law gives the preference of the Munro have not yet made their bow to the Bowes-On July 22nd, in great peace, John right-of-way to the pedestrians. A woman public through the columns of the Chronicle, or child who is crossing the street is not and we are consequently unacquainted obliged to look out for the man who is with their proposed platform. However, driving the team, but it is the contrary."

L - Ray. J. Duff, of Elors, will occupy the pulpit in Knox Church next Sabbatl morning and evening. Mr. Duff is one oldest ministers in the Presbytery. jubilce service will be held in Elora of the 10th inst., by the minister of Guelpl

Presbytery to celebrate the fiftieth anni

versary of his ordination. --- A farmer who bought binding twin at Oakville last week was the victim of the bad boys of that village. They noticed the end of a ball hanging out of the waggor and hitched on immediately, and th farmer not noticing the trick drove on and soon five or six hundred yards of twine was laid up the street! The sentiment expressed by the farmer on discovering his loss are not recorded; but they probably

were expressive enough. -The Orangeville Post has been interriewing the citizens as to their opinion concerning a change of name, owing to the unenviable notority the town bears under the present name. About half of the people stick to the old . hme' and the others tare divided between Dufferin, Cardwell, Orange City and Lawrence. The Algoma Pioneer suggests that the authorities should clean out the dynamiters or the place should be called Sheel.

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

Senseless and Despicable Sport A couple of boys amused themselves on Tuesday by firing a broadside of revolver Work is progressing at Harvey's flour | bullets through the public school windows. mill. The new flume is about comfleted. Thirty-nine window panes were fractured. that the son of a citizen and a city chum who was visiting with him played the contemptible trick. The youth's friends will

repair the damage done Our Exhibit at the Colonial Exhibition. A friend at the Colonial Exhibition, London, Eng., writes respecting the specimens of printing sent by the FREE PRESS to | played and was the subject of the biggest the exhibition, as follows:-" Your frame | fun of the season. In about an hour of of samples of job printing on exhibition in entergetic play, wherein every man strained the Canadian Court here is very much every nerve-and some muscles too-to admired by printers and others." This is | win, a goal was won by each, and the deencouraging, and we are sure our readers | ciding game was postponed until some futuwill be pleased at the attention paid to re evening. The band sernaded the players, work executed in an ordinary Canadian and the grounds were brilliantly illuminat-

We are in receipt of a copy of the re--Milton Council, at their meeting on ports of the Provincial Sabbath School will be played this evening. Monday night, made a grant of \$50 to the | Conventions, held in Brockville and Strat-Band to aid them in the purchase of their ford. This is a volume of about 250 pages | game of cricket on the Clippers' grounds. Lilton is agitating fire protection, but, discussions upon important subjects intro- hour to spare-was present, and felt almost ject rather a startling one when finances work is of much interest to Sabbath School | The game was played with considerable

Woodhouse, Secretary pro tem box 525, season.

Acton Choral Society. self-sustaining, as a series of musical entertainments of attractive character are in prospect. The society have a regular

weekly meeting every Wednesday evening. Acton Band of Christian Workers. The quarterly election of officers of the Band, in connection with the Methodist Church, was held on Tuesday evening and was as follows :- Supt. Rev. R. Philips, leader, W. P. Brown, asst. leaders, Thos. T. Moore, James Moore, Issac Francis, Ed Secty-Treas. H. P. Moore, asst. J. M. Fernley. The Band has two regular weekly

services; on Tuesday evening and on Sunday evening after the preaching service. Their meetings are always earnest and interesting, and under the blessing of God we believe that important and effectual work is being accomplished for his cause! Aiding the Labrador Sufferers. Elsewhere in these columns will be found a communication from representatives of the six churches in town relative to the secur-

ing of a special collection from the several congregations to be devoted to the relief of are turning out cordovan vamps and other the starving fishermen and their families on the coasts of Labrador. This is a move demand for his goods is greater than the in the right direction, and we trust that supply, and additional vats are being put in. liberal contributions will be made with a -Grain merchants in Orangeville are view to the alleviation of the sufferings of men. The collections will be taken up

simultaneously on Sunday, 15th instant, and will as soon as convenient thereafter be handed to Reeve Storey, and by him be transmitted to the Governor of Newfoundland, who is prepared to make the most effective expenditure for the relief of his

suffering people. Journalistic Change. The Waterloo Chronicle has been sold Messrs. Munro Bros. One of the partners in the new firm is Mr. R. Munro, late principal of the Paisley Public School, and the other late principal of the public schools in Palmerston. The latter was for a time on the staff of the Stratford Beacon, and the new firm will be a strong one, both brothers being well educated, talented and possessing useful newspaper experience. Mr. Thomas Hilliard, the late proprietor

of the Chronicle, is a journalist whose career has been marked by success, and although still a man in the early prime of Fyfe's. life retires from business with a snug -A canvasser for the new and thrilling | capital to his credit in the bank, and severcourse as a newspaper man has been one at vocated those he considered in the cause of Chronicle is an enviable one. In social matters Mr. Hilliard occupies a prominent position and has been elected to offices of importance and distinction. The Messis. we wish their journal continued success.

Friday, July 23, 1886. PURE

**EVERYBODY** 

Is cordially invited to share in the as-

tounding reductions on the prices of

goods which we are making at the

present time. We are well aware that

to make the desired impression nowa-

days one must strike hard or cut deep.

In order to insure a speedy and large

decrease of our very large and well-

selected stock, we have not hesitated

to do this. Our object first, last and

all through this Summer Clearing Sale

is to REDUCE STOCK. Though the

operation may be painful, and the

means applied make us squirm, it's got

to be done! We don't make this an-

nouncement simply to arrest atten-

tion. What we advertise we always

do. All other kind of advertising is

worse than useless, and we feel assured

that the public have learned to know

by this time that the statements in our

advertisements are always verified by

the dealings across our counters. We

have taken 40, 45, and 50 cent Dross-

Goods and marked them 25c. Lines

formerly sold at 22, 25 and 28c., now

reduced to 15c. Dress Goods at 15,

18 and 20c., now marked down to 10c

Muslins at 14 and 15c., now down to

10c. Best Prints down to 8 and 10c.

Giughams at less than mill price.

Summer Silks at clearing prices. Ori-

ental Laces, Flouncings, Embroideries

reduced 25 and 33 per cent. Splendid

All-wool Tweeds reduced from 50 to

35e., from 75 to 50e., from \$1.00 to

75c., all cloth cut free of charge.

Parasols and Sunshades 331 off regular

prices. Hosiery reduced 25 per cent.

Gloves reduced 25 to 38 per cent. Lace

Collars, Linen Collars, Handkerchiefs,

and small wares at very low prices:

All Lace Curtains at a straight dis-

count of 25 per cent. We offer the

choice of anything in Trimmed Millin-

ery at exactly half price. Sun Hats

at half price. Ribbons, Laces, Feath-

Great Job Line of Ladies' Genu-

ine Waterproof Circulars, regular price

\$2,75; selling at \$1.50 each. All lines

of House Furnishings, etc., at very

New purchases for Fall are already

coming to hand, hence we need room,

and the public gets the benefit. This

E. R. Bollert,

27 Lower Wyndham Street,

Guelph, Ontario.

HE

CHEA

DRY

CAMP

**TEMPERANCE** 

GEORGETOWN.

(HALTON COUNTY.)

Thursday, August 12th, to Mon-

day, 16th, inclusive.

The programme this year includes :--

MISS MOORE

One of Ohio's Gifted Danghters.

LOU J. BEAUCHAMP

Called the "Gough of the West," a truly won-

MRS. MARION B. BAXTER

Whom Michigan is Proud to Own.

Griffin, Keefer, McKay, etc., etc.,

before any people.

We are sparing neither time, trouble not

Full particulars will be given in the bills

MEMPLARS OF TEMPER

DO UNTO OTHERS AS YOU WOULD HAVE OTHERS DOTO YOU'S

Write for particulars of

**GREAT PROHIBITION CAMP** 

expense, to make this camp a great success.

St: Catharines, July 8th, 1886.

sale closes on July 31st.

ers, Flowers, etc., at reduced prices.

Statement Corrected. In referring to the untimely end Harry Osmond, Limchouse, last week the, FREE PRESS said that deceased had been troubled as to whether he would be able to pay off the debt on his home. This was incorrect, as we have since learned that his place was all paid for, and that he had money to his credit in the bank. His great trouble scems to have been an idea that he had paid too much for the place, and it is stated that he was unnecessarily taunted about the matter by people who failed to realize how seriously the matter was affecting deceased. We are glad to learn that the little family is in fairly comfortable circumstances.

Sudden Death of an Old Resident. On Sunday morning, Mr. Wm. McEvery of Lot 31, Con. 7, Esquesing, near Ballina fad, about five miles from Acton, died very suddenly at the residence of his son-in-law Mr. John McLean. He was feeling very inwell on Saturday morning and drove over to Ballinafad for some medicine, and in returning was taken so violently ill that he could not proceed home. Medical aid was summoned and it was found that, he was suffering from a severe attack of 'inflammation of the bowels. Nothing seemed to help him and he died in great pain about three o'clock next morning. Deceased was burried on Monday afternoon with Masonic honors, and the funeral was very largely attended. For a number of years Mr. Mc-Enery was a member of Esquesing Township Council, and took considerable interest

in public matters. The lacrosso match between junior clubs of Acton and Georgetown last Wednesday -We are always glad to receive personal A whitewasher working in the building at evening resulted in a draw during the items for our personal column. Send them | the time was badly scared. It is reported | third game, owing to the lateness of the hour. The first two games were won by Georgetown. The match was interesting and there was some fine playing on both sides. The visiting team was composed of

much the heavier men however. On Thursday evening a foot ball match between married and single teams was ed. About three hundred citizens were

A match between the Grits and Tories

Saturday afternoon was devoted to and contains excellent reports of the many | Every Englishman in town-who had an workers generally, and a careful perusal of | zest, but in the absence of a proper crease, its pages will assist materially in numerous and a superabundance of unexperienced phases of Sabbath School labor. A copy players it lacked the attractions of former dress upon receipt of 25 cents by J. J. not likely to prosper here very much this

A match between the Olympic Lacrosse club, of Milton, and the Crescents, took The Choral Society is making progress | place on the latter's field on Monday evenand promises to become one of our perman- ing, and it was a heavy game. No two more ent institutions. Considerable interest is be- evenly matched teams could have been ing taken by those musically inclined and found, and the players of both worked for about thirty members have been enrolled. | all they were worth. The first goal was At a meeting of the executive committee, won by Milton in 45 minutes and the this week, the membership fee was fixed at second by Acton in 20 minutes. The 25cents, to be supplemented by a monthly match was then drawn. The Olympics course of a few months the society will be players can testify by black-and-blue limbs

and bandaged heads. In the interval between the above matches, the time has been spent by the merchants and professional men of lower Mill street and vicinity in playing hand-ball, a game imported by former residents of one of the islands off the west coast of Europe. It's a lively game, and brings forth more racket than some residents appreciate.

On Saturday afternoon next, commenc-

ing at five o'clock, a base ball match will be played between the Clippers and a team

Scott Act in Guelph.

For the past week or so rumors have been afloat that a whiskey detective was in the city working up infringements on the Scott Act. Little beed, however, was paid to the rumor until yesterday, when it was asserted that one Thomas Edgar, formerly a shoemaker in Rockwood, was on the war path, and had been appointed Deputy-Inspector. Be this as it may, there is little doubt that a number of cases will be heard at an early date. It is asserted on good authority that sixteen informations have been laid, covering some twenty-four charges, consequently some of the sixteen must be charged with more than one offence. So far no date has been fixed for the trials, but there is no doubt that the parties implicated will soon be summoned to appear before the Police

Magistrate .- Mercury. Guelph, Aug. 3 .- Pauic reigns among the city hotel-keepers who have lately been defying the Scott Act, and calmly dispensing whiskey as if the trade was still licensed Last night sixteen hotel-owners and barkeepers were summoned to appear before Police Magistrate Saunders. Three separate charges of violating the Scott Act have been laid against every hotel-keeper but Soper, of the European. Each charge is backed by the evidence of detectives, sothat conviction means a term in jail, with-

out the option of a fine for all hands. J. C. Morrow, of Fergus, yesterday plead ed guilty to a charge of selling intoxicating And then our own Spence, Carswell, Dr. liquors; contrary to the Canada Temperance act, and was fined \$50 and costs. Making an array of talent seldom pu

-Hats from 75 cents to \$2.50 at J.

-Scotch, English and Canadian suitings in great variety, at J. Fyfe's, Acton.

THE CRADLE. MARTIN-At Limehouse, on the 30th July, the wife of Mr. Henry Martin, of Lansing, Mich., of a son.; Scorr--At the Dominion Kilns, on the 3rd August, the wife of Mr. John Scott, of

THE GRAVE. Laidlaw—At Georgetown, on Friday, July 23rd, James Laidlaw, in the 91st year of his age.

To be held in Hamilton, Ont., Aug. 7. 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13. Greatest Speakers of the Continent. Grand Musical Attractions. Low Excursion Rates. Free Tenting Ground. W. W. Buchanan, Director, Hamilton, Oat.

## GREEN PARIS

IN ANY QUANTITY.

TURNIP SEED, FRESH AND RELIABLE.

PAINTS AND OILS.

FIRST-CLASS AND CHEAP.

LACROSSE & BASE BALL GOODS

JUST ARRIVED. NEW PATTERN CAUGHNAWAGA SPAULDING'S STANDARD BALLS.

---CHEAPI---

McGarvin's Drug and Stationery Store, Acton.

# RUBY, THE ARTIST,

Is now taking some

BEAUTIFUL VIEWS

Schools, Pic-nic Parties and Residences.

Metropolitan Studio, Acton.

HOW TO SAVE MONEY.

Place Your Order for Clothing

R. E. NELSON,

THE POPULAR

CLOTHIER of the CITY

Stock all new and well assorted. Style,

fit and workmanship always correct.

\$4 Specialty, \$4 Pants, \$4.

Prices Lowest in the City.

R. E. NELSON,

99 Wyndham St., Wells' Old Stand, Guelph

---THE---

OF GUELPH

SILK AND SATIN DEPARTMENT.

FRENCH DRESS GOODS.

Canvas Cloth, new shades......15c.

Frieze Effect, all colors......Very Cheap.

ENGLISH DRESS GOODS.

MUSLIN DEPARTMENT.

Lovely Line Colored Muslins..... 5c.

Lace Muslins..... 5c.

India Mull, all shades..... Very Low.

PRINTS.

Fast Color Ramapo Prints...... 5c.

Newest Effects Franconia Prints..... 7c.

Ashton's Madders, worth 12½c., for ..... 8c.

Swiss Spots and Checks....

Canvas Mull, all colors.....

Brocaded Challie . .

..... 5c.

GOLDEN

TEADY EMPLOYMENT TO GOOD

pay either salary or commission.

LARGEST IN CANADA. OVER 400 ACRES. Don't apply unless you can furnish firstlass references and want to work. No room for lazy men, but-can employ any

> STONE & WELLINGTON, Nurserymen,

# EXCELSIOR BAKERY,

ACTON

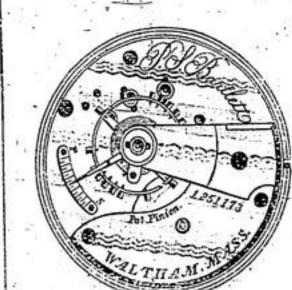
Of all kinds,

Biscuits, Confectionery, &c.

Ice Cream, Soda Water

Mrs. T. Statham.

LION REPAIRING



At the Old Established House of

B. SAVAGE

WILLIAMSON RAMSHAW

CUELPH.

Builder and Contractor, Sash, Door

Is prepared to put on storm doors, windows, weather strips, etc., on short notice. Winter porches erected neatly and at reasonable prices.

Unlocks all the clogged avenues of the Bowels, Kidneys and Liver, carryhumors of the secretions; at the same time Correcting Acidity of the Stomach, curing Biliousness, Dyg-pepsia, Headaches, Dizziness, Heartburn, Constipation, Dryness of the Skin, Dropsy, Dimness of Vision, Jaundice, Salt Rhoum, Erysipelas, Scrofula, Fluttering of the Heart, Nervousness, and Gen-

T. MILBURN & Co., Proprietors, Teronto-

Searsuckers to arrive. One case at about half price. STAPLES. Best Factory, worth 10c., at..... 7c. 

BOATING SHAWLS.

Under Wholesale Price, over 2,000 to choose from. Corsets, a Splendid Range from ...... 30c. Hosiery & Gloves in all varieties of Shades, Styles & Qualities, special value... CLOTHING.

Our Cutter is the best. Our Stock the largest. Our prices the lowest and

Our work of the finest quality. D. WILLIAMSON & CO.

A. & C. Bounsall, OAKVILLE, ONT.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

'THE HALTON FORCE PUMP"

And every variety of

Force, Well and Cistern

IRON PUMES

Manufactured by

AGENTS WANTED.

Agents Wanted.

Previous experience not essential. We One hundred smart men wanted at once to canvass for the sale of Canadian-grown Nursery Stock.

# The Fonthill Nurseries

number of energetic men who want work.

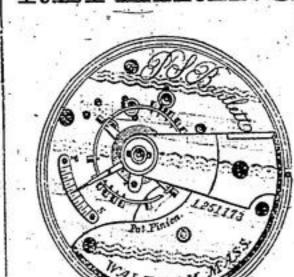
TORONTO, ONT.

& CAKES

On hand or made to order.

Served at all hours.

FINE WATCH



repairing and cleaning of

GREAT CLEARING SALE

Goods all Reduced to Ridiculously Low Prices. We quote prices below to prove our position that we sell cheaper than others :-

Acton Planing Mills

and Blind Factory.

We have one of Flenry's celebrated chopping mills and will chop all kinds of grain on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. T. & A. RAMSHAW,



ing off gradually without weakening the system, all the impurities and foul eral Debility; all these and many other similar Complaints visid to the BLOOD BITTERS.