BORN.

BAIRD.—In Toronto, on the 13th inst., the wife of Mr. J. Baird, B. A., of Shilton, Allan & Baird, of a son.

BRICKER.—At Listowel, on the 10th October, the wife of Mr. Moses Bricker, of the firm of Bricker Bros., of a son.

MARRIED.

PATTULLO—BALMER.—At Brantford, on the 16th October, by the Rev. Dr. Cochrane (brother-in-law of the bride), assisted by the Rev. Dr. McMullen and Rev. Mr. Cuthbertson, of Woodstock, Andrew Pattullo, Esq., editor of the Woodstock SENTINEL-REVIEW, to Isabel, fourth daughter of Robert Balmer, Esq., Oakville.

LAMB—McCAUL.—In the Catholic church, Arthur, on the 21st inst., by Rev. Father J. P. Doherty, assisted by Rev. Fathers Tolsy and O'Reilly, Mr. Albert Lamb, youngest son of Mr. Patrick Lamb, Acton, to Miss Mignie McCaul, eldest daughter of Mr. Patrick McCaul, of Arthur.

DIED.

FLYNN.—Accidentally killed on the G. T. R. at Guelph, on the 22nd inst., George Flynn, aged 23 years.

The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1889.

ACCEPT OUR THANKS.

A few weeks ago the FREE PRESS set out a large number of accounts. Many of our subscribers to whom the accounts were sent have kindly forwarded us the amount of their subscriptions, and we take this opportunity of thanking them for so doing. There are yet a large number, however, who have not answered our invitation to pay up. We hope to be able to thank them in the near future or so.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Following in the wake of the greatest railway on the continent—the Canadian Pacific—the Union Pacific has put colonists sleepers on its line. Uncle Sam may learn lots of things from Canada.

The writ for the election in West Lambton to fill the vacancy in the Ontario Legislature caused by the death of the late Hon. Timothy Blair Pardee has been issued. The nomination takes place on the 11th November, and the election on the 18th, a week later.

The trade returns of Newfoundland for the year 1888 show that the total value of goods imported into the colony last year was $7,420,400 and the exports amounted to $6,523,137. There was a substantial increase in the trade of the island during the year. The exports consisted almost exclusively of fish, fish oils, copper ore and seal skins.

A Montreal despatch says:—The frequent accidents that occur to people who persist in walking on railway tracks is likely to bear fruit. The Grand Trunk authorities are determined to arrest all persons found trespassing in the manner stated, not only to citizens, but all along the line, and the provisions of the Railway Act will be strictly enforced.

Sir Charles Tupper has gone to Spain to re-open negotiations for a commercial treaty with Great Britain on behalf of Canada. We wonder if the dons can answer that celebrated conundrum, "What is the difference between an unrestricted offer of reciprocity and an offer of unrestricted reciprocity" and which form will the High Commissioner's proposals take?

A movement is on foot in Toronto to license newsboys and prohibit girls from selling papers on the streets. Two years ago an act was passed by the Ontario legislature empowering the police board of the city to deal with the subject. The Humane society have drawn up a by-law which prohibits any child under eight years of age selling papers on the streets, and requires that each boy must have his name registered at the police office and receive a badge, to be worn in a conspicuous place.

According to the annual report of the geological survey, the mineral production of Canada last year was $16,500,000. The following were the items of produce of $500,000 and over:

Coal	$5,259,839
Iron	1,592,761
Gold	1,094,610
Bricks	1,036,716
Petroleum	755,871
Copper	667,443
Building Stone	641,712

The total shows a decided increase over the previous year. The exports during the year were $4,738,810. The imports of minerals and mineral productions during the same year were $28,230,788, of which $11,000,000 were of iron and steel, and nearly $9,000,000 of coal.

A committee of the Undertakers' Association recently met Dr. Bryce, secretary of the Provincial Board of Health, in reference to securing legislation for the licensing of undertakers. Under the law at present anyone can be an undertaker; and as a consequence, many persons understanding nothing about contagious diseases or sanitation, are in the business. It is therefore deemed wise in the interest of the public health to make an examination necessary, and if the candidate is found proficient, a licence will be granted to him. An act will be applied for jointly by the Provincial Board of Health and the Undertakers Association at the next session of the Ontario Legislature to make this examination compulsory.

ALARMING CONDITION OF THE PRINCE OF WALES.

The Physicians in Attendance Pronounce His Malady to be Bright's Disease—And say he will not live Another Year.

The *Times'* London correspondent cables that the doctors who have been in attendance upon the Prince of Wales, have, after careful examination, come to the conclusion that he is suffering from Bright's disease. The Queen became very melancholy more especially as it is said there is no hope of his recovery, and that he cannot live through next year. This announcement has created great consternation throughout the empire.

The Prince's physicians have recommended an Egyptian trip as the means of keeping up his spirits. The Prince will be accompanied by his physician and every possible means that will aid in prolonging his life will be carefully attended to.

Union Between the Disciples and the Baptists.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—At the annual meeting of the Disciples' Church, held at Lobo last week, Rev. Mr. Gaff, of Toronto, moved a resolution looking toward the union of the Disciples with the Baptist body. The resolution was carried unanimously. Rev. James Ledlard was appointed to bring the matter before the Disciples' Annual Convention in June next, and Rev. W. H. Porter was requested to lay the matter before the Baptist Convention, to be held in Ottawa.

The King of Portugal died on Saturday, and his son succeeds him with the title of Carlos I.

OUR MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

Acton's Credit High Enough to Command 103½ for Five Per Cent. Debentures.

CONSIDERATION FOR ACTON CORNET BAND

Council met on Monday evening.

The Reeve in the chair. Members present. Messrs. Harvey, Speight and Secord.

Minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed.

The tenders for the park debentures were opened and contained offers as follows:—G. A. Stimson, Toronto 103¼; R. Wilson Smith, Montreal, $103½.

Dr. Lowry here entered and took his seat.

It was moved by Dr. Lowry, seconded by Alex. Secord, that the tender of R. Wilson Smith of 103½ for $3000 Park Debentures be accepted and that the Reeve be instructed to transfer the same upon payment thereof.—Carried.

Moved by Alex. Secord, seconded by John Harvey, that the Reeve and Dr. Lowry be a committee to secure the transfer of the Park property and that the Treasurer be instructed to pay to W. E. Smith the sum of $3000 upon execution of the title to the satisfaction and approval of said committee.—Carried.

The sixteenth report of the Committee on Finance was presented and the following accounts recommended to be paid:—

Hart & Co., blank forms	$ 1 92
Thos. T. Moore, postage and stationery	2 00
Selectors of Jurors	3 00
Wm. Ramshaw, work	2 75
H. P. Moore, printing and stationery	9 75
R. B. Cook, Sanitary Inspector	20 00
James Brown, lumber	332 19
	$370 63

Upon motion of Councillors Lowry and Secord, the report was adopted.

The rent of the hall for the concerts under the auspices of Acton Cornet Band was considered.

It was moved by W. H. Lowry, seconded by Alex. Secord that no charge be made for the use of the hall by Acton Cornet Band on the 9th and 23rd of October.—Carried.

When this subject was under discussion the Reeve expressed himself as anxious to favor the Band always, but was under the impression that very little was done by the Band during the past summer in the matter of open air concerts on the streets in town. One cause of this was perhaps the lack of a band stand. To overcome this difficulty he stated that if the citizens would erect a neat band stand he would grant them the use of the vacant lot at the corner of Bower Avenue and Alice Street, and supply them once or twice each week with gas for lighting free. It is to be hoped this generous offer will be accepted. The location is central and suitable, and there is no doubt a citizens' committee could with little effort secure the funds necessary to erect a neat band stand.

Complaint was made that every spring and fall the water backs up into the yard and cellar of the property of Miss Morton on Bower Avenue.

The committee on streets and sidewalks were instructed to give the matter their attention.

Council then adjourned.

DEATH OF SENATOR TURNER.

He Passes Peacefully Away at His Home in Hamilton on Saturday.

Hon. James Turner, of Hamilton, who has been confined for some time to the house, passed peacefully, quietly, gently away a few minutes after 6 o'clock on Saturday evening, in the presence of the immediate members of his family and Rev. D. H. Fletcher, of the McNab Street Presbyterian church, where Senator Turner had worshipped for the past thirty years or more.

Senator Turner was born in Glasgow, Scotland, on the 31st March, 1826. He is a son of the late John Turner, of MacLellan & Turner, power loom manufacturers, Glasgow. When in his 22nd year he emigrated from Glasgow to Canada, proceeding to Hamilton, where he took up his abode and has remained ever since. His life was a most remarkable one in a business sense. Senator Turner has displayed industry, commercial insight, and judgement far above the common order; and in his place in the Senate his counsel and decision were always held in the highest possible regard. He was not less worthy, and an ornament, as Senator than as merchant.

SUICIDE OF A TORONTO CIVIC OFFICIAL.

TORONTO, Oct. 18.—Mr. Francis Lobb, for 19 years an esteemed and faithful city official, employed in the City Treasurer's Department, committed suicide yesterday afternoon. He was at his desk at 9 a. m., chatted and conversed freely with his chief and his brother clerks all morning, and left the office at 1.30 p. m. with Mr McMillan ex-Treasurer of Parkdale, formerly of Rockwood Academy, who is employed in the City Treasurer's Department, for lunch. The two gentlemen went to Nasmith's restaurant, and while at lunch Mr. Lobb was cheerful and conversed freely with his companion. Shortly after they parted the report of a pistol shot was heard from a small passage way near the junction of Front and Wellington streets, and Mr. Lobb was found there dead. His books are correct, and his sad act is ascribed to melancholia, from which he has been suffering. He was a member of the Jarvis Street Baptist Church, was Treasurer of the Sunday School of that church, and is highly spoken of by the members of that congregation.

GUELPH MARKETS.

October 23rd, 1889

Flour (Roller)	$ 2 40 to $ 2 65
Flour (Stone)	$ 2 40 to $ 2 65
White (Clawson)	0 00 to 0 00
Scott Wheat	0 00 to 0 00
Democrat Wheat	0 00 to 0 00
Spring Wheat	0 82 to 0 82
Fall Wheat	0 82 to 0 82
Bran	11 00 to 11 00
Barley	0 40 to 0 50
Oats	0 27 to 0 28
Rye	0 50 to 0 53
Peas	0 46 to 0 53
Hay old	10 00 to 11 00
Hay new	7 00 to 8 50
Straw	5 00 to 6 00
Wood per cord	4 00 to 4 50
Eggs per dozen	0 17 to 0 18
Butter dairy packed	0 16 to 0 18
Butter rolls	0 19 to 0 20
Cheese	0 11 to 0 12
Potatoes per bag	0 50 to 0 60
Apples	0 75 to 1 00
Pork	6 25 to 6 80
Lambskins	0 50 to 0 70
Pelts	0 25 to 0 60
Hides	2 50 to 3 00
Coarse Wool	0 20 to 0 30
Fine Wool	0 22 to 0 23
Turnips	0 08 to 0 10

It is stated that during the last voyage of the Umbria from Liverpool to New York a fireman was accidently roasted to death in the engine-room, and that he was buried at sea, without any entry being made in the log.

The jury returned a verdict of "not guilty" at Toronto on Saturday in the Hicks poisoning case, and Mrs. White and her nephew were at once discharged.

Patrick Haley, of West Garafraxa, who inflicted several wounds on Miss Ellis with a knife, was sentenced at Guelph on Saturday to three years' imprisonment.

The Italian Government has ordered 50,000,000 cartridges to be made with smokeless powder.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

Furnished by Correspondents, Culled From Exchanges and Picked up by the Way.

GEORGETOWN.

The Rifle matches were held here on Saturday.

A social was held in the Baptist church last evening. An enjoyable evening was spent. The ladies of the church provided it.

The anniversary services and tea-meeting in connection with the Presbyterian Church on Sunday and Monday were quite successful.

Four young men of marked ability now occupy Georgetown pulpits: Rev. A. W. Richardson, Rev. J. W. Churchill, Rev. D. Strachan and Rev. Father O'Loane.—*Herald.*

MILTON.

The very sudden death of R. S. Heaven, who was attending the Trinity Medical College, Toronto, has cast quite a gloom over the community. He was sick but a couple of days. His parents who live near Milton not knowing anything about his illness until the sad news came by telegram that he was dead. The funeral took place here on Saturday and was largely attended. Six of his fellow students acted as pallbearers.

The Rev. D. M. McKenzie is lying very dangerously ill at present from the effects of a paralytic stroke which he had last Friday.

Our Town Council have decided to accept the seven hundred dollars per annum offered by the G. T. R. to supply their road at this point with water from the waterworks.

OAKVILLE.

The last meeting of the Young People's Association was more than usually interesting; made so by a Bible reading given by the President on the subject of "Gossip." Very few young men would have courage enough to deal with such a subject before the faces of so many young ladies, for we all know that it is only the fair sex who engage in such a trifling matter as gossip.

The men seek for a much deeper subject. However, trifling matters are not to be despised. A mosquito can drive an elephant absolutely mad, so a woman with her tongue can drive a man to distraction.

The repainting of the brick stores occupied by Mr. Barclay, merchant, and Messrs. Forster & Bradwin, proprietors of the *Star*, adds greatly to the looks of the town. We hope a few more proprietors of buildings on the main street will do likewise, for there is nothing that helps a man's business so much as keeping up to the times.

Two very thrilling and soul-stirring sermons were preached by Rev. Mr. Kettlewell last Sunday. He evidently sees that if some of the members of the church do not get aroused and let their lights shine before men, that all hope of them ever gaining "life eternal" will be lost. For my part, I really believe that some men expect to get into Heaven hanging on to the skirts of the women. But woe be unto their expectations in that day, when the Lord shall gather in none but those who have fought their own battles and sought their own way to the heavenly fold.

Last Friday evening the annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held and the following officers appointed:—President Mrs. Wm. McCraney; 1st Vice-Pres., Mrs. D. McCraney; 2nd Vice-Pres., Mrs J. Warcup; 3rd Vice-Pres., Mrs. R. K. Chisholm; Rec-Sec., Mrs. L. M. Wright-Orr; Cor-Sec., Mrs. Watson; Treas., Miss Lucy Anderson.

HAMILTON.

A few words for boys from an old Acton school boy. Many years ago I was a school boy. I remember how often a group of us would discuss our ambitions and aims. Some of us wanted money. Thinking if we had money first all the other good things would follow. Some again said politics brought honor and money, others preferred law medicine and so on. In following the lives of these old school-mates how different in nearly every case has their station in life been from their youthful ideas of it. One boy is now a blacksmith who wanted to be a lawyer. Another is a minister who then had thought almost averse to that profession. Another a book-keeper whose idea was to be a lawyer or politician, and so on all through. The fact is simple truth that the boys who were steady and earnest in their school work, as well as their play are the boys who are filling their little niche in the world to-day successfully and contentedly. It was hard to give up boyish ideas, but, however any of them regret, the hard lessons of life have now shown them that it is not the richest nor the most honored, nor the wisest man that is happiest. How many times have these boys, now grown to manhood, been thankful for the good sound foundation in education they received at school. How the minister now appreciates the drilling in spelling and composition. The book-keeper, his long columns of addition to do at lightning speed. The surest way for a boy to get on in the world is to take all the advantages of the common school education that he possibly can.

Some of our business men to-day are ashamed to write letters themselves because of their bad spelling. What excuse is there for a boy or girl to grow up ignorant in these days of free education? None at all. The world is getting so full that only young men and boys who have cultivated their brain power and trained themselves to think quickly, and acutely are getting on. Business requires sharpness and correctness and earnestness to-day and these qualifications will be more required 10 or 20 years hence.

Boys, in play hours play all you can, as hard as you can, as earnestly as you like. In school hours work in the same way.

At last one of the paper railroads that have been disturbing the usual peaceful state of Hamilton has presented something definite.

The Municipal Elections are being run on stright political lines this year. Both parties are holding caucuses and the feeling has become intense already. Four names are already mentioned so far, but as three of these are Tories no doubt party pressure will be brought to bear on some of them to cause their retirement.

Alderman McLellan, the Reform Candidate, is a little pompous individual, with all the assurance and conceit that little men generally have.

Alderman Major Moore is a big man and a Catholic. He fills a very large niche in Hamilton society and public life so his friends and sometimes himself say.

Mr. C. R. Smith, Secretary Board of Trade, Hamilton Summer Carnival, and Great Central Fair, has bloomed out like a June rose and attracted a great deal of public attention this year. He is energetic, and a friend of the Anti-prohibitionists.

Alderman Kenrick, as chairman of the market, fire, and police board, owner of some real estate, and a genial disposition has he thinks, some qualifications for chief magistrate. I think his friends are not numerous enough.

FRITZ.

KNATCHBULL.

Last Wednesday Mr. Wm. Hanna had a logging bee. A number of the neighbors with their oxen turned out to give him a hand. After the day's work was over the girls and boys of the neighborhood put in an evening's fun and frolic. It reminded one of the good old times that used to be.

The hard frosts at night lately are having their effect upon the trees. The leaves are falling fast and in a few more days will present a destitute appearance.

Mr. L. S. Allison has purchased a house and lot in Knatchbull, from Mr. Wm. Husband.

Mr. Wm. Jackson purposes erecting a new bank barn next year, and has got part of the foundation built. Mr. R. Lamb has the contract for masonery, and Mr. Jackson with his long experience in barn-building will do the framing no doubt to his own perfect satisfaction.

LIMEHOUSE.

Our little hamlet is at present busy with fall work.

Apples are more plentiful hereabouts than in many of the neighboring sections.

The lime business, which is the principal industry here, is pretty lively at present, and therein considerable demand for water lime as well.

Messrs. Newton & Sons are shipping their widely known Empire blankets in considerable quantities. The factory is running full time.

Carpenter Sharp is building a new engine room and boiler house for the woolen mills.

Mr. C. V. Stafford is shipping two cars of stone per day to Toronto. He has just completed a fine free stone engine bed for the new tannery at Acton.

Our public school has been conducted with a good deal of success by Miss Bella Gordon, and it is very generally hoped that she will be continued in the school.

Mr. Lewis Kennedy is now running the bakery business formerly carried on by Martin, of Georgetown, and is supplying us with excellent bread.

Messrs. Taylor Bros. are still rushing the lumber business under the management of Mr. W. C. Allison.

ERIN.

Special services are in progress in the Methodist church, Conningsby.

The re-opening services at Burns' church will be held next Sunday, Rev. A. Gilray, of Toronto, is announced to preach morning and evening.

The Methodist Sabbath School has been re-organized. It will meet at 10 a.m. instead of at 2:30 p.m. as formerly. The pastor and his assistant, Mr. Thornley, will superintend it alternately, and will also teach an adult Bible Class.—*Advocate.*

Lieut. Conboy was quite successful in the Western Association rifle matches at London. He won prizes to the amount of $13.50.

The concert was quite a taking affair. Gallagher pleased the crowd who remained after the fair.

There was an unusually large number of fakirs at the show. A man who made it his business to ascertain, states that there were upwards of two hundred. They received a permit to practice their operations and therefore the police could not interfere. It is said a great number of young farmers were badly "taken in." In one instance where the victimized one refused to disgorge, he was brutally assaulted by the fakir.

Archie Saunders, formerly mail carrier, returned last Saturday from Muskoka with a fine doe, shot in the Parry Sound District.

THE NEIGHBORING EXHIBITIONS.

The Season Concluded With a Series of Successful Fall Shows.

Three exhibitions have been held in this vicinity since our excellent exhibition took place here, and each of them has been crowned with more than ordinary success, Halton, Nassagaweya and Erin are referred to.

THE COUNTY SHOW.

The County Show held at Milton was favored with Queen's weather on both days of the show, and as the *Reformer* says the result has been most gratifying all round, imparting new life and energy to the directors, planting the Society's feet on the solid rock of success once more, and ensuring greater things for the future, the weather being favorable. As the receipts at the gate amounted to $966.00, it is estimated that not less than 6,000 people were on the grounds.

The hall was well filled, all the space being taken up.

The usual games-of-chance men were on hand to catch the dimes of the unwary, but on the arrival of Mayor Dice and the chief constable, their "offices" were promptly closed up, and the spoil didn't amount to much.

There was a total of 2,445 entries, as follows:—Horses, 337; cattle, 116; sheep, 123; pigs, 39; poultry, 168; grain, 61; roots, 179; plants and flowers, 75; dairy, 143; domestic, 264; implements, &c., 56; ladies' work, 307; fruit, 346; fine arts, 171.

NASSAGAWEYA FAIR.

The annual exhibition of the Nassagaweya Agricultural Society was held on the 14th and 15th. The weather was fine, the attendance was the largest on record, and there was a splendid show of stock and all kinds of produce. The excellent manner in which the details connected with the exhibition were carried out was most creditable the directors of the society and particularly so to its efficient secretary, Mr. M. Beattie, of Campbellville. We are unable to find room for the prize list owing to pressure of other matter. This was Nassagaweya's first year for a two-day's show and the result was highly satisfactory.

ERIN EXHIBITION.

This well-known show, the last of the season in this section, was also favored with delightful weather which went a long way to make the show the great success that it was, and, perhaps, the best that has ever been held in Erin. The receipts were very satisfactory to the directors.

In the afternoon the big attraction was at the outside show, which afforded no end of entertainment. The side shows of all kinds did a great business, and the band enlivened the proceedings with music. Fakirs ran riot everywhere and many a a hard earned dollar was parted with by the fools who presumed to beat the knaves at their own game.

The show in the hall was hardly equal to previous years and the management could learn a good deal in the matter of arrangement.

For crowds Erin took the banner for the year. $550 gate money at 10 cents admission is a big thing.

Among the prize winners at each of the above shows we notice many of the names of residents of this vicinity.

—If you want a reliable working boot, an elegant Sunday shoe, a comfortable evening slipper, or a good trunk or valise to use in travelling go to Kenny Bros., boot & Shoe store, Acton.

MERCHANTS' DAY.

A Proposition of the "Mail" Finding General Favor.

For some weeks the *Mail* has been advocating the idea of a Merchants' Day" in every week to allow retail merchants to visit Toronto to purchase stock, at a reduced railway fare. Letters from merchants in all sections expressing their opinion of the scheme, have been published and the following appeared among those of yesterday morning's issue:—

To the Editor of the MAIL.

SIR.—Your suggestion of a Merchants' day is a good one. Many country merchants would no doubt visit Toronto much more frequently if offered some slight inducement by the railway companies. We are convinced such an arrangement would result in great benefit to the merchants, as they would buy oftener and just what they required.

Yours, etc.,
HENDERSON, McRAE & CO.

Acton, Oct. 21.

Toronto Board of Trade has been requested to take action in the matter and use their influence to secure the desired reduction in railway rates on the different lines. One writer makes three very tenable points. First, he says, "Merchants' Day" would bring wholesaler and customer together to benefit of both; second, it would give the retailer the opportunity of making frequent selections from the wholesale stock, whereby he would be able to carry a relatively light stock, and always something new; third, the liabilities would be smaller and the buyer would be more independent than he now is.

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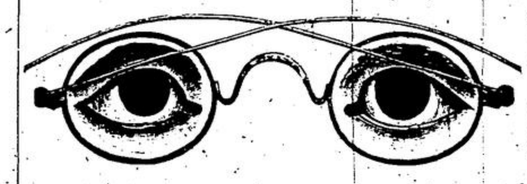

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VILLAGE OF ACTON.

NOTICE is hereby given that a court will be held, pursuant to the Voter's List Act, by His Honor the Judge of the County Court of the County of Halton, at the Town Hall, Acton, on

MONDAY, 28th DAY OF OCTOBER, 1889,

at one o'clock in the afternoon, to hear and determine the several complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters' Lists of the municipality of the Village of Acton for the year A.D. 1889.

All persons having business at the Court are required to attend at the above time and place.

THOS. T. MOORE,
Clerk of the said Municipality.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
—OF—
JAMES HENDERSON, Deceased

THE creditors (including those having any specific or general lien or incumbrance upon the Estate or any undivided share thereof) of James Henderson, late of the Township of Nassagaweya in the County of Halton, farmer, who died on or about the 9th day of July, 1889, are hereby required to send to Michael Lamb, Esquire, Acton P.O., one of the Executors of the Estate of James Henderson, deceased, on or before the first day of November, 1889, their christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, with full particulars and proof of their claims, and statements of their accounts and the security if any held by them. Claims to be proved by Statutory Declarations.

And notice is hereby given that after the said first day of November, 1889, the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall have had notice and the Executors will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim or claims the shall not have notice at the time of such distribution.

This Notice is given pursuant to R.S.O., 1887, Chap. 110.

McLEAN & McLEAN,
Solicitors for Executors.
John Russell and Michael Lamb.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
—OF—
WILLIAM SMITH, DECEASED

THE creditors including those having any specific or general lien or incumbrance upon the Estate or any undivided share thereof of William Smith, late of the Village of Acton, in the County of Halton, who died on or about the seventeenth day of August, 1889, are hereby required to send to Jane Ann Smith, Acton P.O., administratrix of the Estate of William Smith, deceased on or before the 26th day of October, 1889, their christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions with full particulars and proof of their claims and statements of their accounts and the security if any held by them. Claims to be proved by Statutory Declarations.

And notice is hereby given that after the said 26th day of October, 1889, the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which she shall have had notice and the administratrix will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim or claims she shall not have notice at the time of such distribution.

This Notice is given pursuant to R.S.O., 187, Chap. 110.

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Dated this 27th day of Sept., 1889.

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2. A quantity of Carpenters Tools.

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