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The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, MAY 21, 1896.

LITTLE LOCAL BRIEFLETS

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

Queen's Birthday Sunday.

—Monday is a public holiday.

—God Save our Gracious Queen.

—Subscribe for the FREE PRESS now.

—Council meeting next Tuesday evening.

—The crop prospects are now most encouraging.

—Esquesing court of Revision next Wednesday.

—The elections four weeks from next Tuesday

—Building operations are now well underway.

—The close season for bass continues until the 15th June.

—The showers of the past week brought gladness to many hearts.

—The well being drilled at Beardmore's tannery is now down over 200 feet.

—What is the use of waiting. The good times are coming. Subscribe for the FREE PRESS now.

—J. W. Doelle, has purchased the bankrupt stock of P. C. Maddock for 68 cents on the dollar.

—The spring is not without its drawbacks. Insects and tramps have become numerous again.

—FOUND.—On Sunday in the Methodist Church a pearl handed pocket knife. Enquire at FREE PRESS Office.

—He stayed and argued politics in a barroom till 'twas late, and then he told his wife that he'd been in a joint debate.

—Mr. W. E. Smith purchased the stock of Groceries, etc., belonging to the T. H. Harding estate, on Tuesday, for 53 cents on the dollar.

—Miss Kate Flynn had an ugly fall in a drain eight feet deep in the rear of her boarding place, Mr. D. Smith's Main street, Tuesday evening.

—Beardmore's new bridge from Agnes street to the high level at the tanneries is completed. It is 667 feet in length, has 25 trestles and is a well built bridge.

—Messrs. Beardmore & Co are building a new stable for their teams in the rear of the bark sheds. The old buildings near Mr. McGrail's residence will be removed.

—In the list of cyclists published a couple of weeks ago we omitted the names of Miss Aggie Oliver's "Defiance" and Messrs. Arthur Laing and W. B. Smith's Stearns.

Modern advertising means a truthful, straightforward tale of the store news, and when 'tis done, it is of more interest to the readers than the most interesting feature of the paper.

—"Why is a gate post like a potato?" said a passerby to an amateur gardener the other day. No reply being forthcoming he added: "Because they are both put into the ground to propagate."

—Acton Base Ball Club will open the season on Saturday afternoon in a match with the Argyles, of Toronto, champions of the city league. Game will be called at 4 o'clock. Acton Cornet Band will be in attendance.

—The four prisoners recently sentenced in Wingham to three years in the Kingston penitentiary for assaulting the old man Fields, of that place, to such an extent that he died; were taken through Acton on the 6.08 train Monday evening on their way to Kingston to serve their term.

—W. E. Smith, who has purchased the T. H. Harding stock, is offering wonderful bargains in Glassware and Crockery as well as in Groceries and Provisions.

Something unique in Shoe Lore. W. McLaren & Co., of Guelph hold a Big Rose Shoe Sale on Saturday, May 23. Fresh Roses given away with Shoes.

—WOOL WANTED.—The highest price in Cash or Trade for good clean wool. Can get in Trade, Factory Blankets, Yarns, Tweeds, and General Dry Goods. WM. MCLEOD, Georgetown.

—Twenty per cent discount on Patent Medicines at the Drug Store, a complete assortment of all the advertised remedies in stock.

With the Sweetness of Melting Foam

Fragrant Ivorine for the teeth dissolves in the mouth. A delightful preparation for the teeth is Ivorine, so fragrant and cleansing, so pleasant to the taste, and efficient beyond the desire of the most exacting. A dream of elegance and efficiency, for it whitens and purifies, affording brilliantly white teeth and breath as sweet and fragrant as that of the flowers.

THE NEWS AT HOME.

Mostly of a Local Character, and every Item Interesting.

Stores Close at 7 p. m.

The town bell now rings at 7 p. m. each evening except Wednesday and Saturday so that all stores may close simultaneously. The early closing by-law is in force here and it will be of general advantage if shopkeepers and their customers will mutually endeavor to facilitate the observance of the provisions of the by law. There is no tenable reason why the merchants and their employees should not enjoy a few evenings to themselves each week.

A Crash at the Sole Leather Tannery.

An accident of a somewhat serious character occurred at Beardmore's sole leather tannery on Sunday forenoon. The water tank which supplies the sprinkling pipe system of their fire protection equipment, and which was elevated upon a trestle work above the leach house, fifty or sixty feet from the ground, came down with a terrific crash. The debris went clear through the iron roof below carrying a section of the supporting timbers with it. The tank contained about twenty tons of water. It will be immediately rebuilt.

"Scotland Before the Reformation."

Rev. Mr. King delivered a lecture on Tuesday evening in Knox Church on "Scotland Before the Reformation." The lecture was a very full description of the religious life of the country from the early centuries to the time of the Covenanters. Some portions of the lecture were the better explained in the native tongue of the Highlanders to the delight of a number in the audience. A collection was taken at the close which was applied to funds of the Y. P. S. C. E. Miss Jessie McDonald, president of the Christian Endeavor Society, presided.

News of the Churches.

Mr Cowan, student of Knox College, will occupy the pulpit of Knox Church next Sabbath. Rev. W. Bryers preached in the Methodist Church last Sunday morning and Rev. R. J. McIntyre in the evening. Both sermons were able, earnest and helpful. Rev. J. E. Howell, M. A., will return from Cleveland to morrow. Next Sunday morning he will speak of his impressions of the General Conference of the Methodist Church of the United States now in session. In the evening he will give a resume of the Conference Epworth League anniversary.

The Juniors Play Ball Well.

The match last Saturday afternoon between the Graveyard Ghosts, of Guelph, and the Young Canadians resulted in an easy victory for the home juniors. The score was as follows:

AT HOME.	RUNS	GUELPH.	RUNS
E. Ryder, p	3	Johnson, p	3
Geo. Chalmers, c	2	Thain, c	1
M. McDonald, 1 b	2	McQueen, 1 b	2
F. Ryder, c	2	Coulson, 3 b	1
F. McIntosh, l f	1	Morrison, l f	1
W. Watkins, s s	3	Morrissey, s s	0
L. Williams, c f	2	Lanning, c f	0
A. Smith, 2 b	3	Green, r f	0
F. Smackhamer, r f	1	Parker, 2 b	0
	21		8

By innings:

Acton	4	0	1	6	2	9	2	0		21
Guelph	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	1		8

D. Beattie acted as umpire.

Brampton Wants Manufactories.

The Brampton *Conservator* of Tuesday says: "At a meeting of the Board of Trade on Friday night Messrs Rumans, Peaker and John Smith were appointed a committee to visit Acton and interview Arnott Bros., in connection with that Company's intended settlement in Brampton." Acton has no firm of Arnott Bros., nor has it any manufacturing concern which is anxious to leave and settle in Brampton. Acton treats her numerous manufactories well and they are proud to remain and be identified with her progress and growing importance as a manufacturing centre. We sympathise with our larger sister town in her misfortune, and regret that after spending over a $100,000 in bonuses and loans it still has no manufactories to speak of, and nothing to show for its loans, but Acton has no manufactories to spare at present.

A Halton Peel League.

Owing to the fact that Campbellville baseball club is unable to put a nine in the field, a meeting of the County executive was recently held and it was decided to admit Brampton to the League. This action caused the withdrawal of St. Ann's and the league is left with but three clubs. Below is the schedule arranged. It will be seen that the first home game is with Milton on June 6th.

Milton at Acton	June 6
Acton at Brampton	June 13
Brampton at Milton	June 20
Milton at Brampton	June 27
Acton at Milton	July 4
Milton at Acton	July 13
Brampton at Acton	July 25
Milton at Brampton	Aug 1
Acton at Brampton	Aug 15
Brampton at Acton	Aug 22
Acton at Milton	Aug 29
Brampton at Milton	Sept 5

The regulation requiring all players to have been residents of the county on the 14th March has been already amended. Players are now required to have been continuous residents of their respective counties for 30 days before playing in any scheduled match.

S. S. Convention Next Monday.

For the past five years the Sunday School workers of the township of Esquesing have spent the Queen's Birthday in convention, engaging in friendly discussion as to the best means of conducting their respective schools. The sixth annual convention has been announced for Ashgrove. This is the first time in the history that Ashgrove has had the honor of entertaining the convention and that it will do the honors right royally those who know the people of that vicinity are fully confident. At 10.30 a. m., Mr. Wm Alexander, of Milton, the president, will take the chair. In addition to verbal reports and routine business Mrs D. A. Moir, of Georgetown will at this session give an address on "Temperance in the Sunday School." In the afternoon the following subjects will be presented: "Encouragements for S. S. Workers," by Rev A. Mahaffy, B. A., Milton; "Why I should be a S. S. Worker," by Mr A. L. Noble, Norval; "The Duty of Parents to the S. S.," by Rev D. I. Campbell, Ballinafad. At four o'clock an Open Parliament will be presided over by Mr A. H. Gibbard, B. A., of Georgetown, "Mistakes of Teachers," will be pointed out by Superintendents, "Mistakes of Superintendents," will be impressed by Teachers, and observant scholars will point out "Mistakes in the School." At the conclusion the chairman will criticize the critics. In the evening addresses will be made by the president and the president elect. Rev J. E. Howell, M. A., Acton, will speak upon "The Sabbath School of To day, its Deeds and its Needs," and Rev O. G. Langford, B. A., of Georgetown, upon the "Consecrated Worker." The friends at Ashgrove will provide dinner and tea for the delegates and will appreciate the presence of the Townships' Sunday School Workers during the day.

In a serious fire at Sarnia, on Sunday the King Milling Company's premises and the Longhead Bob and Spike works were destroyed, entailing a loss of $70,000.

THE CYCLONE IN KANSAS.

An Acton Man's Experience in the Big Storm last Week.

The following letter from Mr. Albert Laing, who was an eye-witness of the cyclone in Kansas last Thursday, which, while not so severe nor fatal as the one in Texas, was the cause of great havoc and destruction will be read with interest.

EDITOR FREE PRESS,

DEAR SIR:—I have not written to you for some time. Of course nothing is new to newspaper men, but I would like to say a word about the terrible wind storm in this country.

I had the pleasure if you admit the term of hearing and seeing the cyclone which is reported in the Wichita papers I send you this afternoon. This tornado swept from the north west across Kansas and into Nebraska as far as Lincoln, doing great damage at different points.

I was on a Union Pacific passenger train going south at about 1 pm we noticed a heavy storm from the south west was moving in our direction. In a few minutes the passengers became much interested in the cloud. The engineer evidently concluded that he could miss the storm and be out of danger. He increased his speed and run very fast for a few minutes. But the wind was upon us, and realizing the danger of being blown from the track, he slackened up and moved very slowly and cautiously.

The storm lasted about twenty minutes. The first part was hail and wind, great chunks of ice came thick and fast and pounded the car as though we were stoned by a desperate mob. The hail came straight down and was followed by the heavy part of the storm, or what is termed here the "twister." It got very dark and the lamps in the mail coach were lighted.

The twisting, writhing, roaring element struck the side of the car with great force. The windows in the top of the car were blown open and could not be kept shut until they were nailed up. The seats were thus drenched with rain and a stream of water ran freely from one end of the car to the other and back again.

You can imagine the feelings of the passengers, with frightened looks and almost choking with fear, as they sat and looked and wondered, while the train tipped, back and forth. Your humble servant, thinking of the best way to get out, took his stand at the rear end of the coach and clung to the door knob, ready at a moment's warning to leap out, judging it safer to be in the elements than in a smashed railway coach. Others put on their overcoats, etc., and made ready for the worst.

The conductor who stayed in the car with us was interrogated as to our safety, to the condition of the track, and so forth. He looked wise of course but acknowledged that he had never seen the like before. He said he thought the track all O. K. and hoped for our safety.

The storm is over and as it passes we observe the heaviest of it has been above us and thus we were saved. At the next depot the people rushed out to learn of the cyclone, as they had seen it pass to the north of them. The havoc and destruction is awful. You could not believe that the wind could do such damage. The reports in the papers are all right.

Respectfully yours,
ALBERT LAING.

Hutchinson, Kansas, May 18th, 1896.

THE ARMENIAN PERSECUTION.

At Last Foreign Pressure Brings the Sultan to Time.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 12.—As a result of the vigorous action of the foreign ambassadors and Ministers, the Porte has ordered that the enforced conversion of Christians to Islamism at Berejek be stopped. The Sultan has ordered the withdrawal of the local troops at that place and the substitution of regular troops, and has also decreed that a commission proceed at once from Marash to Biredjik to arrange for the rebuilding of the mosque and the Christian church, which were destroyed in the recent disturbances at that place, and remain there until confidence in future order is completely restored.

HE HAS HAD HIS DAY

The days of the baggage smasher on the Grand Trunk Railway are at an end. The new general superintendent, Mr McGuigan, has issued a circular addressed to station men and baggage men: "The numerous complaints and claims received at this office on account of baggage damaged by rough handling while being loaded and unloaded from baggage cars of the company, indicate a degree of carelessness not commendable. We shall expect an improvement in this service at once, and hereafter will hold each and every employee personally responsible for any damage done to baggage, or any other property, by carelessness. Any complaint which is clearly established, of damage as a result of carelessness, will subject the employee to dismissal from the company's service."

PREPARING FOR THE FALL FAIRS

Now is the time to begin preparing for fall fairs. This is especially true where plants or seeds of any kind are to be exhibited and refers particularly to those who exhibit at Acton exhibition which gives so much prominence to the horticultural department. Begin now to train the house plant into good shape. Do not set out your geraniums, coleus, roses, pelargoniums, etc., in a bed in the garden, but plant in pots, changing from smaller to larger sizes as the roots develop. If it is to be a geranium in bloom do not allow it to blossom until a few weeks before the time of exhibiting. Trim off all the old faded leaves and straggling branches so as to make it into as perfect a ball as possible. Do not strive for too big a plant. One of moderate size stands a better chance of winning. The same interest and care given to vegetables and fruits will also well repay the exhibitor.

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Cold weather shivering no heat to sustain, emaciated, because ill nourished. This is either because the starchy foods are improperly acted upon by the digestive juices or the oily constituents of the food are not assimilated. Cod Liver Oil combined with Maltine and Hypophosphites supplies this deficiency, for the oil, rendered palatable and easy of digestion, is at once assimilated and stored up in the form of adipose tissue. Besides this the maltine renders soluble the starchy foods—whose special function is to supply heat or fatty tissue—thus affording material necessary to supply the waste of the body. Maltine with Cod Liver Oil and Hypophosphites is a most powerful body builder and medicine, incomparably superior to any preparation for the consumptive or debilitated. Verify this by a trial.

It is reported that among the Queen's Birthday honors to be announced this year will be a knighthood for one of Hamilton's merchant princes, and that after May 24th his friends will address him as Sir William Mulock.

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.

Miss Burns, of Guelph, is a guest at the home of Mr. Arch. McNabb.

Mr. Thos. Bell, of Berlin, is spending a few days with Acton friends.

Mr. D. McKerracher, of Walkerton, spent Sunday with Acton friends.

Mr. M. E. McCann, of The *World*, Toronto, was home on a brief visit this week.

Mrs. B. R. Brown and children, of Lansing, were the guests this week of Mr. C. C. Spaight.

Mr. Richard Hamilton, of Erin, and Miss Walker, visited friends here on Monday.

Mr. J. H. Bachelor, Druggist, of Brantford, was a guest this week at the home of Dr. Wilkinson.

Mrs. Felton, of Cleveland, Ohio, is the guest of her brother Mr. Henry Bell and other friends in town.

Mrs. W. S. Smith and her little son, of Cleveland, Ohio, are guests of Mrs C. B. Smith, at Fairview Place.

Rev. J. A. Rankin, of Brampton, has been invited to the pastorate of Dunn Ave. Methodist Church, Parkdale.

Mr. J. A. Ellis, architect and Rev. John R. Webb, of Toronto, wheeled to Acton on Tuesday and spent the afternoon with the editor.

Rev. Henry Irwine, of Goderich, *en route* home from Kingston on his wheel, called at the FREE PRESS OFFICE yesterday afternoon.

Rev. J. E. Howell, M. A., and Rev. Dr. Henderson, of Guelph, left last Thursday for Cleveland, Ohio, to visit the General Conference of the Methodist Church of the United States.

Mrs John H. Matthews and Hazel left by boat from Owen Sound on Monday morning on a trip to Brandon, Man. They will spend about three months with friends in the North West.

Rev. J. K. Goddon, M. A., and Messrs. George Statham and W. T. Smyth attended the meeting of the Synod of Niagara, at Hamilton, last week when Canon DuMoulin was elected to the Bishopric.

W. H. Storey Esq., was one of the speakers at the meeting of the Canadian Industrial League at Toronto on Tuesday. The maintenance of the trade policy of the Conservative Party was the key-note of the meeting.

Rev. C. S. Eby, D. D., late of the Methodist missionary staff in Japan, has been notified that the Stationing Committee of the British Columbia Conference has appointed him to the pastorate of the Homer Street Church, Vancouver, to which office he had been unanimously invited.

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.

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Fancy Dress Silks, worth $1.50, for 75c
Black Henriettas, worth 75c, for 55
Fancy Dress Goods, worth 90c, for 75c
Fancy Dress Goods, worth 75c, for 50c
Fancy Dress Goods, worth 50c, for 35c
Plain Wool Serges, worth 35c, for 25c
100 pieces 12½c Print for 6½c
Fancy Satteens, worth 20c, for 15c
Fancy Crinkles, worth 18c, for 12½c
Brilliantines, worth 25c, for 15c
Cashmere Delaine, worth 15c for 10
15c Art Muslin for 10c
15c Cretonne for 10c
25c Twill Sheeting for 20c
72 in. Linen Towelling for 15c
25c Japanese Drapery for 15c
20c Window Muslin for 12c
20c Linen Towels at 2 for 25c
35c Bath Towels for 20c
$1.50 Linen Napkins for $1.00
$2.00 White Bed Quilts for $1
$1.75 Lace Curtains for $1.00
$2.75 Lace Curtains for $1.75
$3.50 Lace Curtains for $2.25
Linen Table Cloths and Napkins
$5.00, Friday and Saturday only.
Heavy Grey Cotton, only 5c, regular with other 7c. Cotton
Window Shades at 40c, worth 50c
75c Parasols for 50c.
$1.00 Parasols for 75c
$2.00 Parasols for $1.25
Tweeds worth $1.00 for 75c.
Tweeds worth 75c for 50c
Tweeds worth 50c for 25c
Men's Felt Hats, worth $1 for
Boys Felt Hats, worth 75c, for 40c
Men's and Boys' Straw Hats very cheap
Men's Top Shirts, worth $1.00, for
Men's Top Shirts, worth 75c for 50c
Men's Top Shirts, two for 35c
Boys' Top Shirts, 75c for 50c
Boys' Top Shirts, two for 35c
Men's Union Socks, two pairs for 25c
Men's Cotton Socks, three pairs for 25c
Men's Washing Ties, three for 25c
Men's Serge and Tweed Suits for $6
Boys Suits, two pieces, only $1.25
Boys' Suits, three pieces, for $2.75.
Men's Tweed Pants, worth $1.50, for 98c
Boys' Summer Coats for 50c
Boys' Serge Pants for 35c.
Men's light Coats and Vests, very cheap
Child's Parasols, only 25c.
200 yd. Cotton Spools, 1c. each
50 yd. Silk Spools, 1c. each
Linen Machine Spools, two for 5c.
Gold Band Belts, only 25c.
68 Spring Jackets at $2 each, regular price $5 to $10.
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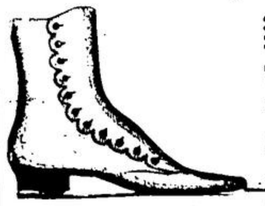

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