BORN.

GRANT—At Milton, on Wednesday, 8th May, the wife of John Grant, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

ELLIOTT—CARRIQUE—At the residence of the bride's parents, on Tuesday, May 14, by the Rev. David A. Muir, B. D., Mr. John Elliott, merchant, of Hamilton, to Miss May Carrique, of Georgetown.

DIED.

MCLEAN—In Trafalgar, on Friday, May 3rd, Emma McLean, aged 35 years, 4 months and 3 days.

The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, MAY 16, 1895.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Dr. Byron, of New York, a bacteriologist whose specialty was consumption, died last week of that dread disease, which he had contracted through inhaling some of the germs while conducting laboratory experiments. Science has its many modest martyrs.

Toronto has finally decided to follow Detroit's example and cultivate potatoes on the private lots in the city. This week 191 lots of one quarter acre each will be allocated. The city will look after the seeding and plowing.

Lord Rosebery will receive to-morrow a deputation from the Associated Chambers of Commerce, who will urge the adoption of the resolutions made by Lord Josery, in in his report on the Ottawa Intercolonial Conference, especially concerning the postal and telegraph routes.

The commission which has been investigating the atrocities in Armenia have arrived at Sellygoozan. They have found abundant evidence of cruelty and wholesale massacres in all directions. They have urged upon the Porte the necessity for Armenian reforms.

In the British House of Commons Sir William Harcourt, replying to a question by Sir George Baden Powell, said a bill to enable colonial Judges to sit in the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council would be immediately introduced by the Government in the House of Lords.

Out of a total annual revenue of $667,000,000, the Government of France pays $371,000,000 in interest on public debt, and $182,000,000 goes to support the army and navy. Most of the debt has been incurred for war expenses. Six dollars out of seven of the people's taxes, therefore, go to war costs.

An inventive genius out West struck upon the idea of making direct telephone connections with the barbed wire on the fences that run along the prairie. He tried a line first between Webster and Duncombe, Iowa. It was a success, and now he has an incorporated company, which has just sprung into existence and is getting rich.

The turn of the tide in Great Britain has come with a rush. A London cable says "the return of continental prosperity is apparent everywhere. There is in the British Provinces an increase in the booking of orders, and an upward movement in prices." "These symptoms indicate that the recovery in business is genuine, and destined to permanency."

Representations were made Tuesday by the Department of Trade and Commerce by Mr. A. W. Murdock, of Toronto, looking towards the development of trade with South Africa. It is learned in this connection that steps are being taken to establish a direct steamship service between Canada and Cape Colony. The project is as yet in its initial stages but already gives promise of success.

The Pan American Congress of Religion and Education will be held at Toronto, July 16th to 25th, next. The Congress will be composed of representatives from every County, Province and State in North and South America, including Protestants, Roman Catholics and Hebrews. The Congress will consider the great moral and social questions of the day. Many of the highest dignitaries of Church and State, and prominent philanthropists, have promised to participate.

Essex had more marriages and births, according to the population, than any other county in the province in 1893. There were 142 per 1000 of the former and 277 of the latter. Renfrew and Algoma, however, gave the French county a close shave in the matter of births, the first having 269 per 1000 and the second 264. The total marriages in Halton County were 113 per 1000 and the births 453.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s Bulletin says that business in wholesale circles at Toronto is fairly satisfactory. Merchants are pleased with the outlook and they fully expect to make increased profits. The strength and higher prices for leading products in the encouraging feature. Farmers are obtaining good prices for their live stock and the season now opening is encouraging to shippers. In dry goods the feature is the advance in cotton reported by mill owners and the very probable immediate buying.

[illegible] the flight gets all the [illegible] receipts and then cooks [illegible] pay for the bruise he caused. Japan gets what she started out to fight for in Corea, asks for Port Arthur, the island of Formosa, and a few other slices of Chinese territory, and demands $400,000,000 for going to the trouble and expense of chasing her Mongolian neighbors out of their own country. More than that, knowing that China has nothing but silver, Japan insists that the debt must be paid in gold.

Important despatches were received last week by Newfoundland from the English Government relative to Confederation, and it is likely favorable action will be taken in the matter. The most important point submitted to the Imperial authorities was Canada's proposition that England assume Newfoundland's obligations, and the completion of the railroad across the Island Newfoundland would be willing to pass legislation to settle the French shore question in return for England's acceptance of this proposal. The Daily *Chronicle* in speaking of the terms of the union says: "What does concern Great Britain is, that there will be now a strong body of public opinion in British America to repress the local irritation of Newfoundland fisheries. Regarding the traditional rights of the French fisherman, we shall, as the Imperial power, remain unswerable to France, but the union problem will make France moderate in her demands."

—Get your garden, field, and flower seeds at A. L. Hemstreet's, Acton. Good seeds, good varieties, and prices to match.

IN HOUSE AND LOBBY.

Hon. Members Indulge in Personalities.—A Remarkable Debate Precipitated by Dalton McCarthy.

LIEUT.-GOV. SCHULTZ SCORED.

OTTAWA, May 15.—Three weeks of the session has gone and the business before the House has received comparatively little attention. The Budget, the Manitoba School question, and the asking and answering of innumerable questions are the bulk of matters which have been considered.

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY.

Their Excellencies the Earl and Countess of Aberdeen, are making preparations for the celebration of the Queen's Birthday on May 24 at Ottawa on an extended scale. Last year on that day their Excellencies entertained the members of the Royal Society at a luncheon and garden party. This year the reception will take the form of a state ball to which a large number will be invited. A large marquee will be erected in close proximity to the house so as to provide the necessary accommodation for the guests.

PERMANENT FORCE TO BE REDUCED.

It is about decided to reduce the strength of the permanent corps from July 3. It is expected that at least 250 men will be discharged at the end of the fiscal year, which, on an average of $400 each, a very moderate allowance when pay, rations, uniforms and transport are taken into consideration, will mean a saving to the country of $100,000. This amount, added to the appropriation which may be specially voted, if expended in drilling the city and rural corps will, to a certain extent, remove the reproach that the volunteers are being "starved." It is held in the general interest of the force that a reduction of the permanent corps must not be too sweeping.

MCCARTHY AND LIEUT.-GOV. SCHULTZ

The question of the action of Dr. Schultz, Lieutenant Governor of Manitoba, in consulting Dr. Bourinot concerning the school question and the remedial order, and the action to be taken on it, and then making the opinion public, formed the subject of an important and interesting discussion on Thursday. Mr. McCarthy as he had intimated on Wednesday, called the attention of the House to the question and proceeded to give his opinion of the Hon. Dr. Schultz. He made some reflections and imputed motives to the Governor, and suspected that he had made a deal with the Dominion Government. He called the matter a conspiracy. Hon. Mr. Foster defended the action of the Lieut.-Governor.

TO END IN A COMPROMISE.

And now comes the announcement that negotiations with Premier Greenway are in progress to settle the Manitoba Schools question by compromise. Greenway is coming to Ottawa to talk things over with his friends, and it is said that Lord Aberdeen has advised him privately to smooth matters over in some way. After all the fuss there has been over the Manitoba schools, a compromise is a rather ignominious ending. People generally expected a very different conclusion.

CONDITION CONSIDERABLE.

The Cabinet was in session Saturday considering the supplementary estimates.

The inland revenue accrued during April totalled $748,923, an increase of $811,000 over the same month last year.

Chinese immigration last month fell off slightly, the total number paying poll tax being 173, as against 185 for the same month last year.

A delegation waited upon the Government Friday afternoon to ask a bonus from the Government for the proposed exhibition in Montreal. It is reported they want about a quarter of a million dollars.

Mr. John Costigan has brought down the report of the Department of Marine. It shows that the total number of wrecks in Canadian waters during the last fiscal year was eighty six, representing the loss of ten lives and three hundred and twenty two thousand dollars.

At the Agriculture Committee on Tuesday Prof. Robertson, Dominion Dairy Commissioner, gave a resume of the work done during the year. He spoke of the success of the travelling dairy stations in Manitoba and the Northwest, and said that butter was selling in Manitoba for five cents per pound. The only way to improve this trade was to manufacture butter for the export trade.

Mr. Borden had asked whether the Government is aware of the existence in the State of New York, and elsewhere in the United States of a dangerous pest known as the San Jose scale which infests the apple and other fruit trees, and which may be introduced into this country with the nursery stock now in course of importation. If so, what action does the Government propose to take? Hon. Dr. Montague replied that the Government were fully informed of such a pest in certain sections of the United States, but it was the belief of leading scientific men that it would not extend to Canada. Should it do so the Government were making all preparations to see that it found no foothold in Canada.

ACTION A DEAD ISSUE

[illegible] Joseph Nicol, Mayor [illegible] today that confederation is dead [illegible] Canada has refused to assume the Newfoundland debt of $15,000,000 and Great Britain has declined to interfere while Newfoundland is a self governing colony. The Whitewayites are preparing a retrenchment scheme, but admit it is insufficient to meet the present difficulties.

FROST DAMAGES AT GARVILLE.

Fruits Generally Suffer Disastrously on Sunday Night.

The damage to the small fruit growers is extensively born, and the fruit orchards is great. Ice was formed half an inch thick. The extreme warm weather of the past week or more advanced vegetation and bloom rapidly. Strawberry patches were becoming white with blossoms, being the earliest for many years.

These were all killed, which means an extra heavy loss to the many growers here. Cherries and plums were in full bloom, and are greatly damaged. Pears and apples escaped with slight injury, owing in many places to not being sufficiently advanced. Early vegetable gardeners will lose heavily, as beans, corn and potatoes were killed.

In "The Progress of the World" of the May *Review of Reviews* foreign affairs receive considerable attention. The Japanese treaty, the British campaign in Chitral, French aggression in Africa, the peace outlook in Europe, the attitude of the powers in reference to the Armenian atrocities, the change in the Speakership of the British House of Commons, the question of Welsh disestablishment, and the great boot and shoe strike in England, are among the subjects discussed.

Minard's Liniment for Rheumatism.

GUELPH DISTRICT MEETING.

Interesting Annual Meeting and Class-Meeting Convention.

The annual meeting of Guelph District of the Methodist Church was held here on Monday and Tuesday. About thirty ministers, seventeen lay representatives and a number of visitors were present.

The meeting opened on Monday morning at eleven o'clock, Rev. W. C. Henderson D. D., Guelph, chairman, presiding. Portions of scripture were read by Rev. J. C. Stevenson, Secretary, and prayer was offered by Revs. Wm. Savage and S. Sellery, B.D.

At the election of a District Secretary, Rev. A. J. Irwin, B. D., Norval, was chosen, with J. H. McLean, B. A., and W. J. Magwood, assistants.

The business of the meeting up to 3.30 in the afternoon, was devoted to the examination of ministerial character; examining the probationers coming up for ordination and the candidates applying for entrance to the ministry.

The following young men, having completed their studies and finished the required probation, were recommended to be received into full connection and ordained:—J. H. McLean, B. A., W. J. Magwood, and G. W. Johnson. These will be ordained at the coming conference at Hamilton.

The young men received as candidates are Geo. R. Kitching, son of John Kitching, Nassagaweya, and brother of Rev. J. W. Kitching, and Arthur H. Crosby, of Marden, nephew of Rev. Thomas Crosby, the well-known missionary at Port Simpson, B. C.

At 3.30 the class-meeting convention was opened. Mr. G. A. Barker, of Guelph, gave a most interesting and helpful paper on "The most successful methods of leading a class." Mr. Barker is a leader of long experience and many hints of value were given. Rev. J. C. Stevenson, of Elora, was able from a successful pastorate of a quarter of a century to give excellent pointers upon "The formation of the membership into Classes."

The evening session was largely attended. The first subject "How best to secure regular attendance at Class" was discussed by Rev. T. Amy, of Nassagaweya, in an able manner. Rev. Dr. W. S. Griffin, of Toronto, gave a most interesting address upon "The Class meeting; its place in the Methodist Church."

"Following each address general discussion was engaged in. A series of questions appropriate to this important subject were addressed by the chairman at the close. The convention must have a beneficial influence upon the class-meeting in the various churches represented.

On Tuesday morning the laymen from the various circuits were present and the financial and general work of each circuit was reviewed. The reports showed a net increase in membership of 160, and that the various circuit and connexional funds were loyally sustained. The total amount contributed for ministerial support was $11,915, and for connexional funds $4,080.77.

No changes of circuit boundaries was made, but what was perhaps the most spirited discussion of the meeting was the proposal to change Corwhin appointment on Nassagaweya circuit to Aberfoyle, and Moffat, on the latter, to the former, in order to secure more compact circuits to each. No change was effected.

The following representatives to Conference committees were elected:

STATIONING COMMITTEE—Rev. J. E. Howell, M. A.

SUNDAY SCHOOL COMMITTEE—R. J. A. Moir, B. D., and H. P. Moore.

EPWORTH LEAGUE COMMITTEE—Rev. S. Sellery, B. D., and H. W. Kennedy, B. A.

MISSIONARY COMMITTEE—W. G. Smith.

The lay representatives to Conference to be held in Hamilton, commencing Wednesday 29th inst., are as follows:

GUELPH—NORFOLK STREET—W. G. Smith, Dr. James Mills and Judge Jamieson.

GUELPH—DUBLIN STREET—G. A. Barker, R. E. Nelson, J. W. B. Kelly.

GUELPH—PARKER STREET—Samuel Carter.

PONSONBY—Charles Hicklin.

ELORA—John Mundell, John [illegible].

FERGUS—John Hunt, Robert Moore.

ERAMOSA—James McCulloch.

ABERFOYLE—B. Falconbridge.

MARYVILLE—John Near, (Orton.)

BELWOOD—Jno. A. Henderson (Drew.)

NASSAGAWEYA—John Kitching (Corwhin.)

ROCKWOOD—Samuel Harris.

EVERTON—George Leslie, (Acton.)

ACTON—H. P. Moore, Dr. Uren.

GEORGETOWN—H. W. Kennedy, B. A.

NORVAL—Robert Watson.

ERIN—F. S. Near, R. S. Hendershot (Salthouse.)

The following resolution was heartily carried:

"Moved by Rev. J. C. Stephenson, seconded by W. G. Smith and resolved that the hearty thanks of this meeting be presented to the pastor of this church, Rev. J. E. Howell, M. A., and to the secretary of the Stationing Committee, H. P. Moore, Esq. for their attention to the comfort of the members of the meeting during its present session, and also to the members of the congregation who have so hospitably entertained the ministers and lay delegates composing the annual meeting of the Guelph District." Carried.

The proceedings were concluded at 4.30 with the doxology and prayer by Rev. John Hough.

Rev. Neal Savage, of Guelph, has been in the ministry for 58 years and is still hale and hearty and held three services last Sunday.

The members of the District were pleased to have Rev. Dr. Griffin, the Treasurer of the Superannuation Fund, of Toronto, at the session as usual.

Rev. Matthew Swan, of Fergus, was clerk of Acton's business meeting fifty years ago. He was then in partnership with the late John Speight in the cabinet business.

Rev. Dr. Stronguan, of Erin, who attended the District Meeting, returned last week from his visit to Palestine very much benefitted in health and delighted with his trip.

Rev. G. A. Mitchell, B. A., of Milton, secretary of the Board of Examiners, was an interested visitor on Monday. Ministerial brethren of long years ago were glad to welcome him.

This is the first meeting of Guelph district for many years that Rev. Father Fear, of Elora, has been absent. He is probably the oldest Methodist minister in Canada, being now in his 94th year.

At the inception of the erection of the Methodist Church, twenty years ago, Rev. Jno. C. Stevenson, of Elora, was the pastor. His many friends here were pleased at the opportunity of renewing his acquaintance.

Isaac Francis Thoms, senior Judge of the County of Huron died on Tuesday morning, after an illness of two weeks.

It is reported 200,000 head of cattle are now waiting in Texas and New Mexico to be transferred to Wyoming and Montana feeding grounds.

HEALTH AND HAPPINESS

HOW IT WAS FOUND BY A LANARK COUNTY LADY.

She Had Suffered for Years From Weakness and Pains in the Back—Sciatica had Complicated the Trouble and Added to Her Misery—Her Health Almost Miraculously Restored.

From the Brockville Recorder.

Over a prosperous farm in the township of Montague, Lanark county, lives Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wood, esteemed by all who know them. Mrs. Wood was born in the village of Merrickville, and spent her whole life there until her marriage, and her many friends are congratulating her on her recovery to health and strength after years of pain and suffering. When the correspondent of the *Recorder* called at the Wood homestead, Mrs. Wood, although now not looking the least like an invalid, said that since girlhood and until recently, she was troubled with a weak back which gave her great pain at times. As she grew older the weakness increased, and for nearly twenty years she was never free from it. About a year ago her misery was increased by an attack of sciatica, and this with her back trouble forced her to take to bed, where she remained a helpless invalid for over four months. Different doctors attended her and she tried numerous remedies said to be a cure for her trouble, but despite all she continued to grow worse. She was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, but she had dosed herself with so many medicines that her faith in the healing virtues of anything was about gone, and she had fully made up her mind that her trouble was incurable. At last a friend urged her so strongly that she consented to give the Pink Pills a trial. Before the first box was all used she felt a slight improvement, which determined her to continue this treatment. From that out she steadily improved, and was soon able to be up and about the house. A further use of the Pink Pills drove away every vestige of the pains which had so long afflicted her, and she found herself again enjoying the blessing of perfect health. Eight months have passed since she ceased using the Pink Pills, and in that time she has been entirely free from pain or weakness, and says she is confident no other medicine could have performed the wonder Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done for her. She says "I feel happy not only because I am now free from pain or ache, but because if my old trouble should return at any time I know to what remedy to look for a release."

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ESQUESING TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

A Brief Session.—Some Amendments to Overseer's By-law. Date Fixed for Court of Revision.

Council met pursuant to adjournment and all the members present. Reeve in the chair.

Communication was read from J. W. Elliott, (solicitor), Black vs. Esquesing.

Petition from David Cox and seven others asking Council to open the road on the town line between Esquesing and Nassagaweya opposite lots 16 and 17.

Moved by Mr. Lawson, seconded by Mr. Stewart, that leave be granted to introduce a By law to amend By law No. 495, appointing Overseers of Highways and that the same be read the first time. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Stewart, seconded by Mr. Wrigglesworth, that Messrs. Lawson, Stalker and the mover be a committee to act with a committee from Nassagaweya Council and examine the town line opposite lots 16 and 17, with the view of having the same opened for travel. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Lawson, seconded by Mr. Stalker, that the Treasurer be authorized to pay the following accounts:

R. D. Warren, printing	$ 3.00
R. D. Warren, advt.	1.00
C. P. Preston, for attendance at Court of Revision of the Voters' List of Dominion Franchise Act	3.00
J. W. Murray, per order of Elora Murray, rent of Council Chamber till June 1st, 1895	6.00
John Irwin, per James Arnott, pathmaster, town line, 500 feet 3 inch plank, Chinguacousy, paying a like amt.	[illegible]
To the Reeve for support of Baby Trahey	1.00

Moved by Mr. Wrigglesworth, seconded by Mr. Stalker, that the Treasurer be authorized to pay the following amounts, being in each case two thirds value of sheep killed by dogs, the owners thereof being unknown:

Joseph Arthur, one sheep	[illegible]

Carried.

Moved by Mr. Stewart, seconded by Mr. Stalker, that the By law amending By law No. 495, appointing Overseers of Highways be now read the second and third times and passed, and that the blanks in the By law be filled in as follows, viz.

Alex. McNab in room of Peter Pedlar, resigned, William Brownbridge in room of William Cunningham, resigned, John Leslie in room of Malcolm McPherson, resigned, John Lindsay, jr. in room of Charles Meredith, resigned. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Wrigglesworth, seconded by Mr. Lawson, that this Council do now adjourn to meet on the 27th inst. as a Court of Revision and for other business. Carried.

The Council then adjourned.

A CYCLING MECCA IN ONTARIO.

Bicycling is assuming such proportions in Canada that in every neighborhood there are young riders who give promise of developing into speedy racers, besides scores of enthusiastic wheelmen who ride for pleasure and not for speed. To all these interest will attach to the announcement that the St. Thomas Bicycle Club, the second oldest, if not the oldest club in the C.W.A., will hold a great meet on the Queen's Birthday. In 1892 the Canadian Wheelman's Association was organized in St. Thomas, and this is the first ambitious effort in the way of a cycle gathering the club has attempted since that occasion. A new cinder track expected to be one of the fastest in Canada, is being built, hundreds of dollars worth of prizes will be offered, and all indications point to the meet being the greatest affair of the season, excepting the C.W.A. meet.

Farmers wanting Hardy, Native Stock to plant this coming Fall or Spring may pay for it in work. We want men with or without experience on full or part time. Salary and expenses or commission. Write at once for further information. BROWN BROTHERS COMPANY, Continental Nurseries, Toronto, Ont.

THE NEWS OF THE DAY.

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

A Baptist church has been formed in Pelican with 22 members.

The Premier and the Attorney General of Manitoba will leave Winnipeg for Ottawa on Thursday.

The cholera outbreak at Mecca is becoming worse. On an average 25 deaths from the disease occur daily.

Dr. William Peterson, Principal of Dundee University, has been offered the Principalship of McGill.

The body of Mrs. Brown was stolen from a cemetery at Romanville, where it had been buried for fourteen years.

The town of Milton has decided to appeal against the decision of the Judge in the suit of Geo. Winn & Son v. Town of Milton.

There are over one hundred more liquor licenses issued in the city of Montreal than there are for the whole Province of Ontario.

Guelph's water main burst in the East Ward on Saturday, and the city water supply was completely shut off for six or eight hours.

Three boys were upset out of a boat at Waterford on Saturday. One of the lads named Green lost his life in an unsuccessful attempt to save Chart, his companion, who was unable to swim.

An extra of the Canada Gazette was issued Tuesday calling the usual corps to assemble for twelve days' training in camps of instruction. The Ontario camps will be held on the 18th of June.

By the explosion of a steamer's boiler on St. Clair River on Monday, a coal passer, was killed, the engineer drowned and the fireman fatally injured. At the time of the explosion their were 40 passengers aboard but a panic was averted.

Members of the House learned with regret on Tuesday, that the Minister of Justice had been peremptorily ordered by the physicians to take a rest. Since his partial recovery from the attack of illness a month ago, Sir Charles H. Tupper has not been able to transact more than an hour's work a day. Even that amount of exertion has weakened him, and at present time there is a slight hemorrhage of the lungs. The Minister has acceded to the command of his medical attendant, and to day left for Lakewood, N.Y., where he will remain until about the 26th inst., or possibly longer. Lady Tupper accompanied him.

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R. AGNEW.

Acton, May 8th, 1895.

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THE undersigned desires to sell his 200 acre farm, lot 24, Con. 1, Erin. It has 70 acres under cultivation and has sufficient hardwood and cedar timber to pay one-half the price asked for the place. It is well watered. A new house is now under construction. For terms and particulars apply to

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This fine animal is also offered for sale.

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Acton, April 22nd, 1895.

NO TRESPASSING.

THE public is hereby notified that no fishing, shooting or swimming on the creek running through the east part of lots 29, 30, 31, and the west part of lot 31 in the 7th concession, Nassagaweya, are prohibited. Trespassers will be prosecuted under the Ontario game laws.

W. STARK, for Lessees.

Acton, April 25th, 1895.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that fishing and shooting on the stream running through the east part of lots 29, 30, 31, and the west part of lot 31 in the 7th concession, Nassagaweya, are prohibited. Trespassers will be prosecuted under the Ontario game laws.

W. STARK, for Lessees.

Acton, April 25th, 1895.

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A GOOD MAN in your district to represent the "Foothill Nurseries of Canada," over 700 acres the largest in the Dominion. Position permanent. Salary or Commission to right man.

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TENDERS FOR PARK.

DOMINION DAY—JULY 1st, 1895

THE undersigned will receive tenders for the use of the Park for Dominion Day, up to Saturday, 1st June. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

THOS. T. MOORE, Municipal Clerk.

Acton, May 7th, 1895.

ADMINISTRATOR'S

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Of the late John Speight, (DECEASED)

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the Revised statutes of Ontario, chapter 110 and amending acts, that all persons having claims against the estate of John Speight, late of the village of Acton, in the County of Halton, wagon maker, deceased, who died on or about the 13th day of June, 1891, are required on or before the 15th day of June, 1895, to send by post prepaid, or deliver to Joseph Albert Speight, administrator of said deceased at the said village of Acton, a statement in writing, containing their names, addresses and the description and full particulars of their claims, duly verified, and the nature of the security, if any, held by them.

And notice is hereby further given that on and after the 15th day of June next, the said Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he then shall have had notice, and will not be liable for the said assets of any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim he has not had notice at the time of such distribution.

DOUGLAS & MURRAY, 61 Victoria St., Toronto, Solicitor for said Administrator.

Dated at Toronto this 1st day of May, 1895.

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