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The Acton Free Press. THURSDAY, JULY 11, 1922.

LITTLE LOCAL BRIEFS

Which Caught the Eyes of Ears of Free Press Reporters this Week. Will reporters be coming to town? The farmers had splendid weather the past week.

THE NEWS AT HOME.

Mostly of a Local Character, and Every Item Interesting.

The Wholesomeness in Town. The presence of safety bicycles on our streets is becoming much less rare as the season progresses.

At the last meeting of Acton Lodge, No. 28, I.O.O.F. last Wednesday evening, the following officers were installed for the current year.

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THE COUNTRY AROUND.

News Items Supplied by Correspondents and Exchanges.

OSPRINGE. The young people of Leslie's School presented Mr. H. McLean with a splendid case for his department at the close of the school last week.

Mr. Miller, the enthusiastic Superintendent of the Presbyterian Sabbath School here, has introduced the total abstinence pledge and presents each person who takes it with a beautifully illustrated pledge card suitable for framing.

The crops look well hereabouts just now. The hay crop is being loaded. It is far ahead of last year.

Fishermen have patronized the river about as freely as usual since the season opened. Their efforts have met with indifferent success, but the moquelets have never ceased to make themselves felt.

SCOTCH BLOK. A splendid bank barn was raised on the farm of John Hardy, of the town of Milton, last Thursday night. The barn 60 x 122 is a fine one and the building was pronounced by those who attended the raising one of the finest in the county.

A number of our farmers send large quantities of butter to Toronto every week on yearly contracts for which the highest prices are received.

Mr. and Mrs. John Matthews, of Acton, spent several days last week with friends here. They had been in full blast for about a week.

ERIN. The early closing arrangement has come into effect and our merchants now put up the shutters at 6 p.m.

A picnic in connection with the Disciple Church Sunday School took place at Stanley Park on Saturday afternoon.

The funeral of Mrs. Peter McGill last week was the largest that has taken place in Erin for many months, over 150 vehicles were in the procession.

A very serious accident befell our aged and esteemed Justice of the Peace Mr. Tyler, last week while in attendance at a picnic recently given in Stanley Park to Rev. Hall and Mr. Graham prior to departing to their home in London, England.

Mr. Alex. Brown, Sr., is visiting friends in town. Notwithstanding that the old lady is in her eighty-fourth year she is enjoying good health.

Mr. R. G. Robertson, B.A., formerly pastor of the Presbyterian Church, Toronto, for over five years, has resigned his pastorate on account of ill health.

Mr. D. B. Buzar, of Indianapolis, Ind., who had been visiting Mrs. S. A. Stead, left last Thursday to visit her son-in-law, the Rev. Wm. H. Buzar, of England.

What was perhaps the largest and most successful Orange demonstration in the history of the county was held at Burlington on the 10th. There was a very large gathering of Orangemen from Milton, Oakville, Brantford, Georgetown, Acton, Guelph, Hamilton, and other places.

The Lacrosse match advertised for last Saturday did not come off, the Toronto players not turning up.

Freeman and Campbellville football clubs had a set to here on Saturday afternoon. The play was all at one end of the field and resulted in three goals in favor of Campbellville.

Mr. Bruce has commenced excavating cellars for four large brick houses in his newly surveyed lot in Milton.

Mr. McEwen has purchased the lot on the corner of East Mary and Bronte streets and will build a house on it. Contract for the building has been successful in securing the work.

Contractor Armstrong, is at present engaged in erecting a dwelling house for Mr. J. H. Pickett, painter.

Mr. D. Henderson was in town on the 10th.

Mr. J. Waterfield, of the Bank of Hamilton, moved his family from here to his new home in Mount Forest on Monday. The people of Milton regret to part with them.

GEORGETOWN. The Baptist and Methodist B. Schools are arranging for a picnic excursion to take place on the 15th.

The Orangemen of Georgetown, the Glen and Norval spent the Twelfth at Burlington and took Acton Corned Band with them.

The primary and junior leaving examinations have been in progress at the High School this week.

The revenue from the waterworks thus far has not been reassuring. There is a prospect now, however, of making an arrangement with the G. T. B.

Mr. Lachlan Grant and family left Georgetown last week for a two month trip to Scotland.

Rev. Mr. Buchanan and family left last week on a holiday trip for a month. They expect to visit Peter, Uxbridge, Kincardine and other places.

COMING AND GOING.

Visitors to and From Acton and Various Other Persons' Notes.

Miss Lottie Herd street, visited friends in Milton last week.

Miss Carey left for her home in Brockville on Saturday.

Mrs. Joseph Peters is spending a few days with friends here.

Master John McLean, of Milton, is a guest at Cedar Creek farm.

Misses Emma and Katie Aiken spent Sunday with friends in Guelph.

Misses Minnie and Clara Swackhammer spent Sunday with friends in Guelph.

Master Fred Smith is spending a couple of weeks with friends near Hamilton.

Mrs. A. E. Nicklin and children, visited friends at St. Jacob's during the week.

Mr. W. P. Brown is spending a well-earned week's vacation with friends here.

Mr. E. L. Sloss and Mr. George Stout, of Brockville, visited friends here last Friday.

Mr. C. Vanwick spent a week with friends at Southampton and returned home on Friday.

Mrs. M. A. Christie and Master Hollie Perryman are visiting friends in Posenbury and Elora the past week.

Mrs. Thomas Scrimville, is spending a month with friends at West Lorne, Detroit and other points.

Dr. Heggie, of Brantford, and Mr. G. T. Sherwood, of Huron College, London, were guests at the home of Dr. Uren last week.

Mr. D. Henderson, M.P., arrived home from Ottawa last Saturday afternoon. He will now settle down to business in his own interest.

Miss Jessie Warren, who has been visiting friends in Toronto and Niagara Falls for the past two weeks, returned home on Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Daniels, of Nassagawes, arrived here last week from England, where they have been visiting friends for the past two months.

Dr. and Mrs. Payne, and Mr. J. Coleman, of Richmond, Iowa, who have been guests at Sutherland Villa the past week, left yesterday for their home in the west.

Miss Hattie Thomas, and Mr. Wm. Thomas, returned on Saturday from a two week's visit with friends at Watertown, N. Y. Their sister and children accompanied them home.

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AYER'S Sarsaparilla at all seasons. In the Spring, it removes that tired feeling, cleanses and vitalizes the circulation, and prepares one to successfully contend with the debilitating effects of the heated term.

AYER'S Sarsaparilla is the best all-year-around medicine you can find. It expels the poison of Scrofula and Catarrh and the acid that causes Rheumatism. It cures skin eruptions, breaks up a cold, relieves the bowels, and life of the Superior Medicine. Miss A. E. Collins, Dighton, Mass., writes: "For five years I have used Ayer's Sarsaparilla each spring and fall and received wonderful benefit from it."

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The Western Fair. The Prize List of the Western Fair which is to be held in London Sept. 15th to 21st, as again to hand, and we are pleased to notice that the unprecedented success which attended the efforts of the management last year has been of tangible benefit to the breeders of live stock and agricultural producers. The directors have added nearly \$2,000,000 to the Prize List of 1921. Besides increasing the already large prizes have been added to the cattle class, where before omitted, and new sections to the sheep class, and a full class for Tamworth pigs. The third prize in the poultry section, which, with the commodious building now at the disposal of the poultry breeders, should call forth their hearty co-operation and give to the patrons of the Western Fair the grandest display ever exhibited in Canada. The day prizes are being properly looked after, and the Committee are evidently catering for a larger exhibit, if possible, than the grand display of last year. A long list of Special Prizes are offered, one or more in each department. The Directors have decided to adopt the one judge system, and appoint good, reliable, competent men, from names submitted by the principal live stock associations. This is the plan adopted by all the leading Fairs in America, and the Executive of the Western Fair are determined to keep pace with the best. Should any of our readers wish a prize list address Mr. Thos. A. Drowne, Secretary, who assures us he will be pleased to forward the same.

Killed in the R. R. Yard. Drown, July 9.—A boy named Arnold, 13 years of age, a son of Mr. Philip Arnold, of Danden, was killed by a train on Wednesday. He was standing on a switch catching an engine when he was struck. His body was found on the tracks. The engineer, however, seeing the danger, whistled, but it was too late, and before the car had run him down. When picked up it was found that he was mortally wounded. His hand and arm were terribly mangled. He lived only a few hours in great agony.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR. The annual meeting at New York, Canada's Prominence. New York, 12th July.—The great Christian Endeavor Convention with its 20,000 delegates has come and gone. It was an immense success. The report of General Secretary Beer showed that while in 1921 only two societies existed, to-day there are 1,370,200 members with 21,650 societies, representing 30 different evangelistic denominations. The Presbyterians lead with 4,800 societies. Coming close behind are the Congregationalists, with 4,425, while the Baptists hold third place with 2,785. Oklahoma captured the banner a year ago for the greatest proportionate increase, but this year it goes across the line to Manitoba, where Christian Endeavor, said Secretary Beer, "like their wheat, is graded No. 1." The banner for the greatest absolute gain was last year by Pennsylvania, but this year it goes, not to a State, but to a Province, Ontario, where there has been a gain of 371 societies. In Ontario there are 830 societies; Nova Scotia, 268; Quebec, 97; New Brunswick, 57; and Manitoba, 42. Last year 82 societies had reported for Australia; now there are 232. England has 300. There are 33 societies controlled from India, from Turkey, 20; Mexico, 19; West Indies, 42; Samoa, 9; Africa, 9; China, 9; Japan, 6, while societies are also at work in Bermuda, Brazil, Chili, Norway, Spain, Peru, Hawaiian Islands and almost every land. The total from foreign fields is 149.

KNATCHBULL. Farmers are busy with their hay which is a fair crop this year. The fine weather is helping them wonderfully. Strawberry picking is almost done. The tenders for the building of the Ebenezer Church sheds will close on Saturday at 6 p.m. The re-building of the sheds will commence as soon as possible. Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Campbell, of Kincardine, returned home last Saturday and Mrs. E. A. and Miss Kitching, of Corwell, accompanied them. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Daniels, of Nassagawes, returned home from England on Wednesday July 6th. They had a pleasant trip. Mr. and Mrs. Sturdy, of West Waukesha, are visiting relatives and friends in Nassagawes this week. Mrs. Jas. McGregor, of Nassagawes, had the misfortune to fall and break several of her ribs the other day. On Friday Mrs. John Taylor, of Nassagawes, was taking off a stone with his stone machine the wheel of the windmill broke when the stone was about half up, then Mr. Herbert Taylor went to knock the dog back and let the stone down. When he ran down part of the wheel struck the dog.

R. B. Jermyn.

Delaines, Challies, Prints and Satens. The very cream of wash Goods in Stock now. Colored Challies & Gowns which cost \$10 to manufacture. Some cost less than 10c per yard, but there's no plauder in them for us. This is a plan that cannot be picked up every day. The pile is going down fast, delay is dangerous.

HOT WEATHER... DRESS GOODS.

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PRINTS

Have the run this summer, and deservedly so, there is nothing prettier or more serviceable. Go where you may you cannot find a finer variety than we show in this line. Think of a pretty delaine at 12 1/2c! In other words, the lot of a 100c one. If your purse limits you we have a big variety at 15, 20, 25, 30, and 35c.

PRINTS

We open this week a case of extra wide fine quality print, fast colors, at 10c. This is the regular 12c print all over the country. Another lot of blues in this line. Scarf, Bandana and cotton, very cheap and just the thing for hot weather. They're going like hot cakes and no wonder the price and style sells them. Extra value in stainless cotton hose, the color will not wash out or rub off. Sizes in cashmere and silk hosiery.

25 per cent off Millinery for the balance of the Season.

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Glasgow House.

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This season we are showing the largest and best assortment of stock in this line ever brought into Acton.

The same quality of Print that we sold at 15c and 17c last year can be had this year at 12 1/2c.

The goods are all new and just on Saturday last we received 50 new pieces.

The patterns are all new and varied so that you have a large range to choose from.

We have also great bargains in 8c. and 10c. Prints, of which we have stacks that must be sold.

Our stock of Dress Goods is most complete and a very large range is on exhibition every day at ground prices.

Our Black and Colored Cashmeres were bought from the largest house in Montreal and the prices are the cheapest we ever sold goods at.

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John Speight & Son. FURNITURE & UNDERTAKING.

Our Stock of Furniture is now complete for the Spring Trade and we can supply any article you want at the lowest possible price. We don't tie our farmers for cash as any dealer in the trade.

We can give you a Bedroom set complete for \$14. Wove Mattresses for \$4. Springs for \$3. Sideboards at cost. Lounges for \$7.50. Extension Tables \$7.50. Chairs at any price.

UNDERTAKING. A full line of Coffins, Caskets, Biers, etc., always in stock. We can give you satisfaction. As to prices we desire to impress upon the public the fact that we have no connection with any combination, and our prices are not governed by the Undertakers' association. We can give you the best material and afford for very reasonable prices. Good Hearse and Outfit for Funerals. SPEIGHT & SON GUELPH.

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ARNOLD'S BUSINESS EXEMPT.

The Budget to be Brought Down Next Meeting. The Council met on Monday evening at 8:15 o'clock.

Members present: Hon. Secy. Lewry, Councilors: Mrs. Harvey, Pearson, Second and Third.

The minutes of previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The Finance Committee presented their eleventh report recommending payment of the following accounts:

Jas. T. Thompson, work at Park \$ 6.00  
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T. Moore, expenses to Berlin 1.75  
Adams Cook, groceries 4.00  
The above, expenses re. delinquent 3.10  
C. T. Hill, mail, groceries, etc. 21.25  
\$ 38.95

The report was adopted. The receipts and expenditures of the year were considered and the estimates for the year were adopted. The rate this year will not likely be much above fifteen cents.

The \$600 premium on the new school delinquent will aid in reducing the rate. The by-law exempting from taxation the business and property of Arnold Brothers, John Harvey, Pearson, Second and Third, was introduced, for ten years, was introduced, read the required number of times and passed. Moved by J. B. Pearson, seconded by John Harvey, that the sum of twenty dollars, being an annual grant, be presented to the Board for charitable purposes.—Carried. The Council then adjourned.

Salesman Wanted.—Salary and expenses paid. Brown & Co., Nuremberg, Toronto, Ont. Try our unshrinkable natural wool flannel.—John Newton & Sons, Litchfield, Ont. Go to Symon the Jeweller for the genuine Lorraine spectacles to suit all eyes. If you want Boots & Shoes cheaper than ever you bought them call at Kenney Bros., Acton.

An Explanation. We are requested to insert the following letter from Mr. Buck: Dear Sirs—In reply to yours of the 25th inst. I beg to say that it was my invitation and request that you meet the Railway Committee in Toronto, and being Chairman of the Committee, I may add that it was after being promised by the committee to do so that you accompanied the committee to the office of the railway solicitors, where the letter to which you refer was read. Yours truly, A. H. C. McRae, June 22nd, 1922.