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The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1896.

LITTLE LOCAL BRIEFLETS

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

—Ash Wednesday yesterday.

—The lenten season has commenced.

—St. Valentine's Day was a very stormy one.

—Thirty degrees below zero on Monday. Whew!

—Old residents assert that winter's back is now fairly broken.

—There have been nine weeks of good sleighing already this winter.

—The signs on the lawns, "Keep off the grass" are rather inappropriate at present.

—Hamilton Conference Epworth League Convention will meet in Berlin next week.

—The Grand Council of the Royal Templars of Temperance is in session in Guelph.

—The roads, which were completely blocked last week, are in pretty fair condition again.

—The Guelph Presbyterial Missionary Society will meet in annual convention at Waterloo next week.

—Conductor Snider will occupy the pulpit of Dublin Street Methodist Church Guelph next Sunday.

—Great quantities of ice have been taken out of the ponds here this winter by citizens and neighboring farmers.

—The delegates from Acton's Sabbath Schools will leave this morning for the annual convention at Burlington.

—The Maple Leaf Dramatic Co. were here all last week and at the close of Saturday evening's preformances disbanded.

—The Ka-No-Ta Medicine Co. commenced a week's entertainment in the town hall, last evening. The entertainment is free to all.

—Rev. A. J. Irwin, B. D. of Norval, preached missionary sermons on Everton circuit last Sunday. Rev. Mr McIntyre took Mr. Irwin's work at Norval.

—The County of Halton sends four pupils to the Institute for the Deaf and Dumb at Belleville. They are Miss Maggie Smith, Acton; Misses May Cunningham and Annie Gilleland, Oakville, and Miss Mary T. Smith, Kilbride.

—The annual spring suit sale of R. E. Nelson, leading tailor and furnisher, Guelph, will be held on Friday and Saturday of this week. The uniform price of $16 per suit for ordered goods will prevail. Many of the lines offered are $20 and $21 suits.

—A letter from Mr. John Hay, Cartwright, Man., says: "We had very good crops this last year, but when we have to sell wheat at 25 cents a bushel the hard times don't seem to have gone very far away. I am thankful though that we are all in good health and enjoying the fine winter weather. Kindly convey our kind regard to all our old friends at Acton."

—AUCTION SALE—Farm Stock and Implements, the property of J. F. Freeman, on lot 10, con. 5, Esquesing, on Wednesday 4th March. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock. Terms $10, and eight months credit. See posters for particulars. JOHN BARRY, Auctioneer.

—Kennawin's Condition Powders for Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Pigs are the best. They improve the appetite and cure Coughs, Colds and Influenza.

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The Queen has issued a message thanking the nation for its expression of sympathy at the time of Prince Henry's death.

THE NEWS AT HOME.

Mostly of a Local Character, and every Item Interesting.

"Lawii" Wins the Debate.

In the debate at the meeting of Acton Temperance Union last Friday evening the arguments of the affirmative side were declared victorious, Mr. Duncan McDonald was captain for the affirmative and Mr. John Warren, sr., for the negative. There was a good attendance and much interest was manifested.

Brought Home for Burial.

For the past year Mrs. Harry Ebbage, of Toronto, daughter of the late Wilson Ramshaw, has been gradually failing in health through consumption. On Sunday the spirit fled and her sufferings were ended. The happy home at 657 Dundas Street, Toronto, is now desolate and the bereaved husband and two dear little daughters feel their loss very keenly. The remains were brought to Acton on Tuesday and the funeral took place yesterday afternoon to Fairview Cemetery.

Thirty Degrees Below Zero.

This was the unprecedented point to which the mercury fell on Sunday night. As usual thermometers varied in their registration between 28 and 31, but it is believed 30 was reliably reached. The cold wave which covered Manitoba and the Northwest the greater portion of last week, arrived here on Saturday night and continued to manifest its sway with zest until Tuesday. Old-timers tell us that twenty-one years ago this month we had similarly big snow storms and extreme cold.

Births Marriages and Deaths.

The annual report of the Registrar-General of Ontario is before us. There were in the province last year 42,051 births; 14,311 marriages and 22,538 deaths. Of the above Halton county contributed 395 births, 114 marriages and 198 deaths. Of the births 208 were males and 187 females. Six pairs of twins were registered. The denominations of those who entered into marital relations were as follows:—Church of England, 40; Presbyterian, 68; Methodist, 99; Roman Catholic, 4; Baptist, 2; Congregational, 3; Evangelical, 1; other churches, 11.

Halton Prohibition Association.

The annual meeting of the Halton Prohibition Association will be held in the Royal Templars' hall, Milton, on Tuesday, February 25th, commencing at one o'clock. The following subjects will be up for discussion: Political action in ensuing elections; Reduction of hotel licenses in the County; Election of officers and general business. The membership includes the members of each Temperance Society and Church, and every friend of temperance and prohibition in the County of Halton. Dr. Robertson, President, and A. C. Bally, Secretary, make the call to this annual meeting.

News of our Churches.

The anniversary services of Knox Church will be held next Sunday and Monday. Rev. Alex. MacMillan, B. D., of Toronto, will preach morning and evening and deliver his lecture "The Scottish Covenanters," on Monday evening. A tea in the basement will precede the lecture.... Ash Wednesday services were held in St. Joseph's Church yesterday morning at nine o'clock.... Rev. J. E. Howell, M. A., preached an able and highly instructive sermon on Christian Baptism last Sunday morning. The members of the congregation declare it to be one of the best expositions of the subject they have ever heard. At the close of the service four persons were baptized.... Next Sunday evening service in the Methodist Church is withdrawn owing to the anniversary services in Knox Church.... Rev. Mr. Godden inaugurated the lenten season with services in St. Alban's Church yesterday morning and evening.... Rev. Mr. Stevens was sufficiently recovered to be able to preach in the Disciples' Church on Sunday.

Complimentary Banquet.

A most enjoyable evening was spent by the members of Ivanhoe Camp, No. 31, Sons of Scotland, and their lady friends, in their hall last Friday evening. The unusual feature was an oyster supper tendered Mr. James McTavish, now of Montour, Iowa, one of the charter members of the camp. At the close of the usual routine proceedings Dr. Uren was appointed chairman. He extended a cordial welcome to Mr. McTavish back to his old home; expressed the good feeling which existed between the citizens of Canada and the United States, but said that as Canada is our home we naturally think more of it. After the oysters and contents of the ladies' baskets had been thoroughly discussed an enjoyable programme was rendered. It included songs by Messrs. R. B. Johnson and Thomas Miller, recitations by Miss Ida McNabb, and a speech by Mr. Arch. McNabb. The proceedings concluded with heartiest wishes for Mr. McTavish's continued success in the west and the singing of "Auld Lang Syne." Camp Ivanhoe is in an enviable position financially; its exchequer gives evidence of the presence of the canny Scot within its borders.

Comfortable and Convenient Residence

During the past half-dozen years a considerable number of fine residences have been erected in Acton and our town is yearly being improved in this respect. The last to be added to this list is the splendid new home built for Mr. John A. McGrail, manager for Beardmore & Co., on the corner of Main and Queen streets. The FREE PRESS had the pleasure of being shown this new residence last week. It is commodious, cosy and convenient and Mr. and Mrs. McGrail are delightfully home-like in their present surroundings. The building stands on a commanding elevation; is of pressed brick with stone foundations. The main entrance is on the Queen Street side, through a vestibule into the hall. The front and back parlors are of good size, well lighted and finished in imitation of bird eye maple. The dining room is a large and cheerful room, adjacent thereto are the kitchen, scullery and closets. On the second floor are the family bedroom, guest chamber and three smaller bedrooms, all furnished with closets. There is also a well furnished bath room and lavatory. Each room opens from the hall. In the basement is situated the furnace, fuel rooms and larder. In addition to the other rooms on the ground floor is a cosy office opening from the vestibule, where Mr. McGrail or members of the firm may conduct any necessary business and where is also located the electric time register connected with the tanneries. The building throughout is well finished and is a credit to the builders and other tradesman. Messrs. John Cameron and J. J. Lawson did the woodwork; Mr. Joseph Anderson, the plastering; Mr. W. H. Walker, the painting, and a Toronto firm the plumbing. The finishing touches on the interior will be made when spring opens.

—DENTAL OFFICE—Dr. Wilkinson, over the Drug Store. Gold filling and artificial teeth a specialty. Charges as reasonable as elsewhere. Special office days—Monday, Tuesday and Friday.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

News Items Supplied by Correspondents and Exchanges.

LIMEHOUSE.

Mr. Sandy Dobbie has retired from farming and has removed to Limehouse.

Mrs. Walker, of Toronto, visited friends in Limehouse last week.

Mrs. H. Crawshaw is very low with bronchitis. Her recovery is somewhat doubtful.

The Limehouse Club has a membership of 15 now.

A couple of weeks ago Mr. Alex. Garvin while cutting ice stepped on a loose block and went down. The bath was not appreciated.

ROCKWOOD.

The storm interfered a good deal with the attendance of people out of the village at the Haymakers' Cantata last Friday night. There was, however, a big attendance of citizens and they were well repaid, as the performance was most creditably rendered throughout.

The Young Liberal Club will hold the second of their series of meetings in Rockwood, on the 21st February. The meeting will be in Gladstone hall. Some of the ablest Young Liberals of Guelph will deliver addresses.

The Haymakers' Company went to Acton Monday night and had a good house. The Acton people were highly pleased and the members of the company enjoyed the outing immensely.

The new books for the Mechanics Institute will shortly be placed. There are a number of very fine volumes in the collection.

CREWSONS CORNERS.

There is considerable sickness in this vicinity. Master Roy Wansborough, son of Mr. Robert Wansborough, is very ill at present with an attack of inflammation of the lungs.

Mr. Paul Cripps, sr., is confined to his house with an attack of the "grip."

Mrs. Henry McGorman and children, of Neepawa, Manitoba, who have been visiting friends in this place and vicinity for the past two months, will return in their home this week.

Mr. Wm. Cripps returned to his home in Washington State last week, after spending several weeks very pleasantly with friends in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. James Moore and family, of Toronto, who were visiting here last week, have returned to their home. Mr. Moore has purchased a cattle ranch in the North West and will stock it with cattle in the spring.

MILTON.

John S. Dean, proprietor of the old Commercial hotel, has made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors, to Mr. Hugh Campbell.

The convention of the Reform Association which was to have been held on Wednesday of last week was postponed on account of the snow blockade. The date of the adjourned convention will be fixed later.

Mrs. Robert Brush had the misfortune to break her left wrist last week. She was walking to the sidewalk from her house when she slipped and fell doubling her hand back to the arm with the above result.

Henry Carrique, of Trafalgar, has begun criminal proceedings against W. C. Beatty, of Omagh, on the alleged charge of obtaining money under false pretences, through a note made about three years ago.

The teachers who went to the convention at Acton last week report a successful convention and a very cordial reception.

Milton will send a number of delegates to the County Sunday School Convention at Burlington this week.

GEORGETOWN.

The Rev. Prof. Mitchell, of Toronto preached an eloquent sermon last Sunday morning in the English Church.

The Rev. R. R. Wilson, of Helfountain, filled the pulpit of the Methodist Church with great acceptibility last Sunday.

Ashgrove tea-meeting on Tuesday evening was a great success. The Rev. Dr. Henderson, of Guelph, gave an interesting lecture on "Courtship and Marriage." Mrs. Bowman and Miss Evans delighted the large audience with their touching recitations. The music by the choir, Rev. A. J. Irwin, Mr. and Miss Carrol, and Earnie and Albert McDowell, helped materially toward the pleasure of the evening. The Rev. D. A. Moir presided. Proceeds nearly $42.00.

The Rev. O. G. Langford preached last Sunday evening on "Future Punishment."

Stewartown anniversary sermons were preached last Sunday by the Rev. Mr. McKim and the Rev Prof. Mitchell.

The Rev. D. A. Moir preached missionary sermons last Sunday at Erin and Belfountain.

The Union Presbyterian Church will hold a tea-meeting on Monday, Feb. 24th.

The courts have been lively here the past ten days. A number of people who happened to be in town at the time were convicted on various charges and several sent to the county goal to await trial.

A number of the teachers from the high and public schools attended the convention at Acton last week.

NASSAGAWEYA.

The Sunday School and League anniversary of the Ebenezer Church will be held next Sunday morning and evening. The Rev. T. Amy, pastor, will preach in the morning, and the Rev. Mr. Mooney, of Carlisle, in the evening. On Monday evening following, the anniversary tea meeting will be held in the same place, at which the following talent will take part in the programme:—Revs. J. Mooney, Carlisle; J. E. Howell, M. A., Acton, A. Blair, B. A., Nassagaweya, and H. P. Moore, of the FREE PRESS. The Acton Methodist choir has consented to entertain us with their fine singing. For further particulars see posters.

The Young Liberal meeting was held on Wednesday evening for election of officers, etc.

We are glad to learn that Miss E. C. Currie, teacher of No. 9, Nassagaweya, is able to take charge of her school again.

The Rev. T. Amy, Mr. Adamson, and Misses E. Easterbrook and Katie Kingsbury will attend the County S. S. Convention at Burlington this week.

The delegates to the E. L. of C. E. convention of the Hamilton conference at Berlin, next week, from the Ebenezer Society are Rev. T. Amy and Mr. Geo. T. Wilson.

The Nassagaweya Township Sunday School Convention was held in the Ebenezer Methodist Church in the afternoon and evening of Tuesday. A most interesting programme was carried out successfully.

The telephone men have repaired the wires broken by the recent storm.

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

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. Gardiner is visiting friends in Toronto.

Mrs. Dr. Uren visited relatives at St. Marys the past week or two.

Messrs. George Agnew and James Watson left on Friday for their home.

Miss Dale, of Toronto, was a guest at the home of Mrs. Smith during the past week.

James O'Donoghue, of Stratford, is spending a few weeks with friends in this vicinity.

Ald. John O'Donoghue, of Stratford, was a caller at the FREE PRESS Office on Monday.

Mrs. Peacock, of Peru, is spending a few days at the home of Mr. W. C. King, Glenlawson.

Alexander Grant, Esq., who has been confined to his room since Christmas, is recovering slowly.

Rev. J. W. Rae, moderator of Guelph Presbytery, attended a meeting of Presbytery on Tuesday.

Rev. W. H. Harvey, B. A., of Clifford has been invited to accept the Methodist pastorate at Walkerton.

Mrs. Thomas Cook left last Thursday for Wyman, Mich., called to the sick bed of her sister, Mrs C. Froman.

Misses Clara Ramshaw and Maggie Ebbage went to Toronto on Monday to accompany the remains of Mrs. H. Ebbage to Acton for interment.

Mrs. Robinson, of New York, who had been spending a few weeks with her brother, Mr. R. Agnew, and other friends here, returned home on Friday.

Mr. Robert Coates, of Milton, attended the Teachers' Convention here last week. He was for many years the painstaking secretary of the association.

Alderman John O'Donoghue wife and daughter, of Stratford, spent a couple of days this week at the home of their uncle, George Mulholland, farmer, first line.

Brussels Methodist Church officials have invited Rev. C. W. Brown, of Glencoe, to become their next pastor. Glencoe Methodists reciprocate by inviting Rev. G. H. Cobbledick, of Brussels.

At last monthly meeting of the Quarterly Official Board of the Methodist Church, Wingham, held on Monday evening, an invitation was extended to the pastor, Rev. Dr. Gifford, to remain in the pastorate for a third year.

Give the Definite Destination.

The Canadian official postal guide for 1896 contains the following instructions with regard to the addresses of letters intended for any part of the United States: "Postmasters will do well to impress upon the public that the address of a letter intended for the United States is not complete unless the words "United States," or at least the initial letters "U.S." carefully written so as not to be mistaken for N.S.—form part thereof. A great many post-offices in the United States bear names which also belong to postoffices in Canada, and a simple indication by an abbreviation such as Me., O., Pa., etc., of the state in which the place is situated, may not, if there is no mention of the county, suffice to prevent letters being sent to a Canadian office of the same name as the one in the United States for which the letter is intended.

LORNE SCHOOL.

The following is the honor roll of Lorne School for the past month:

Class V. Alice Brown, 283, Maggie Barnes, 267, Mina Gamble, 203.

Class IV. Ethel Townsend, 229, Charlie Quantic, 226; Neil Lynd, 207.

Class III. Sen. Lizzie McDonald, 284, Eva Cleave, 271, Frances Townsend, 266.

Class III. Jun. Clinton Swackhamer, 286, Harry Reid, 268, James McDonald, 263.

Class II. Willie Reid, 241.

Class Part II.—Lillie Cleamer, 255, Dollie McDonald, 235.

Aggregate marks, 300.

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ITS CAUSE AND CURE.

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WHAT MAKES A WATCH MAIN-SPRING BREAK?

Is often asked of the watchmaker. It is a hard thing to say exactly what does it, only we know that the weather has some effect on them. My watchbook for the past twenty five years if looked over would give a good idea of the weather change. Thunder storms and sudden changes of temperature always bring in three or four times as many broken mainsprings as steady weather. I always buy the very best quality of springs that can be gotten as my rule is to replace them free if broken within a year from the time put in. In fact I think it does not pay to put any cheap material for the sake of being able to do the job a little cheaper because I do not think a cheap job is cheap at any price. I must have been trained in a better shop than the most of watchmakers as I find it hard to get a journeyman at any price to do the work as carefully as I would like it done, many of them don't take the trouble to take out the stemwinding wheels when cleaning a watch. Of course it saves time not to do so and the owner of the watch will never know it as the watch will go as well without but the winding will wear out twice as soon if you don't. As far as I know all watchmakers who have served a full apprenticeship charge the same prices for their work. In getting your watch repaired the question be who will do it the best. I am continually trying my best to keep up the good reputation I have already got and if you think best to try me I will take the greatest possible pains to do good work. I always desire to return the money paid on any watch that I cannot make go satisfactorily and wish you particularly to ask for it.

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New Suitings

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