BORN.

McDOWELL.—At Ashgrove, on Tuesday, May 1st, the wife of James McDowell, of a daughter.

WHITLEY.—In Nassagaweya, on Sunday, 6th May, the wife of Daniel Whitley, of a daughter.

KENNEDY.—In Acton, on Tuesday, 9th May, the wife of Angus Kennedy, of a daughter—still-born.

MARRIED.

STRACHAN—THOMPSON.—At Oakville, on Wednesday, 25th April, by Rev. Dr. Thompson, father of the bride, assisted by Rev. D. Strachan, father of the groom, Rev. Daniel Strachan, of Hespeler, to Miss Helen McKinnis Thompson.

McLEAN—DYAS.—At St. John's church, Toronto, on Wednesday, May 2, by the Rev. A. Williams, Hugh C. MacLean, of the PRESS AND PEOPLE'S TIMES, youngest son of the late Rev. Andrew MacLean, of Crieff, to Bessie, eldest daughter of T. W. Dyas.

DIED.

McDOWELL.—At Ashgrove, on Tuesday, May 1st, the infant daughter of James McDowell.

COOPLAND.—In Georgetown, on Sunday, April 29th, Maggie Copland, aged 34 years and 4 months.

McKINLAY.—In Georgetown, on Wednesday, April 25th, Angus McKinlay, aged 46 years, 1 months.

The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, MAY 10, 1894.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The Catholic *Union and Times*, of Buffalo, referring to the Coxey movement, says it is a repetition of the social upheaval in France in 1789. It is not a rebellion, it is a revolution.

The workingmen of Edinburgh had a procession on Saturday, and a meeting was held at which resolutions were passed demanding an eight hours' working day, the abolition of the House of Lords and the payment of members of the House of Commons.

A Parliamentary return of the Education Department states that the expenditure for public education in England and Wales in 1893 was £6,394,152, an increase over the previous year of £128,336. The total number of schools on the annual grant list on Aug. 31, 1893, was 19,582, with an average attendance of 4,120,457 scholars.

It is claimed that as a result of the Travelling Dairy sent out last year by the Ontario Government, the farmers of this province received $750,000 more for butter than they would otherwise have received, the instruction of the Dairy having improved the quality of the butter to that extent.

Mankind in general, and the kings of Europe in particular, may read a lesson in the demonstration at Kossuth's burial when a multitude knelt in reverence to the dead. The reason for it all is very plain. Kossuth was a man who strove to benefit his fellow-beings. Humanity wants vengeance for its wrongs, but it has the full measures of gratitude for its benefactors.

The financial depression of the past year has been widespread. Evidence of this is shown in the fact that nearly every civilized nation is deeply in debt. In Europe the financial budget of one country after another shows a heavy deficit. The latest addition to the number is France—83,000,000 francs behind in the amount needed to run the government next year.

Canada has only to keep her head and retain her property and she will prosper amid all the convulsions of the coming decade. The Dominion's population is but small, but her resources are great. The United States has had a good innings, but the happiest country of the future will be the country with the greatest area of unoccupied land per head. That country is Canada.—*Telegram.*

U. S. Postmaster-General Bissell has determined that no saloon-keeper can be appointed Postmaster. He says he is convinced that any man who is directly or indirectly interested in liquor business is in a measure unfitted by his occupation for a postmaster, and that his interest in that business necessarily interferes with a full and capable discharge of his official duties in any department of the postal service.

Although the American preparations to enforce the new seal-hunting rules are reported to be on a larger scale than the British, yet the British warships have started sooner than the American on the actual work of patrol. On the other hand while the United States will probably have over a dozen vessels engaged in patrol duty co-operating with the four or five British, the former's fleet has not yet assembled. Great Britain's promptness in this matter gives a practical proof of her intention to keep good faith in carrying out to the utmost the decision of the Paris tribunal.

The Chicago *Inter-Ocean* has discovered that if the Wilson Bill, as amended by the senate committee, becomes law, it will virtually prevent Canadian horses, either trotters or runners, from racing in the States. Under the present law the free list is extended to animals brought into the United States temporarily for a period not exceeding six months for the purpose of exhibition for competition for prizes offered by any agriculture or racing association, but a bond shall be given in accordance with regulations prescribed by the secretary of the treasury. In the bill now under discussion the word "racing" is struck out and horses crossing the line for racing purposes will be liable for duty every season.

THE 20TH OF JUNE

Is Named as the Likely Date of the Provincial Elections.

TORONTO, May 8. It is currently understood in political circles that the Ontario elections will take place on Wednesday, 20th June next, if the lists can be ready by that date. Everything is life and bustle now in Liberal circles although outside of ministerial quarters the faithful have not yet got the straight tip. But for all that they are getting ready for that date.

Conservatives here are agitated over a report to the effect that the Dominion elections are to be brought on in September. The rumor originated from a circular which has been sent out to the party stumpers asking them if their assistance could be relied upon in the coming campaign.

The reason alleged for the Government's hurry in going to the country is that there is danger of great financial stringency ahead and they want to get the elections over before it comes.

Home Seekers' Excursion Tickets.

Will be sold by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway on May 8th and May 29th, 1894, from Chicago to St. Paul, Minneapolis, Omaha, Sioux City, Kansas City, and points beyond, a practically one fare for the round trip. Excursion tickets will be good for return passage thirty days from date of sale.

For further particulars apply to any Coupon Ticket Agent in the United States or Canada, or address A. J. Taylor, Canadian Pass Agent, 87 York St., Toronto, Ont.

OUR CAPITAL LETTER

Business of the Session is Progressing more Rapidly.—Coal Oil —and Iron Tariff Finally Revised.

THE PROHIBITION RESOLUTION

OTTAWA, May 7th. A broken week, that is one in which a holiday occurs, is not usually a good one for making progress in the business of the session, but last week proved an exception to the rule. Although the House did not sit on Thursday (Ascension Day), as it both Wednesday's and Friday's sessions were short, still both in quantity and quality the progress made with the tariff on Tuesday and Friday was greater than in any week since the House has been Committee of Ways and Means. Two of the most troublesome questions—Coal Oil and Iron—have been practically disposed of, and something like 100 items in all were passed during the week. Besides this Mr. Charlton's Sunday Observance Bill, which is always more or less a stumbling block to the session, has been advanced a stage, and a few other matters occupying the attention of the House annually have been discussed, and may or may not turn up again this session. The warm spring weather, almost approaching summer, seems to have stirred up the members a trifle and to have reminded them that if they expect to spend Dominion Day at home, they must do more work and less talking.

LITERATURE FOR FARMERS.

The Printing Committee has decided to recommend to the House to have 100,000 copies each of the experimental farm report and the dairy commissioners report printed for distribution among the farmers of the country.

ANOTHER PUBLIC HOLIDAY.

It will be remembered that some time ago a labor delegation waited on the Prime Minister and asked for certain legislation with respect to labor interests, amongst other things, that the first Monday in September be made a statutory holiday, to be known as Labor Day. Sir John Thompson has given notice of a bill to amend the Interpretation and Bills of Exchange Act. The amendment, it is intended, consists in adding labor day to the list of holidays mentioned in those Acts.

THE BUSY SENATORS.

The good old gentlemen of the Senate sat with closed doors for a time last Thursday. We are told that the subject under discussion was the proposition that the Senate should shortly adjourn for a week and, furthermore we are informed that the honorable gentlemen decided that it would be in the interests of the country for them to sit yet another five days before taking a short season of rest and relaxation. Senator Glazier made a speech, in which he told the old gentlemen that he had heard strictures passed upon their custom of taking frequent holidays. "And," said the gallant old man, "I, for one, don't want anybody to think we are lazy men. When I was young I worked hard, and although I'm eighty two years old I am ready to earn my sessional indemnity yet. Let us show these people who criticise us that we are industrious and not useless, as some of them would make out." And the listening Senate applauded furiously.

PARLIAMENTARY TRAVELLING EXPENSES.

A grateful country, besides paying members of the Commons and Senate $1,000 each for their sessional services, allows them mileage to and from Ottawa. This allowance runs all the way from $24 to $572. No less than eight of the people's representatives receive over $500 each for their travelling expenses, and the aggregate of the sum paid by the tax payers of the Dominion under this head is nearly $50,000 a year—and nearly the whole of this sum goes into the pants pockets as an extra at the expense of the railway companies. Of course they expect a return in some way.

PROHIBITION.

Prohibition was the chief topic considered in Parliament on Monday. Mr. Flint, who acted as the spokesman of those who demand the abolition of the liquor traffic, is a Liberal and comes from Nova Scotia. He succeeds in the leadership of the prohibitionists a Conservative, Mr. Dickie, who declined to introduce the question owing to a difference he had with the leading advocates of the reform. Mr. Dickie is an ardent supporter of the French treaty, which the prohibitionists have strongly antagonized on account of the reduction it entails of the duty on French wines. He therefore declined to act for the prohibitionists this session, and his mantle fell to the shoulders of Flint. The resolution he introduced differs materially from others which have been brought before Parliament at the instance of the opponents of the liquor traffic, inasmuch as it does not call for immediate action. It asks that a prohibitory law be enacted "as speedy as possible," and leaves the interpretation of those words to individual judgment.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Mr. Foster has given notice of several changes in the tariff.

A reduction in the duty on coal oil from 71.5 cents per gallon has been made.

The impression is gaining ground that nothing will be done in the way of insolvency legislation this year.

Italy, through its consul at Halifax, has asked for a postponement of the execution of the two Italians in Manitoba.

Sir John Thompson will introduce a bill establishing the first Monday in September as Labor Day, to be a statutory holiday.

One of the features of the week has been the visit here of the Hon. Robt. Reid, Minister of Defence for the Colony of Victoria, Australia.

Dr. Landerkin is inquiring as to the revenue derived from certain breweries in Ontario, and Mr. Gibson as to the pier at Oakville Harbor.

The firm of John P. Rose & Co., Montreal, has been awarded the contract by the Dominion Government for the supply of ballot-boxes for the next general elections. A significant condition of the contract stipulates that the boxes shall be ready within ninety days.

PROVINCIAL PROHIBITION.

The Case Being Argued Before the Supreme Court.

OTTAWA, May 8. The Supreme Court took up the important constitutional case referred to jointly by the Dominion Government and the provinces of Ontario and Quebec, to decide the right of liquor prohibition. The point of the case, of course, is whether Provincial Governments can prohibit the liquor traffic either in whole or part within their respective jurisdiction, or whether the right of prohibition pertains solely to the Dominion Government. There is a formidable array of counsel, four different interests being represented, namely, the three Governments of Canada, Ontario and Quebec, and the Distillers' and Brewers' Association.

World's Columbian Exposition.

Will be of value to the world by illustrating the improvements in the mechanical arts and eminent physicians will tell you that the progress in medicinal agents, has been of equal importance, and as a strengthening laxative that Syrup of Figs is far in advance of all others.

TALK OF THE DAY.

An Epitome of the World's Doings During the Week.

Brampton's town hall and gas house were destroyed by fire last week.

The health of the Queen is said to be causing serious anxiety in the royal family.

The World's Exhibition was formally opened at Antwerp by the King and Queen of Belgium on Saturday.

Dr. J. A. Grant, jr., Ottawa was fined $20 and costs Saturday for not reporting a scarlet fever case to the local authorities.

Five Kingston druggists were fined $20 Friday for selling liquor during prohibited hours without demanding a doctor's certificate.

Dwight L. Moody will visit Toronto in September, and hold meetings in the new Massey Hall on the invitation of the Ministerial Association.

John Jay, ex minister to Russia, died in New York on Saturday. He leaves a widow, 4 children, 23 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren.

The reduced majority which the English Government is able to command leads to the belief that there will be an early dissolution of the House.

The Governor General has definitely decided to reside in Montreal for a part of the year, and has leased the mansion of the late premier, Sir John Abbott.

Johnnie Dougher, youngest son of William Dougher, of Dunnville, was drowned in the canal about noon Saturday. He went out to fish and fell from the lock gates.

The Prince and Princess of Wales, the Duke and Duchess of Coburg, and the Duke and Duchess of Connaught will be present at the marriage of the Czarewitch to Princess Alix of Hesse.

The Sharon poisoning case came to an end Tuesday evening. Pegg was discharged before the case went to the jury. A verdict of guilty was returned against Mrs. Evans and Osman. Sentence was deferred.

The marriage laws in Australia are becoming strict. A marriage there has been declared void because the bride had deceived the husband by stating that she was fifteen years younger than her age.

John A. Morrison, Woodstock, son of the late Matthew Morrison, grocer, met with internal injuries while jumping off the G. T. R. accommodation at Beachville on Saturday night, which resulted in his death twenty four hours later. The unfortunate young man was on his way to the village to see his wife and child, who were visiting her mother.

THE LEGISLATURE PROROGUES.

The Longest Session in 15 Years Comes to a Close Saturday.

TORONTO, May 7. At the Legislative Buildings in the Queen's Park Saturday afternoon was repeated the scene which usually attends the prorogation of the Provincial Legislature.

The weather was delightful and the attendance large, many ladies occupying seats on the floor of the House.

Lieut.-Governor Kirkpatrick, who appeared in his official uniform, though not escorted by a company of infantry, as is usually the case, arrived promptly at 3 o'clock and delivered the speech, which was short and unimportant. The session which concluded was the fourth and last session of the seventh Parliament, and was the longest in fifteen years. One hundred and six bills were passed. In his speech Lieutenant-Governor Kirkpatrick makes special mention commendatory of Acts respecting Councils of Conciliation and Arbitration, the exhibit of the province at the World's Fair, the registration bill, which will improve and purify the voters' lists, the re-adjustment of the representation of Toronto, Ottawa, Hamilton and Kingston, the establishment of a new provincial park at Rondeau, the act respecting Mines and Mining Lands, and other bills of minor import.

RELIEF AND AMUSEMENT

The Kickapoo Indian Medicine Co. is announced to commence this evening in the Town Hall a series of popular free entertainments in which they introduce their Kickapoo Indian Oil, and illustrate its wonderful powers in relieving suffering humanity. Referring to their visit to Georgetown the *Herald* says:

It is an easy matter for parties to hire a hall, give a free show to draw a crowd and offer medicines for sale. An able salesman might sell quite a quantity of medicine. The next day, the salesman, miles away, might well smile at the ease a gullible public are taken in. We have seen many such enterprises hold forth for one night.

We announced the visit of the Kickapoo Med. Co. to this place last week. Their method of doing business is a strong contrast to the ordinary travelling medicine men. In the first place, no remedies were offered for sale their first night. The town hall has been rented by them for fourteen days and nights. Positively they refused to sell anything before convincing the most skeptical that the Kickapoo Indian Remedies do possess real merit and are worthy of trial. They are introducing six specifics, each having its own work to perform. Rheumatism is one of the diseases that can be treated in a public manner. On Wednesday evening they asked for any subject suffering with rheumatism to be brought forward—no matter how bad or how long a time the patient has been suffering. The announcement is made every night and moreover it is promised no charge is made for a complete treatment of all and any cases so treated.

Thursday night, Mr. Jas. Winney, one of our townsmen presented himself. He has been unable to do a day's work since last December, in pain all the time. Mr. Winney was taken to the dressing room and before a committee several bottles of the Kickapoo Indian Oil were applied with a result marvellous. The man could stamp his leg and in no way could induce the pain to return. That night he slept free from pain and any return of it. Friday he went to work after months of enforced idleness and Monday last walked to Milton and back.

Such work accomplished by the use of Kickapoo Sagwa and Indian Oil began to inspire confidence in the public mind and many are trying the Kickapoo Indian Remedies with satisfactory results.

Several of our deserving suffering citizens, too poor to purchase, are dispensed free of charge.

The Kickapoo management do not wish their names published as they have no wish to parade their acts of charity.

Visit one of their pleasing entertainments. Admission free for adults except one or two evenings a week. Prof. Alfred Bailey extracts teeth daily from ten to twelve free of charge—his object, to illustrate the anesthetic properties of the Indian Oil and believing in doing all the good possible. Office hours for advice regarding remedies (sold on trial and guaranteed) are from 10 to 5.

The farm of the late Benjamin Anderson, lot 21, con. 1, Esquesing, will be sold by auction on Saturday, 12th May, at one o'clock, at Agnew's Hotel, Acton. WM. HEARTSREET, auctioneer.

A REMARKABLE CASE

THE STRANGE EXPERIENCE OF WM. R. HALL, OF ALDERSHOT.

He Was Thought to be at Death's Door, and the Medicines of a Continent had Failed—A Final Effort to Regain Health was made and he is To-Day Alive, Strong and in Good Health.

The Hamilton Herald.

One of the most attractive places in the county of Wentworth is the little village of Aldershot, situated on what is known as the Plains road, about five miles from the city of Hamilton. One of the best known residents of the village and surrounding country is Captain Hall, who has represented the Township of East Flamboro in the Municipal Council for a number of years, and who, with his family, is held in the highest esteem by all who know them. Recently a reporter of the *Herald* visited the home of Captain Hall for the purpose of investigating a story to the effect that one of the captain's sons had been restored to health in a wonderful manner after having suffered since boyhood from apoplectic fits. On arriving at his destination, the reporter found the genial captain, his wife, daughter and three sons who constituted the family. Of the three stalwart young men it was impossible to pick out the one who had for so many years been such a sufferer, but the captain settled all doubts by referring me to "Will." William R. Hall, more familiarly known as Will, presented the appearance of a hearty young man about 30 years of age. His story is briefly related as follows: "He had been a sufferer from fits from his sixth birthday a childish fright being supposed to have been the original cause. For years he would fall down anywhere without being in the least able to help himself, the doctors from Hamilton and various distant points were in vain called in attendance. Medicines were procured from numerous sources in Canada, the United States and even from England, without avail. The boy became so utterly helpless that seven years ago he was compelled to keep his bed, and until a year ago was completely helpless. The fits sometimes came on him so severely that he would suffer from as many as fifteen in one day, and at such times it was so difficult for him to get his breath, that his nurses had to wash him in liquor. At this time he was so low that the neighbors who dropped in to see him expected to hear of his death almost any moment. This continued until about a year ago, when the newspaper articles relating the wonderful cures by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills induced Mr. Hall to give them a trial, and to the great satisfaction of himself and his friends he began to mend not long after beginning their use, and in three or four months was sufficiently recovered to be able to go out of doors. He continued taking the pills, and for the past six months has been as strong and about as well as either of his brothers, and has attended to the stock and done his share of the work on his father's farm and fruit garden. Before Mr. Hall began taking the Pink Pills he was so thin and light that one of his brothers could carry him upstairs without the least difficulty, but he has since gained fifty pounds in weight. He has not taken any other medicine since he began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and although a fit of a very mild nature occasionally comes on him now, he is so nearly cured that his father took great pleasure in giving the information here recorded. "It is over a month since I had a spell," said William as the reporter was leaving, "and even when I do have one it is not nearly so hard as before I began to take Pink Pills. The neighbors look surprised to see me drive over to Hamilton as I frequently do, for they all thought I would die long ago. I am pleased at the wonderful progress I have made, and am very glad my experience is to be published, as it may be of value to some one else."

Every statement in this article may be verified by a visit to the home of Captain Hall, ex councillor of East Flamboro, who has resided on the Plains road for the past eighteen years, and whose word is as good as his bond among those who know him. The reporter also had a conversation with several of Captain Hall's neighbors, and the story of William Hall's recovery was verified to his full satisfaction.

Such well verified cases as the above prove the wonderful efficacy of Dr Williams' Pink Pills in the treatment of all diseases of the nervous system, and stamp the remedy as unique in the annals of medicine. St. Vitus' dance, locomotor ataxia, partial paralysis, nervous headache, the after effects of la grippe, and all diseases depending upon a depraved condition of the blood, speedily yield to a treatment with the great medicine. By restoring the blood to a healthy condition, and rebuilding the nerves they speedily drive out disease and leave the patient in the enjoyment of vigorous health. They are also a specific for the troubles arising from overwork, or mental worry of any nature.

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GOOD FOR CANADA.

Onward, the young people's paper of the Methodist Church, William Briggs, publisher, Toronto, is just now giving special attention to the Sunday school lessons on Israel in Egypt. Each number has nearly a score of engravings illustrating this topic, over 100 in all. The editor claims that it is the best illustrated paper on these current lessons published in the world.

LITERARY NOTES.

In an interesting discussion of woman's suffrage, the theme just now agitating society to an unprecedented extent several prominent women will take ground pro and con, in consecutive issues of *Harper's Bazar*. Mrs. Helen Barrett Montgomery, Mrs. C. A. Runkle, Mrs. Lyman Abbott, Miss Jeanette Gilder, and Mrs. Kate Upson Clark, are announced as writers on this subject, and their articles will appear during the month of May.

The May number of the *Review of Reviews* contains "Some Notes on Bermuda and its Affairs," contributed by the editor. It is shown that Bermuda occupies a position in the Atlantic in some respects analogous to that which Hawaii holds in the Pacific. An interesting glimpse of Hawaiian Islands is afforded by Alice Walbridge Gulick, an American lady long resident in the Islands, in an article in the same number. Both articles are admirably illustrated.

The *Methodist Magazine* for May, 1894. Price, $2 a year; $1 for six months; 20 cents per number. Toronto: William Briggs.—The articles on Bible Lands in current numbers of the *Methodist Magazine* will be of special interest to every Bible reader. The copiously illustrated article in the May number describes the tour over the historic plain of Esdraelon. "The White City through a Camera," is continued, fully illustrated with fine photographs by Mr. W. H. Massey. An article which will be read with great interest is a "Character Sketch of Lady Henry Somerset, one of the noblest women of modern times, by W. H. Stead, editor of the *Review of Reviews*. The Stories of a "Singer from the Sea," giving glimpses of Cornish Methodist life, and "The Dragon and the Teakettle," on Temperance, are continued. Short Papers are: "How to Provide Work for the Unemployed," by Rev. Dr. Galbraith; "The Tyrrell Exploration of the Territory west of Hudson's Bay," with map, gives thrilling adventures and accounts of that unknown region of much interest to our own people; "A Highland Communion," with cut; "Louis Kossuth," "The Mission of Methodism," etc., etc.

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—Owing to the fire at the Mammoth House, Georgetown, a considerable quantity of goods were damaged by water and smoke. The Messrs. W. McLeod & Co. are rushing off in a sweeping sale at very low prices. The fire has not interfered with the regular departments which are in operation again as usual.

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Glasgow House.

As the season advances we are continually opening up new lines of Goods, suitable for present wants. We would direct attention this week to our House Furnishing Department, including Lace Curtains in white and ecru, chinille portiers, art Muslins, figured Muslins, Wool, Union and Hemp Carpets.

Prints, Prints, Prints.

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are specially large, and well assorted and as they are the popular goods we know there will be a big trade done in our new carpet room this season.

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Jackets that were $6.00, $7.00 and $8.00 reduced to $2.75. $9 and $10 reduced to $4.50. $6.00 and $7.50 reduced to $2.00. $11.00 for $4.00, &c. These prices are for Jackets that are fashionable with capes and large sleeves in Blazer or coat fronts.

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Have you seen our new Castorette Gloves at 25c., Taffettas at 15, 20, 25 and 30c., and Silk at 50c.? We have also the new Fancy Gloves with stitching and buttons of contrasting colors.

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WANTED.

Men to work for us who desire to make money this fall and winter during slack times. Excellent chance. Liberal pay. If you have spare time, out of work, or looking for a paying business, write me at once. FRED E. YOUNG, Nurseryman, Rochester, N. Y.

PASTURAGE.

THE undersigned has good pasture for a number of animals at $2 to $3 for the season. Plenty of water. Apply on the premises lot 2, Con. 1, Erin, or to Acton P. O. HUGH RYDER.

EXPRESS AND CARTAGE

I DESIRE to inform the business men of Acton and the public generally that I have purchased the express and Cartage business heretofore carried by Mr. James Grant. The business will receive my constant personal attention. ORDERS: All orders left at Kannawin's Drug store will be promptly attended to. JOHN HARVEY

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.

THE undersigned hereby offers for sale his house and lot on Bower Avenue, Acton. The house is a most comfortable home, convenient and in good repair. The property is situated in the most desirable residential section of the town. First-class title. For terms and particulars apply to ALEX. SECORD, Acton.

JERSEY BULL FOR SERVICE.

THE undersigned have for service on their premises at Acton Flour Mills a thoroughbred Jersey Bull. Terms $1.00 cash. They have also a thoroughbred YORKSHIRE BOAR For service. Terms $1.00 cash. CHEYNE BROS., Acton.

PROPERTY IN ESQUESING FOR SALE.

THE undersigned offers for sale his property on West part lot 22, Con. 1, Esquesing, comprising thirteen acres on which is erected a brick log house, boarded outside and plastered inside, one and a half stories. Good well, young orchard, well fenced, the property is all cleared and in a good state of cultivation. Title indisputable. For particulars apply at the office of D. Henderson, Acton, or to WILLIAM GIBBONS. Acton, April 14th, 1894.

COURT OF REVISION.

NOTICE is hereby given that a court of Revision for the municipality of the village of Acton, in the County of Halton, will be held at the Town Hall on

MONDAY, 28th MAY, 1894.

At 8 p.m. Interested parties will govern themselves accordingly. THOS. T. MOORE, Clerk. Acton, May 2nd, 1894.

SANITARY NOTICE.

CITIZENS ARE REQUESTED TO COMPLY WITH THE PUBLIC HEALTH ACT.

NOTICE is hereby given that all residents of Acton are required forthwith to clean their cellars, drains, yards, pig styes, water closets, and other outbuildings 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 15th 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, between the 15th May and the 1st of November, except in pens at least 70 feet from any dwelling house and 20 feet from any street or lane, with the floors kept free from standing water and regularly cleansed, will be strictly enforced.

All residents are earnestly requested to keep their premises constantly clean and thoroughly disinfected.

H. P. MOORE, Chairman of the Board. Acton, April 30th, 1894.

Acton Saw Mills, COAL AND WOOD YARDS

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Coal and Wood always in stock and promptly delivered to any part of the town at reasonable prices. Hardwood and slabs cut stove length always on hand. Telephone communication.

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The undersigned respectfully solicits the patronage of the public, and informs them that Well Equipped and Stylish Rigs can always be Secured; At his stables. A comfortable bus meets trains between 9 a.m. and 8.15 p.m. Careful attention given to every order. The wants of Commercial Travellers fully met. JOHN WILLIAMS