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The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, MARCH 20, 1890.

MANY MINOR LOCALS

Collated by the Ever Thoughtful and Alert Free Press Reporters.

—Rough roads the past week.

—The shamrock was worn on Monday.

—The weather continues very changeable.

—The season for rabbit shooting closed on Saturday.

—Dr. Halsted preached at the Brick Church and Everton last Sunday.

—Mr. Albert Lamb has opened a grocery in the old glove factory block.

—Messrs. W. H. Storey & Son contemplate another addition to their buckskin tannery.

—Rev. R. Haddow, B. A., of Milton, preached the preparatory sermon in Knox church last Friday morning.

—Mr. J. A. Keay, of McMaster Hall, Toronto, will preach in the Baptist Church next Sunday morning and evening.

—Rev. James Walker, of Rockwood, preached an earnest and acceptable sermon in the Methodist church on Sunday morning.

—The number of communicants at Knox church on Sunday morning last was larger than at any previous Sacramental service during the present pastorate.

—Mr. J. B. Fearson has just opened out one of the finest stocks of wall and ceiling papers and decorations that has ever been shown in Acton. The ceiling papers are particularly attractive.

—The Tilsonburg *Liberal* of last week published a sermon preached the previous Sunday by Rev. R. Hobbs on "The evils of the modern pleasure dance." It occupies over four columns of space.

—Some farmers say that the excess of damp rainy weather, which has prevailed all winter, has had a favorable effect upon the growing grain in high lands and that the prospects for the coming harvest are better than usual.

—The magistrates' convictions for the quarter just ended number 27. Most of them are caused by whiskey. 14 of the 27 convictions are from Georgetown and 8 from Milton.—*Reformer.* Better sell out the jail to these two towns.

—If you want note heads, letter heads, bill heads, cards, statements, wedding cards, envelopes, circulars, dodgers, auction bills, etc., well done and at reasonable prices, we can accommodate you as well as any printing office in this province.

—Merchants and others should be on the lookout for a new $5 counterfeit bill, a United States Treasury note of the series of 1880, bearing a Jackson vignette, and a large red seal. Its discovery has just been made known by the U. S. secret service.

—Messrs. W. McLeod & Co, Georgetown, are offering an extra inducement to purchasers of goods to the value of $20 and $30, this spring, in the way of presents of silverware. Their advertisement in another column gives full particulars of the conditions.

—The pulpit of the Methodist church will be occupied on Sunday morning by Rev. Thomas Gee, of Melverton. Rev. Dr. Moffatt will preach in the evening in the interest of the Religious Tract Society. Rev. Dr. Gifford will preach for Rev. J. E. Howell, M.A., President of Conference, at Berlin.

—The Hamilton *Spectator* now appears in a fine new dress. The *Spectator's* management is alive to the demands of the times and has enlarged and improved its form. As a newspaper the *Spectator* is all that could be desired, and as a party journal it surely fills the bill and meets the expectations of the deepest-dyed Tory in the land.

—The merchants are now busily engaged in rendering their places of business as attractive as possible for the spring trade. Kelly Bros. are painting their store inside and out. W. Williams is doing the same; George Hynds has added about three feet to the end of his store, while others are doing more or less in the way of general improvement.

—Little Cecil Nicklin, son of Mr. Robert Nicklin, died on Wednesday morning. His case was a complicated one which seemed to frustrate all the tactics of the doctors, who treated him for catarrh of the stomach. For the last week the little fellow was in convulsions most of the time and at last when the dark angel came the childish form was wasted to a mere skeleton. The afflicted parents have the sympathy of a large circle of friends.—Portage La Prairie *Review.*

—The reputation enjoyed by Messrs. Speight & McLean for the excellence of the carriages and waggons manufactured by them is not confined to this immediate section. On Monday they shipped a fine, strong and well-finished three-seated market waggon to Mr. Jas. Harvey, Indian Head, Man., and next week Mr. William Waldie will take with him to the North-west a first-class lumber waggon with shelved box, spring seat, &c. The use of the best material, and honest workmanship always wins favor.

HOME GLEANINGS

Which are Mostly of a Local Character and All Interesting.

Halton Teachers' Association Officers.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year at the recent convention at Georgetown:—

PRESIDENT.—J. M. Malcolm.
VICE-PRES.—R. E. Harrison.
SEC.-TREAS.—R. Meagie.
COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT.—J. McGregor, T. T. Moore, A. H. McGillivray, Misses Pringle and Gordon, J. S. Deacon, H. Gray, R. Coates, H. Husband.

Fooling With Poison.

A prominent Trafalgar farmer recently used "Rough on Rats" poison around his outbuildings extensively, for the purpose of destroying a few little sparrows, which had taken possession of his barn and house top. The high winds blew the poison upon the ground, and one morning he was horrified, upon going out to the barnyard, to find his highly prized turkeys, geese, and other fowl lying dead. This ought to be a warning to people not to fool with deadly poison in such a reckless fashion as some of them do.—Streetsville *Review.*

Will They Take The Hint.

A local merchant passed a very sensible remark to our reporter the other day. He said: "If those whoowe a dollar or two or a few dollars, at any of the stores, would go and pay it, that alone would cause the hard times to disappear. There are plenty of well-to do men walking around who owe small accounts here and there and who have carried the money around in their pockets all winter, yet they do not step in and give it to us. If small bills coming to me were paid I could get along nicely." There is no line of business that suffers more from negligence to pay small bills than that of the printer. He often goes with nothing in his pocket but a post-office key, while hundred of men have a dollar or two each of his money which they could do without and never miss it, and if paid to him would enable the printer to pay his debts.

Acton Union Fire Insurance Co.

The final meeting for the organization of a farmers' mutual fire insurance company for this section was held in the town hall on Saturday afternoon. The large attendance of farmers from all parts of the territory proposed to be covered by the company was most encouraging to the promoters of the scheme. Great interest was taken in the proceedings and those present concluding that it was most desirable that a local mutual company be formed the organization was proceeded with in the legally prescribed manner, and officers were elected as followed:—

PRESIDENT.—Jno. Ramsay.
VICE-PRES.—John Warren.
SECY.-TREAS.—Colin Campbell.
DIRECTORS.—James Kirkwood, Geo. Gilmour, Paul Kennedy, William Dodge.

The company proposes to business with favorable prospects, as applications for $169,000 of insurance have already been preferred. The company will be known as Acton Union Fire Insurance Company, will we understand confine its operations to farm property, and make Acton its headquarters.

McMaster Hall Glee Club Concert.

The concert given under the auspices of the Baptist Church, by McMaster Hall Glee Club, Toronto, in the town hall last Friday evening, was a most enjoyable musical treat. The members of the club present were Messrs. Davis and Keay, first tenors; Cross, second tenor; Norman and Merrill, first bass; Hughson, and Lehey, second bass; Munroe, pianist; and the excellent programme provided was as follows:—

1. Overture ..... Mr. Munroe.
2. "Silently the shades of evening" Glee Club.
3. Reading ..... "Jim the Hero" ..... Mr. Merrill.
4. "Rejoice in the Lord" ..... Quartette.
5. "Comrades in Arms" ..... Glee Club.
6. The Way is so delightful ..... Quartette.
7. Recitation ..... "Wreck of the Scilly" Mr. Keay.
8. "The Call of the Roll on High" ..... Quartette.
9. "We Rock Away" ..... Glee Club.
10. "Hope Beyond" ..... Duett.
11. "To live is Christ" ..... Glee Club.
12. "Wandering Down" ..... Quartette.
13. Recitation "An engineer's story" Mr. Lehey.
14. "The Song of the Soldier" ..... Glee Club.
15. "Rest in Jesus' Arms" ..... Quartette.
16. Recitation "A Midnight Ride" ..... Mr. Keay.
17. "Hallelujah for the Cross" ..... Glee Club.

As will be noticed the character of the selections was of a very high order, and a beautiful christian sentiment ran through the programme from first to last. The singing was very fine indeed and proved that the members of the glee club not only possess abundant natural ability but acquire a high degree of excellence through careful and constant practice. Our Baptist friends deserved, and the FREE PRESS was pleased to observe that they were accorded, a full house, and all present evidenced appreciation of the evening's entertainment. Rev. J. W. Rae presided. His happy manner and the apt and appropriate remarks interspersed between the various numbers won the admiration of the audience, and the general expression was "Mr. Rae is a model chairman."

Obituary—Mrs. C. A. Hall.

May E. Royce, relict of the late Charles Alfred Hall, and sister of the late Robert Royce, of Acton, died at the residence of her son-in-law, T. J. Halsted, Acton, on the 6th of March. She was born in Dundas in 1812, so at the time of her decease was in her 72nd year. She suffered much during her long illness of nearly four months, and although the best medical aid was procured she never rallied from an attack of la grippe followed by congestion of the right lung. Early in life she confessed faith in her Redeemer, whom she served with constancy all her life. For many years she was a member of the Presbyterian Church in whose interests she was a zealous worker, being missionary collector for the little branch church at Everton, where her residence was for over ten years the home of the ministers sent to supply that station, and many a student bears witness to her warm-hospitality, kind and cheerful counsel, as she was ever a true sympathizer with the many struggles and trials consequent upon ministerial life. When the station at Everton was broken up, being no bigot, but firmly believing that Christ's true followers were to be found among all evangelical bodies, she, with her husband, readily united with the Disciples, of which church she continued a member until her death. But her heart ever warmed towards the Presbyterian church, and after her removal to Acton, as health and circumstances permitted, she availed herself of the privilege of listening to the present pastor of Knox church, for whom she bore the kindest feelings and gratitude for his attendance upon her all through her suffering. She leaves a son and two daughters besides many near and dear relatives to mourn her loss, namely, Russel N. Wheeler, of Hamilton, Mrs. D. L. Thomson, of Grand Rapids, and Mrs. T. J. Halsted, of Acton.—Com.

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—Mr. H. Ramshaw, Photo Artist is turning out beautiful work now, highly creditable to any gallery outside the cities. All classes of his work are carefully and artistically executed, and his miniature and life sizes are equally meritorious.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

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

MILTON.

A conversazione will be given by the ladies aid of Knox Church in the Y. P. A. rooms, Dowar's Block, on Friday evening.

The rifle matches of Halton Battalion will likely be held at Milton on the 23rd and 24th May.

Division Court was held last Friday.

Lieut.-Col. Kerns is trying to get the Militia Department to provide new armouries at Milton, Burlington and Campbellville.

GEORGETOWN.

A Bubble Social was held in the Congregational Church on Tuesday evening. A talk upon the chemistry of a soap bubble formed part of the programme.

Mr. J. B. Dayfoot has gone to Avon Springs, N. Y., where he hopes to retain the strength he lost in his sickness.

A meeting of the ratepayers will held last evening for the purpose of discussing the advisability of procuring a steam fire engine for the village.

A number of our citizens attended the concert given by McMaster Hall Glee Club at Acton on Friday.

The *Herald* says respecting our monthly fair:—the entire display of stock last Friday was one cow and one pig, and the Hamilton *Spectator* calls it "Georgetown's Great March Fair."

LIMEHOUSE.

Mr. C. T. Moore, who went to Munroe, Mich., a few weeks ago, is doing well, and now feels quite at home there.

Mr. S. T. Humberston, wife of Reeve Humberston, of Newton Brook, has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. T. J. Ellis, during the week.

For some weeks Mrs. John Newton Sr. has been suffering from the effects of La Grippe and her death took place on Tuesday. Mrs. Newton was in her seventy-fifth year, and it will be remembered that exactly a month ago her twin-sister, Mrs. Weavers, departed this life. Mrs. Newton's partner in life died a little over a year ago, on Jan. 9th, 1889. With her husband and family deceased had resided in Limehouse for many years. She was always a kind neighbor and enjoyed general esteem. The death of Mr. and Mrs. Newton leaves a blank here which will never be filled. The funeral will take place from her late residence this afternoon.

ERIN.

An enjoyable social was held in Burns' Church last Thursday evening.

Rev. Dr. Harper addressed the Bible Society meeting. The attendance was not large.

A big, tall, raw-boned, skinny-looking, consumptive individual, accompanied by a large onion, put up at the Queen's Hotel about two months ago. His reputed name was Giffie Ferguson, said to have hailed from London, and purporting to be an agent for some extensive onion seed firm, the large onion on exhibition being the products of the same. He commenced business soon after his arrival in the village by selling small packages of his seeds for 25 cents. He would tell his victim that the large sample was grown down near London and guarantee that the seed would produce equally as large an onion, thereby gulling a large number of people in this vicinity. It is reported that Mr. London purchased the wonderful seeds in some of the local stores for about two cents a package. Tuesday of last week Ferguson hired a horse and buggy from M. Overland, saying he was going to do a little business out in the country. Whether he did it we have not yet learned, as Mr. had the pleasure of sending to Acton for his rig, after hearing of the whereabouts of his property, at considerable expense. We presume the onion man is now selling his seeds in some other part of the world. He left his big onion at the Queen's Hotel to pay for a small board bill.—*Advocate.*

OAKVILLE.

Rev. Wm. Meikle's resignation from the Oakville charge was accepted by the Presbytery at their meeting, on Tuesday the 4th inst. Mr. Meikle has for twenty three years proved himself to be a devoted and efficient pastor; but now, on account of his advancing age, some of the members of his congregation consider him unfit to discharge his duties as pastor. To fill his place in the pulpit will be no easy matter. On the 15th of April he will preach his farewell sermon. On the following Sunday Rev. W. A. Hunter will occupy the pulpit and declare the charge vacant.

On Tuesday evening a number of the members of Golden Rule Council R. T. of T. drove to Burlington and gave a concert in return for one given by Fidelity Council last November. The day was not pleasant; but it takes more than mud and disagreeable weather to hinder temperance workers from carrying out their plans. The vocal part of the programme was well carried out by the Misses Robinson, Morden, and Doty, and Messrs. Watson and Doty, who sang several quartettes, solos and duetts. Instrumental duetts were played by Mrs. Orr and Miss Doty, and an instrumental trio by Mrs. Orr and the Misses Anderson. Miss M. Nesbit delighted the audience with her club swinging exercises. Miss Fairfield gave a couple of recitations which caused roars of laughter. Not every Temperance Council can boast of an electionist equal to Miss Fairchild. An essay was read by Miss C. Plewis on "Prohibition." Dr. Lusk gave an address. A couple of mouth organ solos, marching, wand and pole exercises by the cadets completed the programme. Rev. Mr. Wakefield, of Burlington, occupied the chair. The town hall was crowded and apparently all enjoyed the concert.

Mr. E. Bray, surveyor, returned last week from the North-West. Three Oakville boys—Alex. Sutherland, Robt. McKnight, and D. Fraser returned with him. Mr. Bray reports his last trip to be one of the hardest ever made, on account of the extremely bold weather.

Rev. Wm Kettlewell and Rev. Wm. Meikle exchanged pulpits last Sunday morning. Those who heard Mr. Meikle were more than delighted with his excellent sermon, which had for its text the words to be found in Heb. 2:2.

Mr. W. H. Robinson, of the Lake-shore Road, has sold his house and farm to Mr. Small, of Toronto, who intends making a summer residence of the place.

Mrs. Meikle arrived home last week, after a few months' absence in Mobile, Ala. She looks and feels better for the trip.

—AUCTION SALE.—The household goods of Mr. George Pinkney will be sold at his residence next door to Agnew's hotel on Saturday 29th March.—WM. HENSTREET, Auctioneer.

—Mr. Donald Kennedy, of lot No. 12, con. 8, Erin, near Ospringe, will hold a clearing auction sale of farm stock and implements on Friday, 21st March at one o'clock.—WM. HENSTREET, auctioneer.

PERSONAL MENTION

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

Mrs. G. Wells is visiting friends in Toronto.

Mr. D. D. Christie, Toronto, was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. Joseph Peters spent Sunday with friends in Toronto.

Judge Drew, of Wellington, has been very ill the past week.

Miss Nora Sullivan of Hamilton, visited friends here last week.

Mrs. S. T. Humberston, of Newtonbrook, visited friends here on Monday.

Mrs. Welsh, of Guelph, was a guest of Mrs. Thomas Easton over Sunday.

Miss Annie Boomer left on Monday to spend a week or two with friends at Horuby.

Rev. G. R. Turk, of Guelph, was a guest at the Methodist Parsonage on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Warren, of Georgetown, favored the FREE PRESS with a call last Friday.

Mr. Nicholson, editor of the Belleville *Daily Ontario*, made the FREE PRESS a pleasant visit on Tuesday.

Col. Murray, Esqueesing's well-known municipal clerk, is just convalescing after an extended period of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stephenson, of Morris, Man., spent a few days last week with relatives in Acton and vicinity.

Dr. Ernest Hall, of Toronto, made Acton friends a short visit yesterday. The The Dr. is about to remove to British Columbia.

Mr. J. E. McGarvin, who has just returned from an extended business trip through the Northwest, paid friends here a visit this week.

Rev. C. E. Stafford, of Walkerton, Ont., has accepted the pastorate of McDougal Methodist church, Winnipeg, and Rev. Mr. Unsworth, of Paris, Ont., has been called to the North End Congregational Church in the same city.

The *Era* congratulates Mr. H. P. Moore, editor of the Acton FREE PRESS, upon his election to the Presidency of the Halton County Sunday School Association. The Fourth Estate is surely rising to a higher level.—Newmarket *Era.*

Mr. P. D. McArthur has just been promoted to the agency of the Missouri Pacific R. R. at Neil, Kansas. He writes the FREE PRESS:—I have a good station at this point. The town is new and about the same size as Acton. There is a lot of business done here. Give my kindest regards to all my Acton friends.

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Wednesday, February 26, 1890.

MORE NEW GOODS NEWS.

They keep coming in every day. A little early do you think? Well we are never the last in any feature of the mercantile race. But isn't the weather more like spring than winter? People will buy winter goods—a few—if they are thrown before them at such a low price that they can't get past them, and by the way, that's the kind of treatment we are giving our winter goods. 37½c. Dress Goods, for instance, for 15c. We are not the people to hang on to stuff. The shelves must be cleared each season. But people are coming in every day looking for "Something New" in Dress Goods, in Prints and Sateens, in Cambrics, Lawns, Embroideries in Carpets Housefurnishings, in Cloths and Clothing, and we are in shape to supply the demand. Do you want a bargain in winter goods? We'll give it to you. Do you want something handsome, with the blush of beauty and freshness upon it? We show you the contents of over 60 cases and bales already to hand, and more are coming every day.

DRESS GOODS are worthy of special mention. 100 pieces of novelties put into stock this week. People talk of advance in prices. You can't see it in these goods. They are the best value we have yet shown. We bought them cheap. We sell them cheap. The price for one line is only 5 cents per yard. That's all that need be said. Another line 25 cents, comprising a wide range of all-wool stripes, plain colors, blacks, brocades, the very ideal of a bargain. A line of double width Mohairs at 50 cents very attractive, and much to be worn. A lovely line of double width stripes at 60 cents, all wool, elegant and stylish.

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Before buying your spring goods at least visit our establishment and compare our prices. This is all we ask and we are assured it will be mutually beneficial.

J. D. Williamson & Co.

5 and 7 Wyndham St., Guelph.
84 Oswald St., Glasgow.

SPEIGHT & SON, ACTON.

J. A. Speight, Manager,

Can supply you with all the Furniture required to furnish your new and cosy little home, or to replenish your house if a settled one, in any style at the very lowest prices.

There is no article of furniture we cannot supply, and further, we deliver our furniture and you have no arranging freight charges, and run no risk of breakage "We can suit all."

—UNDERTAKING—

Our thirty-five years experience in this business has resulted in convincing the public of this entire community that we supply first-class work in all orders, and in styles which compare with those of the city at one half city prices.

—OUR HEARSE—

Is an excellent one and our team always present a becoming appearance. We have pleasure in inviting the public to call on us for anything required in our lines.

—SPRING—

GOODS

—ARE—

ARRIVING DAILY.

We have pleasure in announcing that we are making large accessions to our stock every day; that the goods have been purchased on the most advantageous terms; the goods have advanced from 10 to 15 per cent. since we have purchased. We shall give the entire benefit to our patrons.

Silks, Dress Goods, Cottons and imported Woollens have advanced the most. We have a magnificent stock of Dress Silks and Dress Goods. We begin Dress Goods at 5c. per yd. Dress Silks at 25c. per yd. A beautiful Satin, new, at 50c. per yd. Our black and colored Henrietta cloths are unsurpassed for quality and lowness of price.

Our Millinery Department is in full swing, Great Novelties, Stylish Hats and Bonnets.

Our Dress-making is in active operation. We turn out Dresses, Gowns, Mauties and Wraps to suit the most fastidious.

Our Ordered Clothing Department is in first-class working order. We have been busy all winter; the reason why, we turn out garments to fit and prices to suit. Ready-made Clothing in profusion.

Carpets and Oilcloths, beautiful goods and very low prices.

Ladies' and gents' Footwear, latest styles and lowest prices.

As a further inducement to patronage we will give to any party that will buy for cash $30 worth of goods at once or at different times a book worth $6, Webster's Encyclopaedia and World's Atlas and another inducement to whomsoever will buy for cash $20.00 worth of goods a choice of three articles in silverware, consisting of a satin lined cabinet containing a half dozen Table Forks a half dozen Tea Spoons and one Butter Knife and one Sugar Shell, or a Pickle Castor, or a Butter Dish, any of them worth over $3.00. Tickets will be furnished to show the amounts purchased at different times and when the amount is purchased they will get the choice of the articles. Presents are on exhibition in the store. Come and get the great bargains in Dry Goods and the presents with the bargains.

W. McLEOD & Co.

GEORGETOWN

A Little Talk About

SHOES

Figures may lie and facts distorted be,
But seeing is believing, come and see.

The Peek-a-Boo Boot and Shoe store is just now showing a number of new lines of Shoes and Slippers specially adapted for the season. These new goods are being sold at prices as low or lower than those asked for old styles and shop-worn goods elsewhere.

Everybody can be suited, for we have all sizes in

Gent's Wear,
Ladies' Wear,
Youth's Wear,
Children's Wear.
Baby's Wear.

Special Lines, Good Goods, Newest Style and Best value for the money at

W. Williams', Acton.

Custom work and repairing given careful attention. Trunks and Valises in variety.

SWEARING OFF

Is Slang for

MAKING

—GOOD—

RESOLUTIONS

And this end of the year is the time generally chosen as being the most suitable and appropriate for

Turning over a New Leaf.

During 1890 we have resolved

To Make More Photographs than we did in 1889.
To Make Better Photographs than we did in 1889.
To Please Everybody Better than we did in 1889.

We have the Facilities for

Photographing your Babies

—BY THE—

Instantaneous Process.

Bring the rosy little Cherubs to us and get a Charming picture—one that will be one of your dearest treasures in after days.

Pictures are as low as good work and a living profit will allow.

Ramshaw

Photo Artist, Acton.