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A small find a trifling amount
of the above listed.

Geo. Hynds,

Sign of the Big Witch.

The Action Free Press

THURSDAY, AUG. 27, 1891.

LITTLE LOCAL BRIEFLISTS

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

The Harvest is now pretty generally
over.

Chase Timothy socialist T. H. Harrison
Action.

The holiday season is putting on its
full slate.

Toronto exhibition opens a week from
next Monday.

The Voters' List for this municipality
was posted on the 21st inst.

Ninety to ninety-three cents is being
paid here for wheat this week.

A Social will be held at the Congregational
Church, Church Hill, this evening.

Conductor Snyder will lecture to
Guelph tomorrow evening on "Life on the
Rail."

Farmers bring your grain to Acton.
The buyers want your grain and will pay
highest market prices for it.

The Exterminator at Hamilton add
premises at Grimsby Park attracted many
of our citizens the past week.

Nearly all the sports in town went to
Georgetown on Tuesday afternoon to witness
the Milton vs. Georgetown contest.

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ment of the Epworth League will be held
on Wednesday evening, 9th September.

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Mr. John Stephen, who has resided in
Acton for some years, died Saturday even-
ing after a illness of considerable duration.

Mrs. Wilson's Hill have commenced
operations on the grain market here. Mr.
Wilson's Hill will represent the business.

A cow died Friday night on Mr.
Howell's farm. This is supposed to be
another case of anthrax.—Guelph Herald.

Guelph Central Exhibition is following
the example of Acton Union and will open
the exhibition the first evening to the
public.

The annual thanksgiving services will
be held in St. Albans Church on Friday
evening, 4th September. The Rev. Canon
McKeehan of Toronto, will preach.

The temperature evening given by the
Epworth League on Friday night was full
of interest. The programme had exclusive
reference to the drift traffic and the tem-
perature case.

The annual meeting of the Ontario
Branch of the Dominion Alliance will be
held in Richmond Hill, 25 Richmond Street
West, Toronto, on Tuesday, September 15th,
commencing at 9 A.M.

The remains of the late David Moore,
of Guelph, who lived in Acton for several
years, were brought to Acton on Monday
morning, and to Boston Cemetery,
Essex, for interment.

Every farmer one meets these days is
talking of the price of wheat and the wild
eat opinions are expressed regarding the
figure that will be reached. The yield in
this locality is very satisfactory.

The Council has been making some
much needed improvements on the hills on
Main street south of Church street. The
stones have been picked up and a good
coat of gravel given where needed.

The municipal collector has been en-
gaged this week in presenting each of the
ratepayers with a neatly prepared state-
ment of this year's taxes and the time for
payment. No one has been slighted.

Acton Public schools re-open next Mon-
day morning. Several departments have
been cleaned and renovated and there
will be no greater or more healthy place in
town for the boys and girls than the school
room.

Knot Sabbath School picnic in the
Park on Tuesday afternoon was much
enjoyed by the children of the school.
The weather was fine and the teachers and
officers did all they could to give those who
participated a pleasant afternoon.

The supplementary Dominion Veteran
Lists are now out, by September 3rd and
there has been considerable heating in the
job department of the Milton Reformer
and Free Press with Hastie into the past
week.

Mr. William Bright, Sr., was with a
painful accident on Monday evening. He
was assisting to prepare the remains of the
late Mr. Stephens for burial and had occa-
sion to go out of the back door. Being
unfamiliar with the surroundings he made
a mistake and fell with great force striking
the side of his head upon the edge of a
water tub, rendering him unconscious for
some time and inflicting an ugly gash across
the forehead and cheek.

THE NEWS AT HOME.

Most of a Local Character, and
Every Item Interesting.

A New Paper for Action.

The first number of a new little paper
published by Knox Church Sabbath School
was distributed last Sunday. It is called
The Silver Trumpet and contains informa-
tion of a local character on several pages,
the balance being filled with general
religious selections. The average attend-
ance at the school for the first six months
of the present year was 124 and the
average collection \$217. The Jubilee
services and the fourth anniversary of the
ordination of Rev. J. W. Rae, the pastor
are referred to. It should be a welcome
publication to the members of the church
and school. The name of the editor or
the frequency of issues are not revealed.

A Successful Social.

The members of the Ladies Aid of the
Methodist church are to be congratulated
upon the success of their first social of the
season last Friday evening. The attend-
ance was good and the proceedings thor-
oughly enjoyable. The programme com-
menced with a number of selections by
Action Club Daud on the Churchmen
after which it was served by the ladies in
the School Room. After tea Rev. Mr.
Edge took the chair and various musical
and literary numbers were rendered.
Solo and duets were sung by Misses Hem-
phill and Moore. Mr. R. E. Nelson gave
several excellent readings as did also Misses
Loosey and Mr. H. P. Moore and the
chairman's address was brief and spicy.
The proceeds were about \$20.

Mr. Henry Tyler Preacher.

A week ago last Sunday, Mr. Henry
Tyler, President of the G.T. Railway, and
his wife attended the Anglican church at
Louth Edward. In the morning service the
minister announced that owing to ill
health there would be no evening service.
Mr. Henry Tyler, however, arose and com-
pletely surprised everybody by offering to
conduct the evening service if it should be
agreeable to all. Of course it was, and
promptly on Sir Henry's arrival was his
choir disengaged, preached an ex-
ceedingly practical sermon. He was asked to
sing again last Sunday, and very
kindly consented. It is said that he once
studied for the ministry and was ordained.

It is refreshing to learn that even railroad
presidents retain some of their early piety.

St. Joseph's Last Stand.

The ceremonies to celebrate the erection of
the Cross on St. Joseph's Church last
Sunday were conducted with more than
usual solemnity. Rev. Father Dumont of
Guelph, who, until four years ago, had
been pastor of the parish for thirty years,
and was instrumental in obtaining the
attractive edifice in which the
present new worship is present for the
ocasion and addressed a few words of
encouragement to his hearers. A sermon on
"The Relation of the Cross bears to
Christianity" was preached by Rev.
Father Dufresne. In the evening a Grand
Benediction was given and a sermon on
"The Life of St. Joseph," was preached by
Rev. Father O'Loughlin. The choir
of the church was assisted in the musical portion
of the service by singers from Toronto,
Guelph and Georgetown. The choir by
Miss Branden of Guelph, and Misses
McGraw of Toronto, were excellent
musicians who showed great talent. Mr.
Deneen of Guelph, also rendered a
good account of himself.

He was After a "Parcel."

A good story concerning a prominent
young man in town was told in one of our
manufactories the other day by his father.
The father having occasion to visit a
northern town left the young man in
charge of the business during his absence.
A day or two after the young man received
a note from his best boy, lady, to the
effect that she was going to a classmate in
the west on Friday, changing cars at
Georgetown. Naturally enough, the
young man deemed it a fitting opportunity
to spend a pleasant hour and went to
Georgetown to meet the train from the
North. When the train reached the station
he found the first person to step off was
the father. He was surprised and quizzed his
son, "What are you doing here, I thought
you down to Georgetown for a patrol?"

"Oh," said the father, "You will find it
at the other end of the car," pointing to
the young lady who had just alighted. It
is needless to say that good will result
from his mission.

A rather summary extraction took place
Saturday afternoon. A team was in a
neighboring town on business and returning
found the household goods out of store.
A law suit may result from the trespass.

A horse belonging to Mr. Dryden tied in
front of a house in Exeter one day last
week pulled his bridle off and the owner's
disput. A skip horse to Rockwood.
The horse was uninjured and scarcely
damaged to the rig or harness.

GEORGETOWN.

George Town Aug. 20th.

Mr. Hugh Matthews is attending the
session of the High Court of Foresters at
Woodstock this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Appleby are visit-
ing friends at Mount Forest.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Hayes, of Hamilton, are
visiting friends here.

Mr. Brigid Nucklin has returned from
the North West.

Mr. Hewitt, of Milton, spent Sunday with
friends in Acton.

Mr. Joseph Peters, of Milton, was in
town on Sunday.

Miss Thompson, of Guelph, has been in
town the past week or two.

Miss Jessie McPhail left on Saturday to
Muskoka, and is expected to return to
Acton next week.

Miss Asst. of Clinton, visited friends at
the Methodist Parsonage last week.

Mr. Asst. of Clinton, visited friends at
the Methodist Parsonage last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Ramsey, of Eden
Mills, were guests at the home of T. A.
MacLeod last week.

Mr. and Mrs. McPhail and Miss McPhail have
gone to Acton to spend a couple of weeks.

Guelph.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson have the
sympathy of all the loss of their little
baby girl on Monday.

Mr. H. Hamshaw, Photo. Artist, was a
delegate to the Photographers' Convention at
Hamilton last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Nicklin and children
left on Saturday for Toronto to spend a
few days with friends there.

Mr. Pay and Mr. John Stephens, of
Owen Sound attended the funeral of their
father the late Jno. M. Stephens on Tues-
day.

Miss Jennie and Sarah Laird, who had
been visiting friends in Hamilton the week
prior to the丧葬, retraced their steps on
Monday evening.

Mr. C. Hill, the popular leader of
Action Club, took in the best of
the summer camp at the Guelph
Institution.

Miss L. Ryckman, lately of London,
daughter of Rev. Dr. Ryckman, has been
appointed modern language teacher in the
Parksdale Collegiate Institute, Toronto, at a
salary of \$1,500.

A song service will be held in the
Baptist Church on Friday evening. Miss
Annie Green of the Institute for the Blind,
and others will sing. The service will be
a quiet and appropriate one.

Mr. Angus Johnson exhibited at this
office on Tuesday a most remarkable
specimen of aboriginal characteristics. While
it had but one leg, it had 2 well defined
bodies, 2 ears, 4 legs, and 2 tails all perfect-
ly formed. The freak only lived a short
time after birth.

The new Copper Metallic Circuit Lines
of the Bell Telephone Co., from Toronto to
Peterborough have been completed, and will
be ready for use by the 1st of September.

Recreations and sports are provided
for all kinds of people.

The Park is brilliantly lighted with
electric lights.

A system of waterworks carries the water to
each cottage and residence.

Water is pure and abundant.

Flowers of rich variety and bloom in
the central park.

Baseball, football, soccer, tennis, golf,
swimming, boating, etc., are provided.

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