BORN.

BRAUSSIN—In Acton, on Friday, 29th May, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Braussin, a son.

MARRIED.

BOLTON—DYER—At the residence of the bride's parents, on Wednesday, 27th May, by Rev. James Keetle, Henry Bolton, of Guelph, to Maud, daughter of John Dyer, Rockwood.

JACKSON—AVREY—At the Brampton Methodist Parsonage, on Wednesday, 27th inst., by the Rev. Thos. Grandy, Alexander Jackson to Jessie A. Avrey, youngest daughter of George Avrey, all of Erin.

DIED.

GOWDY—At Boston, on Friday, May 29th, John Gowdy, brother of Thomas Gowdy, Esq., Guelph.

HOWAT—At Rockwood, on Monday, 25th May, Mrs. Howat, widow of the late Andrew Howat, aged 74 years.

OCKERMAN—At his residence, 2nd line, Trafalgar, Wednesday, May 27th, Elisha Ockerman, aged 85 years and 8 months.

ANDERSON—At the home of his daughter, Mrs. David Hyslopand, Wawota, N. W. T., Peter Anderson, aged 69 years, 4 months.

WELLWOOD—In Oakville, on Wednesday, May 27, Helen Mabel, eldest daughter of N. J. Wellwood, head master High School, in the 12th year of her age.

The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, JUNE 4, 1896.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The *Champion* says:—The three candidates in Halton for the House of Commons are busy canvassing and holding meetings throughout the county, and they all profess to be confident of success.

The United States receipts for the month of May were $24,643,717, and the expenditure $28,436592, leaving a deficit for the month of $3,792,875, and for the eleven months of the fiscal year of $26 928 871.

At the meeting of the County Council on Tuesday the equilization of the assessment of the various municipalities was fixed at the same figures as last year. Owing to a surplus of some $18,000 at the beginning of the year the rate for 1896 was fixed at 7 10 of a mill, 3 10 lower than last year's rate.

The French Cabinet, after a session at the Elysee Palace, has decided to submit to the chamber of Deputies a resolution proclaiming the island of Madagascar to be a French Colony. This measure will enable the French Government, according to previous agreement, to abrogate the treaties now existing under which the United States and Great Britain enjoy a special economic regime in the island.

The annual Co-operative Congress, of which the Earl of Winchilsea and Nottingham is chief promoter, in a session just held at Woolwich, has passed a resolution setting forth that in the opinion of the delegates present the English speaking people should settle their national differences without resort to the sword, and that a permanent tribunal for the settlement of disputes between America and Great Britain should be established.

A deputation of farmers and graziers from the districts of Norfolk and Suffolk, recently waited upon the president of the British Board of Agriculture, to urge the government to abandon the cattle diseases bill, which aims to regulate the importation of cattle from Canada. The deputation contended that there is no disease in Canadian cattle and no danger in their importation. The president's reply was unpromising. He said it was useless to send a commission to Canada.

An American exchange which has evidently been through an election campaign sizes up the general election contest in the following terse manner. "Same old issues, same old fight, same old "wrong", same old "right"; same old "mask", same tough "crow". Same old dodging they used to know; Same old plotting, same old fun, same old foemen on the run, same old quibbles, same old lies, same old sugar; same old flies, same old voting, same old way, same old games and games to play!"

Saturday's official *Gazette* contains a very lengthy and important Militia General order dated June 1. The order will make a vast number of changes in the existing regulations. It will, amongst other things, assimilate the titles of doctors, surgeons and veterinary surgeons to those in vogue in the Imperial service. The ranks being Lieutenant Surgeon or Veterinary Surgeon, Captain Surgeon, etc. Officers having served fifteen years will be entitled to the rank of Mr. Surgeon and Major Veterinary Surgeon as the nature of their profession requires.

The rivers and water courses flowing towards the basin of the great lakes in the North west are at present full to overflowing. The heavy snowfall of last winter in that region and the recent rains have started a larger volume of water towards the lakes than they have received in years, and it is now probable there will be a great improvement in the lakes levels as the season advances. The water in Lake Ontario is considerably higher than it was last year, but it has not felt the influence of the great feeders of the North and North west.

A P Low, of the Dominion Geological Survey, who has already spent a couple of seasons exploring the interior of Labrador, has left again to continue his work. He has explored part of Labrador by entering from the south and travelling northwards, and also by starting from the Atlantic coast and travelling westwards. This time Mr. Low goes direct to Hudson Bay and will sail along the coast, crossing the northern part of Labrador peninsula to the Atlantic, down the Atlantic to Hamilton Inlet. Mr. Low expects to return to Ottawa in October or November.

The following notices have just been issued by the Post Office Department:—In returning direct to senders "request" and "address" letters, postmasters should be careful always to give reason for non delivery. No letter should ever be returned until the postmaster has satisfied himself by a careful examination of the address that it was really intended for his office. It happened quite lately that a "request" letter plainly addressed to Clinton, Ont., was returned by the postmaster of another office entirely, who did not take the trouble to see that the letter had never been to Clinton and who, moreover, back stamped the letter so indistinctly that the impression could not be read. This is not a faithful or creditable performance of duty. In the case of either "address" or "request" letters postmasters may return them at once if the addressee has left the place, and if his place of residence is unknown, due allowance being always made, however, for the possibility that the addressee may be a commercial traveller or other stranger visiting or about to visit the place.

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

A CALAMITOUS WEEK.

Frightful Fatalities Following Cyclone, Bridge Accidents and Panics.

AMERICA AND EUROPE SUFFER.

Rarely has it been the lot of the public press to announce such a plethora of fatalities and destruction in a similar period as during the past week.

The papers every succeeding day since the Queen's Birthday have been overburdened with sorrowing details, of which the following is a brief epitome:

VICTORIA, B. C., May 26.—The most terrible accident that ever took place in this province occurred about 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when an electric car fell through the Point Ellice bridge into an arm of James Bay.

A sham battle at Macaulay Point was on the programme as a part of the celebration of the Queen's Birthday and nearly the whole population of the city went out to view it.

Up to 10.30 p. m. 52 bodies have been taken from the bay. Twenty persons known to have been on the bridge at the time of the accident are missing, and it is supposed that they have perished. The car register shows 90 fares, and it is probable that over 125 were on board.

DETROIT, Mich., May 26. The cyclone which devasted the northern portion of Oakland County last evening swept a path half a mile wide and 16 miles long from west to east, clearing the earth of nearly everything movable. About 40 persons were killed outright, and fully that number were injured, some of whom will die. The cyclone first struck the earth six miles west of Ortonville and passed half a mile north of that village. In these six miles of devasted country before Oftonville was reached 15 persons were killed and 20 injured.

DES MOINES, Iowa, May 26. Nine persons were killed and several injured in a cyclone which struck near this city at midnight. The storm struck Valeria, a small town 19 miles east of here. It blew the Maple Leaf Depot into splinters, killing four persons. Five other people, living near the depot, were also killed.

DUBUQUE, Iowa, May 26. Twelve persons were killed by a flood on the Bloody Run, a stream along the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, emptying into the Mississippi at North McGregor. One man was drowned at Dyersville, Dubuque County, and two were killed at Manchester.

ST. LOUIS, Mo. May 28. Death and destruction mark the pathway of a tornado which passed over this city yesterday afternoon. Hundreds of people were killed and the property loss is beyond estimate. At 5.20 p. m. the clouds that had covered the city since noon broke in a furious storm. Within ten minutes the wind reached a velocity of 80 miles an hour, sweeping with it dense waves of rain. The highest speed of wind previously recorded here was 72 miles an hour, in August 1878. The screeching of the wind through electric wires, the crash of debris that it swept in every direction, the electric flashes from tangled wires and crashing thunder made a scene indescribable. The loss of life is appalling.

EAST ST. LOUIS, May 28. The scene in East St. Louis is appalling. The tornado struck this city with terrible effect, and it is now estimated that 300 persons are dead in that place alone as a result of the wind, flood and flames. The tornado was followed by an outbreak of fire caused by lighting, and before the flames were got under control property to the value of nearly $5,000,000 was destroyed. The tornado passed in an easterly direction, and it is reported that Vandalia and Caseyville, in Illinois, suffered severely. One report states that the railroad depot in Vandalia was blown away and thirty people were killed.

ST. LOUIS, June 2. At 2 o'clock this afternoon the *Chronicle* compiled the following table as the latest list of fatalities: Known dead in St. Louis, 196, unknown dead in St. Louis, 8, fatally injured in St. Louis, 18, missing in St. Louis, 118, known dead in East St. Louis, 145, unknown dead in East St. Louis, 3, fatally injured in East St. Louis, 2; total fatality, 490.

MOSCOW, Russia, June 1. On Saturday a feast was prepared on the Hodynsky plain, in Moscow, for five hundred thousand visitors, largely peasants and working men, to the coronation fetes. Nearly a million people came to the feast. The immense crowd was greater than had been anticipated, and by six o'clock ugly rushes began to be made by bodies of workmen coming in from the manufactories. The pressure grew worse and worse. Presently women began to utter piercing screams and cries, and some of them fell.

Hearing the noise in front, the mass behind pushed forward all the more eagerly, thinking that those in front were getting all the good things, for by this time the people had broken into the booths and were looting them. All at once there was a frantic rush, and the crowd surged forward like an irresistible and gigantic wave of human beings and thousands were thrown to the ground.

Shrieks, yells and curses rent the air. Higher and higher the mass of dead and dying was piled and it seemed impossible to do anything to prevent the tragedy becoming more horrible. A few Gardiovoi present did noble work in trying to rescue the people, but the crowd had become crazy, and even when individuals escaped they did so stripped of almost everything they had on in the struggle.

All this happened at a point where the booths formed a curve, and into this angle the seething mass was pushed hopelessly forward. Here, within a distance of one hundred yards, large numbers of unfortunates perished. They formed a confused mass, struggling convulsively for a few moments in the death agonies, but everywhere within a radius of five hundred yards people were falling and being crushed to death. Many more were livid with fear, not a few were bleeding profusely, and still more were fighting in wild agony with one another.

The vast crowd had become panic stricken. They felt and acted as those who were battling for life.

LONDON, June 1. The *Standard's* Moscow correspondent estimates the number of dead at 3,600, besides 1,200 injured, who were taken to the hospitals. Most of the injured, he says, will die. The correspondent adds that when the police reinforcement and Cossacks arrived on the plain on Saturday morning, the latter, as is customary with them when dealing with the peasantry, applied their whips cruelly and needlessly, lashing the moujiks who were on the outskirts of the crowd. Two of the Cossacks were dragged from their horses by the enraged sufferers and killed. Eight gendarmes were caught in the crowd, knocked down and suffocated.

The burial of the victims of the disaster of Saturday went on all night long and is still proceeding. Only mourners are admitted to the cemetery. The victims are buried in long trenches extending nearly across the church yard.

THE ORANGE GRAND LODGE.

Hon. N. Clarke Wallace is Elected Grand Master by Acclamation.

CONNAUGHT, May 28.—It was about five o'clock this morning before the Grand Orange Lodge completed its business and brought its exciting all night session to a close. The result of the elections was the selection of the following principal officers:

Grand Master, N. Clarke Wallace, (by acclamation).

Deputy Grand Master, Major A. J. Armstrong, St. John, N. B., (by acclamation).

Grand Chaplain, Rev. W. F. Wilson, Toronto.

Grand Secretary, Robert Birmingham.

Grand Treasurer, W. J. Parkhill, Midland (by acclamation).

Grand Lecturer, R. A. Brown, St. John, N. B. (by acclamation).

Grand D. of C., R. Burns, Toronto, (by acclamation).

Grand Assistant Secretary, Lieut. Col. Scott, Lancardine.

Among the Deputy Grand Lecturers was Mr. W. D. McPherson, of Toronto, who was re-elected, and among the Deputy Grand Chaplains Rev. J. C. Madill, who was defeated for the chaplaincy.

POLITICAL POINTERS.

Mr. Henderson held a very orderly and well attended meeting at Ballinafad last Friday evening.

Mr. Hume addressed the electors at Knatchbull last Friday night. His chief organizer, Mr. Kerr, made the speech of the evening.

Mr. Waldie has been in Nelson Township this week. He addresses a meeting at Palermo, in Trafalgar, to night.

Mr. Hume, the McCarthy candidate, has held over twenty meetings already in all parts of the county.

Mr. Henderson is spending this week in Trafalgar. Next Monday evening he goes to Brookville and on Tuesday to Milton.

Meetings will be held at Glenwilliams on Thursday, 11th, and at Norval on Friday, 12th, in Mr. Henderson's interests.

The first big meeting announced for Acton will take place next Wednesday evening in Mr. Waldie's interests. Hon. George W. Ross, Minister of Education for Ontario, will be the principal speaker. This is Mr. Ross' first visit to Acton and will perhaps be his only appearance in Halton during the campaign. Acton will give him an enthusiastic reception.

LIMEHOUSE.

Mr. Neil McGill left on Monday for British Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. T. Moore, and their little daughter, of Lancaster, Ohio, are guests at the old home here.

A garden party will be given by the Methodist congregation here on the evening of the 16th inst.

Maltine with Cod Liver Oil and Hypophosphites for Consumption, Colds, and Bronchitis.

No objections can be urged against the generally acknowledged remedial properties of pure cod liver oil beyond its tendency to upset the stomach and impair the appetite, and fortunately even this drawback is overcome in the preparation Maltine with Cod Liver Oil and Hypophosphites. The oil is rendered palatable and of easy digestion, the appetite is improved, and the hypophosphites are of great service in pulmonary affections and in wasting diseases generally. Maltine, too, is unique, not only for its nutritive value, but by reason of its energetic action upon starchy foods throwing into circulation a largely augmented supply of nutrition available for the replacement of the waste. A trial will convince all of its efficacy.

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Turn it outside in and see if it has not got a lot of chaff and dust in the bottom, and then ask yourself if you were not near in blowing up your watchmaker for your watch stopping.

But perhaps your watch has a dust proof case! Well, may be it has, but I have not seen one yet that a careless man could not fill with dirt enough to stop in a month or so. One way the dust gets in is by you allowing the stem of the watch to get turned to the bottom of the pocket and then the dust gets under the crown, and then, when you wind it it falls down through the stem into the watch.

A very good way to stop this is to have a large buttonhole put in the bottom of the pocket—not your money pocket, but your watch pocket—in which nothing but the watch should be kept, and then the dirt will fall down through. Also wear a rather heavy chain so as to keep the stem of the case uppermost.

Now don't go and tell Pringle the jeweller, of Guelph, that I told you this because if you act on any of the above advice he will lose considerable work and he likes work. However, should you need any repairing in the jewellery line, Pringle is a most careful and experienced workman and examines carefully all the work done by his assistants, who work right beside him, one constantly on clocks, one always on jewellery and three on watches. Pringle gives all that care and experience can give.

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NEWS OF THE DAY

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

Mr. H. B. Raper, inventor of a steam bicycle, fell off the machine at Cambridge, Mass., and was killed, Monday.

The total number of fatalities caused by the cyclone in St. Louis and East St. Louis is now placed at 490.

Mr. Abraham Simpson proprietor of the Commercial Hotel, Port Colborne, hanged himself in the canal, on Monday.

The widow of Peter Sayers, a pure blood Iroquois Indian woman, died at Caughnawaga, Monday, at the age of 116 years.

The London *Standard* correspondent estimates the number of killed in the panic at Moscow at 3,600 besides 1,200 injured.

Mr. William Reading, of Drew, who was thrown out of Mr. Donald Sloan's carriage while driving to church on Sunday, died of his injuries Tuesday.

The four year old son of Mr. Wm. Wills, of Merritton, Ont., met with a terrible death on Saturday. He burrowed a hole in a pile of straw in a small frame building. His elder brother playfully set fire to the straw, and before the fire could be extinguished the younger boy was burned to death.

A BEWITCHING SMILE

Receives an added glory if it exercises teeth of pearly whiteness. Care of the teeth, how important, yet neglected often to the marring of their beauty or destruction by the use of enamel eating dentifrices. Ivorine, delightful, refreshing, imparts pearly whiteness to the teeth, prevents decay, gives firmness to the gums and a delightful fragrance to the breath.

Cornfield's Grocery.

This business is now firmly established in Acton and is daily growing in favor, both with citizens and farmers. In addition to a general stock of groceries, I have made arrangements to handle

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Which will be promptly delivered in any quantity at lowest prices.

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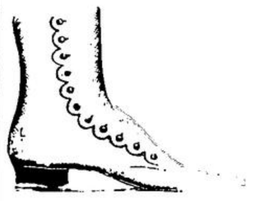

We have decided to place our business on as fully a cash basis as possible and in order to induce every customer to pay cash will allow a Cash Discount of 10 per cent upon every cash purchase.

We also claim that the reasonable prices which prevailed with us throughout the same is on our entire well assorted stock of

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This offer is in the interest of those able to deal in their purchases during the hard times. We invite your patronage.
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This Department has created a great deal of favorable comment between here and Toronto. Each class of Imported Dress Goods.

No two dresses alike.

Costume of German Tweed for $7.50.

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10 pieces Lustres, Scarce Goods 30, 45, and [illegible]
20 pieces Crinkle Cloth, 5c. yard.
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20 pieces 24 in. Linen Towelling for 7½c.
4 pieces Table Linen, worth 40c. for 29c.
1 piece T. Red and White Doyle Damask, 50c. [illegible] 37c.
40 dozen Hose 10c. for 6c.
20 dozen Lace Mitts, 20c. and 25c. for 10c.
10 dozen 75c. Corsets, 48c.

[illegible] thousands of lines very much less than their usual [illegible] prices.

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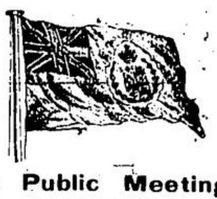

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IN THE INTEREST OF

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ON

Wednesday, 10th June,

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THE MEETING WILL BE ADDRESSED BY THE

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DISCUSSION INVITED.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given by the undersigned to all concerned that he will not be responsible for debts contracted in his name by any party or parties upon any pretense whatever, in Acton or elsewhere, after this date.
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INCLUDING Books, Pamphlets, Posters, Bill Heads, Circulars, &c., &c., executed in the best style of the art, at moderate prices and on short notice. Apply or address
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PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that fishing and shooting on the stream running through the east part of lots 29, 30, 31, and the west part of lot 31 in the 7th concession, Nassagaweya, are prohibited. Trespassers will be prosecuted under the Ontario game laws.
W. STARK,
Acton, May 1st, 1896. for Lessee.

NO TRESPASSING.

THE public is hereby notified that no fishing, shooting or swimming on the creek running through the properties of Messrs. Robert Wallace, Joseph Lasby and William Brown, in and near Acton, will be allowed. All found guilty of trespassing will be prosecuted as the statute provides.
W. STARK,
Acton, May 1st, 1896. for Lessee.

HOUSE AND LOTS FOR SALE.

THE undersigned offers for sale his house and two lots on the corner of Mill and Wellington streets, Acton. The house is a comfortable well built frame, of eight rooms, with hard and soft water at the door, stable, woodshed, well fenced. A very fine home for any business man or retired farmer. Terms made known upon application to Wm. Armstrong or
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NOTICE.

ALL persons found trespassing either in fishing or shooting on the premises of the undersigned, will be prosecuted according to law.

Signed { THOMAS SOMERVILLE,
TORONTO LIME CO.,
WILLIAM SCOTT,
WILLIAM NEWTON,
ANDREW SCOTT,
GEORGE PROCTOR.

Acton, June 2nd, 1896.

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JOHN TAYLOR, Agent,
Guelph.

MUNICIPALITY OF ACTON

Court of Revision

NOTICE is hereby given that the Court of Revision for the Village of Acton will be held on

MONDAY, 8th DAY OF JUNE 1896

at the Town Hall, at 7 o'clock p.m. All parties interested will please govern themselves accordingly.
H. H. MOORE,
Clerk.
Acton, May 30th, 1896.

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