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THURSDAY, JUNE 10, 1897.

LITTLE LOCAL BRIEFLETS

Which Caught theEyes or Ears of Free Press Reporters this week

—Y. P. S. C. E. Convention next Wednesday.

—About time the corporation hay makers were at work.

—Let Acton look her prettiest during the convention next week.

—The County Council have granted the County Agricultural Society another $300.

—Give the Christian Endeavorers of the county a hearty welcome next Wednesday.

—Burlington wants $300 from the County Council to assist in improving the Beach road.

—The golden rule nowadays seems to read something like this;—Do others or they will do you."

—Monday's heavy rain storm left its mark in innumerable channels in roads, fields and gardens.

—The prettiest bouquet of the season, from the garden of Mrs. S. A. Secord, adorns the editorial table.

—Grindell's new machine shop is now in complete running order. The temporary building has been removed.

—At last meeting of Esquesing Council Joseph Lesby was voted $2:00 for two birds value of a lamb killed by dogs.

—The volunteers, to the number of 38, left on Tuesday morning for Niagara. The town is lonesome this week without them.

—The Halton County C. E. Convention next Wednesday will provide a programme of intense interest to the christian community.

—The new evergreens planted in Fairview Cemetery this week add to the general attractiveness of this beautiful resting place of the departed.

—Rev. Father Haley has arranged for a grand pic-nic in Jonathan Oakes' grove, for Thursday, 24th inst. Proceeds are for the R. C. Church, at Oustic.

—The poster for the Jubilee Celebration at Brampton, issued by the Brampton *Banner*, is a masterpiece of clean, well-balanced and artistic poster printing.

—The annual pic-nic of the Patrons of Industry will be held in McDougall's grove on Tuesday, 22nd inst.—Jubilee Day. A programme of sports, with music, etc., has been arranged.

—A ten or twelve year old boy in attempting to get on a moving freight train on Sunday, was thrown and received a very ugly fall his head lighting on one of the rails. He was considerably dazed for some minutes but afterwards recovered and was able to walk home.

—Make no other engagements for next Wednesday. Arrange to spend the day at the Christian Endeavor Convention in the Methodist Church. It will profit and interest you. Your presence will manifest your interest in the work of the young people of the county.

—The Education Department has just issued the time table for the High School and University Matriculation examinations. This begins as follows:—Form 1, Friday, July 2nd; Form 2nd Commercial Specialists, Monday, July 5th; Forms 3rd and 4th, Wednesday, July 7th.

—Elsewhere in this issue an advertisement of the Diamond Jubilee Concert of the Toronto Philharmonic in Massey Hall on the evening before Jubilee Day. Scores of the people of Acton and vicinity will visit Toronto that day. The concert will be an historical one and should be largely attended.

—There will be special Jubilee services in St. Alban's Church on Sunday, June 20th. In the evening the Canadian order of Foresters will attend in a body. The offertory at both services will be thanksgiving offertories to be devoted to the Parsonage debt. All are invited to the Thanksgiving services.

—Garden Party—A garden party will be given at the home of Mr. John Stalker under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of Knox Church, Acton, on Thursday, 17th June. Acton Cornet Band will be in attendance. Arthurs' string band is also expected and other parlor entertainment. Admission 25 cents. Children 15 cents. Conveyances will be at the church to take all who wish to go.

TO RENT—the two vacant lots opposite Grindell's Shop, for the taxes.—S. A SECORD.

THE NEWS AT HOME.

Montly of a Local Character, and every Item Interesting.

Rev. T. R. Forbes Surprised.

The Churchill Congregational friends surprised the pastor and his wife in laying seige to their new home on Bower Avenue on Friday evening last. After a very pleasant evening, to the proceedings of which all contributed, they left the home with many proofs of kindness and goodwill. Rev. Mr. Forbes has won a warm place in the hearts of his people.

Christian Fellowship Exemplified.

The union of the congregations of the Presbyterian and Methodist Churches last Sunday was most cordial and profitable. Owing to the absence of Rev. J. E. Howell at Conference this plan was suggested and the courtesy of Rev. Mr. Macpherson in acting as pastor of the united congregations for the day was much appreciated by pastor and members of the sister church. The congregations were very large. They worshipped in the Methodist Church in the morning and in Knox Church in the evening. The sermons by Rev. Mr. Macpherson were able expositions and peculiarly fitting to the occasion.

His New Field.

At the conference just closed Rev. J. E. Howell, M. A., was appointed to the church at Waterloo. During his pastorate at Berlin Mr. Howell and his family made many friends at Waterloo, and they will remove thence under many pleasant auspices. The fact that, after a pastorate at Berlin, a point so contiguous to his new field, the appointment of Mr. Howell is so generally acceptable to the church at Waterloo, is a superior compliment to his ability and pastoral qualifications generally. It also speaks well for the discrimination and observation of the people of Waterloo. The members of the congregation here will unite in wishing Rev. Mr. Howell every success there. The exchange will take place at the end of the present month.

Equitized Assessment and County Rate

At the meeting of the County Council last week the equalized assessment for the year 1896 was adopted for the present year as follows:

Trafalgar,	equalized value	.....	$ 2,545,600
Esquesing,	"	"	2,328,100
Nelson,	"	"	1,758,100
Nassagaweya,	"	"	985,000
Milton,	"	"	860,000
Oakville,	"	"	433,700
Acton,	"	"	214,300
Georgetown,	"	"	310,000
Burlington,	"	"	322,000

The following are the rates levied for the expenses of the county for the year:—Trafalgar, $2,291.05; Esquesing, $2,095.29; Nelson, $1,583.19; Nassagaweya, $887.04; Milton, $324.00; Oakville, $390.33; Georgetown, $279.00; Acton, $192.87; Burlington, $289.80; total, $8,332.56.

Acton Defeats Milton in their First Game

The first of the season's championship games of the Halton-Peel League was played on the park here Saturday between Milton and Acton and was won by the home team in the ninth innings. The play on both sides was sharp and clean, the game being one of the best exhibitions of ball over played in the league.

Score;—	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Acton.....	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	1	1	6	13	4
Milton	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	5	10	7

Batteries;—Steaber and Ryder. Brush and Elliott.

A local poet says:—

"The play was close, delighting all,
For equal fortune kept them tied,
'Till Murray McDonald hit the ball
And victory swung to Acton's side."

The next game will be played with Brampton on Saturday.

P. O. Money Order Business.

The report of the Postmaster General for the past year is before us. We give below a glance at the money order business transacted in the county during the year;

	ISSUED	PAID	P.O. REVENUE
Acton.....	$13,128.29	$5,464.63	$92,155.06
Bronte	745.70	835.24	213.43
Burlington ...	7,031.59	5,586.42	1,322.55
Campbellville	5,307.65	862.35	336.70
Freeman	1,638.40	929.01	369.32
Georgetown ..	14,551.57	7,214.19	2,974.56
Milton	17,373.22	10,447.38	2,507.95
Nassagaweya	3,815.41	1,335.06	360.86
Norval	4,367.71	1,196.96	385.65
Oakville	11,637.70	7,299.47	2,618.24
Palermo	3,328.10	983.78	209.76
Totals.....	$83,126.44	$42,126.01	$13,400.08

This little county has but eleven post office money order offices, yet these turn over a money order business of the very creditable aggregate of $125,265.05.

The Public School Jubilee Celebration.

THE FREE PRESS referred last week to the desirability of making the Queen's Jubilee an event memorable to the pupils as long as they live. Arrangements have been completed for just such an occasion. The members of the school board, the teachers and scholars will celebrate this jubilee of our beloved Queen in a right royal manner. As previously stated the afternoon of Friday, June 18th, has been set apart for holding the demonstation. The scholars, teachers and members of the Board will meet at the Public School, and headed by Acton Cornet Band, and with flags and banners march in procession to the town hall where the time will be spent in singing patriotic songs, addresses by the clergymen, leading citizens, etc. The Board intend making this event one to be long remembered and, assisted by the teachers, are doing everything to assure the affair a success. A cordial invitation is extended to the parents and citizens to be present. Further notice regarding the hour, etc., will be given in next issue of FREE PRESS.

The New Pastor of the Methodist Church

Rev. James A. McLachlan, M. A., of Waterloo, the new pastor appointed to the Methodist Church here, is not a stranger to the Acton people. Three years ago, when a new pastor was to be appointed, the Official Board submitted a list of four names of pastors to the stationing committee, any one of whom would be acceptable, the first of which was Rev. J. E. Howell, M. A., and the second Rev. J. A. McLachlan, M. A. He preached here about two years ago and his sermons were much enjoyed by the congregation. Mr. McLachlan is a graduate of Victoria University. He entered the ministry in 1880 and was ordained at the last session of the old London Conference which met at Guelph in 1884, at which Dr. W. C. Henderson was the President. Since ordination he has had very successful pastorates at Harmony, near Stratford, Mooretield, Wroxetter, Teeswater and Waterloo. At Teeswater his labors were signally blessed. About a hundred converts united with the church and a debt of $1400 on church property was wiped out. During his term at Waterloo, the last three years, about $1200 has been paid to clear off the debt on the church there. Mr. McLachlan has been much beloved on all his fields. He is an earnest worker, a popular preacher and indefatigable in pastoral duties. A hearty welcome awaits him upon his arrival at Acton.

It was officially announced in the Dominion House of Commons Monday that the Temperance Plebiscite bill will not be proceeded with this session.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

GEORGETOWN.

At the meeting of the High School Board last week, Mr. A. H. Gibbard B. A., head master of the High School, tendered his resignation, to take effect at the close of the present term. The resignation was accepted and the secretary instructed to advertise for a teacher to fill the vacancy.

A new wire fence and entrance gates are to be put up at the Cemetery.

Mr. G. H. Kennedy was the lay delegate to Conference at Brantford during the week.

CREWSONS CORNERS.

There are quite a number on the sick list here at present.

There was no service in the church here on Sunday, Rev. Mr. Keatle being away to conference.

Mr. John Soper, sr., met with a serious accident one day last week. He has the contract of building a barn for Mr. J. Burns, near Rockwood, and was engaged in laying the slippers and sills when the accident occurred. Mr. Soper and other men had just completed the laying of the mud sill when he found that it was too long. He started to shorten it and was working underneath it when some way one end slipped out of its place and alighted on his shoulder crushing him beneath its weight. Had Mr. Soper been working in a stooped position the accident would, no doubt, have proved fatal, as it is it will be several weeks before he will be able to be around again.

Mrs. Alex. Cripps is recovering from a severe attack of la grippe.

Mr. Geo. Caun is also confined to the house with an attack of the grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Moore, of Walkerton, are spending a few days with friends here.

Mrs. J. Parker and Miss J. Stevenson, of Fergus are visiting friends here.

ROCKWOOD.

Mrs. Wilson was found lying, almost unconscious on the floor at her home last Tuesday, and is in a very weak condition owing to the chill she received. She had been living alone and it is supposed had lain there helpless the greater part of the day, until some neighbors seeing no movement about the house in the evening forced an entrance and found her in this condition. Mrs. Wilson is being cared for by her daughters Mrs. Tilt and Mrs. Stewart, of Guelph.

Rev. H. A. Macpherson, of Acton, held pre-communion services in the Presbyterian Church on the 4th inst.

Mr. Hugh Black was attending the June meeting of the Disciple's Church, held at St. Thomas.

Dr. Dryden called at Rockwood last week. He has just returned from New York where he took a specialist course in diseases of the eye and ear.

Mr. H. Gillhillan had a narrow escape last week. His horse ran away, throwing him out on the road where he was found some time later and removed to his home. He is doing as well as can be expected.

Mr. W. Jago has obtained a position in Heppler and plays in the Hespeler ball team of the Waterloo County League.

Mr. Jas Magee, a native of this village met with a fatal accident at Brainerd, Mich., last Saturday which caused his death shortly after.

NASSAGAWEYA.

Mrs. Ashdown and Miss Mina Langrill, of Knatchbull spent Sunday last week with relatives in Beverly.

Mrs. Thos. Campbell, of Milton, is visiting friends in Nassagaweya.

Mr. L. S. Allison, Postmaster, Knatchbull, has resigned that position and has moved the office to the residence of Mr. Thos. Wilson, where it will be kept.

Miss E. G. Wilson, of Guelph, spent Sunday last with relatives at Knatchbull.

Some of the farmers are sowing their turnips this week.

There was a very heavy rain storm on Monday afternoon which washed out great ditches in the fields. This was one of the heaviest this season.

Mr. Daniel Barbaree, of Corwhin, occupied the pulpit in the Ebenezer Church last Sunday morning in place of Rev. T. Amy who is away to Conference.

Road work has commenced on some divisions in the township, and by next week it will be the general order of the day.

Mr. Robert Wilson, of Nassagaweya, left on Saturday for a two weeks visit to friends in Wawanash.

Company No. 4 was granted $15 by the Township Council to provide milk and butter while in camp.

The Ladies' Aid of Boston Church will give a garden party at the home of Arch. McGibbon, lot 6, con. 6, Nassagaweya, on Friday evening, June 18.

The sum of $12.67 was ordered to be paid to Robert Akins for two sheep killed and one worried, the same being certified to as two-thirds the value of the same, at last meeting of the township Council.

The following is a report of the standing of the pupils of S. S. No. 9, based upon class work and written examinations:

Class IV Sr.—Minnie Nickell, 197; Albert Wilson, 189; Wilbert Darby, 178; Katie Nickell, 150; Rosa Haw, 114.

Class IV Jr.—May Camp, 150; Jessie McGregor, 140.

Class III—Ernest Borthwick, 202; Herbert Carroll, 185; Janet Borthwick, 171; Mabel Williamson, 125; Ada Alexander, 110; Gertie Nellis, 99.

Class II Sr.—Alonzo Carroll, 241; Mabel Nickell, 217; Maggie Richardson, 215; Willie Watson, 195; Walter Borthwick, 189; Lizzie Leishman, 165; Leonard Maltby, 141; Jenny Agnew, 101.

Class II Jr.—Leonard Michie, 197; Wesley Gray, 185; Bertha Bilton, 180; Victor Watson, 177; Roy Townsend, 170.

Class I Sr.—Alice Richardson, 240; Mary Ramshaw, 235; Victor Anderson, 230; Ethel Watson, 225.

Class C—Eva Leishman, 250; Katie Gray, 244; Louisa Alexander, 235; Percy Carroll, 230; Fred Alexander, 223.

Marks obtainable 300.

Class B—Henry Townsend, Mamie Near, Sidney Maltby, Colena Nickell, Wilbert Haw, Charles Watson, John Bilton, Fannie Alexander, Robbie Bilton.

Class A—Gertie Agnew, Zella Damper, John Coze, George Damper, Annie Anderson, Mamie McTavish.

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Visitors to and From Acton and Various Other Personal Notes

The FREE PRESS invites 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.

Mr. W. H. Storey continues toward complete convalescence.

Mrs. Robt. Flanagan, of Lowell, Mich., is visiting relatives here.

Miss Annie Smith visited relatives in Brantford the past week.

Miss Emma M. Moore, of Toronto, spent Sunday at her home here.

Mr. Arthur Smith, of Buffalo, is visiting at his home, Fairview Place.

Mr. D. L. Jones, of Toronto, is a guest at the home of Mr. Arch. McNabb.

Mrs. Thomas Somerville is visiting her sister, who is very ill, at West Lorne.

Messrs. C. H. Moore and A. E. Gurney visited friends at Rockwood on Tuesday.

Mr. H. H. Worden, of Hillsburg, spent a few days last week with friends in town.

Mr. E. Golen, of Ash, spent a couple of days during the week with friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brown and children visited friends in Brantford during the week.

Rev. T. Albert Moore, of Palmerston, made a flying visit to Moorecroft this week.

Councillor John Stalker and Mr. Ross left yesterday morning to visit friends in Kilross.

Mr. McLeod, of Hamilton, wheeled into town on Friday and spent a few days with friends here.

Mrs. Dr. Scott, of Southampton, spent a few days last week at the home of Mr. Arch. McNabb.

Messrs. A. T. Brown, Chester Matthews and Will McNabb wheeled to Elora during the week.

Mr. H. P. Moore went to Brantford last Thursday to attend Conference as a delegate from Acton.

Mr. and Mrs. Anson A. Smith attended the funeral of Mrs. Smith's brother at Rockwood this week.

Mr. Hackett, of Toronto, spent a couple of days during the week at the home of D. Henderson, M. P.

Mrs. Robt. Bingham left yesterday morning for Chesley to visit her sister-in-law Mrs. Dobbin, who is very ill.

Mr. J. S. L. McNeely, M. A., Barrister, of Carleton Place, spent a couple of days in town last week, with his sister Miss McNeely.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Coleman visited their son at Brantford during the week. They enjoyed several sessions of the Conference during their stay.

Miss Steele and Miss Warren are attending the annual meeting of the Women's Baptist Missionary Societies of Guelph Association held in St. Marys this week.

Miss Jennie Steel, who spent the winter with friends in Youngstown, Ohio, returned to Acton last week. She will spend several months in Acton and other points in Ontario.

Miss Ida Fernley arrived in town on Tuesday evening from Brantford, called here by the serious illness of her mother, who has been staying for some time at the home of Robert Johnson, Esq.

Mr. E. B. Jackson, teacher of the school between Acton and Rockwood, sang in fine voice the beautiful solo "Thy will be done" in Dublin street Church last Sunday morning. In the evening service he sang twice, both selections being given in a most artistic manner.—*Guelph Mercury.*

A general street railway strike is in progress in Vienna. All the employees, including the reserve men, have gone out.

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