BORN.

MACMILLAN—In Esquesing, on Thursday, 11th March, to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. MacMillan, a son.

MARRIED.

VANCE—RYDER—At the residence of the bride's mother, on Wednesday, March 10th, by Rev. H. A. Macpherson, Andrew Vance, of Chatham, to Bertha, daughter of Mrs. James Ryder, of Acton.

HOWES—ANTHONY—At the residence of the bride's father, township of Esquesing, by Rev. W. M. McKay, on Wednesday, March 10th, Frederick Howes to Miss Martha J. Anthony, daughter of Andrew Anthony, Esq.

DIED.

MCEACHERN—In Erin, on Sunday, 14th March, Malcolm McEachern, aged 38 years and six months.

CAMPBELL—At Burlington, on Sunday, March 14th, Jane Kennedy Campbell, wife of John H. Campbell, aged 66 years.

MUTCH—At his late residence, 110 Havelock Street, Toronto, on Saturday, March 13, Rev. John Mutch, M. A., pastor of Chalmers' Presbyterian Church, aged 44 years.

The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, MARCH 18, 1897.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

One of the Tariff Commissioners stated in Ottawa that by the time the House of Commons has transacted its preliminary work the Tariff bill will be brought in by the Minister of Finance.

Business in the United States continues quiet, according to the reports of the chief commercial agencies at New York. At the same time there is a fair, and to some extent increasing, activity in different lines of industry.

Since Ontario has brightened up and taken on itself the appearance of wealth and advertised itself as a mining country, claims unending, forgotten or outlawed, have been pouring in to the Government daily. Every person who has ever had a claim is filing it now.

The new United States tariff was given to the public on Monday. The measure is a restoration of a Republican tariff. It is expected to yield an increase of $75,000,000 over the present Democratic act. In its important features it is a reproduction of the McKinley law of 1890 though in many respects it is considerably modified.

PROHIBITIONISTS PROTEST.

500 Meet in Convention and a Large Delegation Interviews the Premier.

The prohibition convention called by the Ontario Alliance to protest against the proposed amendments to the provincial license act, met this morning in the Y. M. C. Guild hall, Mayor Fleming in the chair. There were about 500 delegates present from various parts of the province and the feeling appeared to be unanimous in condemnation of the proposed amendments. It was decided after lengthened discussion, that the entire convention should wait in a body on the Government as a protest against the insufficiency of the proposed amendments. At 5 o'clock in the afternoon seventy-five of the members of the Legislature gathered in the big reception room of the House to meet the deputation. The audience room was filled to overflowing.

A number of prominent prohibitionists addressed the members of the Cabinet. In reply the Attorney-General said he was very much obliged to the temperance people for the trouble they had taken in laying their views before the Cabinet. His colleagues and himself were as interested in the progress of temperance as any delegate present. He was sorry to see they had referred to it as a retrograde measure. There was not a retrograde line in it. Mr. Hardy referred to his remark on a former occasion, that his Government would go as far as their jurisdiction would permit. On that occasion the license law was under discussion. It was not prohibition they were talking of. Mr. Hardy referred to Sir Oliver Mowat's much-quoted reply to a temperance deputation, when the then Premier spoke upon what was before the Legislature at that time.

At this point some of the members of the temperance delegation forgot their good manners. Some exclaimed "Oh, oh," and shouted at the Premier from all over the room. Mr. Hardy is not a man to be easily perturbed, and he went on to point out that his Government should have some voice in the interpretation of the Privy Council judgment. The Government had a small majority. Had the Opposition shown any signs of making this bill a party matter? What had Senator Vidal done towards temperance legislation in the Senate? There was a difference between discussion and legislation, and between preaching and practice.

Hon. G. W. Ross concluded the Government's case to the deputation, and they then held a mass meeting after the Ministers and members had left.

A resolution was passed expressing deep dissatisfaction with the result of the interview. A committee was appointed to canvass members of the Legislature and watch the bill during its progress through the House.

ASHGROVE.

Mr. Peter Dick is visiting in Caledon.

A number of our young folks spent a delightful time at Mr. James McDowell's last Wednesday evening.

Miss B. Charles, of Norval, is visiting at F. L. Thornton's.

Mr. O. Thornton, who has had a severe attack of la grippe, is slowly improving.

Mr. Fred Wrigglesworth is visiting friends at Hagersville.

Mr. Richard Dick is visiting in Toronto.

Miss Lottie McGill, of Erin, was the guest of Miss Bessie Dick last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrison are visiting in King township last week and this.

Our hamlet was quite lively last week. Messrs. Thornton and Alexander had extensive bees with the circular saw. Sawing bees are quite in order in this vicinity just now.

A very pretty home wedding took place in this vicinity Wednesday last, when a large number assembled to witness the marriage of Miss Martha J. Anthony, eldest daughter of Mr. Andrew Anthony, to Mr. Fred Howes, of Drumquin. The bride who was one of our prettiest girls looked beautiful in a gown of cream cashmere. She wore a veil and carried a bouquet of carnations and ferns. The bridesmaid, who was a sister of the groom, was dressed in cream and looked quite charming. The groom in the conventional black, looked what he ought to be, a happy man. Mr. Walter Anthony, of Brampton, the bride's only brother, was groomsman. Rev. Mr. McKay, of Norval, performed the interesting ceremony. The many valuable presents received by the bride included both the ornamental and useful. The happy couple left on the ten o'clock train for Toronto for a short honey-moon.

Mr. E. J. Sanford, son of Senator Sanford, of Hamilton, died at El Paso, Texas.

IT LOOKS LIKE WAR.

King George Still Refuses to Comply With the Powers' Ultimatum.

GREEKS AND TURKS ADVANCING

ATHENS, March 17.—A prolonged meeting of the Cabinet was held yesterday. The ministers discussed at great length the attitude to be taken in the event of the powers attempting to coerce Greece into a compliance with their demands. It is stated that no disposition was shown to accede to their demands, and that it was finally decided to take active measures as the only possible solution of the difficulty.

It is thought that by active measures is meant a declaration of war against Turkey, which in its effect will be to give Greece the right to maintain her army in Crete and deprive the powers of any right of interference.

Crown Prince Constantine, with the First Regiment of Infantry, is momentarily expected to leave Athens to assume command of all the Greek forces in Thessaly.

The prevailing conviction here is that war is inevitable.

It is understood that the Cabinet at its meeting to-day discussed a plan of campaign against the Turks.

The whole garrison of Athens and nearly all the reserves have started for the frontier.

The departure during the night of a number of troops for Volo, Thessaly, was undoubtedly owing to the Government receiving information regarding the blockade.

LONDON, March 17.—The *Chronicle*, *Daily Mail* and *Telegraph* have correspondents with the Greek forces on the Thessalian frontier. They all concur in their descriptions of the rapid massing and continental drilling of the troops. They add that the excitement and enthusiasm of the soldiers are a dangerous element of the situation as a trifle may start a conflict with the Turkish forces on the frontier, who are in sight of the Greeks.

A despatch from Malta says that 600 British troops were ordered to Crete from that station to-day. In the House of Commons this evening Mr. A. J. Balfour, First Lord of the Treasury, made the following announcement on behalf of the Government: We have to day addressed a communication to the powers in regard to Greece, but it is impossible, as it would be improper and against public interest, either to state the terms of the communication or to encourage debate on the subject.

Lord Kimberly asked that the Government make a further and more explicit statement in regard to the Cretan situation, but Lord Salisbury referred him to the admirable speeches delivered by Foreign Minister Hanotaux and Premier Meline in the French Chamber of Deputies yesterday, in the sentiments expressed in which he (Lord Salisbury) said he heartily concurred.

Lord Kimberly: "But I should prefer to have a statement of Great Britain's policy by Great Britain's Ministers."

Lord Salisbury: "The policy of the powers was explained in the speeches of MM. Hanotaux and Meline. If I have not used their eloquent language, it is my misfortune and not my fault."

In the lobbies of the House the remarks of Lord Salisbury are regarded as indicative of an aim on the part of the Premier to secure closer contents with France, and also as indicating that England and France are closely united with one another in understanding in regard to Crete than they are with the other powers.

CANEA, March 17.—As a result of the operation of the blockade of Cretan ports by the combined fleets of the powers, the Greek squadron, with the exception of two small warships, left Cretan waters to-day. The two vessels that remain are preparing to take their departure.

NEW YORK, March 17.—A despatch to the *Herald* from Athens says: There is a whisper in court circles here that Russia is secretly urging Greece to war. Faithful to Prince Lobanoff's policy and under the mask of friendship to Turkey, Russia will occupy Constantinople, when a rising in the Balkans is brought on by Greece. Russia will then retain Constantinople and abandon Crete and a part of Macedonia to Greece. The attitude of Germany is resented by the Greeks, who propose to retaliate by obstructing German commerce and oriental exports and favoring the French.

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The following is the final list of contributions to this fund:—

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Miss D. Haines, 15 Esquesing	1 00
Miss Kate J. Kennedy, 13 Esquesing	2 20
Inspector's subscription	2 50
Total received	$192 00

I wish hereby to thank the teachers and pupils for their prompt and liberal response, all but two schools having reported. The result is far in excess of my expectations. Dr. Goikie has sent a postal receipt to each teacher, and the amounts have been acknowledged in the *Globe* and *Mail* up to the 9th inst. This closes the efforts in connection with our schools.

Yours faithfully,
J. S. DEACON.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Mr. Thomas Plummer, manager of the Stratford branch of the Bank of Montreal, died on Tuesday of cancer in the stomach.

The Hamilton Presbytery have refused to allow Rev. Dr. Abraham to be translated from Burlington to Brockville, although the call he received offered $1000 salary and a manse.

Rev. Dr. Jackson, of Knox Church, Galt, has accepted a call to Madison-avenue Presbyterian Church, Cleveland. Guelph Presbytery met Tuesday and passed eulogistic resolutions expressing regret at the reverend gentleman's departure. He will remain in his present charge till the end of this month.

The free distribution of samples of seed grain from the Central Experimental Farm continues. The work commenced on the 1st of January, and up to yesterday 16,511 packages of 3 pounds each, aggregating nearly 25 tons, have been sent out through the mails to applicants in all parts of the Dominion. The distribution for this year will not be finished for some time yet.

—A sleigh load of young folks drove in from Nassagaweya on Tuesday and spent the evening at the home of Mr. W. Anderson, Bower Avenue.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The Business of the March Meeting Held Monday Evening.

The Board of Trustees of Acton Public School met on Monday evening at the home of the Secretary.

Members were all present except Mr. Holmes.

The Committee on Finance presented their report recommending the passing of the following accounts:

Robert H. Reid, wood	$ 3 60
H. P. Moore, printing, advertising and minute book	9 10
John A. Gordon, wood as per contract	88 00
	$100.10

The report was adopted.

The Property Committee reported having attended to the staying of the floors with iron supports rendering them quite rigid and satisfactory.

The Committee was instructed to have necessary repairs effected to save the exterior walls of the old building which is not at present in use. Also to have the floor in basement of new building re-cemented in the spring.

The Board then adjourned.

A LAMENTABLE ACCIDENT.

Three Children of one Family Drowned at Bowmanville Last Wednesday.

BOWMANVILLE, Ont., March 10.—The saddest fatality that ever occurred in this town happened in Williams' flats this afternoon, when the three eldest children of Frederick Luxon, were drowned just outside their garden gate in a hole that once formed part of a mill race.

The children were out for an airing in the warm sunshine, and no one was near but Mrs. Luxon, their mother, who is nursing a baby only ten days old. After half an hour's absence the mother thought they should return. A search revealed their lifeless bodies floating in a pool of water five or six feet deep.

POVERTY OF THE BLOOD.

A TROUBLE THAT IS MAKING THE LIVES OF THOUSANDS MISERABLE.

It Brings in its Train Nervousness, Pains in the Back and Side, Headaches, Heart Palpitation and Results Fatally Where Efficacious Treatment is not Resorted to.

From the Sussex, N. B., Record.

There are many ways in which people may prove benefactors to the human race. There are those who of their abundance spend large sums in erecting public buildings and beautifying public parks. Others spend their money in charitable work, and in alleviating the sufferings of less fortunate fellows, and for these acts these people are honored. The person who having obtained relief from sickness and makes public the means by which health was regained, is none the less a public benefactor. Among these latter is Miss Elena O'Neill, daughter of Mr. Jas. O'Neill, a well-to-do farmer living near Millstream, Kings Co., N. B. Miss O'Neill was attacked with anæmia (poverty of the blood) a trouble unfortunately too common among the young girls of the present day, and one which is certain to terminate fatally if not promptly checked, and the blood enriched and renewed. Having discovered a remedy that will achieve this happy result, Miss O'Neill is willing that less fortunate sufferers may reap the benefit of her experience. To a correspondent of the *Record*, Miss O'Neill related the story of her illness and cure. She said: "I believe that had I not begun the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills my trouble would have ended fatally. My illness came about so gradually that I can scarcely say when it began. The first symptoms were a loss of color, and a feeling of tiredness following even moderate exertion. Gradually I became as pale as a corpse, and was extremely nervous. Then I was attacked with a pain in the side, which daily grew more and more intense. I coughed a great deal and finally grew so weak that if I went upstairs I had to rest when I reached the top. My appetite forsook me. I was subject to spells of dizziness, and severe headaches and was gradually wasting away until I lost all interest in life. I had tried a number of medicines but found no relief. In this apparently hopeless condition, while reading a newspaper I saw a statement of a young lady whose symptoms were almost identical with my own, whose health had been restored through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. This statement was so encouraging that I determined that I would try this medicine. In my case as in that of the young lady whom I had read about, the result was marvellous. The pain in my side from which I had suffered so much, disappeared, my nerves were strengthened, my appetite returned and my whole system seemed to be strengthened and renewed. I am now as well as any member in the family and have not known what sickness was since I discontinued the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

My gratitude towards this grand medicine is unbounded and I hope my statement may be the means of bringing encouragement and health to some other sufferer.

The gratifying results following the use of Dr. William's Pink Pills, in the case of Miss O'Neill prove that they are unequalled as a blood builder and nerve tonic. In the case of young girls who are pale or sallow, listless, troubled with a fluttering or palpitation of the heart, weak and easily tired, no time should be lost in taking a course of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which will speedily enrich the blood and bring a rosy glow of health to the cheeks. They are a specific for troubles peculiar to females, such as suppressions, irregularities and all forms of weakness. In men they effect a radical cure in all cases arising from mental worry, or overwork, of whatever nature.

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ACTON, March 15th, 1897.

Nearly thirteen years ago I was taken very severely with rheumatism and although I have been treated for it by several Doctors here and elsewhere, besides using any amount of patent medicines and vaunted rheumatic cures, I never found only temporary relief, until six months ago, when Dr. Halsted's Rheumatic Cure cured me, so that I have not felt anything of it since. ROBT. L. BINGHAM.

ACTON, March 15th, 1897.

In June 1895, I was attacked with inflammatory rheumatism, with which I suffered (under continued medical treatment) five months. The last five weeks I was not able to get out of bed. I then sent for Dr. Halsted. His treatment gave me immediate relief, and in a few days I was at my work, and I have had no rheumatism since. HIRAM SPRINGER.

McIntyre, Dec. 26th, 1895.

Dr. Halsted's Rheumatic Cure may be had at the Medical Hall, Main Street, Acton.

Bishop DuMoulin has given notice that the Synod of Niagara will meet at Hamilton on Tuesday, June 8th.

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