SACRED CONCERT

—BY THE—

Methodist Church Choir,

—TO BE HELD IN THE—

METHODIST CHURCH, ACTON,

TO-NIGHT,

PROGRAMME—PART I.

1—Anthem ..... "Praise The Lord"
2—Duet and Chorus ..... "Only a Dream of the Old Home"
Misses Hemstreet and Matthews.
3—Solo & Chorus ..... "The Home that we'll be."
Mr. Williams.
4—Duet ..... "Pilot Brave."
Messrs. Hill and Brown.
5—Reading ..... "Aunt Melinda on Boys."
Miss Speight.
6—Solo ..... "Not Ashamed of Christ."
Miss Emma Moore.
7—Quartette ..... "Drifting Away."
Messrs. Miller, Nicklin, Williams and Moore.
8—Chorus ..... Verdi ..... "Song of Niagara."
Choir.

PART II.

1—Anthem ..... "Wake the Song of Jubilee."
Choir.
2—Solo ..... "The Bridge."
Mr. Williams.
3—Duet & Chorus ..... "Saviour Breathe an Evening Prayer."
Misses Moore and Matthews.
4—Duet ..... "Army and Navy."
Messrs. Jeakes and Nicklin.
5—Reading ..... "Dr. Hall Pay"
Mr. H. P. Moore.
6—Solo & Chorus ..... "Lead me gently home, Father."
Miss Lottie Hemstreet.
7—Quartette ..... "Christ Receiveth Sinful Men."
Messrs. Miller, Nicklin, Hill and Moore.
8—Solo & Chorus ..... "Golden Years."
Miss Emma Moore.
9—Anthem ..... "Gloria in Excelsis."
Choir.

Doors open at 7.30. Concert at 8.

Admission, 15 Cents. Children, 10 Cents.

Proceeds for the Musical Instrument Fund.

The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, MARCH 29, 1888.

MANY MINOR LOCALS

Collated by the Ever Thoughtful and Alert Free Press Reporters.

—To-morrow is Good Friday.

—Council meeting next Monday evening.

—March's "lamb" will now be anxiously looked for.

—The paper-hanger makes money by going to the wall.

—The ladies are now talking about their new Easter bonnets.

—Activity in real estate may be looked for here this spring.

—Sacred concert by the Methodist Church Choir to-night.

—There's been a better famine in town for the past week or so.

—Expecting spring show at Georgetown on Tuesday, 17th April.

—Palm Sunday services were held in St. Joseph's Church last Sunday.

—Miss Hattie Hayden, of Guelph, gives St. Joseph's Church Choir monthly instructions in music.

—Mr. John Watson leaves this week for his home in the North West. He takes a carload of horses with him.

—"The sign 'Beware of the dog' is not hung up, 'that he who runs may read,' but that he who reads may run."

—Rev. Mr. Rawlone, of Toronto, is expected to preach in the Baptist Church next Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

—Mr. Wm. Ramsey is buying hides and and skins at the tannery near Brown's wood yard, where he has removed, as usual.

—There are now dozens of rivulets on the farm, yet it is better to give the animals drink from a well protected from surface water.

—The members of Acton Lodge, No. 294, I.O.O.F., are requested to meet for important business at the lodge room to-morrow evening.

—There was no quorum at the Board of Health meeting on Monday evening. The Board will meet next Monday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

—The Goderich and Guelph railway, a Canadian Pacific scheme, is almost certain to be built. Surveyors are now doing work on the projected line.

—A little son of Mr. Allan Mann was run over by a sleigh on Monday evening and had his right leg badly bruised. He is getting along first-rate.

—Mr. R. B. Jermyn announces his millinery opening for Saturday. He shows a splendid display of French, English and American designs in millinery.

—Mr. J. B. Pearson has his spring samples of wall papers ready for inspection. They include many neat and elegant designs suitable for all classes of work.

—The residents of school section No. 12, Esquesing, which surrounds Acton, are agitating for an increase of territory. No. 12 is the smallest section in the county.

—A. T. Stewart, the millionaire merchant of New York, says:—The man does not do justice to his business who spends less in advertising than he does in rent.

—The Dominion Bank will shortly open a branch at Guelph, which will be under the management of Mr. A. A. Fitzgerald, formerly of the Federal Bank in that city.

—A perusal of the Guelph Lion's new adv. will disclose attractions. Messrs. J. D. Williamson & Co. have the facility of getting together attractive stocks in all lines.

—The Agricultural Society organization meeting will be held in the town hall tomorrow at 2 p.m. The question of a Spring Horse and Cattle Show will be considered.

—It is with pleasure we add to our exchange list the *Acton Free Press*. It is newy, spicy, unusally well printed, and altogether is one of the best and handsomest country weeklies we have seen in some time. Come again.—*Almonte Gazette.*

—Some evil-disposed person entered the Salvation Army barracks last Thursday and cut the heads of the drum and tambourines. A subscription list was circulated next day and funds were raised to purchase a new drum.

—At the request of the congregation of Knox church, Acton, at a meeting of Guelph Presbytery last week, permission was granted to sell the present manse and glebe with the view of procuring a manse more conveniently situated.

—The sum of $4,500 has been raised by the Thamesford people towards the erection of a suitable waiting room for their new station. The G. T. R. would no doubt be willing for Acton people to do likewise with their diminutive shanty.

—An exchange says:—One third of the fools in this country think they can beat the lawyer in expounding the law; one-half think they can beat a doctor in healing the sick; two-thirds of them think they can beat the minister in preaching the gospel; and all of them know they can beat the editor in running a newspaper.

—The new spring stock of goods just opened by M. Brennan, merchant tailor, includes some of the finest lines of worsteds and tweeds ever brought to town. Mr. Brennan is a practical tailor and promises to give customers a good fit every time. An inspection of his stock will prove interesting.

HOME GLEANINGS.

Which are Mostly of a Local Character and All Interesting.

A Welling ton Farmer's Loss.

About 5.15 o'clock Monday morning the house of James White, lot 16, concession 5, Peel Township, County of Wellington, was wholly destroyed by fire, and with it about $125 in cash. The family escaped with nothing but their night clothes. The fire started in the kitchen, but the origin is unknown. The loss is heavy, with some insurance on the house and effects.

The Methodist Choir Concert.

The concert to be given in the Methodist church this evening by the church choir promises to be one of considerable excellence. The programme published in the adjoining column will give the public an idea of its character. The selections are good and of such a class that all can appreciate and enjoy them. The low admission fee should ensure a very large attendance.

One Little Municipality Wants.

The village of Maberly wants a resident doctor, magistrate and a division court, a woolen factory, a telephone to the station, a new bridge across the river, a resident clergyman for St. Alban's church, a new firm for the carriage works, one mile of sidewalk, a bell for the Methodist church, an issuer of marriage licenses, and a company with capital to develop the rich iron mines that are lying close to the village.—*Almonte Times.*

S. S. No. 8, Erin.

On Thursday evening 15th inst., Rev. J. W. Rae, of Acton, preached in the schoolhouse of S. S. No. 8, Erin, to a large audience. The sermon was highly appreciated by those connected with other churches as well as his own. Frequent services on the margins of country congregations coming in the midst of the hurry and bustle of every day life, would be productive of great good, and might well be taken advantage of. Rev. Mr. Rae will be welcome again.—Com.

Improvements at Knox Church.

During the past week or so the interior of Knox church has been considerably changed and very much improved in appearance. The old fashioned high pulpit, perched nearly half way up the rear wall of the church, has been removed, as also the sounding bell above it. A small pulpit of chaste and modern design now stands upon a neatly carpeted platform some distance forward. The choir have been removed from the gallery to an enclosed platform behind the pulpit. These changes, while they have totally transformed the appearance of the church, have vastly improved it. The changes are appreciated by the congregation. The introduction of the organ will probably be the next event.

A Thief Caught at Toronto.

John Page, an assisted English immigrant of stunted growth, who had been recently engaged as a farm servant by Mr. Wm. Bousfield, of Boyne, Trafalgar, disappeared suddenly the other day and after his departure a watch guard and $5 in money were found to be missing. It having been ascertained that he had gone to Toronto, a telegram requesting his arrest was sent to that city on Monday night, and on Tuesday he was captured by Detective Davis and handed over to chief constable Peacock, who brought him here and lodged him in jail. He was brought before the Mayor yesterday and committed for trial. Later in the day he was arraigned before Judge Miller, pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to two months in jail.—*Champion.*

Rev. C. A. Cook Leaving Toronto.

Rev. C. A. Cook, son of Rev. R. B. Cook, of Acton, who has been pastor of the Parliament street Baptist church for over five years, delivered his farewell sermon to his congregation last Sunday evening. There was a large concourse of people present, and throughout the remarks of the pastor many were visibly affected. Mr. Cook, by his keen sympathies with everything pertaining to the welfare of his flock, succeeded in gaining the esteem of all those with whom he came in contact, and they necessarily feel sorely the loss they are sustaining in parting with their pastor. Rev. Dr. Castle conducted the preliminary exercises of the service, and at the close alluded in feeling terms to the high Christian attainments of Mr. Cook. Dr. Castle said he remembered Mr. Cook fourteen years ago as an earnest, active young christian, and had marked his course with great pride. Rev. Mr. Cook leaves for his new pastorate of the First Baptist church, Bloomfield, N.J., next. He was made the recipient of an elegant gold watch by the young people of his congregation last week.

PERSONAL MENTION

Paragraphs Respecting Visitors to and From Acton, With Whom Free Press Readers Are More or Less Acquainted.

Mrs. George Mathews of Toronto, is the guest of Acton friends.

Mr. Dan C. Lawson, of Harriston, is spending a few days in his old home.

Miss Annie Cross, of Esquesing, has been the guest of Acton friends during the past week.

Mr. John A. Shannon, L. D. S., has settled in Dutton, a rising town in the West.

Rev. and Mrs. Chas. A. Cook, of Toronto, have been the guests of Acton friends this week.

—Mr. Charles Nicklin, of Pilkington, has been the guest of Acton friends this week.

Rev. G. C. Rock, of Wingham, formerly of Acton, has accepted a call to the Baptist Church, Glammis.

Mr. and Mrs. John McConnell bade good-bye to their Guelph friends on Saturday and started for the antipodes.

Mr. Lachlan Kennedy, who has been spending the winter in Alpena, Michigan, visited friends here last week.

Miss Laura McLaren, a rising young violinist in Guelph, is going to Leipsic, Germany, to complete her musical education.

Messrs. Joseph and Alex. Leahy, were in Bowmanville last week attending the funeral of a child of their brother, Mr. John Leahy.

Miss Annie Mahaffy, of Toronto, is spending the week with Acton friends. Her pleasant face is welcomed on all sides by her former friends and pupils.

Mr. Alex. Wright has returned from his visit to Streetsville. He did considerable missionary work in the interests of Commercial Union, and gave the editor of the *Review* some solid nuts to crack.

Rev. R. B. Cook and Mr. James D. Warren are delegates to the Baptist convention at Guelph this week. The object of the meeting is to decide on the location of the proposed University. Some 500 delegates are attending the convention.

—A letter reached a Canadian P. O. a few days ago from England addressed as follows:—"Mr F. Holt, Churlinch, Brookwoods of British North America, Muscocs, Ont., Canada." The writing was a very nice feminine hand, although the writer appears very ignorant of matters and things connected with the Dominion.

TERRIBLE DISASTER.

George Wilson, a Former Citizen, and Four Others Instantly Killed on a Snow Plough.

SOME ONE HAS BLUNDERED.

GRAVENHURST, March 22.—A frightful disaster occurred on the Northern railway this morning, at the curve near the Kashee bridge, three miles north of Severn bridge and nine miles south of here, by which five men were instantly killed and three others wounded. A snow plough containing a gang of ten men inside to work the flangers, in addition to two ordinary train hands, left Allandale junction this morning under holding orders bound for Gravenhurst, and had proceeded on without interruption till it came into collision with a special engine and van which was proceeding southward, with orders to cross the snow plough at Severn bridge. About a quarter to twelve the central telephone office here was asked to notify all the doctors in town that an accident had occurred and that a special train was waiting to convey them to the scene, and they and all assistance were promptly sent forward, but it was impossible to remove the wreck or extract some of the dead men from under the debris. Machinery has been ordered from Allandale to clear the track.

NAMES OF THE KILLED.

The following is a correct list of those killed:—

George Wilson, roadmaster, Allandale.
D. Faulkner, Allandale.
S. Teasdale, Allandale.
R. Gilpin, Allandale.
A. Hope, Allandale.

The bodies of Wilson, Gilpin and Faulkner, which are horribly mangled, Wilson's head being nearly severed from the body, were brought here about noon. The remains of Teasdale and Hope are still under the wreck, wedged in among the timbers of the snow plough, the whole weight of the freight engine being upon the timbers and *debris*. Their bodies are crushed out of all semblance of humanity. Mr. Wilson was an old and valued servant of the company, having been in its employ about fifteen years. He leaves a wife and four or five children. Robert Faulkner leaves a wife and small family. Robert Gilpin leaves a wife and son. Alfred Hope had a wife and grown up family. A sad incident in connection with Teasdale's death is that he was only married about Christmas. All the hands on the freight train escaped without injury, and neither of the trains was thrown from the track.

THE CONDUCTOR AND ENGINEER.

GRAVENHURST, March 23.—The wrecking train has been at work all night clearing the track. The two bodies seen lying under the debris have been taken out. The inquest upon the bodies of the men killed concluded at 3 o'clock this morning. All the train men were examined, together with the station agents at Gravenhurst and Washago. The evidence went clearly to show that the order board at Washago was up, and had Conductor Glassford's special obeyed the order the collision would not have taken place.

The jury returned a verdict holding Conductor Glassford and Engineer Forster—the conductor and engineer of the snow plow—responsible for the accident and the death of George Wilson and others. They also censured the railway company for their imperfect system of signals.

The wives and friends of the dead arrived last night to take charge of the remains. The scene was very affecting.

Conductor Glassford, who had escaped down the track, returned from Orillia last night, stating that he had been away looking up doctors, and was, with Engineer Forster, taken in charge by Chief Constable Langworthy, of Gravenhurst, and sent to the county jail this morning.

ARRIVED AT BARRIE.

BARRIE, March 23.—The station was thronged at about six o'clock this evening with people awaiting the arrival of the train with the bodies of the men killed in the collision yesterday. Conductor Glassford and Engineer Forster arrived by the same train in charge of a constable, and after a short conversation with friends were taken to the county gaol. The bodies were taken to the respective homes in Allandale. A joint funeral will take place on Sunday, when the remains of Wilson, Faulkner and Teasdale will be interred in the Union Cemetery. The remains of A. Hope will be taken to Stouffville, and those of R. Gilpin to the Township of Innisfil.

THE NEWS AT ACTON.

When the news of the melancholy affair reached Acton and the particulars of the sad and untimely death of Mr. George Wilson became known feelings of extreme sorrow seemed to shroud the community. Mr. Wilson was for many years one of our most respected townsmen. To Acton he brought his bride from England and here the first five years of their happy married life were spent. Mr. Wilson built for himself and family a home here on Wilbur street which he never sold intending we believe at some future time to return here. He was a consistent member of the Church of England, and at the time of his death was superintendent of the Sabbath School of his church at Allandale. His family is, we understand well provided for. The death of this worthy man is much regretted here and universal sympathy is extended to the widow and her little flock. May their trust be centered in Him who has promised to be "a husband to the widow, and a father to the fatherless," in this sore affliction.

—From what may be seen at the openings this week in town the ladies will find that it does not take March winds or April showers to bring forth millinery flowers.

—The contract for the erection of the new school for section No. 10, Erin, has been awarded to Messrs. Puckering of Credit Forks and Morrison, of Erin, for $1,069. Mr. John Cameron, of Acton, is architect for the new building. When finished it will be one of the most handsome rural school buildings in the country.

Patronize the Best Butcher.

Now that spring has opened the public will be obliged to depend more exclusively upon the butchers for their meat. The farmers have other things to look after. W. H. Rutledge supplies his customers with the best the country affords and is always on the alert to please everyone. Give him your custom; stick to him as your own family butcher, and you will never be disappointed in trusting him for your supply of meat. A good variety always on hand and no questionable meat offered under any consideration. Give your order to W. H. Rutledge.

AUCTION SALES.

THURSDAY, 29th MARCH.—Sale of farm, stock and implements, the property of Alex. Cripps, Lot 8, Con. 1, Eramosa. Sale to commence at one o'clock. Wm. Hemstreet, Auctioneer.

THURSDAY, 5th April.—Sale of stock, implements, &c., the property of Mr. Edwin Cleaves, Lot 1, Con. 3, Erin. No Reserve.—Wm. Hemstreet, auctioneer.

SATURDAY, 7th April.—Auction sale of building lots, on Park and Lake Avenues in Acton. W. E. Smith, Proprietor. Sale at 1 o'clock. Wm. Hemstreet, Auctioneer.

SATURDAY, 14th April.—Auction sale of building lots in Lakeview, Acton. Adam Cook, proprietor. Sale at 1 o'clock. Wm. Hemstreet, Auctioneer.

New Advertisements.

CASH FOR HIDES AND SKINS.

THE undersigned has removed to the Tannery on Main Street, next to Brown's wood yard, where he will continue to pay the best market prices for all hides, calf and sheep skins.

WM. RAMSEY.

Acton, March 15th, 1888.

SHINGLES AND PICKETS FOR SALE

SHINGLES AND PICKETS always on hand, first-class in quality, and at bottom prices, at Richardson's Wagon and Carriage Factory, Rockwood.

RALPH RICHARDSON.

Rockwood, March 6th, 1888.

VILLAGE PROPERTY FOR SALE.

THE undersigned offers for sale Lot No. 1, Main Street, Acton, on which is erected a commodious dwelling, driving house and stable, small orchard, cistern, &c. A very desirable property. Terms easy. For further particulars apply to

MRS. JAMES CONLEY,
Speyside P. O.

STORE & DWELLING
FOR SALE OR TO LET.

THE undersigned will sell or lease the store and dwelling in the Village of Limehouse, at present occupied by Mr. Wm. Nickell. Possession given on the 1st May. For terms and particulars apply to

JOHN LAMBERT, Guelph.

BUILDING LOTS
FOR SALE.

THE undersigned has still a large number of excellent building lots for sale in his new survey. The location is very attractive and there are no more desirable lots on the market. Terms easy. Apply to

W. E. SMITH, ACTON.

WANTED.

LOCAL AND TRAVELLING SALESMEN to sell our choice varieties of nursery stock either on salary or commission, permanent employment to the right men, no room for lazy ones. Upright and honest are the ones we are looking for. Address with references

MAY BROTHERS,
Nurserymen, Rochester, N. Y.

SALESMEN WANTED.

WE are in want of a few more first-class men to canvass for the sale of choice varieties of Nursery Stock. To men who can make a success of the business we can pay good salaries or commission and give permanent employment. We have many new and choice specialties both in the fruit and ornamental lines which other do not handle. Apply at once, with references

MAY BROTHERS,
NURSERYMEN ROCHESTER, N.Y.

—Ladies kindly read Kelly Bros. advertisement.

—The largest assortment of necktie ever shown is at Kelly Bros.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure.

This powder never varies. A marvel of purity strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight alum or phosphate powders. Sold only in cans. ROYAL BAKING POWDER Co. 106 Wall St., N. Y.

Mortgage Sale

—OF—

VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY

—IN THE—

TOWNSHIP OF ERIN.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE of a power of sale contained in an indenture of mortgage, there will be offered for sale by public auction at

AGNEW'S HOTEL,
in the Village of Acton,

at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, the following valuable farm property:—

All and singular that certain parcel & tract of land and premises in the Township of Erin, being composed of the West Half of Lot number two, in the third Concession of the Township of Erin, containing by admeasurement one hundred acres more or less.

For further particulars and terms of sale apply to

A. S. LOWN, Solicitor, Drayton, or to
WM. HEMSTREET, Auctioneer.

—Gentlemen kindly call and examine Kelly Bros. spring suitings and pantings.

1888 SPRING. 1888

"THE TAILOR MAKES THE MAN."

M. BRENNAN,

Merchant Tailor, Mill Street,

Has just received his Spring Stock of Cloths and Trimmings, which is by far superior to any assortment previously shown by him, and includes

The Newest Worsteds,
First-Class Tweeds,
and other Excellent Lines

in great variety, much of the quality of which is shown only by the city tailors.

Having had many years of practical experience, I can assure my customers first-class workmanship, and a sure fit every time.

Special Quality. Special Nice Fit.
Special Reasonable Prices Special in Style.

A call is invited, whether you need clothing at present or not. You will be pleased with my stock and know where to come when ready for a new suit. Come to the only practical tailor in town for your clothing, one who is his own foreman and who gives personal supervision to every order.

M. BRENNAN.

NEW GOODS.

THIS SPRING'S NEW YORK STYLES

—OF—

Brooches, Ear-Rings, Scarf Pins, Rings, Etc.

—ALSO NEW STOCK OF—

AMERICAN WATCHES,

Made to my Especial Order.

B. SAVAGE, Guelph.

THE GREAT

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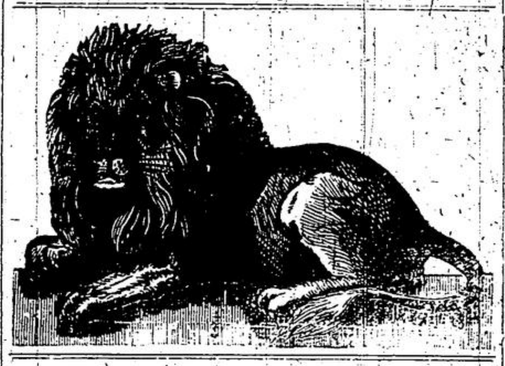
—OF—

WESTERN ONTARIO.

THE GOLDEN LION

—OF—

GUELPH AND GLASGOW.



SPRING GOODS.

Novelties in Dress Goods, Novelties in Trimmings, Novelties in Silks, Novelties in Satins, Ladies' Cotton Underclothing in all Styles and Prices. Over 1000 pair Kid Gloves, Josephine and other makes at 25c. Best 4 Button Black and Colored Josephine Kids at $1.00. Wonderful Value in Embroideries & Laces. Beautiful Lace and Embroidery Flouncing. Magnificent range of Prints and Ginghams.

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Young men, call early and leave your order with Mr. McKenzie, the best cutter in Western Ontario. Style, Fit and price unequalled.

J. D. WILLIAMSON & CO.

THESE ARE HARD TIMES!

—BUT—

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(MAIN STREET, ACTON,

Is fully prepared to supply the needs of all who require Pure and Fresh Groceries, Fruits, &c., and everything else in that line for the times cheap.

A special stock of Crockery and Dishes are shown in Sets at from $2.50 to $20.00. Tea Sets $5 worth $6. Class Sets 50c. worth 65c. Lamps $1.50 worth $2.00. Vegetable Dishes, Fruit Dishes, Cake Stands, &c.

All Other Goods Proportionately Cheap.

Every customer knows that my prices are low and always satisfactory, and new ones will be convinced by calling. Come early and secure Goods Cheap.

T. H. HARDING

—ARE YOU GOING TO—

Build This Year?

We would respectfully draw your attention to the extent and variety of our stock. We carry the largest assortment in Central Ontario, and can do as well for you or better than elsewhere.

Buying for cash in the largest markets of the world, or from the manufacturers direct we can offer you unequalled advantages in price and selection.

If you intend to build, we think it will be to your advantage to give us a call, when we will place you in charge of an experienced clerk, specially adapted and well posted in the building trade.

Our aim will be to give satisfaction in every particular. Please call or write us.

JOHN M. BOND & CO.,

Direct Hardware Importers

GUELPH.

Have you Secured your Binding Twine Yet?

Present indications are that it will be scarce, we have bought largely of the best made and will be happy to book orders or give information.

14,831 Yards of Dress Goods Arrived at the Right House.

As a large lot of these Dress Goods are 45 inches wide, this importation is enough to make 1,050 dresses for ladies. Besides this week's shipments there were several previous arrivals of very Handsome French and British Dress Goods. A large shipment of Beautiful French Silks, Satins, Satin Duchesse, Satin Merveilleux, Faille Francaise, Marceline and Lustrine arrived this week. Also Colored Florentines, DeBeges, Nun's Veilings, Black and Colored Cashmeres, Fancy Dress Goods, Austrian Dress Buttons, Prints, Regatta Shirtings, Cretonnes, Ribbons, Ladies' and Misses' Straw Hats, New Styles of Neck Frillings, Embroidery, Chantilly Laces. Nine bales of All-wool, Union, Tapestry and Brussels Carpets, Window Poles, Brass Trimmings, Brass Rods. A bale of very pretty Table Oil-cloths, White Shirtings, Grey Cottons. A case of Superfine Blankets, etc. Seven Bales of Prints. A full assortment of Very Stylish Lace Flouncings for evening wear. Piles of other new goods arrived last week.

THE GREAT SALE OF WINTER GOODS AT AND UNDER COST WILL CONTINUE

Remnants of Prints, Dress Goods, Winceys, Flannels and Carpets at Greatly Reduced Prices. A lot of Ladies' Jerseys, mostly for spring, marked down very low. Remember the Mantles, Mantle and Ulster Cloths, Knitted Shawls and Clouds, Woven Shawls, Millinery, etc., are selling off at immensely reduced prices. Carpets over from last season are selling off at less than cost. A large lot of Carpet Borders going at half price to Tapestry, Brussels and Wilton. Full assortments of Housefurnishing Goods on hand. Just see the Pure Linen Damask Towels at 5c. The 36-inch 8½c. and 10c. White Cottons. The 38-inch Grey Cottons at 5c. and 7½c. Be sure to see the New Styles of French and German Corsets. Ladies will please call at King street east, one door west of Hughson street. The names on the windows are the Right House and

THOMAS C. WILKINS.

Hamilton, March 1, 1888.

DISSOLUTION SALE

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, as General Merchants in the Village of Georgetown, under the firm name of McLeod, Anderson & Co., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to Wm. McLeod, at the store, Georgetown, County of Halton, and all claims against the said partnership are to be presented and paid by the aforesaid Wm. McLeod.

Dated at Georgetown this 24th day of Feb., 1888.

JOHN GIBSON, WM. MCLEOD,
WITNESS, GEO. ANDERSON.

With reference to the above I beg to intimate that I intend continuing the aforesaid business under the style and firm name of Wm. McLeod & Co., and would respectfully ask all parties owing small balances, accounts and overdue notes, to call and settle as money is required to pay off the retiring partner.

I also beg leave to announce a dissolution sale, the stock is large and first-class, and there are several lines of goods to be sold out to reduce the stock. Great Bargains will be given as we must have money to square up the retiring partner.

Our Spring Goods are coming in in large variety, new prints, new dress goods, new silks, new millinery, new parasols, new tweeds, new gents furnishings, new ready-made clothing, new carpets, new cottons, new towellings, new table linens, new footwear. Prints for 5c. worth double the money, new cottons for 5c. great bargains.

Remember the ordered clothing department, dress and mantle making department, and millinery are in first-class working order and stocked with the latest novelties. This sale is a genuine sale to realize money to pay off a partnership that has been dissolved, so you can come with confidence to purchase, and you will be amply repaid.

Although the stock is marked very low already and several lines below cost we offer as a further inducement to buyers a discount of 5% for spot cash on all sales of $2.00 and upwards for two months, ending 1st May, 1888.

WM. MCLEOD,
WM. MCLEOD & CO.

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GEORGETOWN.

N. WASHINGTON, M.D., L.R.C.P.S.,

Eminent Throat and Lung Surgeon,

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ONE DAY ONLY.

CATARRH THROAT CURED.

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John McKelvy, Kingston, Ont., Catarrh.
Mrs. A. Hopping, Kingston, Ont., Bronchial Consumption.
Mr. E. Scott, Kingston, Ont., Catarrh, head and throat.
Mrs. Jno. Betram, Harrowsmith, Ont., Catarrh, throat.
James Matthews, P. Master, Acton, Ont., Catarrh, head and throat.
F. Francis, Berlin, Ont., Catarrh, head and throat.
Miss Nellie Eby, Berlin, Ont., Enlarged Tonsil.
F. Wing, R. M., Corunna, Ont., Catarrh, head.
Henry Scott, Berlin, Ont., Asthma.
Mrs. P. Wagner, (near) Berlin, Ont., Catarrh, head and throat.
Levi Kercher, St. Jacobs, Ont., Catarrh, head and throat.
Colin Campbell, St. Edward, Ont., Asthma.
James Stacey, Dutton, Ont., Catarrh.
Wm. Shoemaker, Hodgey, Ont., Catarrh.
Joseph Smiley, Fort Gratiot, U. S., Catarrh, head form.
W. H. Storey, Esq., of Storey & Son, Glove Manufacturers, Acton, Ont.: Dr. Washington is the only Throat and Lung Surgeon in Canada.
Miss Mary A. Roubourg, Centerville, Ont., Catarrh, head and throat.
Mrs. Godfrey, Lehness, S. Jacobs, Ont., Consumption.
Titus Snider, Bloomfield, Ont., Catarrh, head and throat.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of

JAS. CONLEY

Late of the Village of Speyside, in the Township of Esquesing, in the County of Halton, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, the creditors of James Conley, late of the village of Speyside, in the County of Halton, yeoman, who died on or about the sixth day of January, A.D., 1888, are hereby required to send to Henry Sayers, Speyside P. O., Ont., the acting executor under the will of the said James Conley, deceased, on or before the twenty third day of April, A.D., 1888, by post prepaid, a statement of their names, addresses with full particulars and proof of their claims, and statements of their accounts and securities of any held by them.

And notice is hereby given that after the said 23rd day of April, 1888, the said Henry Sayers, the acting executor as aforesaid, will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall have had notice, and the said acting executor will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof so to any person or persons of whose claim or claims he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

JOHN W. ELLIOTT,
Solicitor for Executor, Milton.

Dated at Milton the 10th March, 1888.

All parties indebted to the late James Conley are hereby notified that payment is required forthwith, to

HENRY SAYERS,
Acting Executor, Speyside.