BORN.

CAMPBELL—In Acton, on Tuesday, 24th July, the wife of John Campbell, of a son.

PLANK—In Esquesing, on Friday, 20th July, the wife of William Plank, of a daughter.

NELSON—In Acton, on Saturday, 21st July, the wife of William Melvin, barber, of a daughter.

MCCARTHY—Near Rockwood, on Sunday, 15th July, the wife of Nathaniel McCarthy, of a son.

LEPAGE—At 1241 King St. West, Toronto, on Monday, 23rd July, the wife of H. T. LePage, of a son.

MCDONALD—In Nassagaweya, on Friday, 20th July, the wife of Alexander McDonald, of a son.—Still born.

MARRIED.

MAUD CUTTING—At the Methodist Parsonage, Rockwood, on Wednesday, 18th July, by Rev. T. J. Sabine, Joseph Maud to Alice J. Cutting, both of Nassagaweya.

HOGGINSTEAD—ROBERTSON—At Milton, on Wednesday, July 18th, by the Rev. R. Haddow, Alfred Hogginsbotham and Miss Gertrude Robertson, daughter of Dr. Robertson, ex-M. P. P., both of Milton.

REED—PARKER—On Thursday, July, 19th, at the residence of the bride's parents, Arthur Street, Guelph, by the Rev. R. R. Williams, J. Hugo Reed, V. S., to Lettitia, daughter of Mr. Robert Parker, carriage manufacturer.

The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, JULY 26, 1894.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

A letter received at Washington from a prominent resident of Honolulu contains the statement that never in the history of the islands has English influence been so strongly displayed as at the present time.

The United States House of Representatives on Saturday passed the joint Tucker resolution proposing the election of United States Senators by a direct vote of the people. Yeas 187, nays 49. How would it do to adopt a similar measure in Canada?

One of the most important matters that the House of Commons had on its programme was a federal insolvency act, but all attempts to get the measure in shape have been unsuccessful, and it goes over to next session. The business men of Canada will be disappointed at the failure to meet their wishes in this regard.

A report just laid before the British Board of Trade shows that in 1893 there were no less than 692 strikes in the United Kingdom, with, in addition to these, eight lock-outs. Capital amounting to $96,000,000 was laid idle, and 511 establishments were closed. Wages lost to labor amounted to $2,500,000, and aid from sympathetic unions was sacrificed to the amount of $800,000.

Canadian marksman have done well at Bisley this year. With four men in the final stage of the Queen's Cup match the Canadian team has the best chance by far any Canadian team ever had of bringing home the greatest prize for rifle shooting the world offers. Hitherto Canada has been happy when she has had one man in the final stage. Whether one of them wins or not, the Canadian team will have done well.

The time was when the price of wheat after a certain spell of depression and decline in values, could be depended upon to react and recover lost ground to the advantage of those who traded and speculated in the commodity; but it seems that now all rule and precedent is set at defiance, and that cash wheat in Chicago, after three years' steady decline from $1 15 to 52⅞c, which it touched some time ago, appears difficult to get beyond 56c or 57c per bushel. The impression is pretty general, however, among men of experience that wheat will reach at least 75 cents per bushel before the close of 1894.

TALK OF THE DAY.

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

Winnipeg Exhibition opened Monday.

Ecuador has suspended the payment of interest on foreign debts.

Henry Yates, a well known business man of Brantford, is dead.

Over 1,000 persons perished by the recent earthquakes in Turkey.

The Russian military autumn manœuvres have been abandoned because of cholera.

Rumors are current in Shanghai that war has been declared between China and Japan.

Lord Brassey will leave England next month to make a long tour of the United States.

Another operation is to be performed on Mr. Gladstone's eye. The result is uncertain.

The Countess of Aberdeen sailed on the Cunard Line steamer Umbria Friday for Canada.

The mints at San Francisco and New Orleans have been instructed to commence silver coinage at once.

"Citizen" Kelly was fined $25 and costs on Saturday for running a 'bus for hire on Sundays at Toronto without license.

The annual excursion of the united choirs of Western Ontario took place to Barnia and was attended by nearly 5,000 persons.

Pierre Talbot, of McGregor, was killed by a falling tree near Windsor on Wednesday. He leaves a widow and eighteen children.

A scourge has developed in the Italian settlements in Cleveland that has caused great alarm. It is thought the disease is smallpox.

Sydney Dent, the twelve year old son of A. Dent, barrister, of Mitchell, was drowned while bathing in the mill pond at that town Thursday.

Charles H. Usher, son of J. F. C. Usher, deputy provincial registrar, was accidentally drowned in the lake, off Mimico, Monday.

A trial order for printing paper has been received by a Canadian manufacturer from Melbourne, Australia. A sample order of woodenware is to be sent at the same time.

James Bertram, aged 50, committed suicide at his home on Chatham street, Hamilton, Monday. He has been out of work, and committed suicide in a fit of despondency.

Mrs. Ballington Booth is not nearly so attractive as many stage beauties of the day. But New York dealers declare that the demand for her photographs exceeds that for any other.

LITERARY NOTES.

As an illustrated history of our own times, Harper's Weekly for July 21st devotes many pages to the Chicago strikes, with sketches and a descriptive article by Frederic Remington, who went to Chicago for this purpose at the request of Messrs. Harper & Brothers. There are also views of the much discussed town of Pullman, a cartoon by Rogers, and a panoramic view of the World's Fair grounds, showing the devastation wrought by fire.

—Dr. Wilkinson's office is now open every day from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. Special office days, Monday, Tuesday and Friday.

—21 lbs. granulated sugar for $1; 11 bar electric soap for 25c.; red salmon 10c. per can; ginger snaps 5c. per lb. (not broken) —Simpson's, Rockwood.

PARLIAMENT PROROGUED

The Close of a Long and Arduous Session Witnessed by a Small Attendance Monday Afternoon.

SPEECH FROM THE THRONE.

OTTAWA, July 23.—Parliament was prorogued this afternoon with a small attendance and the usual formalities.

The speech from the throne read:

I congratulate you upon the notable fact that the invitation which my Government extended to the Governments of the other colonies to send representatives to Canada to confer on matters affecting their mutual interests was so promptly accepted, and that her Majesty's Government also enhanced the dignity and usefulness of the conference by sending a representative to assist at its deliberations. It is confidently hoped that the results of the conference will be found beneficial to the colonies and to the empire generally.

The ratification of the treaty of commerce with France will lead, I hope, to a large increase in our exports and an extension of friendly relations with that country.

THE TARIFF QUESTION.

I trust that the arduous work which has engaged you in readjusting the duties of customs will accomplish the desired result of adopting the tariff to the present conditions of the various classes of our population.

The statutes of the session will show that the laws affecting many public interests have been revised and greatly improved by your efforts, and I see that you likewise made generous provision for public improvements which are designed to increase the facilities for travel and transportation throughout the country.

HOPES FOR A GENEROUS HARVEST.

In relieving you from your present duties I pray that your labors may be fruitful of benefit to the country, and that on returning to your homes you will find that a generous harvest is about to reward the toil of our farmers and that the blessing of providence has been likewise bestowed abundantly on all the other interests of the people whom you represent.

RATE FIXED AT 15 MILLS

The Municipal Council Passes its Estimates for 1894 and Levies as Above.

Another year the Council of this municipality has decided that fifteen mills on the dollar will suffice to cover the expenditures necessary for the repairs, improvements and other demands upon the municipal exchequer. It is of course only by economical supervision that the rate is kept at this low figure. The rate will no doubt be acceptable to a considerable proportion of the taxpayers, but there are many who would willingly see it fixed two or three mills higher so that the funds necessary for more extended improvements might be provided. The taxes will be payable in two instalments, as in several years past, but the dates have not yet been fixed.

Council met on Monday evening at 8 o'clock in regular session.

Members all present except Reeve Pearson.

Councillor Havill was moved to the chair.

The minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed.

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

David Mills, work on streets	$ 27 50
Adam Cook, gravel	31 50
C. McLaughlin, work on streets	10 00
Samuel McClure, " " "	8 75
Levi Lambert, " " "	8 75
John Chisholm, " " "	7 00
A. Stauffer, " " "	7 50
H. P. Moore, printing, &c	5 00
John Walters, stone	4 70
David Mills, work at park	1 00
W. Alexander, gravel	1 00
	$109 45

Moved by Joseph Anderson, seconded by John Williams, that the thirteenth report of the Finance Committee just read be adopted.—Carried.

A letter from the Treasurer of the Public School Board requesting the Council to raise by assessment the sum of $1600 for school purposes for the current year, was received.

The Secretary of the Local Committee of the Old Pupils' Reunion thanked the Council for their kindness in granting the use of the Town Hall for committee meetings, and for the evening gathering of the reunion.

The committee on Finance presented the following estimates of receipts and expenditures for the current year:

RECEIPTS

Balance from 1893	$ 733 00
Licenses	300 00
Legislative Grant	151 00
Cemetery	125 00
Town Hall	125 00
Park	75 00
Tax Arrears	50 00
Streets and Walks	30 00
Fines	10 00
Statute Labor Tax	30 00
Dog Tax	70 00
School Rate on 3,000 exemptions 8½ mills	[illegible]
Rate on $320,980 at 15 mills	4812 70
	$6623 22
Public Schools	1600 00
Streets and Walks	700 00
Salaries	500 00
Fire Equipment	355 00
County Rate	214 20
Printing	85 00
Cemetery	50 00
Park	50 00
Town Hall	50 00
Charity	50 00
Town Hall Debenture and Interest	476 20
Debentures Interest	495 00
Debenture Sinking Fund	495 00
Unforeseen and Unprovided	300 72
	$5621 12

Moved by Joseph Anderson, seconded by H. Jeans, that the estimates of Receipts and Expenditures for the year 1894 just read be adopted and that the rate for all purposes be levied at fifteen mills.—Carried.

The by-law covering the estimates and rates will be ratified at the next meeting on the 6th of August.

Council adjourned at nine o'clock.

GREAT BAPTIST GATHERING.

The Largest Religious Convention Ever Held in Toronto.

TORONTO, July 24.—The great convention has come to an end, and Toronto has resumed its normal appearance.

It was a gathering of delegates of the Baptist Young People's Union from all parts of North America and had 5,750 members present.

The meetings were most enthusiastic and many fine addresses were delivered.

About forty of Toronto's pulpits were occupied by divines attending the convention on Sunday.

Men and Boys' straw hats to be cleared out at Cost price. J. N. Stimson, Merchant Tailor, Rockwood.

—Printing.—Fine printing is an art, and when you are having any printing done you might as well have it well done. The FREE PRESS job printing department does work of the finest quality, and prices are always reasonable. Try us with your next order.

MR. LITTLE'S PUPILS—1863-72.

The Old Register Showing the Names of Girls and Boys at School 26 or 30 Years Ago.

The interest shown in the report of the Reunion given in last issue of the FREE PRESS was very marked. This interest was manifested not only by the old pupils and their friends but by the public generally. In only one respect was the report spoken of as incomplete and that was the absence of the old roll giving the names of the pupils who were under the tuition of Mr. Little. Our only excuse for failing to give it in connection with the report of the proceedings was lack of space. At the request of a number of our readers, however, we give it below. No doubt many will be interested in its personnel. Of the 263 pupils there registered only 41 are now residents of Acton. Many have been called into rest, and the others are scattered over the continent and beyond it.

Allan, John G.	Lee, Thomas
Allan, Nellie	Little, Albert
Adams, Abner	Mann, Mercey
Ahern, Maggie	Mann, Christena
Aitkenhead, Oliver	Mann, Ann
Bird, John	Mann, Allan
Boyd, William	Mann, Jared
Boyd, Mary	Mann, Donald
Brown, Anna Maria	Mann, Peter
Brown, John	Masales, Washington
Brown, Robert G.	Matthews, Edward
Brown, Jane	Matthews, Hannah
Blackwell, George	Matthews, James
Bennett, Jessie	Matthews, George
Burns, Jennie	Matthews, Marietta
Betts, Elizabeth	Matthews, Albert
Betts, John	Matthews, Alexander
Betts, William	Moore, John
Bennet, William	Moore, Margaret
Bennet, Mary Elr.	Moore, Mary
Beagel, Alfred	Moore, Angelina
Beard, Estella	Moore, Allan
Beard, Lulu	Moore, Henry Philip
Cameron, Elizabeth	Moore, Thomas Albert
Cameron, Maria	Moore, Anna Maria
Cameron, Thomas	Milne, Elizabeth
Cameron, Eliza	Milne, Charlie
Cameron, Augusta	Milne, John
Cameron, Janet	Miles, Binny
Cameron, Ada	Miles, George
Cameron, Arthur	Mooney, William
Cameron, Angus	Mooney, Samuel
Cameron, Angus X	McLam, James
Cameron, John	McLam, Annie
Clark, Samuel	McDougall, Nancy
Cook, Charles A	McPherson, Esther
Cook, Edward	McPherson, John
Cook, Jackson	McTavish, Edgar
Campbell, Robert	McTavish, Emma
Campbell, Duncan	McRae, John
Cummings, Martha	McKnight, John
Cummings, Rebecca	McDonald, Donald
Cummings, Alexander	McGregor, Jessie
Coates, Eva	McGregor, Jessie
Coates, Robert	McGregor, Marshall
Collins, Annie	McGregor, Mary
Collins, Thomas	McEntry, Jane
Collins, Mary Ann	Nicklin, Augusta
Davidson, John	Nicklin, Robert
Davidson, Barbara	Nicklin, Albert
Davidson, Agnes	Nicklin, Margaret
Davidson, Charles	Nicklin, James
Dempsey, Elizabeth	Nicklin, Elizabeth
Dempsey, Jacob	Nicklin, Ida
Dempsey, Christopher	Nicklin, Edward
Douglas, John	Nicolson, John
Dickson, Joseph	Nicolson, Thomas
Duncan, Elizabeth	Perryman, Thomas
Kehart, Josephine	Perryman, Wilhem
Eldage, Maria	Perryman, Agnes
Farmer, Alfred	Perryman, Mary Jane
Farmer, John E.	Reder, Martha
Firstbrook, Jessie	Reder, William
Firstbrook, Demarcus	Ruddell, William
Firstbrook, Joseph	Ruddell, Samuel
Firstbrook, John	Robinson, Mary Ann
Foster, High Centre	Robinson, Celestia
Frazer, James	Robinson, Rebecca
Grant, Annie	Hamilton, Margaret
Grant, Jessie	Symon, Jane
Grant, Lizzie	Sproule, William
Grant, Maggie	Sullivan, George
Grant, William	Sayers, James
Grant, Alma	Sayers, Morris
Grant, Jane	Sayers, William
Graham, Isabella	Stull, George
Graham, Benjamin	Stull, John
Gibbons, John	Steel, Janet
Gordon, Isabella	Smith, Peter
Hall, Zalman	Smith, Gilbert
Hall, Sarah Jane	Secord, John
Hill, John	Secord, Fred
Hill, Ann Jane	Secord, Percy
Hill, James	Sibbald, Eleazer
Hill, Ellen Sophia	Smith, Caroline
Hill, Charles	Smith, Fred
Hill, Chester	Smith, Edward
Hume, Thomasen	Smith, Theodore
Hume, George	Smith, Oliver
Hume, Alexander	Smith, Samuel
Hughes, Martha	Smyth, James
Hughes, Richard	Speight, Eliza Jane
Hughes, Ephraim	Speight, Harriet
Hutchinson, John	Speight, Charlotte
Henstreet, Julia	Speight, Joseph
Henstreet, John	Speight, Martha
Henstreet, Agnes	Speight, Janet
Henstreet, Margaret	Speight, Clara
Henstreet, Archibald	Speight, Charles
Henstreet, Robert	Speight, Alice
Hunter, Abigail	Speight, Augusta
Innond, Robert	Stone, Rachael
Johnston, Elliott	Stone, Maria
Johnston, Elliott	Storey, Frederick
Johnston, Catharine	Storey, Louisa
Johnston, William	Sharp, James
Johnston, Minnie	Sharp, William
Johnston, Frances	Sharp, Jane
Johnston, John	Swackhammer, [illegible]
Johnston, Sarah	Swackhammer, Hiram
Jago, John	Stafford, Cyrus
Kennedy, Donald	Stafford, Alva
Kennedy, Kate	Thurbell, William
Kennedy, Margaret	Thurbell, Mary
Kennedy, Thomas	Thurbell, Richard
Kennedy, Elizabeth	Tubby, Austin
Kennedy, Colina	Tubby, George
Kennedy, Annie	Tubby, Emma
Kenney, Mary	Vincent, Mary
Kenney, Agnes	Walter, Fanny
Kenney, William	Walter, Angelina
Kenney, Rachael	Walter, Maria
Kelley, Minnie	Webster, Helen
Kelley, Dennis	Webster, Mary
Lasby, Alexander	Webster, Martha
Lasby, Susan	Wilds, James
Lasby, Catharine	Wilds, George
Lasby, John	Watson, Mary Jane
Lasby, Harriet	Watson, Elizabeth
Lasby, Charles	Watson, Robert
Lasby, Charlotte	Watson, Eliza
Lasby, Oliver	Watson, Isabella
Livingstone, John	Watson, Rachael
Livingstone, Elam	Worden, Samuel
Livingstone, Miles	Worden, Alonza
Livingstone, Corlan	Worden, Collin
Lightheart, Mary J	Worden, George
Lightheart, David	Worden, John
Lightheart, Ward	Ward, John
Lightheart, Susana	Ward, William
Lightheart, Emma	Venen, George
Lightheart, Thomas	Venen, Jennie
Lightheart, Henry	

Since returning to their homes the old side pupils seem to realize even more fully than when present at the reunion what a unique and memorable gathering it was. One writes, "The more I think of the reunion the better pleased I am that I was there and it will be remembered as one of the brightest days of my life, one I will never forget." Another says: "I wish again to thank you all for the very happy time you furnished us. It was one of the brightest spots in my life, and I am already looking forward to our next reunion and really I am not to sure that it will be in Acton." One of the most disappointed of the old pupils who found it impossible to be present was Mr. Tom Kennedy, Registrar, Parry Sound. He writes: "You have not the slightest idea how deeply I regret not being able to attend the reunion of the old scholars, but it was impossible. After the recent election I had to collect the ballot boxes and as I had 11 townships to go through it kept me busy until the 17th July, my declaration day. I would have wired you with my regrets but on the 13th I was 60 miles from a telegraph office. I hope I was not forgotten. Write and tell me all about the little things which took place. I mean the details you will not publish in the FREE PRESS."

CANADA'S GREAT FAIR FOR 1894

The Toronto Industrial Exhibition, which is to be held from the 3rd to the 15th of September, will no doubt be the greatest fair of the present year, and from present indications it promises to excel all others, both in point of exhibits and in attendance of visitors. The grounds have been vastly improved since last year, and already most of the space in all the buildings has been applied for. All entries close on the 11th of August. A good programme of special attractions, both novel and interesting, will be provided as usual. It is only a little over a month to the time of the fair, and our readers cannot choose a better holiday trip than this offers. Cheap excursions will as usual be run on all railways at rates in keeping with the times. This great Fair has now become one of the best and most popular educational and entertainment enterprises on this continent, and attracts visitors each year, not only from all parts of the Dominion, but from the United States as well. And those who have never been there would be surprised at the magnitude and attractiveness, being almost like a World's Fair, only on a smaller scale.

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Hamilton Spectator.

After more than half a century of successful trading this season marks a new era in the history of the Right House. It is over fifty years since Thomas C. Watkins entered the commercial arena in Hamilton. There may be a few of the older citizens who remember what Hamilton was then as compared with now. The city has grown, and it is no doubt owing to just such men of enterprise and integrity that it has become one of the foremost in the Dominion.

As the city has grown, the business done at the Right House (that was the name originally elected for the store and by which it is still known) has increased. It has kept pace with the city and with the times; in fact, it has gone ahead of the city in its last undertaking; but the city is growing steadily and surely, and under the management of Thomas W. Watkins the trade at the Right House is likely to keep on the upward move.

The *Spectator* has already given elaborate descriptions of the building as it stands at the northwest corner of King and Hughson streets. It consists of a harmonious and four floors, three of which are devoted entirely to selling space.

In the basement is the steam heating

apparatus and electric light plant, the electric motor for running the cash railway and storeroom for reserve stock of goods.

On the ground floor there are three main aisles running north and south. In the center aisle may be found the following departments: Ladies' gloves, ladies hosiery, ladies' corsets, ladies' and children's underwear, babies' and children's gowns and dresses, ribbons, ladies handkerchiefs, laces and men's furnishings. The east aisle contains the black and colored dress goods, silks, velvets, dress trimmings, art silks, and the smallware departments. The west aisle is devoted to staple goods, including linens, cotton sheetings, flannels, shirtings, prints, muslins, embroideries, tweeds, flannelettes, denims, cottonades, table oilcloth, etc. At the north end of this aisle is the parcel office and delivery departments with telephone, where messages and orders are received at any time of the day from 7.30 a. m. to 6 p. m.

On the landing midway between the floor and the ceiling is the waiting gallery, which is furnished with seats and writing desks, provided with note paper, etc. This room is intended for the public, and a general invitation is extended to all to use it whenever they wish to sit down and rest. It is reached by the main staircase, which leads to all the other floors.

At the east side of the building is the passenger elevator to all the floors, with another elevator at the north end of the centre aisle, principally used for freight, but constructed so as to be available for a passenger elevator when required. One of the main attractions on entering the store is the new cable cash railway, worked by electricity, taking the cash from all parts of the store to the central office at the north end of the east aisle.

On the first floor are the departments that every lady likes to visit. The millinery is always well patronized at the Right House. The new millinery show room is the finest in the Dominion. The floor is of polished hardwood, and the arrangement of the fixtures and mirrors all around the room is particularly attractive.

The mantle room is not less attractive. It has double the space of any former season, extending the full depth of the building on the east side with an entirely new stock of jackets, capes and costumes. When a suitable style or fit cannot be procured from stock, a selection can be made from the large assortment of new mantle cloths, and when garments are made on the premises, the fit and style will be sure to please.

At the north end of the [illegible] floor to the curtain and drapery department, containing a large assortment of chenille, lace and Irish point curtains in newest designs, also a large stock of silk and other drapery goods, double width, duplex printed cretonnes and furniture coverings, silk fringes, gimps, curtain loops, etc.

The second floor is devoted entirely to carpets and floor oilcloths. It is a big space but none too large for the stock of Axminsters, Wilton, Velvet pile, Brussels, tapestry wool and hemp carpets, with the large stock of English and Scotch linoleums and oil cloths, hearth rugs, squares and crumb cloths.

The top floor is the manufacturing portion of the concern. The dress making, mantle making and millinery work rooms occupy a part of this floor, and in connection with the dress and mantle workrooms are two beautiful parlors on the front of the building, carpeted and furnished in keeping with the rest of the store and supplied with the best fashion magazines. If ladies want a quiet and comfortable place to rest they are invited to make themselves quite at home here.

At the north end of this floor is a ladies' toilet room, especially for the use of customers.

Taking the whole building from basement to roof, it is safe to say there is not a better equipped store in Canada, where the comfort and convenience of the buying public are more studied than at the Right House, and from the number of people who have visited it during the past week, it is past doubt that the efforts made are being appreciated.

When Traveling

Whether on pleasure bent or business take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectually on the kidneys, liver and bowels, prevents fever, headache and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50c. bottles by all leading druggists. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

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ACTON.

Miss Maude Nixon, and Master Brien Hewson, Toronto, are guests of Miss Minnie and Master Harvey Nixon.

Mr. Fred Thompson spent Sunday with friends in Guelph.

Miss Lily Cantelon, Lisgar; Miss Mary Halliday, Kergus; Miss T. Alexander and Miss Bertha Cove, Winsley's Corners are guests of Miss Alexander and Annie.

Rev. J. Perrin, Georgetown, will preach in the Methodist Church next Sunday afternoon.

Miss Bessie Dick visited friends in Georgetown during the week.

KNATCHBULL.

The fine rain, Tuesday will help the root crops and the oats very much.

The quarterly communion and sacramental service of the Methodist Church of the Nassagaweya circuit will be held in the Ebenezer Church on Sunday, August 5th. The Rev. Mr. Amy will officiate.

Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Anderson, of Wawanosh, are visiting relatives and friends in Nassagaweya this week.

Some of the farmers had their fall wheat crop harvested before the rain came on.

Alex. Cripps, of Crawsons Corners, who was cutting shingles for Hugh McLaughlin of Nassagaweya, has finished for this year.

Prince Bismarck is suffering from insomnia and neuralgia.

AFTER DOCTORS FAILED

THE EXPERIENCE OF MR. FRANK A. FERGUSON, OF MERRICKVILLE.

Attacked by Malarial Fever, Followed by Decline. Two Physicians Failed to Help Him. The Means of Cure Discovered by Taking the Advice of a Friend.

From the Smith's Falls Record.

Mr. Frank A. Ferguson, partner of Mr. Richard Smith in the marble business at Merrickville, is well known to most residents of that vicinity. He went through an illness that nearly brought him to death's door, and in an interesting chat with a reporter of the *Record* told of the means by which his remarkable recovery was brought about. "While engaged in my business as marble cutter at Kingston," said Mr. Ferguson, "I was taken ill in May, 1893, with malarial fever. After the fever was broken I continued to have a bad cough, followed by vomiting and excruciating pains in the stomach. I was under the treatment of two different physicians but their medicine did me no good, and I continued to grow weaker and weaker, and it seemed as if I had gone into a decline. About the middle of September I was strongly urged by a friend to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial. I had not much hope that they would help me but from the time I commenced the Pink Pills I found myself beginning to improve, the vomiting ceased and finally left me altogether. I grew stronger each day, until now I weigh 180 pounds. At the time I was taken ill I weighed 145 pounds and when I began using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills my illness had reduced me to 125 pounds, so that you will see how much Pink Pills have done for me. I never felt better in my life than I do now, although I occasionally take a pill yet, and am never without a part of a box in my pocket. I believe that had I not been induced to take Pink Pills I would be in my grave to-day, and I am equally convinced that there is no other medicine can equal them as a blood builder and restorer of shattered systems. Five doctors cured me when the skill of two of the ablest doctors in Ontario failed, and when I look back to the middle of last September and remember that I was not able to stand on my feet, I consider the change brought about by Pink Pills simply miraculous."

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Brings comfort and improvement and tends to personal enjoyment when rightly used. The many, who live better than others and enjoy life more, with less expenditure, by more promptly adapting the world's best products to the needs of physical being, will attest the value to health of the pure liquid laxative principles embraced in the remedy, Syrup of Figs.

Its excellence is due to its presenting in the form most acceptable and pleasant to the taste, the refreshing and truly beneficial properties of a perfect laxative; effectually cleansing the system, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers and permanently curing constipation. It has given satisfaction to millions and met with the approval of the medical profession, because its action on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels without weakening them and it is perfectly free from every objectionable substance.

Syrup of Figs is for sale by all druggists in 75c. bottles, but it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, whose name is printed on every package, also the name, Syrup of Figs, and being well informed, you will not accept any substitute if offered.

Glasgow House . .

SUMMER CUTS

This is the time of year for cheap drives in all lines.

Millinery - - - Millinery

The balance of our Millinery stock will be cleared out at a discount of 25 to 50%. It comprises straw Hats, Ribbons, Feathers and Tips, Flowers and Ornaments. Come early and pick up the choicest stuff. Special value in children's sailors.

Dress Goods. - - Dress Goods.

We will offer tremendous lines in Dress Goods, Prints, Gloves, Parasols, Grey Cottons, Curtains and Curtain Nett.

Special value in ladies' summer Corsets.

See the new place in Fancy stripe duck suitings for summer wear.

Lace pattern.

Henderson & Co

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PARASOLS

A great choice of colors and patterns, at absolutely low prices.

PRINTS AND CHALLIES

The fascination of low prices is the inspiration of the retail business. Measured by any standard these 7½c. goods are 12½ and 15c. qualities.

MILLINERY

Shady Hats, Jaunty Hats.

Stylish Hats for out and abouting, and prices at less than home work would cost.

MEN'S CLOTHING

Blue Serge Suits at $5.50.

Summer Coats at $1.00.

Summer Coat and Vest at $1.25.

BOYS CLOTHING.

Abounding bargains at the store.

Pants and Star Shirt Waist for 8c.

Just the thing for the boys. Cool and stylish.

We cut our garments to fit the critical son, and our price to fit the practical sire.

Friday Afternoon Closing.

The Lion will close every Friday afternoon during the balance of July and August in accordance with an agreement entered into with the principal Dry Goods and Clothing Houses in the city. We trust our customers and all those who are in sympathy with this movement, will, as far as possible, arrange not to have any shopping on Friday afternoon, and thus not place us and other merchants who are parties to the agreement under any disadvantage as compared with those merchants, if there be any, who have not fallen into line in the half holiday movement.

J. D. Williamson & Co.

75 Wyndham street, Guelph and 61 Oswald street, Glasgow. GUELPH.

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LIVERY

—AND—

BUS LINE.

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 p.m. Careful attention given to every order. The wants of Commercial Travellers fully met.

JOHN WILLIAMS

Pianos.

There is such a demand for First-Class "Bell" Pianos that I have on hand a large stock of Second Hand Pianos, of different makes, both upright and square, taken in exchange, ranging in price from $75 to $200, which will be sold reasonable and on easy terms.

Any person wishing to purchase such will do well to call early and examine them at

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FARM or village property at reasonable rates. Apply to McLEAN & McLEAN, Town Hall, 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.

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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 hewed 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.

CIVIC HOLIDAY.

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS a requisition has been presented to me by A. Secord, H. A. C. Durrg, A. McNabb, J. L. Charles, T. H. Harding and Physic Shore, asking that

THURSDAY, 2nd AUGUST,

Be proclaimed a Civic Holiday for this Municipality.

I therefore proclaim the 2nd day of August the Civic Holiday for this Village and would respectfully request that all citizens observe the same.

J. H. PEARSON,

Reeve's Office, 25th June, 1894. Reeve.

Valuable Property in Acton

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

THE undersigned offers the whole of his property in Acton for sale, as follows:

The splendid and commodious brick dwelling on lot 8, Block 31, eight rooms, hard and soft water, splendid young orchard.

The brick house and stable adjoining on lot 10 in the same block. This is also a comfortable house and has orchard and water.

A number of the finest building lots in Acton. Corner lot No. 9, on Church and Guelph Streets and lots 4 and 7 on Guelph Street; also lots 14 15 and 16 on corner Mill and Young Streets in Young's Survey.

The store and dwelling on Mill Street, at present occupied. A first class stand.

For particulars as to terms, etc., apply to John J. Kelly, Acton, or to

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Fine Pressed Brick

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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 out stove length always on hand.

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WHEAT grists of 10 bushels or over ground at Everton Mills on Roller process for 10 cents per bushel.

FLOUR,

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Chopping every day at 5 cents per bag.

Cash for Wheat.

Everton Mills Flour for sale at JOHN MATTHEWS', Flour and Feed Store, ACTON.

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IT SHOULD MAKE A GOOD APPEARANCE

My spring stock is now complete and I can suit you on all three points and add another, that of a low price.

REMOVAL SALE.

Owing to my proposed removal to other premises on 1st May, I am disposing of all lines at ten per cent. reduction for cash.

I have the latest styles in

Men's, Women's, Children's } GOODS.

A nice assortment of Tan Shoes.

Several lines I am running off at less than cost.

W. WILLIAMS,

ACTON