

BANK OF HAMILTON

HEAD OFFICE HAMILTON
CAPITAL PAID UP \$1,250,000
RESERVE FUND \$250,000

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GEORGETOWN AGENCY
Notes discounted and advances made on all securities.

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 rate of interest
N. M. LIVINGSTONE, Agent

Spectacles and Eye Glasses

In Gold, Silver, Nickel and Steel Frames
We carry the largest stock.
We repair Spectacles and guarantee our work.

Geo. Hynds, Acton, Ont.

The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, MARCH 7, 1920. X

LITTLE LOCAL BRIEFPLETS

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

Council meeting next Monday evening.

Monday's storm was a genuine March blizzard.

The month came in with very quiet and hazy weather.

The snow last week materially reduced the piles of snow and replenished wells and cisterns.

Bro. ... will be secured on an usually large stock this winter for next season's cutting.

Henry George, the great single tax advocate of New York, will speak in Georgetown this evening.

The ladies of the Presbyterian Missionary Society are heartily welcomed to Acton to-day. May their visit be enjoyable and profitable.

The blizzard which set in from home before the first of day, but nobody seemed to be glad, had some, and nobody asked him to stay.

The present winter has been more prolific in storms which have blooded high ways and railroads than any other in the history of the country.

Some advertisements which some business gets too heavy for you to handle, but until that happy climax is reached you'd better continue talking to the people.

C. Klopfer, of Georgetown, was selected as Conservative candidate for South Wellington on Tuesday. Wm. Horrip, Everton, was second choice.

A flag pole, contracted for the new Parliament Buildings at Toronto, was drawn into Milton last week by a four horse team. It is of pine, 50 feet in length, and tapers gradually from 21 to about 10 inches. George Holmes, the contractor, will receive \$150 for the pole.

It is expected that Dr. Whitchell, the two nurses and the young O. A. C. student Swartz, will break up house keeping at the small hospital this week. They had a trying experience when first they were placed in their isolated home, but later they have had a good time. Georgetown Herald.

The Epworth League is arranging for a series of enjoyable social evenings for the next three months. Those who include a musical and literary entertainment, about the end of March, a lecture by the pastor, Rev. J. E. Howell M. A. in April, and a coffee social in May. A nominal admission fee will be asked.

ROCKWOOD

Friday, March 5. The Motor Car brought trouble on the station, and each engine was smashed. Some pumps were also broken and one of the engines was partially derailed.

The infant child of Mr. J. J. Gray died on the 23rd of February and was buried on the following Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. McCarthy, accompanied by the latter's sister, left for Kootenai last week.

Mr. J. A. Nisbet, after spending a few days with his parents here, has returned to St. Paul.

Mrs. Anson Smith started for her home in New York City last Wednesday.

The marriage of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Gray last Thursday was a success, everything offered for sale being disposed of.

Mr. H. Howat is converting the premises formerly owned by Mr. McMurtry, and used as a butcher shop, into a printing office. It is expected to be in his new press soon shortly.

Miss E. J. Bunt left for England last week.

At the meeting to establish a Mechanics Institute here last week a meeting was formed with a membership of twenty seven.

The team of Walker, McLean & Co's cash carriers at Georgetown give people the idea they are in the city, and when they see what they are selling goods at it makes them wonder even more how they can sell such goods at the price. Prices lower than any other store in the city are small. They are hustlers from the start, been buyers, and it is here they get in their work, buying the very latest goods at 5 to 10 cents a yard less than the largest stores in Toronto. The wholesalers are all after them because they know their man, upright in all their dealings. What you buy at Walker, McLean & Co's you can rely on: nothing misrepresented. Give them a call and save money.

THE NEWS AT HOME.

Monthly of a Local Character, and Every Item Interesting.

A Hamilton Miscellany.

The Milton Commission says: Miss Mary Brown, daughter of Hugh Brown, Burlington, a medical missionary in Wilfrid, China. She was born in Kemptville, Ontario, and was educated at Ann Arbor, Michigan, and has been in China six years, having been sent out by the Freshwater Mission Society in Detroit. In one of her letters Miss Brown says: "I am too busy all day to think much about myself. It is a hard life, but it is not uninteresting."

Additional Magistrates for Hamilton.

The following residents of the county have been appointed magistrates by the Ontario Government, and will hereafter have the right to appoint J. P. in their own districts: George Douglas McGregor, Henry William Cook, Wm. John Carter, Wm. H. Spence, Thom. Coverhill, Chas. Hall, John Wexley Orth, John Wilson and Harry Hubbard, of Trafalgar; John Marshall, Thos. Wilson and Matthew Heath, of Niagara Falls; Charles H. Merrett, John Macdonald, Chas. B. Patterson and John Kelly, Oakville.

News of the Churches.

The vacancy at St. Albans' Church will be filled at Easter. Rev. Mr. Godwin, of Alton, is the new incumbent. He will preach here on Sunday and then return to his present field until Easter. Mr. Spence, of Wyndale College, Toronto, preached last Sunday. The pre-convention sermon at Knox Church was preached on Saturday morning by Rev. J. Match, M. A. of Toronto. The discourse was practical and appropriate. The communion service on Sunday was largely attended. The W. M. F. M. of the Georgetown Presbytery will hold their annual meeting at Knox Church to-day.

The Chosen Friends' Entertainment.

Mr. W. E. Hamway's new and novel entertainment "A Trip Around the World" will be presented in the Town Hall, next Wednesday evening, March 13th, under the auspices of the Canadian Order of Chosen Friends. The entertainment is spoken of in the highest terms by the press and will be a success beyond all precedent ever given in Canada. It is different from the scenes of the different countries being remarkably realistic, while Mr. Hamway's songs are all new and sung in this country for the first time.

The Price of a Postage Stamp.

Any man can take a newspaper. It is the cheapest thing he can buy. It costs the price of a postage stamp, less than to send and receive a letter. What good does it do you? It instructs you and your wife and teaches your children. It comes to you every week, rain or shine, calm or storm, brings you the best news of the neighborhood. No matter what happens, it enters your door a welcome friend, full of sunshine, cheer, and interest. It shortens the long summer day and cultivates the long winter night. It is your adviser, your comforter, your friend. No man is so poor as his children and wife who does not give them the home paper to read.

An Acton Boy's Promotion.

One of the most highly esteemed of Acton's native sons is Mr. L. P. Snyder, late manager of the Trade's Bank, Elmira, now of North Bay. Mr. Snyder enjoys the fullest confidence of the direct orials of the Trade's Bank, and when occasion demands he is in the Hamilton office. Some time ago went to Elmira as manager of the bank's business there. He is now given a still more responsible position, that of opening and managing a new branch of the bank at North Bay. The promotion carries with it considerable increase in salary. Mr. Snyder passed through Acton for his new position on Tuesday morning. The people of Elmira, in business, social, and church circles sincerely regret his removal.

A Hamilton Detective's Story.

The Treasurer of North Dakota claimed not long since with about \$250,000. It was supposed that he came to Canada, and a reward of \$20,000 was offered for his capture. A man named Irving to George town saw a notice of the reward and thought one day he had spotted the right man. Armed with a warrant he started on his trail, followed him to Niagara and arrested him at a farm house in Southwestern Ontario. With high hopes of gaining the reward he brought his prey back to this town and then discovered that he had made a huge blunder. The suspected offender was an old Nottawagwaya boy who had lived for years in Dakota and who came back to Canada on a visit, the pleasure of which was slightly marred by the blundering detective from Georgetown who went back home a sadder, if not a wiser man. Stacker.

LETTERS OF THANKS.

George ... Allow me to convey to you my sincere thanks for the prompt and liberal manner in which you have settled the indebtedness on the bill of my late husband. It is a pleasure to me to have had the bill cleared up so promptly, and I am sure that you will be glad to hear that the same having been received eleven days after his death.

Also to express my warmest thanks to the officers and members of Court (Three Branches) for the kind and generous action in returning his remains, and for the kind expressions of sympathy to me and my family.

My prayer is that your noble order may continue to prosper and minister to the comfort of the bereaved and afflicted.

Yours truly,
Margaret ...
A. ... 20th, 1920.

CREWSON'S CORNER

Friday, March 5th. The many friends of Mrs. Robert Allen will be pleased to know that she has returned home from the Georgetown Hospital, much benefited in health. Mrs. Allen speaks highly of the treatment she received while there.

Living to the Hon. Mr. Justice, being ill, Mr. T. Gann conducted the service here on Sunday last.

Mr. George Gann has removed from Mr. L. Wainwright's place to the late Mr. A. Wainwright's place, the Corners. Mr. Wainwright will move on his farm shortly.

Miss Ada Leindman, who has been loaned to the house since January with an ailment in her foot resembling scabies, is thought to be cured.

A number from here attended the Sabbath School Convention held in Acton and also Knox Church opening services.

In speaking of the building of the new church in Acton, the Hon. Mr. Justice, has paid high compliments to Mr. N. Forbes, of this place for his good workmanship in the building of the foundation of the church and for his diligent manner.

Miss Adia Gould, daughter of the late Jay Gould, was married at New York Monday to the Count de Castellane. The wedding was a magnificent one.

THE COUNTRY AROUND.

News Items Supplied by Correspondents and Exchanges.

ASHBOVE

Friday, 5th Mar.—Miss Mary Brown, daughter of Hugh Brown, Burlington, a medical missionary in Wilfrid, China. She was born in Kemptville, Ontario, and was educated at Ann Arbor, Michigan, and has been in China six years, having been sent out by the Freshwater Mission Society in Detroit. In one of her letters Miss Brown says: "I am too busy all day to think much about myself. It is a hard life, but it is not uninteresting."

Mr. Peter Fisher, of Ann Arbor, Michigan, is home on a visit.

Mr. McFarlane, of Hamilton, spent a few days at Mr. Hood's during the week.

The young people appreciated the kind words of Superintendent Broadbridge, in dividing a box of Bibles for the Sunday School Convention.

ERIN.

Thursday, March 5. The Directors of the Methodist Institute have made another addition of new books to their Institute of over one hundred dollars worth.

Rev. Mr. Glasford, of Chalmers Church, Georgetown, addressed a meeting of Epworth League and Young People's Society at the Wesleyan Wesleyan evening.

This address was much enjoyed. A number of the young people of Erin met last week and organized themselves into a Literary Society with Dr. Martin, President, and Nettie E. Wood, Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Maggie Sibbey, Miss Martin, Miss Susan Spiers, Mrs. Committee of Management and Mr. Bell, convener.

A new member of the Wesleyan Church, Hillsburg, will be built. Mr. Hood is treasurer and has \$1,300 in hand for the purpose.

At an auction sale the other day four very weighty presents turned the scales at 115 pounds. The following are the well-known "Congratiate" Wainwright, Erasmus, 325, Morgan Greenway, 286, Jim McArthur, Erin, 228, J. D. Hefferan, 265.

GEORGETOWN.

Friday, March 5th. Miss Hall gave an excellent address to the Epworth League on Monday evening.

The Revs. Rubi Duff and P. A. Moor will exchange pulpits next Sunday morning.

The Home and Mission Circle of the Methodist Church intend giving a parlor social at the residence of John Halliwell, Esq., on Friday evening, March 13th.

A very large congregation took part in the hymnology services of the Methodist Church last Sunday evening.

Special services are being held in the Episcopal Church each evening of this week.

The Toronto Herald says: "M. H. Kenney has been a short time in the premises in Young street, formerly occupied by James Eaton & Co., and afterwards by C. S. Botsford. This building had been leased to William McLeod & Co., of Georgetown, for ten years, at a rental of \$600 per annum and taxes. The latter resolved some weeks ago not to come to Toronto, and negotiations have been going on in view of a settlement with the owners of the property. Settlement has been made by McLeod & Co. paying \$4000."

MILTON.

Wednesday, Mar. 6. There have been two very sudden deaths in Milton during the last two weeks. The last is that of Dr. C. Freeman, who died very suddenly on Saturday morning. He was well and hearty up to the hour of retiring Friday night and visited several patients later that night and died in a few minutes.

Rev. H. A. Mitchell, B. A., and Messrs. J. B. Deacon, B. Devoe and Fred Caldermore and Misses Grace Willmott, Nellie Johnson and Zella McArthur, attended the Convention of the Methodist Young People's Society which was held at Toronto last week.

W. E. Kenney will entertain our citizens in the Town Hall next Thursday evening, 11th inst.

The Assizes here this week created quite a stir by the influx of jurymen and officials. The county council will be here next Tuesday.

The vote on the local option is in favor of Nelson taking place next Monday, March 11. It is expected the vote will be very quiet and not likely to carry the day, by a good majority.

NASSAGAWEYA.

March 5. Knatchbull and ... had an open meeting to ... last evening. A good program was provided.

Thomas Wilson, of Knatchbull, and a fine short horn bull to Mr. David Patrick, son of Moffat, last week for a fair figure.

Miss Catherine Campbell and Miss Hannah, of Knatchbull, are visiting with their friends in Nassagaweya.

Miss Mary Taylor returned home from Fort Huron last week after a four or five days visit to friends in that place.

Miss M. H. Rowland, of Fort Huron, is visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Misses T. Adams and F. Fletcher, of the E. L. of E. of the Robinson Church, and the pastor, Rev. T. Any attended the Young People's convention in Toronto last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lockie moved last week to Milton where Mr. Lockie intends working in the brick yards.

William Carter wife and child left on Tuesday for Wyoming, U. S. A.

A large sleigh load of ladies and gentlemen from Eden Mills, went to the winter tenants of the R. T. of T. of Arkell Council the other evening. They had a good time there but on returning home they had the misfortune to have a "spill" in about three feet of water. Some of the boys who happened to be in the bottom were sent overhead in the water. They had about two miles to go after they were up.

A lady in the vicinity of Georgetown had a serious misfortune the other day while out calling on friends. While on the road she happened to get into about three feet of water and as a result was washed through.

One of Nassagaweya's young men in the Bloombury section has been occasionally taking home new furniture from the city. It looks rather suspicious. The finest piece of his furniture is to come yet.

The concert of the R. T. of T. of Knatchbull Council last Tuesday evening was a fair success notwithstanding the absence of some important talents. The hall was well filled and the members of the Council were pleased to have their number increased.

Miss Patterson, of Milton, is visiting friends in Nassagaweya this week.

We are having March weather just up to mistake.

The township council has paid \$30 for care of Mrs. John Hallin and removing her to Georgetown Hospital.

FEBRUARY EXAMINATIONS.

The Names of the Successful Pupils Last Friday.

The monthly examination of the pupils of Acton Public School took place last Friday and the following is the standing of the foremost pupils in the various departments:

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