

BANK OF HAMILTON  
HEAD OFFICE - HAMILTON  
CAPITAL PAID UP..... \$1,250,000.  
RESERVE FUND..... \$100,000.  
TOTAL ASSETS..... \$2,000,000.

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The Bank of Montreal.

GEOGRAPHY AGENCY.

NOTES DISCONTINUED AND ADVANCES MADE ON SECURITY SECURITIES

COLLECTIONS MADE AND THOSE BOUGHT AND SOLD

OUR BRANCHES AND SUBAGENTS

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT:

Deposits of \$1 and upwards received, and interest allowed from date of deposit to date of withdrawal.

SPECIAL DEPOSITS

Also received at current rates of interest.

Mr. LIVINGSTON, Agent.

STRANGERS AND VISITORS ALWAYS WELCOME AT OUR STATION AND ATMOSPHERE.

Spectacles and Eye Glasses

In Gold, Silver, Nickel and Steel frames. We carry the largest stock.

Do you need any spectacles repaired, or re-framed? If there is anything wrong with your glasses bring them in to Hynd's Jewelry Store.

Spectacle and Eye Glass cases, all kinds, all prices.

Geo. HYND'S, Acton, Ont.

The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1894.

LITTLE LOCAL BRIEFLETS

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

-Christmas two months from to day.

-We surely are having Indian Summer.

-The low price of wheat is certainly disconcerting to the farmers.

-If you want the local news every week subscribe for the Free Press.

-Notices of births, marriages and deaths are inserted free of charge in the Free Press.

-If you want to increase your business for a trifling outlay advertise in the Free Press.

-A meeting of the Fire brigade is called for to-night. A good attendance is requested.

-James Pierbook has purchased the grocery business lately carried on by Mrs. John Arthur.

-Messrs. W. H. Sturey & Son are erecting a new barn house in connection with their tannery.

-Orillia has put in an incandescent electric system of street lighting with 1,450 lamps, at a cost of \$12,000.

-Golden tinted leaves now carpet the sidewalks and their rustic makes one feel that winter is rapidly approaching.

-The New Presbyterian Church is being pushed rapidly forward. The brick work was commenced on Tuesday morning.

-Mr. James Brown shipped 25,000 feet of first-class basswood lumber to New York and some 50,000 feet to Toronto the past few days.

-Mr. James Gibbons won the good opinion of the Free Press staff the other day when he brought to them a basket of fine strawberry plump apples.

-The A. O. U. W. are providing a literary treat for the people of this vicinity in the engagement of Greenville P. Kiser to the town hall next Monday evening.

-The Free Press acknowledges with thanks the report from S. E. Dawson, Queen's Printer, of a copy of the Dominion Statute for 1894 (56 and 59 Victoria.)

-Mr. John Johnson, Int. 1, can. 6, Grace Street, left at this office on Monday, a potato weighing 4 lbs., 2 oz., which was grown on his farm. The potato is a good one.

-The most youthful child of the social special and just christened is the "Expectation Special". No programme of the proceedings is given, but you are always supposed to expect that something attractive will come next.

-Since Monday several changes in the conductors both west and east on the O. T. R. have taken place. The old fogey of the conductors of a week ago will be remembered but not seen. The following are the changes in this section: Messrs. Klepfel, Hollinger, Bridge and Devlin will be on the run between Toronto and Guelph; Messrs. Higgins and Anderson will be between Guelph and Peterborough; Conductor Quigley takes Conductor Bridge's place; Mr. Hill, Higgins' place, and Mr. Mahon, Devlin's place west.

ERIN.

The annual fair last Wednesday and Thursday sustained its old reputation for number and excellence of exhibits, but the attendance was far below that of previous years. Those who came seemed to fully enjoy themselves.

Mrs. Lindsay, of Niagara, was the guest of Mrs. D. T. Tracy of this place last week.

Mr. Geo. Hammett of the Globe Hotel, Erin, is retiring from hotel life after this month and will sell his furniture next Monday.

ATTENTION BUSINESS MEN. See those heavy working Shoes for men for \$100. We buy direct from manufacturers, no shop wares. - L. B. Nelson & Co.

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

McLean's Liniment cures dispencer.

### THE NEWS AT HOME

Monthly or a Local Character, and Every Item Interesting.

#### A Great Field of Potatoes.

Mr. N. Held, Erin, has a great crop of potatoes this year. A buyer stated that he has a large field, which averages 12 bags to the bushel, and 100 bushels to the acre. This would make over \$100 up to a ton.

At the price potatoes are now selling, 50c to 50c, this would make about \$100 an acre. He has one potato which weighs 4 pounds, two about 3 pounds, and 27 which make a bushel.

#### Colden Pot at the School.

For the past few days there have been a number of children attending the public school, who were affected with chicken pox. The disease, which is a very mild one in adults, would make quite a bad case in children. The price of potatoes is still very high, and the average price of the disease is about 50c per head. At the meeting on Monday evening, acted wisely in directing that all children affected should be granted from attending school, until such time as they are free from the disease.

#### WHI Work Adjudged.

Magistrate Jeff. of Hamilton, has adopted a method of correcting erring youths which has been adopted in the United States. It consists of breaking the will of the youth.

It is much a punishment to the negligent parent as to the willful child. A newspaper reporter handles.

Mr. C. Elliott, school teacher at Bannockburn, has severed his connection from the men of letters to enter newspaperdom, and to this end has bought out the paper, "The Star".

Mr. G. T. Moore, Superintendent of Friday evening school, announced that the town will present out better to the outside world.

Mr. E. A. Coombs, D.A. of Clinton High School, formerly of Georgetown, is still interested in pulp work. He preached to the I.O. O. F. in Rutledge-street church, Clinton, last Sunday.

The Johnson-Smylie, Superintendents at Friday evening school, announced that

the town will present out better to the outside world.

Mr. Robert McMichael, of New York, has been a guest at the home of her son, Mr. J. V. Kannaway the past week.

Mr. Dr. Payne, of Richland, Ohio, is a guest at her old home, Buntingford Villa.

Mr. Thomas Easton, who has been ill for several weeks, is able to be around again.

Mr. M. Cobban, who has been foreman of the Party Round Barn, for some time, is home on a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Keaynes, and daughter of Guelph spent Saturday with friends here.

Mrs. C. S. Smith of Acton spent Thursday with Limehouse friends.

Mr. G. T. Moore, who has been suffering with quinsy for nearly a week, is now recovering.

Rev. Mr. Eliott, pastor of the First Methodist Church, has been ill for a week.

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