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The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1894.

LITTLE LOCAL BRIEFLETS

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

February, the windy month, again

Council meeting next Monday evening

Canadian P. O. orders can now be sent to the Hawaiian Islands.

—The sleighing is causing the wool to move in condiderable quantities.

—Messrs. Arnold Bros. have their new tannery at Glen Lawson in operation

—The members of the Baptist Sunday School were entertained by Mr. and Mrs J. L. Warren at their residence about a week ago.

Mr. Browning, the Cornish evangelist, is holding special services in Norfolk St. Church, Guelph.

—Honey socials are the latest invention Sweet viands, sweet speeches, sweet music and sweet girls are the inducements

The annual meeting of the Canadian Press Association will be held in Toronto next Thursday and Friday.

—The two or three inches of snow which fell on Monday evening made sleighing passable on most of the roads hereabouts

—Councillor Anderson is supplying the local hotel men and butchers with their usual stock of ice. It is of excellent quality.

"Jack, the Hugger," is at large in Woodstock to the consternation of maids and mistresses whom he hugs regardless of circumstances.

—What is an adv.? A lover of trade The dealer's sure road to success. The life blood of modern business. A money maker, getter and saver.

—Some Georgetown people have sufficient effrontery to suggest that Acton purchase its cast off fire engine. Go away now! Keep your old clothes and rich.

Chatham council will submit bylaws to to the ratepayers, increasing tavern licenses to $500, tavern licenses without the necessary accomodation, $600, and shop licenses to $550.

—At Buckling's auction rooms, Toronto, on Thursday, the stock of Butler Bros., boots and groceries, Oshawa, $5,920, was sold to R. E. Nelson, Guelph, for 68½ cents on the dollar. *Mercury*

The municipal auditors are making their annual examination of the books of the Treasurer of Municipal and School moneys. They will present their report at the council meeting Monday evening

—A gentleman remarked during the progress of the recent plebiscite campaign that he had eight arguments in favor of the prohibition of the traffic, and when asked what they were, replied "My eight children"

—A witty contemporary points out that it has cost Canada $20,000 for the prohibition commission to find out that one section of the community likes to drink water plain, while others have a preference for "a stick" in it.

The Oakville *Star* in last issue publishes a portrait labelled "Warden Warren." Warden Warren's friends would never know him. The *Star* should be more careful. Libel suits are encored for less offence these troublous times

The Acton *Free Press* gives the *Annual Era* credit for an original motto which appeared in the *News Record* about the *Free Press*' handsome calendar. It was blown owing to an oversight. Dunton *News Record*. It was all a mistake, brother, we'll never do it again

—Farmers are warned to beware of strangers who go about painting patent medicine signs on barns and buildings, and ask the farmers to sign a certificate that the work has been properly done. In a short time the certificate generally turns up at some bank as a promissory note

—The city weekly gives no news of your locality. It is the local paper that advertises your business, your schools, your churches your numerous societies, sympathizes with you in your afflictions, and rejoices with you in prosperity. In short it is your local paper that mentions the thousand and one items in which you are interested during the year, and which you do not find in the city papers. Don't forget this.

An uncomfy row occurred at Clark's Hotel on Saturday evening. An inebriated young man from near Speyside had his ire aroused when invited to get out before seven—the hour for closing. He pulled down the towel rack, made ribbons of the towel and did some tall talking and kicking. Constable Lawson dropped in, quiet was restored, the damages assessed and paid for, and the pugilistic party put in a calm like a summer night.

Minard's Liniment cures La Grippe.

THE NEWS AT HOME.

Mostly of a Local Character, and Every Item Interesting.

An Oakville Love Scrape.

A year ago Miss Nellie McGowan, of Oakville, recovered judgment for $1,100 against John Wesley Stephenson, of Whitby township, for breach of promise in marriage. Stevenson had a farm near Whitby which he is said to have transferred to his mother after the writ was issued. Miss McGowan is now endeavoring to have the transfer set aside.

The Boy's Idea of Fun.

The small boy may now be seen on his trusty sled, his chubby cheeks a rosy red, and pleasure in his eyes, controlling with one foot his steed, and laughing at the wondrous speed as down the hill he flies. Now patiently uphill again the heavy sled he drags, pursuing such a sport, the boy's enjoyment never flags; with pleasure flushed he deems ten minutes too uphill well spent, to purchase one exhilarating minute of descent.

"Many Good, But Tarnal Slow."

A year ago the Acton Free Press adopted the pay-in-advance system for subscriptions to that paper. The proprietor now says it has worked like a charm, and that no consideration could induce him to return to the former plan. Well, we are glad to hear it. A number of our subscribers are always prompt to the day in renewing while others again are good but tarnal slow, and we suppose we'll have to wait on their good pleasure. Milton *Reformer*.

The I. O. F. Officers.

Court Olive Branch, No. 90, I. O. F., elected and installed the following officers for the ensuing year.

Jas Plant, P. D. H. C. R.
T. J. Moore, C. R.
W. McPhail, V. C. R.
A. Wenham, Rec. Sec.
C. C. Speight, Fin. Sec. and Treas.
S. Laird, Chaplain
R. J. Edmiston, S. W.
Geo. Statham, J. W.
Jas. Meredith, S. B.
D. Tigell, J. B.
Drs. Cleg and McKeague, Physicians

The Fire Protection Meeting.

The meeting called by Reeve Pearson for last Thursday evening, to discuss the advisability of organizing for fire protection, was well attended, though the proportion of property owners present was somewhat disappointing. The Reeve explained the object of the meeting and then invited the opinions of those present. Mr. D. Henderson M. P., and others expressed themselves in favor of organization and recited their experience and observation as to the workings of fire companies in other places. It was finally resolved upon motion of Messrs. John Cameron and Henry Grindell "that we proceed at once to the organization of a Hook and Ladder Co., and a Salvage Corps." The Reeve then asked for the names of volunteers who were willing to become members of the new organizations, when forty "good men and true" enlisted. A meeting was subsequently held by these volunteers when they elected their officers as follows: Hooks and Ladders—Captain, John Cameron; First Lieut., John Harvey; Second Lieut., George Havill; Secretary-Treasurer, John V. Kannawin. Salvage—Capt., H. Swackhammer; First Lieut., John Williams; Second Lieut., John L. Charles. Meeting adjourned to meet this evening to decide upon the necessary equipments and prepare a list to be submitted to the Council.

"Ingleside," Mr. Corry's New Home

Ex-Councillor J. E. Corry and family are now comfortably settled in their fine new residence, "Ingleside," corner of Young and Arthur Streets. It is a handsome edifice and a very comfortable home. The only objection that could be offered would be the limited grounds surrounding so fine a residence. The building is terra cotta brick upon a stone foundation, has two stories and attic. Its plans embrace gothics, piazzas, and double and triple windows so arranged as to produce a handsome exterior effect and at the same time a comfortable, roomy and cheerful interior. The front and back parlors and dining room are all connected with arches and sliding doors. There are front and back stairways. The stained glass and plate windows are very pretty and the parlor and dining room grates and mantles give one a sense of old-fashioned comfort. The house is heated throughout with furnaces located in the basement. The plans were drawn by Mr. T. Ryder, of Georgetown, and the contractors for the various work were as follows: Stone work, W. P. Campbell, Acton; brick work and plastering, Henry Hill, Brampton; carpenter work, H. H. Laird, Georgetown; brick, Toronto Pressed Brick Co., Milton; painting, R. Thurston; tinsmithing, Moore Bros, Georgetown; furnaces, Doherty & Co., Sarnia. Each of the above contractors performed his work to Mr. Corry's satisfaction. Acton is noted for its many fine residences and this one is a valuable addition to the list and citizens will point it out to visitors with considerable pride.

The Churches and Pastors.

A memorial service relative to the late Mrs Alex Brown, Sr., will be held in the Methodist Church next Sunday evening. Owing to illness the service could not be held sooner. In the Baptist Church, Sunday afternoon Rev. Mr. St. Dalmas, assisted by Rev. J. P. McLaren, supt. of home missions, conducted a memorial service in connection with the late Peter Mann, Jr. His text was, "Prepare to meet thy God," and he impressed on his hearers the absolute necessity of regeneration in order to fitness for the life to come, which doctrine was strongly held by the deceased. There was a large attendance at the service. Mr. Mann had been a member of the Baptist church since March, 1881. Rev. J. Edge preached educational anniversary sermons in Berlin on Sunday. Mr. Ernest Coombs, B. A., of Georgetown High School, occupied his pulpit here. Mr. Edge preached on Monday and Tuesday evenings in Broadway Tabernacle, Toronto, in connection with Rev. Mr. Speers special services there. Mr. I. O. Fahmi, of Persia, who is attending Knox College, Toronto, preached in the Presbyterian Church last Sunday. In the morning he took for the basis of his remarks John 1. 29. He vividly described the inhuman treatment of women by his compatriots, and the kind and gentlemanly treatment of women by Canadians, which he attributed to the teachings of Christ. In the evening he gave a sketch of his first year in Canada. His description of the telephone, the electric lights, which he thought when he first saw them were young moons passed many a smile and not a few to laugh. He is an earnest young man and anxious to become useful in the Master's service. The attendance at the evening service was unusually large. The regular quarterly communion service will be held in the Methodist church next Sunday morning. The pastor will preach. Vespers were sung in St. Joseph's Church last Sunday evening. Rev. Father Haley has arranged for a lecture to be delivered in the church on Wednesday evening, 21st inst., by Rev. Monsignor McEvay, of St. Mary's Cathedral, Hamilton, subject: "Rome and the Holy Land."

THE COUNTRY AROUND.

News Items Supplied by Correspondents and Exchanges.

CHURCHILL.

Rev. T. H. Adams will deliver a lecture entitled "Christ on the Battle Field" in the church here next Monday evening. Mr. Adams is a very interesting speaker and the lecture will no doubt be enjoyable and profitable.

The special services which have been in progress the past two weeks will continue until Friday evening. They have been very successful and largely attended.

KNATCHBULL.

A happy event took place at the residence of Mrs. Thos. Simpson, of Knatchbull, last week. It was the marriage of her daughter Lizzie to Geo. Marshall, of Nassagaweya, by the Rev. J. W. Robinson. The bride was the recipient of many handsome presents. We all wish them long life and prosperity.

Bloomsbury Association, of the Patrons of Industry, intend having their entertainment in Patron's hall, Knatchbull, on Wednesday evening, February 21st. The committee are sparing no pains to make this the best ever held in Bloomsbury section.

The Quarterly communion and sacramental service of the Nassagaweya circuit will be held in the Ebenezer church, Nassagaweya, next Sunday morning at 10.30 o'clock.

There will be a union Sunday School convention in the Eden Mills Methodist church next Sunday evening. A good time is expected.

ROCKWOOD.

Mr. Chas. Armstrong, of Armstrong's Mills, has sold his fine driving Royal George horse to Dr. Martin, of Erin. The price was good considering the low price of horses.

Mr. and Mrs. David McKenzie, of lot 1, con. 3, Eramosa, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on the 18th January. A goodly number of their friends and neighbors met and presented the aged couple with many useful presents, also with a complimentary address. Mrs. McKenzie received a set of dishes and Mr. McKenzie a handsome easy chair. The address was read by Mr. Robt. Dredge, and the presentation to Mrs. McKenzie made by Mrs. Jas. Duffield and Mrs. John Osburn and to Mr. McKenzie by Mrs. John Osburn and Mr. Jas. Duffield. Although the old people were taken completely by surprise, Mr. McKenzie was able to make a suitable reply. After having partaken heartily of a sumptuous repast, the evening was spent in recalling old events and reminiscences, of which the old couple were rich and rehearsed them to the general edification of the company.

Mrs. T. Scanlon has gone on a visit to friends in Detroit.

Mr. Bricker, who purchased the stock of John Innes, has left, and the store will now be occupied by the proprietor, Mr. J. N. Stinson.

Mr. James Gray, who has purchased the Farrish mills, is making extensive repairs and will soon have the mill in first class shape. Mr. Gray is well known as an obliging and capable miller, having been with H. Horton for a number of years both in Eden Mills and Everton.

Mr. R. Howat is remodelling the old oatmeal mill and will soon be prepared to make the finest oatmeal, both stone and roller.

Rev. Mr. Keats held a series of special meetings in the Friends' Church this week.

GEORGETOWN

The Ontario Government has renewed a paper contract for the next five years to Barber Bros. of the paper mills here.

The annual meeting of the Baptist church held last week was very satisfactory and showed matters generally to be prosperous under the pastorate of Rev. Mr. St. Dalmas.

Rev. J. P. MacEwen, of Toronto, preached missionary sermons in the Baptist Church on Sunday.

Mr. Wm. Moore, of the Scotch Block, had the misfortune to have one of his legs fractured last week.

The proposition to form a joint stock company to establish a woollen factory to be managed by Newton Bros. is again being talked over with better prospects that something may come of it than when the agitation went on over a month ago.

The adjourned inquest upon the body of Daniel Campbell, who died at Hamilton on the third inst., under circumstances which lent color to the belief that he had received fatal injuries in a bar room fight here on Christmas eve, was resumed Thursday afternoon before Coroner Sutherland. The court room in the Town Hall was uncomfortably crowded. The time was almost entirely taken up with the medical testimony of the doctors who attended deceased before he died and who made the post mortem. Their evidence showed that Campbell died from one of two causes, either blood poisoning the result of septic medicine injuries, the elbow being shattered along with other bad bruises, or else from acute rheumatic fever. There was evidently little doubt in the minds of the witnesses that the indications were all in favor of the first of these alternatives, but as they were not prepared to swear positively thereto, the efforts of the crown to bring any offender to justice will probably prove futile. The court then adjourned till Monday.

The case was resumed Monday morning. Some 30 witnesses were heard, all the evidence being of a most contradictory nature, but three or four young men, well known in town, seem to be deeply implicated in the affair. It is reported that two witnesses have been held on the charge of perjury. When the first witness was sworn the town hall was filled. The people throughout the county are taking a deep interest in the case. Walter Campbell, brother of deceased, appeared in court with cuts on his face and a bandage over his eye, the results or the Christmas eve set to. When sworn he gave full particulars of the fight. His brother, deceased, was struck a stunning blow on the face, knocked down and trampled upon by the crowd, who then threw them both bodily out of the barroom. They rushed up to the house of Mrs. N. Brown, sister of the deceased, followed by a threatening crowd, shouting "Take him in or we will kill him." Witness recognized three young men, well known in the town, saying they seemed to be leaders of the mob.

Several other witnesses were called whom Crown Attorney Matheson had great difficulty in getting to state anything about the fight. All the evidence taken goes to show that Daniel Campbell undoubtedly met with foul play on Christmas eve.

Parties wanting anything in the monumental line should wait to see J. H. Hamilton's stock of imported monuments, direct from Europe. He is at present there making purchases and his stock for 500 marble monuments which he will sell at cost for spring delivery. J. H. Hamilton, Marble Works, Guelph.

COMING AND GOING.

Visitors to and From Acton and Various Other Personal Notes.

Mrs. Harry Ebbage, of Toronto, is the guest of relatives here.

Miss Smith, of Keico, is visiting friends in Acton and vicinity.

Miss Fanny Bryers is visiting her sister, Mrs. Bartle, at Niagara Falls.

Miss Hemstreet spent a couple of days this week with friends at Norval.

Mrs. Z. A. Hall, of Penetang, has been visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Annie Stephenson is spending a week or so with friends in Guelph.

Rev. G. T. A. Willoughby, of Aberfoyle, visited relatives here during the week.

Miss Annie Bomer, who has been in Schomberg for several months, has returned to Acton.

Mr. Hugh C. Taylor, of Owen Sound, has been a guest at the Methodist parsonage the past week.

Rev. Dr. Potts, of Toronto, was run into by an express waggon Tuesday and suffered some bruises and a torn coat.

Rev. J. W. Stewart, late of St. John, N. B., was last Friday inducted to the pastorate of the Baptist church, at Brampton, Ont.

J. S. Deason, P. S. Inspector, Dr. Tuck and Henry Gray, were appointed examiners of Public School teachers for 1894 at the last meeting of the County Council.

Miss Lottie Speight, Revs. Edge and Bryers and Mr. J. S. Coleman are appointed delegates to the Prohibition Convention to be held in Toronto next Tuesday.

Mrs. S. A. Secord had a family reunion last week. Her three sons, John, of Orillia, Fred, of Johnstown, N. Y., and Percy, of St. Catharines, were all home together.

Dr. McKeague and Mrs. (Rev.) J. W. Rae were called to the death-bed of their father at Wellandport last Thursday. Rev. Mr. Rae went down on Monday to attend the funeral.

Mr. Cecil Brunswick Smith, B. A., Sc., Civil Engineer, of Hamilton, has received the appointment of assistant, lecturer, on Civil Engineering, in McGill College, Montreal. Mr. Smith is a nephew of Mrs. S. A. Secord.

Wedded at St. Joseph's Church.

The following particulars of the recent wedding in St. Joseph's Church were sent to the Free Press last week too late for insertion: At half past nine Tuesday morning, 16th January, St. Joseph's Church was crowded by a fashionable gathering, to witness the marriage of Miss Annie Lamb, daughter of the late Patrick Lamb, to J. A. MacMillan, ex County Attorney of Dufferin. The bride was assisted by her sister, Miss Augusta Lamb, while Mr. Joseph Phelan, of Arthur, acted as groomsman. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father Haley. The Choir of the church rendered appropriate music. The bride was attired in a suit of violet velvet and the bridesmaid was dressed in cream velvet. After the ceremony the invited guests assembled at the home of the bride, where the wedding breakfast was partaken of. The health and prosperity of the newly wedded pair was proposed by Rev. Father Haley and responded to by all. The bridal presents were numerous and costly. Mr. and Mrs. MacMillan left on the 11 a.m. train for the west bearing with them the good wishes of scores of friends who collected at the depot to see them off.

LIMEHOUSE

Last Friday evening Miss Lizzie Moore had been skating on the pond, tripped and fell breaking her leg.

The new sleighing has caused the kith wood to come in more rapidly this week.

Mr. Parrin, of Knox College, preached in the Presbyterian Church here on Sunday afternoon.

The pulpit of the Methodist Church was ably filled on Sunday by Mr. E. A. Coombs, B. A., of the High School, Georgetown.

MILTON.

Inspector Deacon evidently has faith in Milton. Last week he purchased the two vacant lots, belonging to the estate of the late M. Conway, for $241.

John Day, who came from Oakville but who has been an inmate of the goal here for about 14 months, died on Saturday.

The District Council of the R. T. of T. will meet in Milton on Friday.

Service was conducted in Knox Church on Sabbath by Rev. J. J. Elliott, B. A., of Hillsburg. Mr. Haddow superintended the anniversary services of Hillsburg Presbyterian Church.

The County Sunday School convention to be held here on Thursday and Friday, 22nd and 23rd inst., promises to be one of unusual interest. The County Executive is exerting itself and local workers are astir to give the delegates a hearty welcome.

Dalton McCarthy, M. P., and others will address a public meeting in Milton next Thursday, 8th Feby., on "Tariff Reform." The meeting will open at 7.30 p. m.

Sixty-nine ballots and four hours time were required to elect a Warden for Elgin County. Oxford County Council balloted eighteen times before their chief officer was eligible to take his seat.

A New Brunswick paper has it this way: "Is it any wonder that Ontario rolled up so enormous a majority for prohibition when, according to a comparison of convictions with the census returns, about one in every 431 of the inhabitants of the older provinces is convicted for drunkenness annually.

The *Wine and Spirit Gazette* of New York, a leading American advocate of the liquor trade, in writing favorably of the fact that a railway company has forbidden its operatives to even enter a saloon during working hours, gives the following capital argument in favor of total prohibition: "Railroad employes are entrusted with the care of lives and property for which they employers are responsible. The responsibility is so great that it will admit of no unnecessary chance or risk. A man who drinks once will think twice. Too much drink is apt to befuddle the brain, rendering the man stupid and careless or reckless and daring. A man in such a condition is not fit to have the care of human lives or of property. Therefore the railroad company simply says that its operatives shall not put themselves into such a condition, nor even take the first step towards it while their time is at its disposal. At other times they are free to do as they please."

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CONSUMPTION CURED.

An old physician, retired from practice having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to all his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe in German, French or English with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 820 Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.

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

Court Star, A. O. F. has in preparation a novel entertainment which they intend presenting to the public in Town Hall on St. Valentine's night, 14th February.

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REMNANTS

This week we have gone through our Dress Goods stock thoroughly, and have laid out and marked down all the ends and pieces at prices that will make a dollar go a long way. This is a week for bargains, if you want them. You cannot afford to miss an inspection of our table of desirable remnants.

CARPETS

We have for some weeks been offering very special inducements in Carpets and Curtains. The result has been altogether satisfactory, and values will continue at their best for a short time longer. It will surprise you to see how much of pleasing effect and real worth a little money will buy.

If you are not wise in Carpet qualities you may be sadly deceived by buying at random. We are in a position to retail all grades of Carpets for the least money of any one—a fact that should interest every home-owner. Moreover we are making it well worth your while to buy right now, both in Carpets and Curtains.

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