BORN.

ALLAN—In Eramosa, on the 16th April, the wife of Robert Allan, of a daughter.

DYKES—In Esquesing, on the 23rd April, the wife of Valentine Dykes, of a son.

MANNING—In Brampton, on Thursday, April 21, the wife of J. J. Manning, of a son.

KENNEDY—In Georgetown, on 18th April the wife of Mr Jas Kennedy, of a son.

SOMERVILLE—In Nassagaweya, on the 23rd April, the wife of Fife Somerville, of a son.

SMITH—At the Methodist Parsonage, Moorefield, on April 9th, the wife of Rev. A. E. Smith, of a son.

STOREY—In Esquesing, on the 20th April, the wife of Mr. Thomas Storey, of Acton, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

DyHART—TRUELL—On Thursday, April 21st, at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. Mr. Eastman, Edwin Delfert, Whitby, to Lydia, daughter of Mr. James Truell, Darlington.

DIED.

GRANT—In Acton, on the 23rd April, Maria Easton, wife of James Grant, aged 34 years and 1 month.

COLE—In Esquesing, on Thursday, 14th April, Margaret J. Reid, wife of Wm. Cole, aged 33 years, 8 months.

TYLER—In Hamilton, on the 7th April, William H. Tyler, aged 6 years and two days, son of Wm. Tyler, Esq., Erin.

The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, APRIL, 28, 1892.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Milton is evidently anxious to become, like Acton, a leather manufacturing town. It was a shoe leather tannery and on Monday voted by a small majority an $8,000 bonus for a shoe factory. The county town's manufactories are costing the citizens vastly more to secure than those we have the good fortune to have located within our borders.

Reports from Crimea say that Russia is fortifying Sebastopol in a most formidable manner. Two new forts, one on the right bank of the river Techernaya, on a hill not very far from where the war monument stands, and the other on the hill where Fort Victoria was built by the English during the Crimean war, as well as the surrounding outworks, are in a formidable state.

Quite a panic has been caused by an order which the Turkish Government has issued prohibiting the importation into Turkey of all patent medicines, chloroform, &c. Nobody knows why this astonishing decree has gone forth. It has caused consternation, especially among foreign residents. There has been quite a run on the chemist's shops, and the small stocks on hand of these medicines have been quickly cleared out at advanced prices.

The people of Surry, Me., will not tolerate liquor selling in town if they can help it, but they are opposed more strongly to the cigarette. Good Hope Temple, having discovered that some of its younger members have been indulging in the penny weeds, voted to buy and burn all cigarettes in town, on condition that the dealers would sell no more. The dealers agreed to that, and there was one big, final cigarette smoke in the public square.

Newfoundland census returns show that the population of that island increased from 161,374 in 1874 to 197,335 in 1884, and from 197,335 to 202,000 during the past seven years. These figures indicate that the ancient Colony is not retaining its natural increase, but, notwithstanding its cold climate, its wants of agricultural lands and other natural disadvantages, the exodus from Newfoundland is not nearly so large as from New Brunswick, which has immense areas of unoccupied agricultural and forest land.

There are a good many people in Canada who do not coincide with the opinion of Judge Armour, upon the control of the liquor traffic, as expressed at the Owen Sound assizes last week:—"No prohibition law," he said "could possibly be devised by human genius which would stamp out the liquor traffic. Instead of such a measure, a bill should be passed making licenses very high, so that none but respectable houses could exist; and power should be given to license inspectors to deprive any house of its license upon a breach of the law, subject to an appeal to some disinterested board." This, he maintained, was the only way in which the evils of the traffic could be mitigated.

It took business foresight, faith, and courage to span this continent with the first Pacific railroad, says an American paper, but that enterprise is dwarfed by the railroad which in a few years will stretch from side to side of Asia in Russian territory. When men talked seven years ago of railroads from the sea to Central Africa, they were laughed at as visionary enthusiasts. It is now certain, however, that within two years a railroad will be in operation from the Indian Ocean to the heart of Mashobland, and that this decade will see Victoria Nyanza joined to the outer world by rail. It is a curious fact that Russia, the first country that has now in hand the greatest enterprise of the sort ever undertaken, was the last of all nations to recognize the needs of railroads.

MURDER AT BRAMPTON.

A Retired Farmer Murders His Wife.—Whiskey the Cause.

BRAMPTON, April 22.—About six months ago Mr. B. Lundy, a well-to-do farmer, with his wife and daughter rented their farm and moved into Brampton, where their only son is engaged in the hardware store of Mr. Buckham. Mr. Lundy had been in Toronto for several days looking for employment and was not expected to return for some time. Mrs. Lundy and family were entertaining a small company at their house on Main street and during the evening Mrs. Lundy asked to be excused while she prepared refreshments. Upon entering the kitchen Lundy, who had returned from Toronto and secreted himself under the kitchen table opened fire upon his wife with a five chambered revolver and shot her three times, once in the forehead, once in the jugular at the throat and a third in the breast. Mr. Sellwood, one of the guests, hearing the reports rushed out and succeeded in wrenching the revolver from the murderer's grasp. The guests were panic-stricken, and the daughter nearly distracted with grief. Mrs. Lundy dropped on the floor with blood pouring from the wounds, and expired almost instantly.

Constable Orth made the arrest and Lundy was taken to gaol. Coroner Mullen hastily empanelled a jury who viewed the body and adjourned till to-morrow. Lundy was seen at the gaol and seems to take the matter very quietly, and expresses his willingness to take the consequences whatever they may be and only regrets he was not left alone till he completed the tragedy by taking his own life. He said he had been living in jealousy for twenty years and thought he would end the matter. He has, it is reported, been drinking heavily lately.

Real estate values are rising rapidly in Winnipeg.

FROM THE CAPITAL.

The Newfoundland Squabble.—The Public Works.—Canada at the World's Fair.—Imperial Federation.

JOTTINGS HERE AND THERE.

OTTAWA, April 27.—The long looked for Redistribution Bill was expected to be introduced yesterday, but it was not forthcoming. Sir John Thompson intimated that it would not be ready until Thursday. The greater portion of the day was devoted to the discussion of the binding twine question, which, although it is somewhat threadbare, is one of vital importance. Many points were brought out and finally at one o'clock a division was taken and "ayes" of a majority said the duty must continue. Then a page carried across the floor an enormous ball of binder twine, and, amid tremendous applause, solemnly placed it on the desk of the member for Marquette.

WHERE THE MONEY WENT.

A bulky return was brought down to-day showing the amount expended since confederation on public buildings, harbors and breakwaters, improvement of rivers, roads and bridges in the different provinces to be as follows: Nova Scotia, $2,226,204; P. E. Island, $743,420; New Brunswick, $2,934,487; Quebec, $9,401,520; Ontario, $12,082,241; Manitoba, $1,478,888; N. W. Territories $1,458,046; British Columbia, $2,075,311. Total $32,455,117.

CANADA AT THE WORLD'S FAIR.

Mr. William Saunders, Canadian commissioner to the World's Fair, was yesterday notified by the director-general that space had been alloted for the exhibit of Canadian live stock at Chicago as follows: 75 horses, 150 cattle, 300 sheep and 100 swine. These figures will be welcome news to our live stock men, as it was not expected that they would be permitted to exhibit so many.

NEGOTIATING WITH NEWFOUNDLAND.

Yesterday the Dominion Government cabled a message to the Governor of Newfoundland expressing a desire for a temporary arrangement of some sort providing for a cessation of the commercial war with that colony, pending a formal conference looking to a settlement of all matters in dispute between the two colonies. It is understood that step has been taken at the request of the Imperial authorities. The Newfoundlanders believe that if they are firm in refusing bait to Canada the British Government will give way and sanction the Bond-Blaine convention. Lord Knutsford's despatch of February has confirmed them in that belief. Sir William Whiteway declared in the Newfoundland assembly recently that the prohibition of bait to Canada will be continued until the convention received Imperial sanction.

PUBLIC WORKS.

The annual report of the Minister of Public Works for 1891 was laid on the table of the House last week. It contains statements respecting the more important works constructed during the year, with a great number of appendices giving detailed accounts of expenditure, with reports by the officers of the department on the extent and nature of the services performed in constructing, repairing, and maintaining public buildings, harbours, Government telegraph lines, slides and booms, etc., throughout the Dominion. The total expenditure for the year was $2,762,021.

THE FLIGHT OF HORACE TALBOT.

Horace Talbot, the dismissed clerk of the department of Public Works, who was to have been tried at the present assizes for defrauding the Government, has fled to the States. The grand jury found a true bill against him Monday for conspiracy and false pretences. He is supposed to have left the city last week and is said to be now in New York. His appearance was guaranteed by six bondsmen in securities of $250 each. One of them is Mayor Durocher. Talbot is also bound in his own personal bail for $1,000. Mayor Durocher said this evening that he could not imagine how Talbot managed to get away as he has not a dollar. It is understood that his friends made up a purse for him to enable him to make his escape.

LADY MACDONALD'S RETURN.

Lady Macdonald has returned to this city from Lakewood, New Jersey, where she was staying during the greater part of the winter with her daughter, Hon. Mary Macdonald, who will return to Ottawa in a few days. When the season begins they will go to Riviere du Loup for a month or two, after which they will go to Banff, in the North-west, for their usual summer sojourn.

IMPERIAL FEDERATION.

Monday was a great day for Imperial Federation, and from 8 o'clock to midnight the House was treated to a series of good healthy, hopeful speeches on the following resolution of Mr. McNeil:—

"That it shall be the duty of the Parliament of Great Britain and Ireland admits Canadian products to the markets of the United Kingdom upon more favorable terms than it accords to the products of foreign countries, the Parliament of Canada will be prepared to accord corresponding advantages by a reduction in the duties it imposes upon British manufactured goods."

Mr. McNeill made an earnest speech, which showed his own conviction that there was some hope of the bonds between the Mother Country and the colonies being drawn closer together.

The resolution was supported by Messrs. Deejardins (Lislet), Kenny, Hazen, Davin and others, and about 11 Mr. Foster, on behalf of the Government approved of the resolution and spoke of it as "The voice of Canada to the Mother Country."

NO MAILS BY DOMINION LINE.

The Dominion Line Steamship Company has ceased to carry the Canadian mails. Last winter the Allans took a contract with the Government for the mails at £500 per round trip. They were to be put on two out of five boats in winter and three out of six in summer. They divided this contract equally with the Dominion people. Lately the Allans proposed to allow the Dominion people only one boat. The latter company refused to do it unless they got two regular boats and have withdrawn from the service.

NEWFOUNDLAND DECLINES.

It is obvious that the sister colony of Newfoundland is not in a very kisterly mood. A few days ago our Government made a direct offer to Newfoundland for the restoration of the status quo for the present season and to-day a reply was received declining the proposal. It is understood, moreover, that the Newfoundland Government is not prepared to take part in a friendly conference unless the Dominion is prepared to waive her objections to the ratification of the Blaine Bond convention, a course, which, in view of the position Canada has taken, the Government will hardly likely be willing to do.

NOTES.

The transfer of the immigration branch of the Department of Agriculture to the Department of the Interior has been completed. It is understood that an Order-in-Council has been passed placing the immigration business in the North-west under the control of Mr. H. H. Smith, commissioner of Dominion Lands.

Cholera is spreading in India.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Half-Time for the Babies at the Town Hall During the Summer.

The Board met on Wednesday evening 20th inst., at 8.35 o'clock.

Members present G. Hynds, chairman, R. Holmes, Rev. G. B. Cooke, R. Wallace, T. H. Harding.

The minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed.

The bond of the contractor for new school as amended was declared satisfactory.

The crowded condition of the fourth department was discussed.

Moved by Rev. G. B. Cooke, seconded by Robt. Wallace, that owing to the crowded condition of the Fourth Department in the Town Hall that the teacher of said department be instructed to put the intermediate and junior classes on half time, said change to take effect on the re-opening of the school after the Easter holidays.—Carried.

The Property Committee was instructed to have the desks and seats of third department removed to the town hall.

Moved by T. H. Harding, seconded by R. Holmes, that the Municipal Council be requested to embody in their by-law arranging for funds for erection of new school the following amounts:—for building $4,780; heating $288, for furniture and completion of building, $423; total $5,503.—Carried.

Moved by Rev. G. B. Cooke, seconded by Robt. Wallace, that the Board accept the offer of John Cameron, Architect, of five per cent. on contract price of new building for his services in preparing plans and specifications and amending the same, and for superintendence of the work up to the time of completion of building and discharge of the contractor; careful oversight to be given all the work as it progresses.—Carried.

The Committee on Finance presented their fourth report recommending payment of accounts as follows:—

John Cameron, Architect, on account	$50 00
Chairman, expenses	00
	$50 00

The report was adopted.

Board adjourned to meet *sine die*.

FOREVER AT REST.

Hon. Alex. MacKenzie laid Beside His Mother in Lakeview Cemetery, Sarnia.

SARNIA, April 22.—There was an immense attendance at the funeral of the late Hon. Alexander Mackenzie yesterday, prominent and representative men from nearly every city and town in Western Ontario being present, while the influx from the surrounding country was very great, despite the downpour of rain which lasted until noon. St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, where the remains of the honored dead lay in state, had been draped in mourning. Business houses, public buildings, private residences all expressed in different ways the respect and esteem in which the deceased had been held and a sense of the loss which the country had sustained.

About 11 o'clock the remains were taken from the residence of Charles Mackenzie M. P. P., where they had remained during last night, to the church.

From 12 o'clock to 2 o'clock the body lay in state and the general public was allowed to pass through the church and take a last look at the face of the deceased. During the two hours probably 5,000 people viewed the face of the dead.

At 2 o'clock the services commenced with the church crowded, and with thousands on the outside. The immediate relatives of the deceased occupied the first pews. The services were conducted by Rev. Professor McLaren and Rev. Professor Gregg, both of Knox College.

The family burying plot is on an elevated plane, facing a pond and surrounded by a laid out drive. Over it stands a magnificent freestone monument, which attracts attention from a distance, and on the sides of which are inscribed the names of various members of the Mackenzie family, including Alex. Mackenzie's predecessor brothers and his mother, Mary Stewart Mackenzie, who came to Canada with her seven sons in 1842.

The Methodist Magazine.

Appropriate to the Queen's birthday celebration is Dr. W. Williams' admirable article on "God in the Victorian Age." Of much interest to the Canadian readers are the able articles by a patriotic Canadian, Dr. J. J. Maclaren, Q.C., on "The Story of the Dominion." The second article on the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, with pictures of their new thirteen-storey temple in Chicago, one of the handsomest buildings in the world, will be read with interest. The other illustrated articles are: "Among the Magyar's," by Rev. B. Barroughs, with very handsome engravings; "Picturesque India," with thirteen handsome cuts; and the Editor's adventure among the Mormons. How such high-class and numerous engravings (thirty-three in number) can be furnished for the price is a marvel. "Recreations in Astronomy" are continued. Rev. J. V. Smith, of the Metropolitan church, Toronto, contributes a most interesting character sketch of "And Gwordie—the Saint of the Valley," which will be inspiring to all Christians. The stirring story, "A Women's Fight with the Monster" grows in tragic interest. "A More Hopeful View of the Labor Problem," with the Current Topics, and Dr. Barrass' notes, etc., make up an excellent number. Price $2 a year; $1 for six months; 20 cents per number. Toronto: William Briggs.

Three Boys Killed in Toronto.

TORONTO, April 23.—A lamentable accident occurred shortly after 8 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the corner of Dovercourt road and Shannon street. Three lads, named Alfred Lucas, eight years of age; Ernest Lucas, eleven years, and Henry Prittie, twelve years, were buried in a sandbank and suffocated before they could be extracted from their frightful predicament. The two Lucas boys were sons of Mr. Henry Lucas, a builder, at 860 College street, and the third unfortunate lad was the son of Mr. W. H. Prittie, a real estate dealer, who lives at 49 Shannon street.

The boys were playing in an excavation that had been dug out for the foundation of a house. The soil in that locality is almost pure sand, and the youngsters by the use of small boards were endeavoring to dig a hole in one of the sides of the cellar large enough for them to enter to stand in. A son of Mr. Robt. W. Prittie, 403 Dovercourt road, and a cousin of Henry Prittie, was sitting on a fence watching his companions at play. He perceived the danger and cried to the boys to leave the place at once. They did not heed the warning, and a moment later the great pile of sand above their heads slid down like an avalanche and overwhelmed them all. When taken out life was extinct.

The writ for North Perth was issued yesterday. Nomination takes place on May 12, polling on the 19th.

The writ for East York was issued on Monday. Nomination on May 4th, polling May 11th.

James Preston was run over and killed on the C. P. R. at Windsor on Saturday.

THOUSANDS IN REWARDS.

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WEEKLY PRIZE.—Every week throughout this great competition prizes will be distributed as follows: The first correct answer received (the post-mark date on each letter to be taken as the date received) at the office of the *Ladies Home Magazine* (cash and every week during 1892) will get $200, the second correct answer, $100, the third $50, fourth, a beautiful silver service, fifth five o'clock silver service, and the next 50 correct answers will get prizes ranging from $25 down to $2. Every fifth correct answer, irrespective of whether a prize winner or not, will get a special prize. Competitors residing in the southern States as well as other distant points, have an equal chance with those nearer home, as the postmark will be our authority in every case.

RULES.—Each list of answers must be accompanied by $1 to pay for six months subscription to one of the best home magazines in America.

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The nominations were held Friday in Toronto for the seat in the Local Legislature made vacant by the death of H. E. Clarke. The nominees were: Mr. H. A. E. Kent, Conservative; Mr. N. Gordon Bigelow, Reform; Mr. Phillips Thompson, Labor, and Mr. E. A. Macdonald, Annexation. Election to-morrow.

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One Complete Sore

offensive to the smell and dreadful to look at. Her general health waned and she would lay in a large chair all day without any life or energy. The sores caused great itching and burning, so that at times we had to restrain her hands to prevent scratching. For 3 years

She Suffered Fearfully

with this terrible humor. Being urged to try Hood's Sarsaparilla we did so. We soon noticed that she had more life and appetite. The medicine seemed to drive out more of the humor for a short time, but it soon began to outside, the itching and burning ceased, and in a few months her head became entirely clear of the sore. She is now perfectly well, has no evidence of the humor, and her skin is clear and healthy. She seems like an entirely different child, in health and general appearance, from what she was before taking

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The Fifth Half Yearly Literary Competition for 1892, of the Canadian Agriculturist, America's old and reliable Illustrated Family Magazine, will close June 30th, (all letters bearing postmark not later than June 30th will count no matter where posted) The following splendid prizes will be given free to persons sending in the greatest number of words made out of letters contained in the words "THE ILLUSTRATED AGRICULTURIST." ☞ Every one sending in a list of not less than 100 words will receive a valuable present of silverware.

1st Grand Reward		$500 in Gold
2nd "	"	Grand Piano, valued at $300
3rd "	"	$250 in Gold
4th "	"	Organ valued at $200
5th "	"	$100 in Gold
6th "	"	Gent's Gold watch full Jewelled
7th "	"	Ladies gold watch full Jewelled
8th "	"	$50 in Gold
9th "	"	$25 in Gold
10 Rewards of $10 each		$100
Next 20 prizes,—20 Silver Tea Sets, quadruple plate, warranted		
Next 50 prizes,—50 Silver Dessert Sets, warranted heavy plate		
Next 100 prizes,—100 Silver Butter Dishes, &c., warranted heavy plate		

Next 500 prizes consists of Heavy Plated Silver Kettles, Butter Dishes, Fruit Baskets, Biscuit Jars, Sugar Shells, Butter Knives, &c., &c., all fully warranted, making a total of 699 splendid rewards, the value of which will aggregate $3,500.

This grand Literary Competition is open to everybody everywhere. The following are the conditions:

1. The words must be constructed only from letters in the words, "THE ILLUSTRATED AGRICULTURIST," and must be only such as are found in Webster's Unabridged Dictionary, in the body of the book, none of the supplement to be used.

2. The words must be written in rotation and numbered 1, 2, 3 and so on, for facilitating in deciding the winners.

3. Letters cannot be used oftener than they appear in the words "THE ILLUSTRATED AGRICULTURIST." For instance the word "egg" cannot be used as there is but one "g" in the three words.

4. The list containing the largest number of words will be awarded first prize, and so on in order of merit. Each list as it is received will be numbered, and, if two or more tie, the first received will be awarded first prize, and so on, therefore the benefit of sending linearly will readily be seen.

5. Each list must be accompanied by $1 for six months subscription to THE AGRICULTURIST.

The following gentlemen have kindly consented to act as judges; J. G. Macdonald, City Clerk, Peterborough, Canada, and Commodore Calcutt, Peterborough.

Our last competition,—"Got $1,000 prize all right."—M. H. Brandon, Vancouver, B. C. "Thanks for $300 prize."—G. W. Cunningham, Donald, B.C. "Prize received O. K."—J. D. Baptie, Westfield, Superior, Wis. "$300 prize received. Thanks."—G. V. Robertson, Toronto; and 800 others, in United States and Canada.

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IMPLEMENTS:—1 Patterson binder, 1 Mower, 1 Fleury plow, 1 combined drill, 1 iron harrow, 1 sulkyrake, 1 new pulper, 2 lumber waggons, 1 buggy, 1 pair of bobsleighs, 1 pair light bobs, 1 cutter, 1 fanning mill, 1 straw-cutter, 1 jack, 2 hayracks, 2 sets team harness (1 nearly new), lot of chains, shovels, forks and rakes, 5 Buffalo robes, set single harness, set plow harness, string bells and wheelbarrow, a quantity of black oats, 25 bushel seed peas, 4 tons hay, a lot of turnips and potatoes.

FURNITURE:—2 cooking stoves, 2 parlor stoves, lot of stovepipes, walnut table, 4 full-leaf tables, number of small tables, 5 French bedsteads, 3 bureaus, 1 sideboard, 1 hat-rack, 1 clock, 2 bedroom sets, lot of good carpet, lot of bedding, 2 closed cupboards, 24 cane seat chairs, 2 rocking chairs, 1 what-not, 2 sewing machines, 24 kitchen chairs, 1 good organ, 1 melodian, 2 centre tables, 1 black hair sofa, 2 lounges, churn, milk dishes, lot of lamps, glassware, dishes, pails, crues stands, and many other articles.

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In our Modern Language Department you can get a practical command of either French or German, while pursuing the Commercial Course, and without extra charge. Both languages are taught by the Natural Method, which enables the student to read, write and speak them. This is a rare opportunity which the ambitious and energetic young man or woman will not fail to seize.

In Penmanship, our work is the admiration of all who see it. Send for a specimen.

Students from England and United States are now in attendance.

For terms, etc., address

M. MacCORMICK, Principal.

WE HAVEN'T

Said anything about DRESS GOODS yet this season, in fact, we haven't needed to, our Dress Materials have gone out with a rush, and this department has surpassed our expectations in the direction of popular favor and speedy sales.

DRESS GOODS has always been a pet department with us, and our trade is this line is one that grows without intermission. The reason is not difficult to come at. We reach out after the best and get the best, in consequence of large and extensive buying at headquarters for cash. Also, we do not handle the commonplace in Dress Goods; the styles, shades, and fabrics we show you are the latest creations of the designer, and are exactly among what the merchants of London and Paris are showing their customers at this very date.

Every day these times, is like a Dress Goods opening with us. The new materials follow each other in quick succession, hardly a day but there's something novel and taking to see in Dress Fabrics, of which we can only give you a hint in these columns. It is a matter of the greatest importance to you that you see this stock before the assortment is broken. You will find our values right at all times.

Clover Dressmaking is of vital importance to every stylish woman. We can satisfy the most particular tastes, without charging unheard of prices. Our Dressmaking work is guaranteed.

Bear in mind that we have gone extensively into Carpets this season.

* ONE PRICE ONLY. *

G. B. RYAN & CO.,

GUELPH.

There is an Astonishing Rush This Week to

THE RIGHT HOUSE.

AND the thousands of ladies who visit the Favorite House are delighted with the beautiful styles, colorings, qualities, cheapness and vast quantities of the Dress Goods. The magnificent display of Ladies' and Misses' Hats, Bonnets, Caps, Flowers Feathers, Ornaments, Beaded Goods, Beads, Crappes, Laces, Chiffons, Ribbons, Nets, etc. Ladies in Mourning have been greatly pleased with the immense assortment of Silk Crapes, Black Cashmeres, from 40c to $1 15; and various other new styles of Mourning Goods and Silks and Satins in great variety, in black and colors. Handsome Parasols and Umbrellas for Ladies and Misses. Then on the second flat the delightful new styles of Ladies' and Misses' Mantles, Jackets, Reefers, Shawls, Mantle Cloths, Curtains in the very newest styles, patterns, colors and materials; Table and Piano Cloths, etc. And in the third and fourth flats there are over $52,000 worth of Tapestry, Brussels, Velvet, Wilton, Axminster, Moquette, All-wool Carpets, Rugs, Mats, Mattings, Crumb Cloths, Carpet Sweepers, Window Blinds, Poles, Brass Window Fixings, etc. ALL MAKE A MOST MAGNIFICENT DISPLAY, AND CONVINCE THE LADIES THAT THE RIGHT HOUSE IS THE RIGHT PLACE TO GET THE RIGHT GOODS AT THE RIGHT PRICES. WATKINS ORDERS GOODS WEEKLY FROM THE EUROPEAN MANUFACTURERS, AND RECEIVES WEEKLY SUPPLIES OF NEW AND FASHIONABLE GOODS, SO IF OUT OF ANY ARTICLE ONE WEEK, BE MAY HAVE IT THE NEXT. 35 CASES AND BALES OF NEW GOODS IMPORTED THIS WEEK, 4 cases Dress Goods, 1 case Silk Curtain Cloth, 1 case Tapestry Curtains, 1 case Knitted Curtains, 1 case Swiss Lace Curtains, 1 case Mantles, 1 case Silk Chiffons, by the yard and in scarfs; 1 case Heavy Black Silk Crape, 3 cases Ladies' Vests, 1 case Table Covers, 1 case Corsets, 1 case Cashmere Hose, 2 cases Flowers, 1 case Table Damasks, 1 case Mantle Cloths, 1 case Black and Colored Italian Cloths, 3 cases Dress Linings, 1 case Towelling, 1 case Canvas, 1 bale Rugs, 3 cases Window Poles, 1 case Brass Window Fixings, 1 case Linoleums, 1 bale Carpet Warp, and 1 case very beautiful Scotch Flannelettes, just come. See these goods and you will be delighted with their styles, qualities and prices. PLEASE ENTER THE STORES AT THE DOOR IN THE NEW BUILDING, CORNER OF KING AND HUGHSON STREETS.

Hamilton, April 6th, 1892 THOMAS C. WATKINS.

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Think of a clerk—educated to know fashion changes, merchandise, qualities, styles and colors—being at your beck and call whenever you wish.

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New Advertisements.

Trespassers Take Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the public generally is forbidden from trespassing on the premises of the undersigned, west half lot 20, con. 2. THOMAS C. MOORE.

Acton, April 18th, 1892.

NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.

THE undersigned hereby gives notice that after this date any person or persons found trespassing on his premises, lot 23, con. 2, or the A. B. Wright farm lot 30, con. 2, by fishing, shooting or in any other way will be prosecuted according to law. JOSEPH LASBY.

Acton, April 12th, 1892.

Tenders for Caretaker.

TENDERS will be received by the Trustee Board of the Methodist Church, Acton, up to the 14th proximo for caretaker of said church. Specifications of duties may be seen at the Farr Press Office. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Tenders to be addressed to secretary of Trustee Board Methodist Church, Acton.

Acton, April 21st, 1892.

FOR SALE.

GOOD BUILDING PROPERTY IN ACTON.

LOTS 1, 2, 3, 4, in Block 15 in the Village of Acton. Good Title. These lots are situated in the centre of the Village and quite close to the two large Tanneries and is the only available block of Lots in the centre of the Village. A grand site for Tenement Houses which are greatly needed. Will be sold as block or separate. Offers invited. The block will be sold at a bargain. JAMES MATTHEWS.

Acton, April, 6th, 1892.

Valuable Property For Sale.

A BUSH farm on lot 17, con. 17, in the Township of Peel, 118 acres with the dwelling house; timbered with beech, maple, hemlock, pine, cedar, rock and soft elm. 15 or 20 acres cleared except burning the brush.

Also a stone and rough cast dwelling of 8 rooms and two cellars, frame stable, with 4 acres of land on Guelph, Maria and Queen streets in the village of Acton. Will sell five or six building lots, separately if desired.

Terms:—One-third cash or exchange for other property. Apply to A. LAING, Acton, Ont.

THE NEW MEAT MARKET.

O. STULL,

Has pleasure in announcing to the citizens of Acton and vicinity that he has completed arrangements to open a New Meat Market in the building recently erected at the corner of Mill and Main Streets by Mrs. Spoory.

Next Tuesday

Morning, 22nd inst., a full stock of all kinds of

Fresh Meats, Fowl, etc.,

Will be opened. The best quality always in stock.

Having had experience in the business I can assure all who favor me with their orders entire satisfaction.

Highest Cash price paid for Pork, Hides, Tallow, &c.

Parties having Cattle, &c., to sell are requested to call. O. STULL.

PUBLIC HEALTH.

NOTICE is hereby given that all residents of Acton are required forthwith to clean their cellars, drains, yards, pig styes, water closets, and other out buildings and premises, and remove therefrom all dirt, filth, manure, or other substance which may endanger the Public Health, and to have the same completed at latest by the 30th day of May next, on which day the Sanitary Inspector will commence a general inspection. And further take notice that the section of the Public Health Act prohibiting the keeping of hogs