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The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER, 26, 1895

LITTLE LOCAL BRIEFLETS

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

—Brampton's rate has been struck at 20 mills.

—Order your printing for Acton Fair to-day.

—Vote for the Fire Protection by law on Saturday, 5th October.

—The forest trees are putting on their autumnal tints for 1895.

—Thomas Morton is again proprietor of the Palace Barber Shop.

—Hoist your flags and bunting next Tuesday and Wednesday.

—Acton Exhibition—open to all next Tuesday and Wednesday.

—Mr. E. J. Vanzitter is relieving Agent Holmes at the G.T.R. station.

—The FREE PRESS job department is crowded with orders at present

—Short services were the order on Sunday. The mercury registered between 80 and 90.

—The Brampton *Conservator* is now published semi-weekly. It is an enterprising journal.

—Mr. Wm. Hemstreet secured second prize on his team of roadsters at Guelph exhibition last week.

—A number of our citizens have attended the Hunter and Crossley meetings at Guelph during this week.

—The biggest mangolds reported thus far this season have been grown by Mr. Robert Wallace. They measure 22 inches in circumference.

—The new sidewalk on Park Avenue from Mill Street to the park entrance will be appreciated by the public generally and the residents of Smith's survey in particular.

—Mr. James Matthews has a great yield of white wax beans. The product of one stem was brought to this office Monday which had 117 pods averaging six beans to the pod.

—Mr. George Leslie, Erin, has a freak in his feathered stock. This is a common goose which is at this autumn season industriously engaged in laying an egg every day.

—Friday, Saturday and Sunday were among the hottest September days on record. 92° was registered in the shade. On the same days snow fell in Alberta and the Western States and the mercury dropped to 28°.

—Mr. R. B. Jermyn has bought the stock of clothing of J. St. Lawrence, of Niagara Falls, amounting to $6135.53 at 50 cents on the dollar. Mr. Jermyn will remove to the Falls but will continue his business at Caledonia.

—Children's day will be observed in Knox Church Sunday School next Sabbath. The Children's day service arranged by the General Assembly will be used. It is very interesting; includes responsive readings, frequent singing and several brief addresses to the children and young people.

—In conversation with Mr. Robertson, editor of the Harrison *Tribune*, last week at Guelph he volunteered the information that his town had owned a Ronald Steam Fire Engine for fifteen years and that there has scarcely been a year since its purchase that it has not saved its cost over and over again. It was instrumental during the fire last week in saving one of the best blocks in town.

—A gambling den exists in town which should have the attention of the proper authorities. Gamblers from Georgetown Milton and other points frequent the place as well as local sports. A young man, who recently arrived in town, and who imagined he was smarter than he proved, was relieved of $25.00 one night last week. Cash was not particularly plentiful with him either. Similar instances are said to be frequent.

—APPRENTICES WANTED—Immediately. Apply to Miss Armstrong, Dressmaker, Henderson's Block, Acton.

—LOST—Last Friday evening, a grey woolen shawl, on Mill or Main street, between the Grand Trunk tracks. Finder will much oblige the owner by leaving it at the FREE PRESS office.

—Walker McBean & Co., Georgetown, respectfully announce to the ladies of Acton and vicinity that their Fall and Winter opening of Latest Styles in Millinery, Mantles and Nobby Dress Goods took place Tuesday, Sept. 17th, and will continue during the week. A cordial invitation is extended to all to call and inspect.

THE NEWS AT HOME.

Mostly of a Local Character, and very Item Interesting.

Our Exhibition Next Week.

Everything points to a big exhibition here next week, under the direction of Acton Horticultural and Agricultural Society, if good weather prevails. The prize list is the most attractive in the exhibition's history. Not only is the list of specials abnormally large, but considerable additions have been made to the ladies' work and horticultural departments, which will attract exhibitors. The directors have their several sections well in hand and with the supervision of the painstaking officers this popular exhibition will no doubt this year excel its predecessors.

Additional Farm Insurance.

The *American Agriculturalist* exhorts its farmer readers in the following seasonable fashion. "Take out some more fire insurance, now that your farm buildings are crowded with the season's crops. A policy for a reasonable amount to run three or six months in addition to the insurance you carry regularly, will not cost much and in case of fire will partially reimburse you for the loss of the season's labors. We make this suggestion because convinced of its great value and because we know that the majority of farmers carry but a limited amount of insurance and seldom increase it during the fall season."

Another $20.00 and Costs.

Inspector Reynolds, of Oakville, was in town last week and shortly after his arrival the well-known blue papers, so much dreaded in some quarters, were put into circulation. These azure missives stated that James P. Mullen, proprietor of the Commercial Hotel, was charged with violation of the license law, and invited the lovers of the ardent who had connived with the hotel man in said violation, to attend a levee before local Justices and give evidence as to the verity or otherwise of the charge. Mr. Mullen acknowledged that he had fractured the law, however, and paid the above fine and costs, and his patrons were consequently not required to present themselves in Court. This is the second fine paid in about a year.

"Go Ye Into All the World, &c."

At the annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society the officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:—President, Mrs. Thos. Easton, Vice-Presidents, Mrs. (Rev.) W. Bryers and Mrs. Joshua Norrish; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. H. P. Moore; Recording Secretary Mrs. James Moore; Treasurer, Mrs. Anthony Stephenson; Executive, the officers and Mrs. James Brown, Mrs. M. A. Christie, Mrs. Jno. S. Coleman and Mrs. A. H. Brown. The past year has been a successful one financially with the Acton auxiliary. The total receipts were $104.39, this, however, included three life memberships. The annual meeting of the Hamilton Conference Branch will be held at St. Catharines next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Mrs. Bryers will attend as the delegate from Acton.

Fair Night Concert.

A combination of talented artists will provide the programme for the entertainment in the town hall at the close of the exhibition next Wednesday evening. The programme will be of a most diversified character. Miss Anna C. Laidlaw, honor graduate and medalist of the Hamilton Ladies' College and Toronto Conservatory of Music, will sing a selection of numbers; Jim Fax, the well-known humorist, will render the latest character songs and studies in his inimitable manner; Grenville P. Kleiser, elocutionist and impersonator, will edify the audience with a variety of selections; the Shand Sisters, of London, and Mr. G. A. Matheson, of Hamilton, will give exhibition of Scottish dancing in costume. They are old favorites here. Miss Fanny Lee, of Rockwood, has kindly consented to act as accompanist during the evening. The committee will no doubt be favored with a full house.

Another Wedding at U. S. Glove Centre.

The glove manufacturing centres of the United States at Gloversville and Johnstown N. Y. and of Canada at Acton, have been responsible for numerous life partnerships between Canadian young men and United States maidens and *vice versa*. The following from the Gloversville *Standard* gives particulars of the latest union:—"At the residence of Councillor George Johns, 312 West Main street, Tuesday evening, 17th inst., his twin daughter, Flora, was united in marriage to Samuel Laird. The knot was tied by the Rev. C. H. Merrill. There was a large number of friends present and the gifts were numerous and substantial. The happy couple left after midnight, amid a shower of rice and slippers, for a two weeks' tour in Canada, the objective point being Acton. The bride is a most estimable young lady and the bridegroom is a worthy young man. They expect to make Johnstown their home."

The Baptist Evangelistic Services.

The special services held by the Baptist Church, now in the third week, are proving a great blessing to the large numbers who attend them. The church was found to be too small to accommodate the people who desired to attend, and the town hall has been in use since Friday evening. Each evening it has been well filled and the best attention is given to the earnest and clear presentation of the truth by Revs. J. J. Whyte and O. G. Laffgford, pastor of the church. Miss Whyte has also been present each evening since Thursday and plays skilfully the accompaniments to the hymns on her magnificent harp. She also sings with much sweetness. It is hoped that the result of these meetings may be the deepening of spiritual life among the christian people of the town and vicinity, and the awakening of many who have hitherto been thoughtless concerning religious affairs. The meetings will continue in the town hall every evening this week and there will be three services on Sunday.

We Can Well Afford Fire Protection.

A few property owners, but very few indeed, are opposed to the passage of a by-law to provide Fire Protection for this municipality, on the ground that we can not afford the expense. These citizens have surely not looked into our financial standing as compared with other municipalities in the county. The annual report of the Bureau of Industries of Ontario, just issued, gives the ratio of taxes per head of population for all purposes in the various towns in the county of Halton last year, as follows: Oakville, $5.04; Georgetown $4.79; Burlington, $4.68; Acton $3.11. Indeed all the rural municipalities, except Nassagaweya, are in advance of Acton in the amount of taxes per head. Nelson ratepayers pay $4.27; Trafalgar $3.90; Esquesing $3.10 and Nassagaweya $2.71. The average amount for towns throughout the province is $9.86. We can well afford the expense of a first-class steam fire engine equipment proposed in the by-law, and the payment for same will still leave our average below all the other towns of the county. Vote for the by-law.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

News Items Supplied by Correspondents and Exchanges.

MILTON.

Division Court sittings will be held here to-morrow.

The executive of the County Sunday School Association will be held on Wednesday, 9th October.

The legislative grants to Halton High Schools for the first half of 1895 are, Oakville, $235.64; Georgetown, $329.10.

The Milton band has been engaged to play at Freelton Fair, Oct. 16th.

Station Agent Roach, of the G.T.R. has been ill with malaria fever the past week.

The stone work of the new Grace Church has been completed except on the upper part of the tower. The roof has been slated and the carpenters and plasterers are busily at work. It is expected that the church will be opened about the end of October.—*Champion.*

ASHGROVE.

Rr. J. R. Nixon spent a few days with Tullamore friends during the week.

Misses Belle Robinson and Aggie Brownridge and Mr. Will Robinson, of Omagh, visited friends here this week.

Mrs. H. S. McLaughlin paid a visit to Buffalo recently, where she attended the wedding of a friend.

Mr. George Cameron and wife, of Caledon, were guests at Mr. R. Dick's during the week.

Miss Emma Carroll paid a visit to Guelph during the fair.

Mr. Fred Wrigglesworth secured 3rd prize in his saddle horse, "Nellie Bly," at Guelph exhibition.

Mr. Geo. Stoneman, who was so ill with typhoid fever is recovering. Frank Alexander is low with the same disease. A trained nurse is attending him.

BURLINGTON.

It is expected that some T. H. & B. bonus hunters will be heard from at the Council meeting on Thursday evening.

The duck season has opened and the first thing a person hears in the morning, when he awakens, is the firing off of guns.

The Epworth League of the Methodist Church held a very interesting meeting on Friday evening last. A history of Burlington Methodism was read in three parts. The meeting which was largely attended, was very profitable and interesting.

The T. H. & B. have now four routes surveyed through the corporation. Which one is likely to be taken is a mystery.

The Burlington and Nelson Agricultural Society hold their annual exhibition here on Thursday and Friday, Oct. 3 and 4. Everything promises to be a grand success.

Rev. Canon Bell is enjoying a well earned holiday.

Rev. Walter Dunnett, evangelist, is in town working up the select Degree of the R. T. of T.

NASSAGAWEYA.

Quite a number of Nassagaweya people attended the Guelph Central Exhibition last Wednesday and Thursday and were greatly pleased with the show. Nassagaweya was not behind in the prize ring by any means. Some of the sweepstake prizes as well as firsts came to Nassagaweya.

Nassagaweya fall show will be held at Brookville on Friday, October 18th.

The Rev. Mr and Mrs. Amy, of the Nassagaweya circuit, returned home after a two weeks vacation last week and took charge of the services on Sunday.

Mrs. Gilbert Kingsbury, of Nassagaweya, who was on a months' visit to relatives in Manitoba, returned home on Tuesday of last week.

Some of the farmers purpose taking up their potatoes this week. They are an excellent crop this year both in quantity and quality.

Thomas Wilson, of Knatchbull, sold his aged ram and four fine ewe lambs to Mr Richardson, of Grand Valley, last week, for a good figure. They were shipped on Saturday.

GEORGETOWN.

There was no service in the Baptist Church last Sunday evening.

The Georgetown Ministerial Association will meet on Monday at 10.30 a. m. in the Baptist Parsonage. The Rev. C. T. Tough, of Horuby, will read a paper on "The Forerunners of the Reformation."

The Rev. Rural-Dean Fennell has returned from his trip to Montreal.

The Rev. D. A. Moir has been invited to preach a special sermon to the Foresters of Alma, county of Wellington, next Sunday afternoon.

The Rev. Mr. Milne, of the Scotch Block and the Rev. Mr Murray, of Hamilton exchanged pulpits last Sunday.

The Rev. Fred W Thompson, addressed the Epworth League of Christian Endeavor last Monday evening. Mrs. John Erwin sang a very fine solo.

Wm. Bowman, Esq. represented the Methodist Church at the Financial District Meeting held in Guelph, on Tuesday.

The Rev. A. W. Shepperson, of Alma, will preach in the Methodist Church next Sunday, morning and evening, and in Ashgrove at 3 p. m.

John Adams left on Monday for a situation in Listowel. His school-mates wish him great success.

The money expended on the High School grounds is well spent. The premises are beginning to assume quite an attractive appearance.

The township show made quite a stir in town this week.

Church Notes and Comments.

The Communion services in Knox Church last Sunday were largely attended. Rev. Mr. Rae preached a timely discourse. The sermon at the preparatory service on Saturday was preached by Rev. Mr. Wilkie, Eramosa.... The regular services of St. Joseph's Church were conducted on Sunday by Rev. Father Haley. Rev. J. E. Howell occupied his pulpit again on Sunday and preached stirring sermons. The special services in connection with the Baptist Church are being continued in the town hall. Rev. T. Albert Moore, of Palmerston, gave a helpful address at the general prayer meeting in the Methodist Church last Thursday evening.... A committee has been appointed to arrange for repairs and improvements to the interior and exterior of the Brick Church.... The quarterly review services in the Sunday Schools next Sunday will be of interest. Mrs. T. B. Coulson, of Eden Mills, will conduct an illustrated review of the quarter's lessons in the Methodist schools. The annual missionary meeting of St. Alban's Church will be held to-morrow evening at 7.30 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Forneret, of Hamilton and Rev. Mr. Leake, of Drayton, will form the deputation. The same deputation will attend a meeting at 3.15 in the afternoon in St. John's Church, Rockwood. The offertory will be in behalf of the Diocesan Mission fund.

COMING AND GOING.

Visitors to and From Acton and Various Other Personal Notes

The FREE PRESS invite all its readers to contribute to this column. If you or your friends are going away on a holiday trip or if you have friends visiting you, drop a card to the FREE PRESS.

Mrs. P. McGregor, of Toronto, visited friends here last week.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Rae visited friends in Georgetown on Tuesday.

Mrs. Priest, of Napanee, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. (Rev.) W. Bryers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Coleman and children visited friends at Strabane this week.

Mr and Mrs. Samuel Laird Jr. have been guests at the paternal home the past week.

Rev. T. Albert Moore, of Palmerston, made a brief visit to friends here last week.

Mrs. A. G. Easton, of Chicago, was a guest at the home of Mr. Thomas Easton last week.

Miss Annie Smith is representing Knox Church Y. P. S. C. E. at the convention at Brantford.

Mr. Edward Nicklin was at Harriston last week attending the funeral of the late George Nicklin.

Miss Maggie H. Matthews is attending the Christian Endeavor convention at Brantford this week.

Mr James Brown has been confined to his house the past week with a serious affection of the knee.

Miss Ella Snyder and Mr. George Dron were delegates to the Epworth League convention at Guelph on Tuesday.

Miss Mary Howell returned home Saturday evening after spending a couple of weeks with friends at Gravenhurst.

Mrs. James Moore, Crewson's Corners, left last week to spend a month with friends in South Saginaw, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Holmes are now enjoying their vacation. They will visit friends in Goderich, London and Montreal.

Rev. J. E. Howell, M. A. and Mr. James Moore attended the District meeting of the Methodist Church at Guelph on Tuesday.

Mrs. A. E. Nicklin has so far recovered as to be able to spend a few days this week at the home of her father, W. H. Storey Esq.

Mr. E. Davis, of King, was in town this week. He is in the tanning business in partnership with his father E. J. Davis M. P. P. and was here to visit the Acton Tanning Co's works.

Mr. O. A. Winter, who has been practicing with Dr. Wilkinson since last spring, left on Saturday for his home in Preston. He will proceed to the dental college at Toronto next week to complete his course.

THE THREE GRACES.

Rosy cheeks, laughing eyes, and teeth of pearly whiteness. Bright smiles with a background of teeth not resplendent of whiteness and purity—impossible. Beauty may be found hidden in a bottle of foaming Ivorine, the newest, best, and most fragrant preparation for the teeth. Ivorine is so nice to use—fragrant, refreshing. It purifies the breath, which it renders sweet, and to the teeth it imparts both whiteness and brilliancy.

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Men's Overalls at 50c up and $1.00.

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Boy's suits at $1.00 up to $4.00.

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Men's Suits at $5.50 up to $15.00

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Miss Stone will be in charge again this season. We can promise you will be able to inspect the choicest and most stylish collection of ladies' trimmed hats, bonnets, etc., that it has ever been our privilege to offer.

Mantles.

A large range of new goods just arrived for this department, styles are correct and fits perfect and prices low. You certainly should give this department a look before the choicest goods are picked up.

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Stylish Goods, extra values and a large choice is what we are showing here, the sweet things in Serges, Tweeds, Crepons, etc. Remember we make a specialty of lack Dress Goods of all kinds.

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Figures and colors are the best values obtainable anywhere. We are always pleased to show these goods whether you buy or not, some very stylish novelties to hand this week.

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An extensive range of staple goods of all kinds at cut prices. 25c Ticking at 19c; 35c Twill Sheeting, bleached at 21c; 25c Twill Sheeting, grey at 19c. 12½c prints for 8c to clear out the whole pile, good dark and light patterns and the very best cloths in the market for only 8c.

Flannelettes from 4½ cents up. Special values in ladies Hosiery, in both ribbed and plain. Don't fail to see our display of Millinery on Saturday to which all are welcome.

HENDERSON & CO., ACTON.

The Fire Protection By-law.

THE CORPORATION OF THE VILLAGE OF ACTON

BY-LAW NO. --

A By-law to purchase a Steam Fire Engine and apparatus connected therewith; to provide for the construction of water tanks; and to authorize the issue of debentures to the amount of $4500.00 for the purpose of paying for the same.

Whereas at a public meeting of the ratepayers of the village of Acton duly called by the Reeve to discuss the question of Fire Protection, it was resolved that the Council be requested to submit a By-law to raise by debentures sufficient money to purchase a Steam Fire Engine and the apparatus connected therewith and to provide Water Tanks.

And whereas it is expedient and desirable that the corporation of the village of Acton purchase a Steam Fire Engine and the apparatus connected therewith, including Hose, and construct Water Tanks in various places in the said municipality.

And whereas for the aforesaid purpose it will require $4500.00.

And whereas for the purpose aforesaid it is necessary for the said Corporation to issue its debentures for and to borrow thereon the sum of $4500.00 as hereinafter mentioned, and that such debt and the debentures to be issued therefor shall be made payable in twenty years at the furthest from the day on which this By-law takes effect.

And whereas it will require the certain specific sum of $285.00 to be raised annually for the payment of interest during the currency of the said debentures and also the certain specific sum of $126.35 to be raised annually for the payment of the principal money of the said debenture debt, which sums are hereby settled as being sufficient for the purposes aforesaid, and in settling the sums to be raised annually for the payment of the principal of the debt a rate of interest on investments has been estimated at not more than five per cent. per annum to be capitalized yearly.

And whereas the total amount to be raised annually by special rate for payment of the said debt and interest is $361.35.

And whereas the amount of the whole rateable property of the municipality of the village of Acton was according to the last revised Assessment Roll the sum of $489,445.00.

And whereas the amount of the existing debenture debt of the said municipality, for principal money the sum of $12,190.00.

And whereas there is no part of such last mentioned sum or of the interest thereof in arrear.

And whereas this By-law has received the assent of the Electors of the said municipality before the final passing thereof.

Therefore the corporation of the village of Acton by the Council thereof enacts as follows:—

1. For the purposes aforesaid a debt of $4,500.00 shall be created by the said Municipal Corporation and to raise the said money the said Municipal Corporation may and shall issue and dispose of its debentures for the sum of $4500.00. The proceeds thereof to be applied for the purposes aforesaid which debentures shall be sealed with the Corporate seal of the said Municipal Corporation and shall be signed by the Reeve thereof and counter-signed by the Treasurer thereof and shall have attached thereto coupons for the payment of interest.

2. And the said debentures shall be made payable in sums of not less than $100.00 each at the expiration of twenty years from the day this By-law takes effect at the office of the Treasurer of the said village of Acton.

3. And the said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum payable half yearly from the date thereof on the 30th day of June and the 31st day of December in each year at the office of the said Treasurer.

4. And for the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures the said certain specific sum of $126.35 and for the purpose of paying interest upon the said debt the certain specific sum of $235.00 making together the sum of $361.35 shall be raised, levied and collected in each year during the continuance of the said debentures or any of them by special rate sufficient therefor on all the rateable property in the said municipality, such annual special rate to begin from the date when this By law takes effect.

5. That this By-law shall take effect and come into operation upon the fourteenth day of October, 1895.

6. The votes of the Electors of the said village hereon shall be taken on the fifth day of October, 1895, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon at the following polling places in the said village of Acton and by the following deputy returning officers respectively

Polling sub-division No. 1, Town Hall, T. T. Moore, Deputy Returning Officer.

Polling sub-division No. 2, Speight's Shop, J. C. Hill, Deputy Returning Officer.

7. The Clerk of the Village Council shall sum up the number of votes given for and against this By-law on the seventh day of October, 1895 at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon at the Town Hall in the said village.

8. The twenty-eight day of September, 1895, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon at the Town Hall is hereby fixed as the time and place for the appointment of persons to attend at the various polling places and at the final summing up of the votes by the Clerk of the said village respectively on behalf of the persons interested in the promoting or opposing the passage of the By-law respectively.

Finally passed after assent of ratepayers by the said Council this day of 1895.

Reeve
Clerk

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the foregoing copy of By-law is a true copy of a proposed By-law which has been taken into consideration by the Council of the Corporation of the village of Acton and which will be finally passed by the Council in the event of the assent of the Electors being obtained thereto after one month from the first publication of the said By-law in the Acton FREE PRESS newspaper which publication was on the twelfth day of September, 1895, at the hour, day and places in the said By-law fixed for taking the votes of the Electors of the said village on the said By-law the polls will be held.

T. T. MOORE,
Village Clerk.

Dated September 9th, 1895.

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AT THE RIGHT HOUSE

OUR STOCK is fully assorted for the Autumn Trade, and we invite all visitors to the city to make our store their head quarters during their visit, every care being taken to provide for the comfort of ladies and children large parlors and toilet rooms, etc. In stock we have everything pertaining to a large city Dry Goods store at city prices, which means a very large saving in price, as well as the advantage of a great variety to choose from. Dress Goods, Millinery, Mantles, Carpets, House furnishings, Hosiery, Gloves, Underwear, Men's Furnishings, Blankets, Linen, Sheetings, Flannels, etc.

In our Mantle Department

SPECIAL No. 1—Ladies' Heavy Black Beaver Jacket, double breasted, large buttons, new melon sleeves, all sizes, at $6.75.

SPECIAL No. 2—Ladies' Heavy Black Serge Jacket, double breasted, velvet collar, all sizes, at $8.75. Send us your bust measure and we can express you a Jacket to fit.

Dry Goods Department

SPECIAL No. 1—Fancy Dress Tweed, 44 inches wide, shot effects, dark color, 40c per yard.
SPECIAL No. 2—Fancy Dress Tweed, 44 inches wide, mottled effects, at 40c per yard, worth 75c.
SPECIAL No. 3—Navy and Black Serge, all wool, 42 inches wide, from 35c per yard
SPECIAL No. 4—All Wool Plaids, many different designs, 42 inches wide, at 40c, usually sold at 50 cents per yard

We send samples free to any address on application, and pay carriage on all purchases of $5 and upwards to any part of Ontario.

THE RIGHT HOUSE,
King st. east corner Hughson st.,
Hamilton, September 20th 1895.

THOMAS C. WATKINS.