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RESERVE FUND $675,000
TOTAL ASSETS ..... $8,563,919.

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Are you thinking about purchasing? Call in and see our prices; see the latest designs.

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GEO. HYNDS, Acton, Ont

The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, MAY 16, 1895

LITTLE LOCAL BRIEFLETS

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

—Pic-nic fishing parties are now the fad.

—Council meeting next Monday evening.

—Furs have been resurrected again this week.

—It is believed that in some places the grain has been injured by the frost.

—The heavy frosts this week were very trying to fruit bloom and young plants.

—Messrs. McGibbon Bros. left on Monday to take possession of the Clark House, Georgetown.

—The mercury dropped on Saturday after the thunderstorm from 78° at noon to 48° at six p. m.

—It is easy to sell goods the virtues of which are known—therefore advertise the virtues of your goods.

—The Council of the township of Nassagaweya, will meet on Monday, 27th May, as a court of Revision.

—The snow storm on Tuesday was as unprecedent as it was unwelcome. About two inches of snow fell.

—Improvements to many of our homes and their surroundings continue to keep carpenters and painters busy.

—The store should keep its advertising department busy if it expects its advertising department to keep the store busy

—Mr. J. Cripps is now running his portable shingle mill at Brown's saw mill He will cut a stock of pine and cedar shingles there.

—Mr. J. J. Kelly, of Plattsville, was in town this week removing his household goods. He reports business good in his line at Plattsville.

—Mr. George Wilds has in his possession a splendid specimen of a wild goose. He caught it the other morning on Agnes street near his residence

Personals.

Miss Lasby, of Ponsonby, visited friends here the past week.

Mr. J. J. Pearson, of Toronto, was home for a few days this week.

The family of Mr. W. H Walker, of Mitchell, have moved to town

Miss Nina Miller, of Georgetown, visited Miss Minnie Harding last week

Miss Mabel Brown, of Toronto is spending a week or so with friends here

Mr. R. Hemstreet and Mr. Henry House of Milton, were in town on Thursday.

Mr. Varey, of Toronto, spent a few days during the week with relatives in town

Miss Lasby, of Pilkington, has been the guest of friends here the past week or so

Mr. and Mrs. Madge, of Brantford, were guests of Mrs. John L. Charles this week

Mr. and Mrs. March, of Brantford, are guests of their daughter, Mrs John L. Charles.

Mr. Arthur Laing returned from his phonographic concert tour through Michigan last week

Miss Belle Peters, teacher of the second department of the Public School, received the sad news of the death of her brother, Dr. J. B. Peters, at Medicine Hat, N. W. T. of typhoid.

Mr. J. A. Lambert, proprietor of the Mount Forest *Representative*, formerly foreman of the FREE PRESS, was last week elected superintendent of the Methodist Sunday School of his town

WOOL WANTED 50,000 lbs of clean washed merchantable wool for which the highest price possible will be paid, when delivered at the Market House, Georgetown Deliver early so that it will be all in by the end of June. WM. McLEAN

—The "Knoll Washing Machine, manufactured in Brantford, is the best washer made. It took the first prize among 800 at the World's Fair, and was successful in taking the first premium and gold medal For sale by John Matthews, Willow street, Acton.

—THE 24TH AT GEORGETOWN The horse races at Georgetown on the 24th promise to be even more successful than those of former years. The track there is in first class condition and the excellent grand stand and grounds make it possible to witness the events with great pleasure. The calithumpian procession will be a wonderful affair and the lacrosse and base ball matches of more than ordinary interest The committee are hard at work in their effort to make the day so successful that everybody that goes will be delighted. The railways give single fare, good going 23rd and 24th and returning up to 25th.—*Adv.*

THE NEWS AT HOME.

Mostly of a Local Character, and Every Item Interesting.

A New Brick House.

Mr. Donald Mann has returned to Acton from Hillsburg, and is now engaged in building a residence for himself on his farm south of "Fairy Lake." It will be a veneered terra cotta brick. J. J. Lawson has the contract Mr. Mann intends to work his farm himself next year.

News of the Churches.

The next meeting of Guelph Presbytery will be held in Chalmer's Church next Tuesday, 28th May.... The annual conference of the Synod of Toronto and Kingston opened at Orangeville Monday. Rev. J. W. Rae is attending.... Rev. J. E. Howell M. A., will preach a special sermon to young men next Sunday evening.... The last of the series of Epworth Evenings will be held by the League next Monday evening. It will be in the form of an "At Home."

Our County Post Offices.

The following figures which include a statement of gross receipts, salaries and allowances of some of the most important post-offices in Halton are taken from the Auditor General's report for the year ending 30th June, 1894. Gross receipts: Oakville, $8105.63; Georgetown, $2890.81; Milton, $2765.91; Acton, $2682.45, Burlington, $1506.21; Norval, $390.94; Bronte, $238.34; Campbellville, $380.19; Nassagaweya, $254.89. The total amount of post office revenue for the year was $1,946,004.63; paid for salaries and allowances, $162,841.88.

Queen's Birthday Celebration.

The joint committee of the Base Ball Club and Acton Cornet Band promise the following attractions for Friday, 24th May, in Acton: Calithumpian parade at 9 a. m.; Lacrosse Match—Acton vs. Glenwilliams—at 10.30; Championship Base Ball match Acton vs. Campbellville—at 3 p.m.; Bicycle Races—half mile, open, boys under 15; 1 mile open to all, 2 miles open to all, 5 miles open to all; Foot Races 100 yards, 200 yards, half mile; Tub and Boat races, for all of which suitable prizes are offered. Acton Cornet Band will be present during the day and will render an attractive programme of music. In the evening a popular entertainment will be given in the town hall.

General Damage by Frost

There were several degrees of frost experienced in many parts of Ontario on Saturday and Sunday. Flowers, fruit trees and vegetables were this season rushed on by the genial sun and kindly showers until they were in advance of other years by a week or two. Over-confident gardeners, in many cases trusting that the cold winds and frost were all over for a season, planted out early vegetables and delicate flowers that for some time yet should be under glass Monday morning, they found the plots of vegetable and flower beds blackened by frost. The plum and pear, peach and grape crops are almost ruined. The usual June frost has come early, and has done greater damage than it could possibly do at its proper time.

Rev. Dr. Paton's Success

Many of our readers will remember the soul-stirring address of Rev. Dr. Paton the venerable missionary to the New Hebrides, in Knox Church some time ago. Dr. Paton has arrived at the scene of his labors again and a letter to the press tells the result of his efforts during his tour:—He says: "You will be glad to hear that from my recent tour in America and Great Britain I was used of God so to draw forth the liberality of His people that he enabled me to hand over to our church and mission nearly £26,000—$130,000—on my return, including £2,000 toward the support of the new mission vessel, as well as a subscription of £3,000 to be paid yearly by Christian friends for the same purpose. I had joy in so working for Jesus, my church and mission, and of getting the sympathy, prayers and help of very many of his dear servants in all branches of the church, to whom I feel forever grateful."

Beware of Him.

A sharper is working successfully a number of the eastern towns. His mode of procedure, says an exchange, is to visit a furniture store, first telling a story of being newly married, and select a supply of furniture, sometimes totalling $100 worth, requests the bill, stating his intention of returning shortly to settle, and asks to be directed to a jeweler, piano dealer or hardware merchant. The first place he visits after making the first purchase, he tells the same tale, shows the bill of his first investments, and requests the location of another place of business he is in search of. He shows no coin of the realm with which to pay his indebtedness, and does not ask the delivery of the goods After making a tour, he returns to one of the stores where he thinks he can pull the proprietor A tale of money in the bank does duty but as the banks are closed he is willing to pay in cheques In making out the cheque he suddenly displays a small sum of money and after counting it, remarks he is short of enough to meet incidental expenses, and pleads with the merchant to advance him $10 or $15 which he will include in the cheque before him If the merchant is foolish enough to accede to his request he is just out the amount, for it afterwards transpires the fellow has no bank account whatever If he does not he has the satisfaction of doing business and still retaining possession of the goods The sharper is fairly well dressed and of an undeniable Hibernian appearance. He signs the cheques as Wm McKay.

NASSAGAWEYA.

The Guelph *Mercury* says "The service of praise in Chalmers Church Sunday was conducted by Mr McPhail, of Nassagaweya, whose leadership was much appreciated In the evening his solo, "The Holy City, was rendered in a manner not excelled in Guelph for many years, and stamps Mr McPhail as a high class singer. He has a tenor voice of great compass, very sympathetic, and of superior quality.

The sudden change in the weather has put quite a different look on the crops The frost on Sunday evening has damaged the fruit crop, and some of the pear trees were blackened, also the beech trees in the forests. It is some years since there was such a snow storm at this time of the year. The fields that looked green a week ago now look quite white with the snow

The Patrons of Industry, of Bloomsbury Association and the Patrons of Riverside received a car load of salt for each lodge on Saturday last from the Ontario Salt Works at Kincardine.

Miss Hannah Jepson, of Knatchbull, is laid up with congestion of the lungs.

The foxes are playing havoc among the poultry yards in this vicinity

Mr and Mrs. I. Kemp, of Eden Mills, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on Wednesday evening of last week. A most enjoyable evening was spent.

Pure maple syrup at A. I. Hemstreet's Acton. It is farmers' make.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

News Items Supplied by Correspondents and Exchanges.

CREWSONS CORNERS.

A few from here attended the Sunday-School Anniversary held in Eden Mills on Sunday.

The frost and cold wave did a great deal of damage to the spring grain and fruit crops in this district.

Mr. Jas. Moore, of Toronto, visited friends here for a few days last week

Miss Lizzie Coleman left on Monday for Toronto, after spending a few months very pleasantly at her home here.

The following change should be made in connection with the list of officers of the B.T. of T., as given in last week's correspondence; Mr. Nicholas Forbes, P.C., and Mrs. Jas. Clark, I.G.

LIMEHOUSE.

The saw mill has been running for a few days the last week.

The Toronto Lime Co. are very busy just now.

About 50 were in attendance at the opening of the Presbyterian S. S.

Almost all of the small fruit here was destroyed by Monday's frost.

Those who intend to try the entrance examination this year are taking an hours extra study every morning.

It is reported that Mr. John Newton and family are about to remove to Barnia, where he has gone into business. We wish Mr Newton all success in his new enterprise

ASHGROVE.

The song service on Sunday afternoon was enjoyed and we will have more of them.

The excellence of the work done by Mr. Hugh Mason with his new combi fly-shuttle loom, is bringing him many customers. He is able to weave considerably over twenty yards per day, but still cannot keep up with the rush.

The Sons of Temperance will hold an open meeting on Friday evening and an enjoyable time is expected. Good talent has been engaged from Milton, Georgetown and other places. Members of the division will render choice music and the programme will close with a short farce, entitled, "The Humors of the Strike" Three candidates were initiated on Friday evening.

ROCKWOOD

Mr. John Thompson has gone to Kansas where his brothers are living His many friends wish him success in Uncle Sam's domain.

St. John's congregation are very well pleased with Rev. Mr. Golden the new pastor

Mr. John Gibbons, agent for the Brantford bicycle, has been forced by pressing orders to go to Brantford to give his orders in person, as from the great demand for this wheel it is almost impossible to get wheels at present. Those who are forced to do without their wheels can afford to as they may be assured that when the wheels arrive they will be worth having

The directors of the Eramosa Agricultural Society are improving the race track in the exhibition grounds, and it will be in good condition for the annual exhibition The next improvement should be a cinder path for the bicyclists.

The cold snap we have had was as strange as the hot weather of last week

Mrs. T. West is spending a few weeks with her Berlin friends.

Mr M. P. Barry has returned from Montreal where he had been attending the funeral of the late Judge Barry

MILTON

Mr. J. S. Deacon, P.S.I. has been elected Superintendent of the Methodist Sunday School. He was presented the other evening by the Bible Class, of which he was for eight years the teacher, with a complimentary address and a very hand some bible.

Division Court will be held here next Friday.

Natives and old time residents of the Zimmerman neighborhood will hold a reunion at the old school house, Zimmerman, on Dominion Day

Pte. Rolston, of the 37th Batt., formerly of the 20th, will be a member of the Bisley team this year and goes to England to enter the competition.

John H. Shields, of Nelson, had a South down ewe that gave birth to two lambs on 23rd of April, both of which died in two days, and one week after the same ewe gave birth to two additional lambs, both of which are living and doing well *Champion.*

The Royal Templars purpose holding an entertainment in their Hall this evening

The ages of three of the communicants at Grace Church last Sunday morning aggregated 260 years. Two were aged 90 years each and the third 80

David Craig has sold his house and lots on King street to Mr. Leach (father of Mrs G. A. Hemstreet), of Toronto

Mrs Wm Robson and family for many years residents of Milton, removed to Toronto last week, where they intend to reside in future

BURLINGTON

W[illegible] are putting in their [illegible] the Council at its March meeting ordered to be sunk in various parts of the village for the purpose of fire protection. The large one at the corner of Brant and Water streets, capable of holding 14,000 gallons has been finished. There will be five others throughout the village at a distance of 1000 feet apart, with a capacity of 10,000 gallons. Now that the village has been provided with so much fire protection an effort should be made to have the fire insurance rate reduced

The concert in the town hall on Monday evening last under the auspices of the Fire Brigade was high class in many respects. The audience, however, was not at all creditable to the citizens of Burlington When we consider that our brigade is a voluntary one the least they can expect is the hearty support and goodwill of the citizens. The chair was occupied by Dr Richardson Mr G N Crooker, of Wood stock, sang three selections and each time received an enthusiastic encore. Miss Madge Anderson, elocutionist, did exceptionally well as did also Mrs Foster and the Burlington Quartette

New sidewalks are being laid in various parts of the village.

On Sunday, June 2nd, the Presbyterians will hold a jubilee, that date being their 50th anniversary Arrangements will be completed in a few days when full particulars will be made public.

The Sunday School of the Presbyterian Church have put in a new library consisting of over 200 volumes

The Sunday School anniversary of the Methodist Church will be held next Sabbath. The sermons will be preached by Mr. Alfred Day, of Toronto Special music will be given by a special choir and the S. S. Orchestra.

Y. P. S. C. E. CONVENTION.

First Convention Under the Authority of Guelph Presbytery.

The first Christian Endeavor Convention under the authority of the Presbytery of Guelph, was held in Hespeler, on Tuesday, the 7th May, and was a most successful one, both in regard to the number present, and the manner in which the subjects appointed for consideration were presented by the different speakers, and afterwards discussed by the representatives in attendance. With some two or three exceptions, every society in connection with congregations in the bounds was represented; in some cases several delegates having come.

The Rev. Dr. Dickson presided at the forenoon and afternoon meetings, and the Rev. D. Strachan, B. A., pastor of the church in which the meetings were held, in the evening, and both discharged their duties in a pleasant manner, and contributed to the interest of the proceedings. In the forenoon Miss L. Krebs introduced the subject of "Mission Bands, how fostered and developed," in a racy paper, full of wise suggestions and remarks. In the afternoon Mr. Mullan took up the subject "What shall I do for my own church? Mr. Atkinson "The relation of the pastor to the Society," Mr. Glassford, "What more can we do for our associate members than we are doing?" followed by Mr. J. P. McLaren and Mr. Smith; followed by Mr. McInnes on "The Christian Endeavor Society and the General Assembly." At the evening meeting "The Possibilities of the Society" was introduced by Mr. Rae. Reports as sent in were read in condensed and classified form, and the closing address was given by Dr. Dickson.

The different speakers presented the subjects assigned them in an able manner, keeping up the attention of the hearers. All taking part in the discussion showed their deep interest in the points raised. The meetings throughout were most successful, and an application will be made to the Presbytery to appoint a similar convention next year. A proposal was made, which is under consideration, for the Societies in the bounds to unite in supporting a foreign missionary for a term of years

Great credit is due to those in Hespeler having charge of the arrangements for the reception of delegates for the hospitality extended to these

GEORGETOWN

The Georgetown High School [illegible] club played a friendly game with the Collegiate Club at Guelph which resulted in a tie 2 goals each Play had been on for about ten minutes when it was stopped by the rain, which, however, did not stop the game, as play was resumed after the rain had stopped on a very muddy ground and a very heavy ball, which kept the teams from doing any kind of combination work. For the Collegiate, Johnson, Petrie and Till did good work, while Gant and Button played a good game for Georgetown.

The next meeting of the Flamborough Agricultural Association of No. 7 district will be held here

The bulk of the accounts passed at last meeting of the Council were for waterworks and streets.

The Georgetown Baseball Club has been organized for the season of 1895 with the following officers Pres, Jno Gane, Manager, H A Coffen, Capt. Herb Campbell, Sec. Treas, A H McConnell, Com, E B Garner, L. Howson, W Gilmer

Rev D A Moir, B D and H W Kennedy B A, were both elected to important conference committee at the District Meeting at Acton this week

A happy wedding took place at the residence of Wm. Carrique Esq, Georgetown, on Tuesday evening Under the inspiring strains of the wedding march, the bride and groom took their places under a handsome arch of evergreens and flowers The bride, Miss May Carrique was tastily attired, and assisted by her sister Miss Sada Carrique Mr Chas Elliott waited upon the groom. John Elliott Esq Merchant of Hamilton The ceremony was performed by Rev David A Moir B D After a sumptuous repast, the happy couple went east on their wedding tour.

HE DECEIVED THE PEOPLE

And is in the Penitentiary a Year

From the Lucas County Morning Citizen.

At Alantic, Iowa, on May 7 Orlando alias "Crip" Allor, was convicted of deceiving people by selling a worthless compound, which he represented to be Hood's Sarsaparilla, and was sentenced by Judge Macy to one year of hard labor in the Iowa State Penitentiary. Allor's methods were those of a travelling fakir He had been travelling through Missouri Nebraska and Iowa, making stands of a day or more in each town and representing himself as an agent under salary from C I Hood & Co and selling his concoction at one dollar or fifty cent. per bottle giving with each sale various other worthless articles Citizens of Griswold, Iowa became suspicious and ascertaining from a druggist that Allor's compound was not Hood's Sarsaparilla, but merely colored water had him arrested Three indictments were found against him, the jury convicted him after only thirty minutes deliberation and he was sentenced as above This incident suggests the wisdom of purchasing medicines from only reputable dealers whom you know Hood's Sarsaparilla is never sold by pedlers and such offering it should be at once reported to the authorities or to C I Hood & Co Lowell Mass

Mr Walter I Dunn[illegible] notified of the death of Mr James Robertson of the Globe Hotel St Catharines, dropped dead after indulging in some violent gymnastic exercises

See our nobby tweed suits made to order at $10.00 Stinson's A 1 tailoring house, Rockwood

Mr John Baxter Assistant Police Magistrate, who was for almost forty years connected with Toronto civic government died last Friday night at his residence on Spadina avenue

A well assorted stock of [illegible] crockery, glassware, lamps, oil, at reduced prices Thirty lbs good sugar for $1.00 cash at A. I. Hemstreet's, Acton

Thirty six lbs bright yellow sugar for $1.00 Stinson's Rockwood

Four inches of snow fell in the Niagara district on Tuesday

Ensilage corn turnip, carrot, mangold seeds at A. I. Hemstreet's, Acton

If you want first class Guelph sash and doors at Guelph prices T Ennis, can fill your order at his planing mill

B. B. B.

Purifies, renovates and regulates the entire system, thus curing dyspepsia, constipation, sick headache, biliousness, rheumatism, dropsy and all diseases of the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels It also removes all impurities from the system from a common pimple to the worst scrofulous sore.

The Ex-Mayor of Listowel has Discarded all Others.

He says: "I have for years been a sufferer from very severe bilious and neuralgic headaches, and I have tried many kinds of medicine—some with very fair results. But about a year ago I used Stark's Powders, and have since thus discarded all other remedies, as I found they gave immediate and perfect relief." S. Bricker, hardware merchant, ex mayor, Listowel.

Stark's Powders for costiveness, sick and nervous headache, Biliousness, Neuralgia, the stomach and liver. Two preparations in each box. Nice to take immediate and permanent. Sold by all druggists—25c a box, 5 boxes $1.

To Dye

Not to Dye

Is the question; which is better to wear that faded, shabby dress and endure the scornful looks of all your well-dressed neighbors, or to purchase a package of Diamond Dyes and restore its freshness to any other color—making a new dress for ten cents.

Diamond Dyes are made for home use. Absolutely reliable. Any color. Sold everywhere. 10 cents a package. Direction book and 40 samples of colored cloth, free. WELLS & RICHARDSON CO. Montreal, P.Q.

STARK'S K'S POWDERS

Cure SICK HEADACHE and Neuralgia in 20 MINUTES, [illegible] Coated Tongue, Dizziness, Dyspepsia, Pain in the Side, Constipation, [illegible] VERY NICE TO TAKE. PRICE 25 CENTS AT DRUG STORES.

Bargains

Window Shades [illegible] Spring Rollers, all colors from 25c up

Curtain Poles

New Goods. Two and Five Cents Complete

[illegible] Wall Paper [illegible] assortment is the best at prices from 4c a roll up, with a border to match given free with every paper

ANNUAL CLEARING SALE CHEMIST & OPTICIAN

J. V. KANDAWIN

Dress Goods Selling

[illegible] Prints Wash [illegible] less to quote prices when [illegible] large Here are just two [illegible] with plenty of others [illegible] They will rush Dress Goods [illegible] week

35 ct [illegible] of Plain Colored Silk Cords, Mottled Combs Stripes and Check Serges Ac In all about 50 pieces to clear this week

50 ct [illegible] All Wool Plain and Broaded Black Goods, Fancy Shot Effects, Fancy Checks & Mottled Tweed Effects, Plain Serges Crepons Henriettas In all about 15 pieces to clear this week

[illegible] at 2 [illegible] in this, as well [illegible]

ATTENTION [illegible] Black Dress Goods [illegible] you will see it almost any price We import their goods [illegible] for good Black Mourning and Wearing Goods they have very few rivals They are superb in all the better grades In low priced goods plenty of other makes are just as good Not so on the finer fabrics See our variety

CARPETS

Tapestries at 20 worth 35 40 and [illegible] respectively
INGRAINS at 80 90 and 95 worth $1.00, $1.10 and $1.25 respectively
Wool and Union Carpets at 35c to $1 per yard superb

SHADES.

About 200 [illegible] beautifully trimmed Window Shades at a straight discount of 33 1 3 per cent which makes them just that much the cheapest goods in Guelph

Men's Clothing! Boys Clothing! Come [illegible] at this week at last week's advertised Bargains

E. R. Bollert & Co.

25 and 27 Wyndham Street.

GUELPH, ONT.

UP TO DATE WAY OF CONDUCTING A CARPET DEPARTMENT.

Home dealers would have you to believe that the up to date way of conducting a carpet business is in buying a few pieces from the Jobbers in Toronto, compelling the selections to be made from a limited stock, and paying a profit to the Toronto wholesalers, that the purchasing public should have the benefit of. Some add to this a range of samples loaned by their Toronto friends to apparently magnify their stock.

This was considered to be an enterprising and up to date method ten or twenty years ago, but in this progressive age when the efforts of to-day beat yesterday, and to-morrow beats to-day, it is looked upon as ancient Rip-Van-Wiggle way of conducting a carpet business. It is not our way. We claim we are UP TO DATE.

WHY?

Because we IMPORT DIRECT, consequently save our customers the wholesalers' profit. We select our carpets from the mills of such renowned manufacturers as Brintons and Whittalls, of Kidderminster, and John Crossley & Sons, Halifax, England and A.W. & J. Sinclair, New York and Philadelphia—the products of whose looms have a world wide and deserved reputation for excellence of fabric, richness and durability of color, novelty and beauty of design.

Being DIRECT IMPORTERS, buying for cash, and the large volume of business transacted in this department, compelling us to replenish our stock season by season, affords us the advantage of offering goods containing new ideas in designing and color combinations at the lowest possible price, consistent with quality. In visiting our carpet room, which is the largest and best lighted in the city, easy of access, being on the ground floor, you are not invited to look upon a crude collection of remains from past seasons, but a bright, new stock selected with great care and shrewdness, comprising over 100 rolls received this season.

NOTE SOME OF OUR PRICES.

Brussels at	$ .85	Velvet Pile (Crossley's)	1 25	Wool C. C.	50c
Brussels, extra value	95	Wilton	1 35	Wool, Ex. Super	80c
Brussels, best quality	1 10	Wilton	1 50	Oilcloth	25c up
Moquettes	1 00	Hemp	15c up	Linoleum	50c up
Axminster	1 35	Tapestry	25c up	Carpet Sweepers	$2 75
		Union	35c up		

A matter that receives careful study from us is, how we can serve our customers satisfactorily in every detail. We have accomplished this in the past, and are still planning and thinking.

G. B. RYAN & CO., Guelph.

No Second Price.

AT THE RIGHT HOUSE

Umbrellas and Parasols in good demand. We are showing a magnificent stock of the latest novelties in Fancy Parasols, as used in London and Paris. Very pretty striped Silk Sunshades, with choice handles, from $1.80 to $3.50 each. New ideas in Fancy Shot Silk Parasols, which are the most elegant styles used this season. White Sunshades, in great numbers of designs. They will be much used this season. Some Chiffon draped, others White Brocaded Silk Mixtures, others in Plain White Silk, and with suitable handles to match at very reasonable prices. See the special lot of Fancy White Silk Parasols at $1.50. The new Needle, or Tube, *en bout cas* Sunshade in Plain Taffeta and Taffeta Shot Silks, also shown in Plain Black Silks and Satins. In Plain Umbrellas we have an immense variety to select from, the wear of each one guaranteed satisfactory to the purchaser

Mantles at Reduced Prices.

Mantles and Capes. We never had such a charming variety of these goods as shown this season and the prices are reasonable Capes in New Perforated Cloth in Black and Colors; Capes made of Silk and Satin, elaborately hand-beaded; Capes made of silk and lace for warmer weather; Capes for young, married and elderly ladies are all represented in profusion. Quite a number of this season's mantles have been reduced in price. Some capes formerly $13.50 reduced to $10. Others formerly $15 reduced to $12. $23 Capes reduced to $14. $17 Capes to $12. $8 Capes to $6.50.

Shirt Waists and Blouses, in an immense range of patterns, kept in all sizes. A special lot of Shirt Waists, pretty patterns, at 95c. each.

Silk Skirts, as worn in Paris, shown in a variety of styles, patterns and shades. New styles in Colored Cotton Skirts; some lace trimmed. Others have new braid designs A large variety of the newest styles in LADIES' PRINT WRAPPERS just received and placed in stock. New Lawn Dresses. New Black and Navy Blue Serge Skirts. Also an elegant assortment of imported wrappers in fancy designs, also in opera shade.

30 packages of new goods placed in stock this week. Come and see them You will always find something new, something stylish and pretty on our counters.

Our Hosiery Stock, also the Ladies' Gentlemen's and Boys Underwear Stock, is fully assorted with suitable goods for the coming season

Mail Order Department. For the benefit of those not living in the city, we will send samples to any address on application, and will prepay charges to your nearest railway station (in Ontario) on all orders amounting to $5 and upwards. Satisfaction guaranteed.

THE RIGHT HOUSE,
Corner Hughes
Hamilton, May 9th, 1895

THOMAS C WATKINS

LISTEN!

PRINGLE takes the prize [illegible] with his watch work [illegible] men on watches who do nothing [illegible] workman constantly on Clocks, [illegible] nothing else, and one working at [illegible] Jewelry and Spectacles Every article carefully examined by Pringle personally and not passed until perfect Don't [illegible] the watchmaker who is giving you satisfaction, but if you have any work at which others have failed give Pringle, of Guelph a trial You can see that such system can not fail to give good results as Pringle is a thorough mechanic of long experience

PRINGLE, Guelph.

WANTED [illegible]

WINDOW SHADES

[illegible] Carpets Oilcloths Linoleums Portable Houses [illegible] Cash [illegible]

$1.60, 2.00, 3.00 SHOES

Ordered Work and Repairing receive best attention.

Good Assortment of Trunks and Valises.

WILLIAM WILLIAMS,
Mill St. - ACTON

Acton Saw Mills,
COAL AND WOOD YARDS

JAMES BROWN
MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN
Lumber, Lath, Shingles Coal and Wood

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

Henderson & Co.

NEW GOODS

[illegible] Stock is more complete [illegible] and exceptional values are the rule [illegible]

Lace Curtains

[illegible] to hand a splendid range [illegible] we picked up this week and [illegible] Day See them before they all go

Parasols

[illegible] be found in [illegible] and trimmed A large [illegible] to day

Boys Suits

[illegible] because you do not keep them [illegible] room off the store

Men's Furnishings

particularly strong in the [illegible] stock of Men's Hats and [illegible] Customers will find us show[illegible] goods See our Ibex Collar, [illegible] and the newest things in [illegible]

Bargains in Boots and Shoes and Groceries

Henderson & Co.

P S Our Miss Stone is visiting the [illegible] this week in search of novelties of all kinds. [illegible] something new for we are bound to lead the procession

H. & CO

Up To Date Goods.

New Hats, Dunlop's Latest.
New Straws, the Newest.
New Colored Shirts, very Choice
New Suitings and Overcoatings.
Special Unlaundried Shirts at 50 cents

R. E. NELSON,
Leading Tailor and Furnisher,
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