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## The Actor Free Press

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1883.

## LITTLE LOCAL BRIEFLETS

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

Milton and Rockwood shows were both  
held yesterday.

—There have been some beautiful  
autumn days lately.

—The services of the viceman may now  
be dispensed with until 1894.

—The keen frost is rapidly denuding  
the trees of their beautiful foliage.

—Milton and Peel Medical Association  
met in Georgetown on Tuesday.

—A considerable number of Actonians  
attended Nassagawaya Fair on Friday.

—A family jury was seated in a mag-  
istrate's court here on Saturday. These  
were dismissed.

—A meeting of all interested in checkers  
will be held in the town hall this evening  
for the re-organization of the club.

—A practice match between Acton and  
Bloombury foot-ball players was won by  
the latter in the Park Saturday after-  
noon.

—Several of our citizens went to Bram-  
pton on Monday evening to attend the  
Crossley and Hunter meetings in the Pres-  
byterian Church.

—Anniversary services were held on  
Sunday in St. David's Church, Campbell-  
ville. A successful tea meeting was held on  
Monday evening.

—The deer shooting season opens earlier  
this year, the 20th October—and closes  
November 1st. With additional days to  
go, the game out there practically  
means one month's hunting. In sports  
men will soon be making their arrange-  
ments for the fall hunt.

—It has leaked out that the Star Almanac  
of Montreal is to be even larger and  
greater than last year's, consisting of no  
less than four hundred and fifty pages.  
Before the publishers have issued a single  
announcement there has sprung a great  
spontaneous demand for it.

—Tuesday was an unfortunate day for  
a couple of workmen at Bradburn & Co.'s  
sole leather factory. In the morning George  
Soper had his left thumb badly  
crushed and in the afternoon Thos. Lee  
suffered from a similar accident to two  
fingers. Both accidents occurred with the  
rolling mill.

—The annual meeting of the Rural  
Surveyors of the County of Halton was held  
at Milton on Tuesday, in Grace Church.  
His Lordship, Bishop Hamilton, made his  
annual visit to the Surveyors. Several im-  
portant changes were discussed. Papers  
were read by Rev. O. B. Cooke, Acton, on  
"The best mode of preparing candidate  
for Confirmation"; and by Rev. W. Aborn,  
of Norval, on "Best Means of Augmenting  
the Mission Fund".

To Lee, that excellent stand at  
principal corner, where Councillor Heseltine  
made off his money, and is now visited  
by him for his own new building. A  
Brown.

Cheap Groceries & Glassware at  
Charles & Co.

All Free Press subscriptions must be  
paid in advance.

Choice Groceries, Groceries and Glass-  
ware at T. H. Hudson's, Acton.

Mercantile, in the trade of the general  
public through an attractive ad in  
the Free Press.

For a strong one-bladed knife  
Owner can have the same by proving  
property at Free Press Office.

If you want first class Gunflint and  
doors at Guelph prices, T. Evans will  
keep up, at his planing mill.

The cheapest and best place for  
Carpets, Oilcloths, and Dry Goods is  
Clegg & Thompson's, 30 Lower Wyndham  
St., Guelph.

The best way to capture the fall trade  
is to take into your confidence the hundreds  
of families, that buy and sell, and  
whose attractive wares in the Free  
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soothing effects of Syrup of Fig, when in  
need of a laxative; and if the father or  
mother be constive or bilious, the most grati-  
fying results follow its use, so that it is the  
best family remedy known, and every  
family should have a bottle.

Woodstock is located over a report that  
the Willard's estate will object with  
a beaker in the house named Albert  
Smith.

Burdock Pills never grieve, achen, or in-  
jure. They cure Constipation and sick  
Menses.

Ward's Liniment cuts like a scorpion.

## THE NEWS AT HOME.

Most of Local Chaptoty, and  
Every Item Interesting.

Another Couple Happily Wedded.

There was a very joyful gathering in the  
home of Mr. Robert Johnston, Erin, Acton,  
last Wednesday, the occasion being  
the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. John  
Mary, son, William G. Gamble, a pros-  
perous young farmer in the next lot. Rev.  
Alexander Norrell, the pastor of the young  
couple performed the ceremony in the  
presence of a large company of friends. The  
wedding repast was thoroughly enjoyed.  
The bridal gifts were numerous and much  
admired.

News of the Churches.

Rev. Mr. Davis, the evangelist, in con-  
ducting services in the Methodist Church  
week. The services were well attended and  
the audience interested. The World's Fair  
in the school room of the Methodist Church  
next Monday will be an occasion of great  
and intellectual interest. The fair will  
provide refreshments and this will be  
followed with brief descriptions of features  
of the World's Fair by speakers of the  
congregation who have visited it. The  
organ and H. S. orchestra will do their part  
to enliven the proceedings. Rev. Mr.  
Davis will preside at the Methodist  
Church luncheon, next Sunday.

Chaptoty Convention.

The anniversary service in the Presby-  
terian Church will be held on Sunday,  
Rev. W. G. Wallace, of Blair Street Presby-  
terian and H. S. orchestra will do their  
part to enliven the proceedings.

Editor Warren, of the Guelph  
Advertiser, honored the Fair with his presence  
last Wednesday.

Miss Martha Taylor has returned home  
after spending a pleasant visit with relatives  
in Hamilton.

Miss Rita Kennedy and Master John  
Kennedy, of Georgetown, visited Acton  
yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Bell and Donald Moore  
have gone to resume their studies at Cor-  
nell University, Ithaca, N. Y.

The 26th monthly meeting of the George  
Town Ministerial Association was held at  
the Masonic Hall last week. After de-  
votional exercises and reading of im-  
pacts Rev. Mr. H. C. Read gave an interesting synopsis of a  
book entitled "The Making of a Man," by  
J. W. Leitch.

There were 220 people present at the  
Protestant school last month with an average  
attendance of 170.

ASHROVE.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Nixon are spending  
few days with friends in Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Duck visited friends in  
Glen Huron on Friday and Saturday.

Rev. Mr. Nealy, of Erin, will preach at  
Tuesday morning to attend the Provincial  
Christian Education Convention at St  
Catherines.

TO THE WORLD'S FAIR.

Following the largest yield of  
phantom potatoes ever to have ever  
been raised in a fifteen quart pail of earth,  
in a 15' x 15' field of thirty our potato  
plants, in fact ten bushels. If anyone thinks  
this a "fairy story," he can be assured of  
the facts by calling at Mr. Mason's and seeing them.

Following are the officers elect of the  
S. O. T. for the quarter ending Dec. 1st. P.  
W. S. Nixon, W. A. S. Nixon, N. Doug-  
lass, P. W. P. Bro. J. Douglas, R. N.  
H. M. Preston, A. R. B. S. N. Doug-  
lass, Miss M. McDonald,  
Miss M. McNaughton,  
Miss M. F. Price,  
Miss M. A. Scott.

THE WORLD'S FAIR.

Members will find the meetings during the  
long evenings occasions of much profit.

The coming phantasies are receiving attention  
on the part of the Union.

FAMILY TIES ARE SACRED.

Last Thursday morning Mrs. George  
Hawick, who has been in poor health for  
the past year or more, calmly breathed her  
last. During her illness her husband and  
friends left no means untried which was  
available to bring her back to life.

Hawick comes from the midmost  
regions of cancer but though she gradually  
failed, there was little suffering. Mrs.  
Hawick was born in Nova Scotia in 1826  
and in her infancy came to Halton County  
with her father and settled in Trafalgar.  
The family subsequently removed to lot 3,  
con. 7, Erin, now Isthmus, which property  
Mr. Hawick afterwards purchased from  
his father in law. From 1853 this  
was their home until four years ago when  
they removed to Acton. Mrs. Hawick was  
then 77 years old.

ROCKWOOD.

The annual exhibition of Erasmus Art  
Cultural Society, held on Tuesday and yes-  
terday was a marked success. Delightful  
autumn weather favored the show and  
there was much interest manifested both  
by exhibitors and visitors.

Rockwood is about to lose one of its best  
and most highly respected residents whose  
performance gives him a position in a  
class by himself. Mr. J. H. Strickland, whose  
faithful and painstaking services as agent  
of the Grand Trunk Railway here have  
been recognized by the authorities has been  
appointed to the agency of the Grand  
Trunk at Berlin. This is one of the best  
stations in Canada and it is highly com-  
plimentary to Mr. Strickland that he has  
been considered worthy of so important a  
position. Several other prominent men  
have been appointed to positions which  
are equally important but none have been  
selected by the public as well as Mr. Strick-  
land. As a citizen his course has been  
straightforward and consistent with his  
Christian character. He will be missed in  
the kindest wishes of the community go-  
ing with him to his new field. Mr. Strickland  
is a native of Waterloo county and served  
in his earlier days as an operator at  
Merion.

ERIN.

Mr. Douglas Livingston, who formerly  
came to the Dominion Hotel, Guelph, has  
fallen ill to over \$50,000 by the death of  
his wife.

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