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The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, JUNE 4, 1891.

LITTLE LOCAL BRIEFLETS

Which Caught the Eyes or Ears of Free Press Reporters this Week.

—The mosquitoes are busy again.

—The County Council met on Tuesday.

—June—summer months and summer weather.

—The council will meet on the 15th inst. as a Court of Revision.

—Sheep washing and shearing are now coming in for attention.

—The general sessions open in the Court House, Milton, on Tuesday next.

—Posters are out announcing $700 in prizes for Acton's Dominion Day celebration.

—Already the small boy is calculating that it is less than a month to summer vacation.

—The next meeting of Halton District Sons of Temperance will be held at Campbellville in August.

—The Campbellville hotel, owned by Felix Devlin, jr., has been sold to Hill Barns, of Burlington, for $6,500.

—The park improvements are well under way and everything will be in excellent shape for Acton's big Dominion Day celebration.

—WOOL—The highest price in cash or trade will be given for any quantity of good clean merchantable wool. WM. McLEAN & Co., Georgetown Ont.

—The fine new barns of Messrs. Allan and McBain, on the second line are about completed. Mr. Albert Stewart has also put up a fine barn this spring.

—Mr. Thomas Ryder has been suffering from a very sore hand the past week or so. He got it bruised and afterwards ran a sliver it to the wound. It is now improving.

—The splendid showers this week have been received with grateful hearts by the people generally. The extended drouth was beginning to seriously affect the seeds and plants.

—June comes in like a girl going to a picnic, as spry and as blithsome and beautiful as one could wish, decked out in a white dress and with flowers in her hat. There is no use talking, June is a daisy.—*Ex.*

—The Band will give another free concert on Franklin Square on Friday evening. Although slightly handicapped by the withdrawl of a couple of members the band will endevour to provide an enjoyable programme.

—There are in every community those who expect to profit by the labors of others. Every town has its citizen who sits idly down while his energetic neighbor adds to his wealth; the man who owns the corner lot and waits for the next fellow to erect a business block is recognized everywhere.

—The big woollen mills here are to be closed, we understand, next week. Many of the employes have already secured situations elsewhere, while there are others still out of employment. That a large and well equipped woollen factory like this should close its doors at what is usually the busiest season of the year is to regretted.—*Streetsville Review.*

—Mount Forest will have a grand gala day on July 1st and 2nd, embracing Band Tournament, Horse Races, Acrobat Feats, Athletic Games, Scottish Bagpipe Competition, Scotch and Irish Dancing, Lacrosse and Foot-ball Matches, and other Sports. On the evening of the first day there will be a grand Promenade Concert and a fine display of Fire-works. The prizes amount to $1,600.

—Rev. Joseph Wild, D.D., was the winner of the *Mail's* free trip by some 20,000 votes. The *Telegram*, in its usual jocular strain, says:—His success in the late lamented fake is a serious reflection upon some of Rev. Dr. Wild's adherents. It must gall him to think that men could sit under his preaching for lo, these many years, and still remain fools enough to bite at such a bait.

—Men's Furnishings, Hot Weather Clothing and Outing Goods, Negligee Shirts and Washvests. These are smart looking goods and should be worn by every young man wishing to keep up with the band. Woman's Furnishings "to beat the band." Blouses, Shirts and Gordon sashes—washing goods in great variety—we make the Cleopatra hat to match costume. 10 dozen Misses' and Children's waists in to-day. —R. B. JEFFREY.

—If you want first-class Guelph sash and doors at Guelph prices, T. EDDAGE can fill your order, at his planing mill.

—Ask your druggist for Dr. August Koenig's Hamburg Drops for the blood.

The Government is going to spend $2,500 for a tri-weekly mail service on the Northern Pacific line.

THE NEWS AT HOME.

Mostly of a Local Character, and Every Item Interesting.

A Painful Wound.

Mr. John Cook, of the 4th line, Erin, met with a painful accident last Saturday while cleaning out a well. The pump hook slipped in some way and went through his hand and in this position he was obliged to remain until a fellow-workman descended the well to raise the part of the pump to which the hook was attached. It was a painful wound.

A Handsome Medal.

The Guelph *Mercury* says:—Mr. B. Savage, jeweler, has just had manufactured a very pretty gold medal, to be presented by Mr. H. P. Moore, of the Acton FREE PRESS for general proficiency in Commercial Science at the coming convocation at Albert College, Belleville. On one side is the college crest, and on the other a suitable inscription. It is an appropriate gift, and does credit to Mr. Moore's largeness of heart.

"Mechanical Perfection."

An extensive advertiser, who does a large business in Toronto, writes to the FREE PRESS in the following complimentary terms:—"DEAR SIR—Allow me to say that of all the weekly newspapers I get—and the number is large—there is not one of them can approach the Acton FREE PRESS for mechanical perfection and literary taste and attractiveness. I often forget to look for my advertisement by the attractions that meet my eye elsewhere in the paper." These frequent voluntary expressions of appreciation are indeed encouraging. The FREE PRESS will always endeavor to merit them.

Acton's Dominion Day Celebration.

Milton and Georgetown had their inning at celebration on Queen's Birthday, but Acton's is yet to come. For years Acton has celebrated Dominion Day with a good deal of enthusiasm and large numbers of visitors have come to town to enjoy the day's proceedings. This year a committee of citizens have taken the matter in hand and will give the public a programme unexcelled by any town of the size in the province. The Park improvements will by that time be completed and everything will be in first-class order for an attractive and successful series of events. Full particulars will shortly be given to the public.

Death of a Pioneer.

On Saturday about noon Mr. Stafford Zimmerman, who had been ill for several weeks, quietly passed away. Mr. Zimmerman was among those who first settled in Acton, having came here with his father from Beamsville, between fifty and sixty years ago. The farm upon which Mr. James Brown's sawmill is located was the Zimmerman homestead, and for years Mr. Zimmerman, sr., operated a tannery on Main street. Deceased resided nearly all his life in Acton, but spent several years in Strathroy, Erin and Guelph. He was about to remove to Manitoba, where two of the sons have resided for several years, and he was on the point of leaving when taken ill. Mr. Zimmerman was born in Beamsville in 1825. He was of a quiet and retiring disposition and respected by all. He leaves a wife, two sons and two daughters. The funeral on Tuesday was largely attended.

Public School Examination.

The monthly examination of pupils was held in the second and third departments last week. Owing to the preparation for High School examination the first department was not examined. The result is as follows:—SEN. III.—James Tovell, 314; Elsie Quiffner, 307; Maggie Warwick, 281. JUN. III.—Nettie Cobban, 370; Roy McIntosh 354; Attie Moore, 347. SEN. II.—Eddie Moore, 365; Fennel Smyth, 359; Mary Taylor, 350. Marks possible 400. Cassie McPhail, Teacher. JUNIOR II.—Nellie Holmes, 190; Jessie Harvey, 190; Edwin Francis, 186; Maude Ryder, 186; Jacob Bauer, 185. SEN. PART. II.—Eva Matthews, 195; Mary Tovell, 193; Jennie Smith, 188; John Moore, 182. JUN. PART II.—May Prentice, 200; Minnie Harding, 193; Tommy Henderson, 191; Mabel Rae, 190. JUN. PART II.—Clara Cobban, 200; Eva Perryman, 189; Nellie Lowry, 189; Lottie Ebbage, 186; Edith Thomas, 180. Marks possible, 200. J. K. Cleveland, Teacher.

Stabbing Affray in Erin.

Last Friday afternoon as James Currie, of the first line, Erin, was passing Dougald McLean's farm some warm words were exchanged as to a story being circulated which it was alleged reflected upon McLean's character. Words came to blows and Currie, who had a stick and a pair of sheep shears in his hands, struck McLean. On this McLean resisted and Currie's stick changed hands, when the latter used the sheep shears with such effect as to stab McLean in a number of places on his body near vital parts. McLean's brother intervened and together with a neighbor, David McKeown, who was present, the parties were separated. Dr. Lowry was called to dress the wounds, which, though at the time looking serious, are not so bad as have been reported, and McLean will likely be around again shortly. The Guelph *Mercury* says:—On Saturday evening a warrant for the arrest of James Currie was issued by John Harris, J.P. He was taken to Guelph in charge of Constable Elliott and shortly before midnight appeared at the police station with several neighbors prepared to become sureties for his appearance if necessary. After consultation with the County Crown Attorney, the prisoner, who appeared before Henry Strange, J.P., and Ald. Palmer, was admitted to bail until next Saturday morning, when McLean will be able to attend the trial.

Removing the Drill Shed.

Our citizens generally are pleased to see that the Council have the removal of the Drill Shed to the Park under way, but many expressions of displeasure at the manner and results of the moving are heard. This is owing to the damage to the sidewalks and beautiful trees on Bower Avenue. When interrogated some time ago as to the possibility of removing the building intact, without destroying trees, a member of the committee informed the FREE PRESS that they had gone over the ground and found that but one little tree would be injured on the street as the contractor had stated that he could angle the building from side to side and thus escape the trees. The building has now traversed about two blocks and seven or eight trees have been taken up—replanted of course, but it is a question as to whether they will live after being disturbed at this dry season of the year—and one of the most beautiful maples in town, planted some seventeen years ago, has been ruthlessly cut down. Could the Council expect to perpetrate such an outrage upon our streets without a protest, when a little careful forethought would have proven that this method of removal would be sure to result in marring the beauty of the avenue which the Council and citizens in Acton's earlier days expended money and labored so assiduously to beautify. The building should have been taken down and could have been removed and rebuilt for but a slight advance in cost on the present method, and this would have saved the vandalism to which the streets have and will be subjected.

THE COUNTRY AROUND.

News Items Supplied by Correspondents and Exchanges.

ERIN.

A little child, 12 months old, son of Wm. Matthews, Erin township, had a narrow escape from death on Tuesday. Mr. Matthews was loading a wagon with manure, and the wagon standing on an incline, started off and the little fellow was knocked down and run over, the wagon passing over the neck. Fortunately there was a quantity of straw where the child fell and that certainly saved him from instant death. His injuries are not serious and the little fellow will be all right in a few days.

BANNOCKBURN.

Everything is very quiet out here excepting the Patrons of Industry. They say that they are going to make the biggest success of anything of the kind yet. However, we cannot say, but they are following pretty closely on the footsteps of the Grangers and they are nearly extinct now.

We would advise the lodge here to get window blinds that can be let down or make use of the ones they have got because those young men that make a practice of speaking so much would feel bad if they knew there was some human looking in on them.

Big excursions to Niagara Friday. Engage your best girl for that trip.

We very seldom see the Quartette club. Did they take offence at what was said about them some time ago.

ULYSSES.

GEORGETOWN.

The common expression, "rain at last." Editor Warren is again on duty after a rather sudden and severe attack of illness.

Tom Pitman had an experience on Saturday that would have killed nine out of ten ordinary people. He fell backwards from the bridge at Aldous' factory to the hard road beneath, a distance of twenty feet, and yet escaped unhurt although he struck fairly on the top of his head. Eye witnesses say it was a remarkable escape.

Rev. R. W. Davey preached in the Methodist Church, Berlin, last Sunday morning, the first Sunday of the Conference. The local papers are full of the praise of his effort.

Electric light matters are gradually getting into "ship shape" and this town will "shine some" in about a fortnight, if all goes well.

PERSONAL ITEMS.—Mr. P. M. Rowe is again a resident of Georgetown. Mrs. Jno. Aldous is visiting friends up north. Mr. Will McGuire spent a few days in town and vicinity this week. He is getting long finely in his new quarters and likes Oakville extremely well.

WASP.

MILTON.

Referring to the lacrosse match last week the *Champion* says:—The Acton team showed up well in this game, and if they keep together next season they will be able to make a good showing in the district series.

Mr. John Hunter has bought the lot at the corner of Brown and Mary streets, facing the court house square, and has commenced operations on the foundation of a new dwelling. Mr. R. L. Hemstreet has bought the lot on Martin street next east of Mrs. Hannah's residence and is having it prepared for the erection of a house.

Work on the new church is progressing rapidly and the 28th of June has been settled on for the day of opening. There services will be held on that day, conducted by Rev. Dr. McMullen, of Woodstock, and Rev. Dr. Parsons, of Toronto. There will be special services also on the following Sabbath, July 5th, conducted by Rev. Professor MacLaren, of Knox College, Toronto, and Rev Alfred Gandier, of Brampton. The 12th of July will be the children's day.

There is considerable anxiety felt here concerning Sir John Macdonald.

A good rain would be welcome in this locality.

Young Willis was sent up for trial on Saturday on a charge of larceny, having stolen five dollars from one Armour.

The County Council met here on Tuesday. The principal business transacted was the equalization of tax assessments.

Our Town Clerk says "The Acton FREE PRESS is the neatest, cleanest and prettiest little newspaper on the table of the Mechanic's Institute."

Mr. Thomas Parsons has opened a new butcher shop in the Hume Block next door to Earl & Baily's tinshop. He being a young man with plenty of business enterprise we predict for him a good patronage.

The new tower adds considerably to the outward appearance of our public school. But I will venture to say that the people in its immediate vicinity will not be troubled with rats as long as they ring that bell six times a day. It has a voice like a buck-saw.

Messrs. Thos. Lyons and Chas. Watson of Centreville were up before Mayor Dice on Saturday last, to answer to a charge of assault on Miss Seargeant. About a week ago, as Miss S. was returning from Milton, Lyons and Watson, who are said to have been under the influence of liquor, ran their horse back and forth past her yelling at the same time. Her horse took fright, she fainted, was thrown from the buggy and seriously injured, so much so as to render her unable to attend the preliminary proceedings. A little girl accompanying her was also thrown out but fortunately was not hurt. After all the evidence was taken they were sent for trial but allowed out on bail.

Miss Effie McKindsey, daughter of Senator McKindsey, is home for a few days.

Rev. Mr. Haddow changed pulpits with Rev. M. C. Cameron, of Harriston, last Sabbath.

The list of appeals from the assesor's roll was 6 ft. 2 in. long, closely written.

Milton Lodge, No. 92, I.O.O.F. held their 72nd anniversary sermon preached by Rev. Bro. M. C. Cameron B.D., of Harriston, in Knox Church, on Sabbath last. The procession consisting of about 50 members, including visiting brethern from Georgetown and Oakville, was formed about 6:30 and marched in a body to the church marshalled by Bro. W. H. Lindsay. A more appropriate text could not have been chosen than Friendship, Love and Truth, as upon these three words was founded one of the best Society sermons ever preached in this town. The true principles of Odd-Fellowship were laid bare before the audience whose opinions of our beloved order must certainly have been raised to an inestimable degree. May the lodge prosper in their good work. PHŒNIX.

Jeanne Wess, who was sentenced at Oran, Algiers, to twenty years' hard labour for slowly poisoning her husband by administrating small doses of arsenic, committed suicide in her cell on Friday night by taking a dose of arsenic which had been given to her by a friend.

TALK OF THE DAY.

An Epitome of the World's Doings During the Week.

A $2000 fire occured at Galt Tuesday.

Thirty thousand Jews have been given notice to quit Warsaw.

Sir Leonard Tilley's son is making a tour of New Brunswick on horseback.

The Church of England Synod in Ontario is in session at Kingston.

The rate of taxation will be 19½ mills on the dollar in Winnipeg this year.

The union stonecutters of Detroit have gone on strike for $1 per day of eight hours.

The *National Press* says the marriage of Mr. Parnell to Mrs. O'Shea is set for next week.

It is thought that Winnipeg's population will amount to 30,000 under the new census.

An effort is to be made in Parliament to secure the establishment of a mint in Canada.

A boy's firecracker has caused great distress in Winnipeg by burning the tenements of some poor settlers.

It has been raining heavily in Western Manitoba, and the rainstorm is progressing in an easterly direction.

A Special cable says that Sir George Stephen is made a peer and Mr. Robert Gillespie is made a knight.

Analytical experts have declared the Canadian cattle sent over on the Lake Huron to be absolutely free from disease.

It is understood Senator Lacoste, now Speaker of the Senate, will succeed the late Sir A. Dorion as Chief Justice of Quebec.

No trace of the late Pat Purcell's body has yet been found, and the family, while offering a reward of $500, decline to prosecute.

At the session of the Templars' Congress in Edinburg Monday, Dr. Oronhyatekha, of London, Ont., was elected R. W. G. Templar.

A petard was exploded in the Custom house at Cadiz, Spain, on Saturday, causing much damage and injuring one man fatally.

Sir Antoine Aime Dorion, Chief Justice of Quebec, died at his residence in Montreal yesterday morning at half-past seven o'clock.

The favorite exercise among fashionable women in London at present is fencing, the fashion having been set by the young Princesses of Wales.

It is reported that telegrams containing the substance of Mr. Gladstone's letter on the Jewish question have been stopped on the Russian frontier.

A stepdaughter of Mr. George Hunter of Caradoc was leading a horse on the farm and the horse kicked her in the jaw, breaking it in two places.

The Executive of the District Council of Royal Templars are going to prosecute the Hamilton license commissioners for having issued four new licenses.

It is reported anarchy prevails in the New Hebrides, in the South Pacific, and that numerous conflicts have occurred, in which 600 natives were killed.

Postmaster-General Raikes announces that the efforts to induce the United States Government to establish a parcel post with Great Britain have failed.

The discovery of four large boxes of dynamite in the Customs Department of the French Exhibition in Moscow was, partly the reason for the delay of the Czar's visit to that city.

It is understood that Commissioner Adams is about to retire from the command of the Canadian wing of the Salvation Army, and that he will be succeeded by Col. Rees, of London, Eng.

Incorporation papers have been filed at Columbus, O., for the Consolidated Oatmeal Company, with a capital of $3,500,000. All the oatmeal mills of the United States are in the combine.

Prof. James of the Ontario Agricultural College has been appointed Deputy Minister of Agriculture for Ontario in succession to Mr. Blue, who recently became head of the Provincial Mining Bureau.

By the death of Earl Cancarty his son, Lord Dunlo, husband of Belle Bilton the London music hall singer, becomes a member of the house of Lords, and a life legislator for the British empire.

A. E. Myer, a leading merchant of Plattsburg, Mo., and his two daughters, Ella and Rossa, aged 18 and 14 years, were drowned Sunday while trying to ford a creek. The bodies were recovered.

Grain dealers at Winnipeg have received reports from different parts of the country, which agree in the assertion that crops are 25 per cent. further advanced this year than they were at the same time last year.

Thirty thousand people assembled in the Queen's Park Tuesday to decorate the volunteer monument in commemoration of the 25th anniversary of Ridgeway. The Lieutenant-Governor opened the proceedings.

A young son of James Dormer, St. Catharines, was kicked on the head by a mare which he undertook to drive out of a field. A piece of bone penetrated the child's brain. He lies in a very precarious condition.

Robert Balmer, a prosperous and much respected farmer, attempted suicide Thursday night near Ilderton by cutting his throat while temporarily insane. He used the knife while in his buggy. There is a good chance for his recovery.

The dead body of John Lee, formerly a M. C. R. agent, was found on the north side of the track 300 yards west of the station by Conductor Kennedy on an east bound extra. He was stuck by a train while en route to the post office.

It is stated that Count von Moltke, just prior to his death, concluded an exhaustive study of European armaments, ending with the assertion that France was ready for war and Russia nearly so, and that a great conflict could not be delayed beyond 1892.

John Sewald, of Sacramento city, has confessed to having within the past twelve years killed his two wives, with whom he did not get along well, the first by arsenic poisoning and the second by smothering her with the bed clothes while she was asleep.

THE TORCH EXPLODED.

Horrible Death of a Salvation Army Officer at Clinton.

CLINTON, June 1st.—Saturday afternoon a young man named Hitch, an officer in the Salvation Army, whose mother resides near here, was trying to kill worms and insects on trees with a lighted torch when the can exploded, the burning oil running down his face and clothes. The unfortunate young man, crazed with his sufferings, ran around the field until exhausted, his friends being unable to get near him until too late, and death ended his agony a few hours after. He was buried with Army honors to-day. Deceased was 22 years old.

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"Early in 1886 I went to Chicago to visit a sister, but was confined to my bed most of the time I was there. In July I read a book, 'A Day with a Circus,' in which were statements of cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla. I was so impressed with the success of this medicine that I decided to try it. To my great gratification the sores soon decreased, and I began to feel better and in a short time I was up and out of doors. I continued to take Hood's Sarsaparilla for about a year, when, having used six bottles, I had become so fully released from the disease that I went to work for the Flint & Walling Mfg. Co., and since then

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on account of sickness. I believe the disease is expelled from my system, I always feel well, am in good spirits and have a good appetite. I am now 27 years of age and can walk as well as any one, except that one limb is a little shorter than the other, owing to the loss of bone, and the sores formerly on my right leg. To my friends my recovery seems almost miraculous, and I think Hood's Sarsaparilla is the king of medicines." WILLIAM A. LEHR, 9 N. Railroad St., Kendallville, Ind.

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ON these tables will be placed many desirable and useful articles, at greatly reduced prices, and indeed will be found there excepting at a price that will make it a veritable bargain, and in many cases marked at less price than we paid for it. We do not give any prices here, as it would be quite impossible to give you in this way any idea of the values we will offer in many lines of goods. In no way but by personal inspection will you do justice to the values offered on our Bargain Tables.

You will ask, perhaps, how we can afford to do this? Our answer is: You will quite understand that in a business the size of ours there must be a great many ends, or broken lines of goods that have been all sold out but, say to or the three pieces. Take for instance a line of Dress Goods that we may have had in all the leading shades and have now only, say three shades left; you can see it would pay us to turn the balance of this line into cash, even at a loss, and put the money into another line instead. Or it might be that the article offered was bought by us last season (but is none the worse for that), and it would pay us to take much less than the regular price, and turn the same into cash. In every properly conducted business the stock is kept clean and fresh, even though a few lines of the goods here and there are sacrificed to do it.

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TWENTY PACKAGES NEW GOODS

Arrived at the Right House This Week.

TEN CASES Curtain Poles, 1 case Window Shades, 1 package Window Fringe, 1 case Corsets, 1 case Wool Damask, 1 case Dress Linings, 1 case Lace Curtains, 2 parcels Ladies' Hats, 1 bale Prints, 1 bale Grey Cotton, Ladies' Night Dresses, Chemises, Blouses, Corset Covers, Cable Cord, Dress Buttons, Shirtings, Cantons, Sellsias, Gold Laces, Steel Gimps, Dress Laces, Silver Braids, India Tapes, Chantilly Flouncings, Leghorn Hats, Silk Hose, Faille Francais Silk Handkerchiefs, Silk Ribbons, Curtain Net, Whalebone and White Velveteen. A LARGE STOCK OF INDIA MATTINGS FOR SUMMER HOUSES AT CAMP GROUNDS, THE BEACH, ETC. IT MAKES A VERY CHEAP AND FASHIONABLE COVERING FOR HOUSE AND OFFICE FLOORS. IMMENSE REDUCTIONS ON GOODS. LACE CURTAINS PUT DOWN FROM $4.50 to $2.50, $10 to $2.75, $9.50 to $2.50, $6.50 to $3.50. CHENILLE CURTAINS FROM $10 to $3, $9 to $7, $16 to $9, $8.75 to $7. ALL-WOOL CARPETS 55c. to 85c., 80c. to 70c. NICE UNION CARPET AT ONLY 35c. JERSEY WAISTS $1.65 to 50c., $3 to $1, $3.75 to $1, $1.50 to 50c. MANTLE CLOTHS $2.25 to $1.50, $1.50 to $1.25, $2 to $1.25, $1 to 60c. LADIES' JERSEY JACKETS $3.25 to $1, $2.50 to $1, $3.50 to $1. LADIES' TWEED JACKETS $3.25 to $1, $2 to $1, $4.50 to $1. CHILDREN'S MANTLES $3.75 to $2, $6.75 to $3, $3.75 to $2.50. Embroideries 15c. to 10c., 4c. to 2c., Pink Chambray 35c. to 25c., CREAM MUSLIN 40c. to 30c., COLORED MUSLIN 15c. to 10c., 7c. to 2c., CHAMBRAY FLOUNCING $1 to 50., 75c. to 50., Beaded Galloons 60c. to 35c. 45c. to 15., 50c. to 20c., Gimps 60c. to 25c., $1 to 50c., 40c. to 25c. Girdles 55c. to 25c., 40c. to 20c., Girdles at only 10c. The Carpets, Window Curtains, Floor Oil, Corticelne and Linoleum Cloths Window Shades and all other Housefurnishings have an enormous sale, as they are such charming styles, good quality and excellent value. The Millinery, Mantles, Dress Goods, Underclothing for Ladies and Misses in Wool, Merino, Cotton, Embroidered Goods, Gloves and Hosiery, Gent's and Boys' Shirts, Drawers, Night and Day Shirts, all in great variety and newest designs in stock, and made to order in Fashionable Styles at short notice. PLEASE ENTER THE STORE AT THE FENCE AT THE CORNER OF KING STREET EAST AND HUGHSON STREET NORTH.

THOMAS C. WATKINS.

Hamilton June 4th, 1891.