BORN.

GRAY—At Crewsons' Corners, on the 27th Sept., the wife of Wm. Gray, of a son.

SCOTT—In Erin, on the 18th Sept., the wife of Mr. John Scott, blacksmith, Acton, of a son.

McCAIG—In Eramosa, on the 21st Sept., the wife of D. McCaig, Esq., Inspector of public schools Algoma; of a daughter.

MARRIED.

RAMSHAW—CHISHOLM—On the 21st. inst., by the Rev. Egerton R. Young, at the Methodist Parsonage, Brampton, Mr. Alexander Ramshaw, to Miss Gertie Chisholm, both of Acton.

KENNEDY—DAVIS—At the residence of the bride's father, Saltfleet, on 14th Sept., by the Rev. Dr. Dyer, J. F. Kennedy, Editor of the Orangeville "Advertiser," to Hattie May, second daughter of W. A. Davis, Esq.

DIED.

FLETCHER—In Acton, on the 22nd September, Angus Fletcher, aged 90 years.

GUMMER—In Guelph, on 23rd September, Harry, Millbrake, infant son of H. Gummer of the Herald.

CAMPBELL—In Acton, on the 22nd September, James Campbell, proprietor Royal Exchange hotel, aged 63 years.

The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 1887.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Fines aggregating $900 were imposed in this county during the three months ending 13th September, for violation of the Scott Act.

The Temperance workers of Halton are organizing in anticipation of an attempt to secure the repeal of the Scott Act. The Act has operated so well in Halton that it is the last place in which repeal should be proposed.—*Mail.*

Immigrants continue to arrive in Canada in large numbers by every mail steamer. The records of the Department indicate that the total arrivals this year will largely exceed last year. The majority of the newcomers are well provided with funds.

The *Ontario Gazette* of Saturday contains a proclamation by which new territory is added to Toronto thereby extending the city boundaries to High Park on the west, the Woodbine on the east, and Davenport road and the Rathuelly crescent hills on the north. Some hundreds of acres are included in the addition.

England's total exports of cottons for the past half year exceeded the first six months of 1886 by over twenty-six million yards, but there has been a decline of the quantity taken by India in the past three months, the decline being a somewhat serious matter to the Lancashire manufacturers, as India's demand rules the cotton trade.

We live in the age of speed. A letter written in London, England, July 9th, was received in an interior village in New York by the morning's mail of the 18th; the reply was written and mailed in the evening of the same day, and reached London on the evening of the 27th, thus making but eighteen days between the writing of the letter and receiving the reply.

Chicago is gradually feeling the westward drift of the cattle and hog business. The traffic of her great stockyards is lessening, and the time is near at hand when Kansas city pork products and Montana and New Mexico dressed beef will partially supplant the Chicago pork and beef in eastern United States markets, while in the Canadian north west we of the dominion shall discover a similar cattle centre.

The value of the exports of the Dominion for August was a little over ten millions of dollars, a half a million more than for the corresponding month of last year. The export trade of Canada for the two month of the current fiscal year is somewhat better than for the first two months of last year. The showing, as far as it goes, is a fair one, and if the trade of the rest of the year is proportionally good Canadians will, considering all things, have no reason to complain.

Goldsmith's Geography published in 1824, describing the United States, says: "People become old in America sooner than in Europe. Upon females the influence of the climate is still more sensible. When young the women are generally beautiful, particularly in Philadelphia, but after twenty they begin to lose their fresh color and teeth, and at the age of twenty-five many of them would pass for Europeans at forty." What funny things those old geographies were.

If it be true that Mr. W. R. Meredith, the leader of the Opposition in the Ontario Legislature, is about to retire from political life to accept that seat upon the bench, which he is singularly well qualified to fill, the only Conservative leader in Canada who enjoys the respect and esteem of his political adversaries will have disappeared. Mr. Meredith has been unsuccessful as an office-seeker, but he has maintained throughout the most unfavorable circumstances the character not only of an able but of an honest man.—*Witness.*

It was a matter of fixed belief with prohibitionists of both political stripes that nothing would ever be voluntarily done by the present Government that was not unfriendly to the Scott Act. One action can now, however, be recorded in their favor. Under the old Dunkin law it was customary to institute proceedings for the revocation of the law as soon as it was passed, and as the first result of such a law is often a state of chaos there was frequently a revulsion of feeling to further the aims of the liquor men. To avoid the turmoil and weakness of having the law constantly in question before the people, a provision was put into the Scott Act requiring that the law, once adopted in any county, must remain in force for three years. Unfortunately, however, the law did not explicitly state that the vote might not be taken a long while before the expiry of the three years. This defect must have proved fatal had the Government favored permature action, for with the Government rests the appointment of the polling day. An announcement appears in to-day's *Official Gazette* that in no case shall polling for the revocation of the law be allowed to take place more than fifteen days before the expiry of the three years term. For this very important announcement we presume the country may give special thanks to the Hon. Mr. Foster, the representative of prohibition in the Cabinet.—*Witness.*

TORONTO PROPERTY AT $1875 PER FOOT.

The Dennis Estate, at King and Young streets, Toronto, was disposed by auction on Saturday, and for the ground only, without buildings, brought prices varying from $800 to $1875 per foot. The sale realized $254,878. The principal purchasers were Messrs. S. H. Janes, Jas. Mason and The Toronto Real Estate Investment Co.

THE POSTMASTER GENERAL UNSEATED.

HALIFAX, N. S., Sept. 27.—Hon. A. W. McLelan, Postmaster General, has admitted bribery by agents in the election for the Commons, and his seat for Colchester is consequently vacant. The Election Court opens at Truro to-morrow before Judge McDonald, when the charges of personal bribery against the Minister will be gone into.

INCREASE THE ASSESSMENT.

By increasing the valuation of property in the municipality of Shelburne at last assessment the rate of taxation has been reduced from 22 mills last year to 10½ the present year. Here is a polster for our own municipality.

In Acton the assessment is made at from one-half to two-thirds of the cash value of property, and the rate, although lower than the great majority of municipalities of Acton's size and enjoying similar public improvements and conveniences, is necessarily placed at a higher figure than can be appreciated by those unacquainted with the circumstances of the case as they exist.

The injustice that is certain to be done when the principle of assessing property at its actual cash value is not adopted, has frequently been commented on in these columns. The unfavorable impression that is created upon those who reside in other places, and who probably have a desire to locate with us, but who are deterred from doing so upon learning that our rate is 18, 19, 20, or 22 mills in the dollar, is another matter of no small importance. The question should immediately be considered.

THE SCOTT ACT CONVENTION.

Referring to the meeting at Milton last week the Milton *Reformer* says:—

This was the best convention that has ever been held in the county, showing that the interest in the Scott Act is by no means declining, but rather increasing. It could be seen from the tone of the discussions, and the action of the delegates in the convention, that they were satisfied that the Scott Act had accomplished much good, and were determined to fight harder than ever to hold their ground.

The Oakville *Star* says:—The general feeling was one of enthusiasm and confidence, the opinion being freely expressed that with the same amount of work that was put into the previous campaigns the effort to repeal will be defeated by a largely increased majority; indeed many of the gentlemen present seemed delighted at the prospect of helping to bury the repeal under a big majority and thus sustain the reputation of Halton as the banner Scott Act county of Ontario.

The Georgetown *Herald* says:—The number of representatives was large and the enthusiasm that prevailed would indicate a slim chance for the repealers' success, in fact a mighty victory for the friends of the Temperance Act. In case a vote should be brought on, the friends of law and order in Halton have organized and are now in good shape for work. The convention was altogether a most successful one.

And the *Champion* says:—

Perhaps its silence is part of the arrangement in connection with the "Still hunt" in which the antis are engaged.

A DESPERATE CRIMINAL.

On Tuesday afternoon of last week County Constables Black and Harley went to Burling on with a warrant to arrest Peter Zimmerman, jr., for non-payment of fines for violation of the Scott Act. They found Zimmerman with his brother Levi and his son at Squire Edward Thomas' threshing. Black made the arrest; Zimmerman resisted and Harley came to his assistance, and they attempted to handcuff him. The prisoner then called upon his brother Levi to help him, on which the constables called on C. W. Crooker to assist them. Levi armed himself with a hardwood stick about four feet long from the threshing machine, and his son secured a pick axe which was taken from him by a bystander. He then secured a firewood stick instead. The Rev. S. Cleaver was then called upon by the constables. The threshers not only refused to help the constables but some of them interfered in holding back Crooker and Cleaver so that they were unable to render as much assistance as they otherwise would have done. The consequence was the three Zimmermans escaped after being chased some distance.

The constables struggled manfully, and would in all likelihood have succeeded but for the interference. The Zimmermans fought with brutal ferocity, biting and using clubs and stones. Black received a very severe wound above the eye and had his clothes considerably torn. Harley received a bad wound on the thumb and another on the arm. Crooker got two or three severe blows on his arm and shoulder, and Mr. Cleaver the Methodist minister, after wresting the club from Levi, received a severe blow on the head from another which the son handed to his father. Considerable blood flowed from this wound, but fortunately it is not considered serious.

Referring to the matter the Toronto *Citizen* says:—

The conduct of the men collected at the threshing becomes all the more reprehensible, when we remember that in addition to Scott Act offences Peter Zimmerman brutally assaulted Mr. R. Coates, ex-headmaster of Burlington Public Schools, a few weeks ago under cover of night, and has threatened several other temperance citizens; and Levi several months ago nearly murdered Constable Page while in the discharge of duty. Surely the half-and-half temperance men of Burlington will have their weak knees strengthened by these outrages, or else cease to call themselves temperance men, and openly assume their true character as supporters of rum and ruffianism. The time has come to draw the line and choose sides for or against in this contest.

ONE CONFIRMED, THE OTHER QUASHED.

The appeals of Messrs. Wattie and Pitman, hotel keepers incarcerated in the county jail for violation of the Scott Act were heard before Judge Rose at Osgoode Hall last Friday, with the following results:—

QUEEN V. WATTIE.—Kappele moved for a writ of certiorari (in aid of a writ of habeas corpus already granted) to bring up a conviction under the Canada Temperance Act. Holmes (Delamere & Co.) for the magistrates. Motion refused with costs.

QUEEN V. PITMAN.—Shilton moved on the return of writs of habeas corpus and certiorari for the discharge from custody of the defendant, who has been imprisoned by warrant under conviction for an offence against the Canada Temperance Act. Delamere, for the magistrates. Order made and conviction quashed.

Mr. Wattie will serve his term at Castle Vanallan, and Mr. Pitman has been liberated, owing to a technicality.

Toronto base ball club has won the international pennant. One hundred games have been played, and ten cities were in the contest.

Two wealthy Brantford men have donated $5,000 each towards the establishment of a county house of refuge for that city and the county.

GRAVENHURST RUINED

A Great Fire Burns Every Business Place and A Number of Residences.

LOSS, HALF A MILLION DOLLARS.

GRAVENHURST, Sept. 23.—A terrible fire broke out here late last evening which at present writing bids fair to wipe the town out of existence. It is gaining strength momentarily, and all efforts so far to check or subdue the flames have proved unavailing owing to the inflammable nature of the buildings. A despatch has been sent to the Northern and North-Western railway at Toronto asking that a special train be sent from Allendale to Orillia to convey the Orillia fire brigade to their assistance. Word has just been received that the train will be sent at once, and on its speed in reaching here depends the only hope of saving the town from destruction.

The excitement has been terrific, and it is hard to ascertain as yet how the fire first originated. The loss cannot be estimated, as an immense quantity of lumber has been destroyed and the fire is still raging. The townspeople have been manfully fighting the fire with their hand engine, but it has been of little service owing to the rapid spread of the flames.

The fire originated in Mowney's foundry in the north end of the town at one o'clock this morning during a strong north wind. The north side of main street is completely burned, including every business place in town. Nine blocks are completely cleaned of buildings. A few goods have been saved. There is not much insurance. The loss will be from $100,000 to $150,000. There are no provisions in that town. The English church and the school house were also burned.

GRAVENHURST, Ont., Sept. 24.—The inhabitants of this prostrated town are facing the great calamity with composure. The homeless ones have been well entertained by their more fortune neighbors, which, with the timely aid received yesterday from Orillia and Bracebridge in the way of provisions, has had a very reassuring effect. The losses will exceed $500,000, which is much greater than the first hurried estimates, and the number of families burned out is at least fifty, and the stores and shops burned exceed forty in number. Contributions for the sufferers are coming in freely.

From our own Correspondent.

ROCKWOOD NEWS.

Messrs. Sam'l Thompson and J. R. Strickland are extending their residences.

A skin disease of a not very desirable character has broken out in the public school.

Mr. Dan Strachan, of Metz, was in town last week. Dan is doing earnest work in the Presbyterian mission field.

The bush fires are staying right with us.

Miss Trelleyyn, who resided here some years ago, is visiting friends here.

Mr. John Innes has added gents' furnishings to his tailoring business.

The congregation of the Church of England are erecting commodious sheds.

Two lime kilns are building just now.

W. B. Bragg's cider mill is in full operation.

Dr. J. R. Dryden and his brother Barrie, left last week for Europe. They will wander in Britain and Ireland, then cross to Paris and other places of interest on the continent. We hope to see the Dr. return greatly invigorated to attend to his extensive practice.

X. Y. Z.

Rockwood, Sept. 27th, 1887.

AN ORDER-IN-COUNCIL.

Which the "Toronto Mail" Characterizes as the Death Blow to the Scott Act Repeal Movement.

OTTAWA, Sept. 24th.—The *Canada Gazette* of to-day contains the following order-in-Council with reference to the Scott Act: "Whereas it is desirable, as a matter of administration, that a uniform rule should be adopted in dealing with actions praying for the revocation of orders in-Council bringing the Canada Temperance Act into force notwithstanding that three years have not elapsed from the date of the coming into force of the Act under said order-in-Council, His Excellency, on the recommendation of the Minister of Justice, and by and with the advice of the Queen's Privy Council for Canada, has been pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that no election for the revocation of an order-in-Council under the Canada Temperance Act, being Chapter 106 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, shall be authorized to take place earlier than fifteen days before the expiration of three years from the date of the coming into force thereof under said order-in-Council."

SENATOR McMASTER'S WILL.

Hon. William McMaster who died at Toronto last week, bequeaths $40,000 stock in the Standard Publishing Company, in trust for the Baptist Denominational Society, one-quarter to the Superannuated Ministers' Society, and the balance equally between the home and Foreign Missions. To his widow are left the Bloor-street residence during her life and an annuity of $5000. To his nephew, James S. McMaster of London, Eng., and senior member of the firm of McMaster, Darling & Co., he leaves $340,000. The balance of the estate is given in trust as an endowment for McMaster University, subject, however, to the annuity to the widow, and $2000 a year to the Home Missionary Society; an annuity of $500 to his sister in Georgetown and $400 annuity to Professor McVicar. The total value of the estate, including American securities, is $1,200,000, so that the ultimate provision made for McMaster University will amount subject to the annuity to the Missionary Society, which is perpetual, to $800,000.

ACTON EXHIBITION.

Through unavoidable circumstances I have had to disappoint a number of my customers in getting their work out on time lately, but the Studio will be opened on the 4th of October, when things will run as smooth as formerly. Thanking you for your kind indulgence and patronage, I am your obedient servant.—A. A. Ruby, the Artist.

Since his appointment as Police Magistrate of Huron Dr. Williams has made over seventy convictions for violation of the Scott Act.

—Cabinets will be $2.00 per doz. during show days, 4th and 5th October, and no longer.—Ruby, the artist.

The increase in Toronto's assessment this year is $13,000,000. The greatest previous increase was that of last year—ten millions.

—Take advantage of it; as the Metropolitan Studio will not make any more of those beautiful cabinets for $2.00 after Oct. 5th. Ruby, the artist.

AUCTION SALE REGISTER.

FRIDAY, Sept. 30.—Sale of stock and implements the property of James Grant, lot 27, con. 3, Erin. Sale at 12 o'clock. Wm. Hemstreet, Auctioneer.

THURSDAY, Oct. 6th.—Auction sale of stock, implements and household furniture, belonging to the estate of the late Thomas Lamb, Lot 27, Con. 6, Esquesing. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, lunch at 12. John Smith, Auctioneer.

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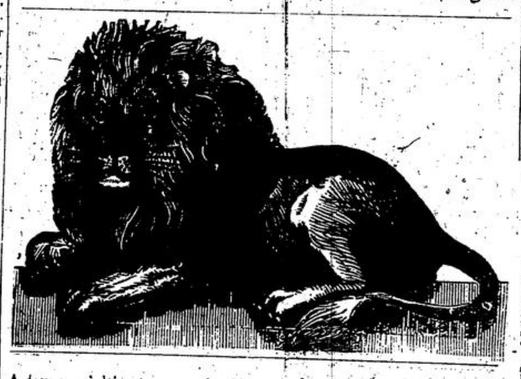

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Fifteenth Day of October, A.D. 1887,

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The vendor shall only be required to furnish a registrar's abstract and such title deeds as he may have in his possession. In other respects the terms and conditions will be the standard conditions of this court.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Johnston & McLean, Solicitors, Guelph, Messrs. Guthrie & Watt, Guelph, and John Hoskin, Q.C., Toronto.

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GOOD NEWS FROM MILTON

Grand Millinery Opening

HOLLINRAKE & SONS, MILTON,

MAMMOTH CHEAP STORE, ON

Tuesday and Wednesday, 26th and 27th September,

When we will have on exhibition in our City Show Room the finest stock of Millinery Goods to be seen in the county, consisting of:—Trimmed Hats and Bonnets, Feathers, Birds, Wings, Flowers, Plushes, Fancy Trimmings, and Ornaments, along with the Latest and Most Fashionable Millinery Novelties. Miss Campbell, a First-Class Milliner, will be in charge of the show room. If you cannot call on one of the above days make it a point to step in when you are down at the Halton Exhibition on October 6th and 7th. We will be glad to see you.

THE FOLLOWING DEPARTMENTS:—

Dry Goods, Millinery, Fancy Goods, Clothing, Carpets and Oilcloths, Boots & Shoes, Groceries, Wall Paper, Trunks and Valises,

In our Mammoth Cheap Store are all filled with goods which we know will please you, both in quality and prices. Our object is to please all those who patronize us. Our goods are all Leaders and our Leaders are Bargains. We won't sicken you with a lot of bosh, but will quote you a few prices just to show the way we sell our goods, knowing that prices tell every time:—

20 Yards of yard-wide Cotton for $1 00
Plain or Chocked Winsey 5c. a yard, Grey Flannel 15c.
Very Fine All-Wool Grey Flannel well worth 30c. for 25c.
Best Cotton Thread, Two Spools for 5c.
20 Bundles Batting for $1 00.
Ladies' Fine All-Wool Jerseys 95c.
Crimson Tabac, Brown, Navy and Black velveteen 20c yard.

Stylish Tight Fitting Short Jackets (for present wear) worth $5 for $3. Big Bargains.
Women's Prunella Gaiters 50c. Women's Lace Boots $1. We sell Boots and Shoes Cheap.
5 Bars Holloetric Soap 25c. 13 lbs Bright Sugar for $1.
5 lbs Best 50c. Young Hyson, Japan or Black Tea for $2.00.
5 gals. Best Canadian Coal Oil for $1.00. 5 gals. Best American $1.50.

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