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THURSDAY, JULY 22, 1897.


## LITTLE LOCAL BRIEFLETS

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

—Raspberry time is here again.

—This is not a dry July at any rate.

—What about civic holiday for 1897?

—Council meeting next Monday evening.

—Woodstock's rate of taxation this year is 20 mills.

—The FREE PRESS to the end of the year for forty cents.

—Prepare to view the eclipse of the sun next Thursday.

—New potatoes have supplanted the old ones for this year.

—Mr. Thomas Perryman now sports a fine little pony and cart.

—Butter and eggs continue at the uniform price of ten cents.

—It looks as though coal will be higher than usual the coming winter.

—R. J. Edmiston occupied the pulpit at Siloam and Eden Mills last Sunday.

—"If I had my choice of occupations," sighs a tired man, "I'd be a school teacher for the next two months."

—The heavy showers at the hour of evening service on Sunday perceptibly thinned the attendance at all the churches.

—Now that crop prospects are so excellent do your family a good turn by renewing your subscription to the FREE PRESS.

—The FREE PRESS has been favored with copies of interesting papers from Chicago during the week from W. H. Storey Esq.

—Some of our farmers are having the unusual experience this season of harvesting their fall wheat before they commence haying.

—The Arthurs & Mann Orchestra took part in the Hornby Presbyterian garden party a week or so ago, where the receipts were $150.

—The Acton and Milton base ball rivals will meet for a match in the park Saturday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. An exciting game is in store.

—Mr. J. McBeath, late of Elmvale, has leased the store lately occupied by T. H. Harding. He will put in a stock of Dry Goods, Millinery and Groceries.

—A large gang of stone cutters, brick layers, and tuck pointers are at work on the Methodist Church improvements. The carpenter and tinsmithing work are also progressing.

—The Brussels *Post* celebrated its silver wedding last issue, and Bro. Kerr is happy, as he ought to be. His paper is a success and as a public man he is a power in this community.

—A cage of twenty-five beautiful carrier pigeons was sent to Acton on Tuesday morning from Toronto for Agent Holmes to liberate. After circling over town for a few minutes they took their bearings direct for Toronto.

—Don't take it for granted that you have made a success of cleaning up when you have deposited the rubbish from the front of your premises into the yard in the rear, or on the side of the street, as some good people have done.

—Citizens: send us the names of your guests. Don't be so unreasonable as to expect us to know them without information or introduction, and then charge the FREE PRESS with partiality, if no reference appears in these columns.

—"The farmers around the country have only one complaint now," said an old veteran on the market this morning. "That is lack of barn room. Everything in the crop line is good, and wheat is immense.—Guelph *Advocate*.

—A sample of red currants from the garden of Mr. Richard Marshall, Limehouse, was sent the FREE PRESS this week. They are wonderfully developed and resemble cherries in size. Some of them are nearly half an inch in diameter.

—Three small boys broke into Thos. Henderson's grocery store on Sunday morning and were caught by Mr. Henderson as they were helping themselves to candy and chewing gum. On account of the tender ages of the youngsters Mr. Henderson did not prosecute, but left their punishment to their parents.—Milton *Champion*.

—If you want any of the following articles call and see John McQueen, agent at his warerooms: Cooking stove, bedroom suite, bedsteds, sideboard, extension table, stovepipes and a number of other articles.

## THE NEWS AT HOME.

Mostly of a Local Character, and every Item Interesting.

*A Mammoth Pine Stump.*

Last Thursday Messrs. W. Douglas and J. McArthur successfully pulled a pine stump of almost unheard of proportions, on the farm of George Douglas, lot 17, Con. 1, Esquesing. Their stumping machine proved its superior merit during the operation. The stump measured seven feet in diameter, twenty seven feet from tip to tip of the roots, and the roots went seven and a half feet into the ground.

*Another Successful Garden Party.*

The Garden party last Friday evening at the home of Mr. Joseph Arthurs, third line, was quite a success. Acton Cornet Band and Arthurs' and Mann's orchestra provided an excellent programme, while the solos of Misses McLeod, of Georgetown, and Nicklin, of Acton, and Rev. Mr. McKay, of Norval, were much enjoyed. Miss Laidlaw and Miss Storrit, of Union, acted as accompanists. The funds of Knox Church Sunday School are considerably augmented as a result of this social evening.

*Eclipse of the Sun—Visible Here.*

Preparations are being made to take observations of the annular eclipse of the sun, which will take place on Thursday, July 29. The difference between an annular and a total eclipse is that with the former there remains a ring of light around the margin of the shadow, the result of the moon being nearer to the sun and farther from us than during a total eclipse. This eclipse will be visible as a partial eclipse throughout Canada, the United States, Mexico and the northern part of South America.

*An Appreciated Improvement.*

For years the need of a crossing over the G. T. R. tracks has been felt and wished for, but until the Council of the present year took hold of the matter there was not much prospects of it materializing. Several months ago the attention of the G. T. R. authorities was called to the matter, and after repeated exhortations their acquiescence was secured. Workmen have been engaged on the crossing this week and they have make an excellent job of it. Mr. Wallace's fence will be moved back a few feet and the Mill Street sidewalk will run diagonally to connect with the crossing.

*Two Fine New Barns.*

A fine bank barn was raised on the farm of Mr. Joseph Arthurs, on the first line, last Wednesday and Thursday. Owing to the rain on Wednesday the work was not finished until Thursday. Messrs. J. Flynn and P. McIsaac were captains. Their teams were very evenly divided as to skill and speed, and McIsaac's side won by about a minute. One very pleasing feature of the raising was the absence of profane language so often heard at such gatherings. On the same days Thomas Coxe, of the first line, raised one of the best barns in the county. It is 62x108 and constructed on the most modern plans.

*Base Ball Points.*

The frequenters of the base ball field were treated to two fine exhibitions of the game on Saturday. At four o'clock the Juniors of Acton and Milton played a match in which there were a number of exciting and highly creditable plays. The game resulted in favor of Acton in a score of 19 to 18.... At six o'clock a match was played between the Tanners and Glovemakers. It was also an interesting game. Seven innings were played and the score of 2 to 3 manifested the superior work done. The Glovemakers came off victors. Stoiber and Ryder were batteries for the Glovemakers and Clark and Clark for the tanners.

*Lessons from the Big Convention.*

The Epworth League devoted the meeting on Tuesday evening to impressions of the International Epworth League Convention at Toronto, by the delegates who were in attendance. The proceedings were highly interesting. Brief reports were given by Revs. J. A. McLachlan, M. A., and Wm. Bryers, President Edmiston, Messrs. Jno. S. Coleman, John Laing and H. P. Moore, and Misses Maggie H. Matthews and Lottie E. Speight. Miss Thomas, of Gloversville, N. Y., who was a delegate from that city, was introduced and made an interesting address, giving her impressions upon this her first visit to Canada; expressing her delight at the cordial welcome received and gratitude because of the blessings derived from the convention.

*Services in the Churches.*

Rev. A. J. Holmes, of Algonac, Mich. who spent a few days in Acton on his way home from the International Epworth League Convention, took part in the services of the Methodist Church on Sunday. He made an impressive address in the Sunday School in the afternoon, and in the evening preached an able sermon from 1 Cor. 2 : 2. Mr. Holmes has been an occasional and always cordially welcomed visitor to Acton, but it is over twenty years since he occupied the pulpit here. His sermon was much enjoyed by the few friends who braved the storm on Sunday evening.... The annual sermon to the members of Acton Lodge A. O. U. W. was preached in Knox Church on Sunday evening by Rev. Bro. Macpherson. His discourse was based upon one of Jeremiah's prophecies and if the Workmen follow the excellent teachings of the sermon they will not only excel as members of the order, but always be regarded as most exemplary citizens. The members of the local lodge attended in a body.... The services at St. Alban's Church were acceptably conducted on Sunday by Mr. F. W. Goodeve, B. A. .... Rev. Nelson Masalas, of Dowagiac, Mich., will occupy the pulpit of the Baptist Church next Sunday afternoon.

*"Buy Your Own Cherries.*

A well-known citizen in the east-end has a favorite cherry tree near the Mill street fence on his property. This year it was very well laden with fruit. As the cherries began to assume the rich red tints indicating ripeness the number appeared to diminish as each succeeding morning's sun shone through the branches. One evening last week the owner decided to watch the tree for an hour or so to ascertain the cause of the diminishing cherries. Shortly after taking his position on a seat under the tree with a black shawl over his head, a biped of the human species stealthily approached. He climbed the fence and cautiously stepped upon what in the dim light of a vanquishing moon resembled a stump, but which was in reality the covered head of the owner of the cherry tree. A stifled groan gave evidence of his mistake and, with a bound like a deer he scaled the opposite fence and rushed through the field on the other side, causing considerable damage to ex-Warden Warren's fine crop of oats. The young man who lost his expected treat of ripe cherries was identified by the owner, but out of consideration for his friends his name is suppressed. The old time retort, "Buy your own cherries," fits in very appropriately in this instance.

## NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

### CREWSONS CORNERS.

The fine rains of the past week have greatly benefited the root crops.

A number of the farmers in this vicinity will commence their wheat harvest this week.

The busy hum of the threshing machine will shortly be heard.

Quite a number of wheelmen from Acton paid this place a flying visit on Sunday.

Messrs. Geo. and C. A. Ramshaw, of Lowville, spent Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. Jas. Gamble, Miss Lizie, and Mr. Chas. Gamble visited friends in Elora over Sunday.

Mr. W. and Miss A. Cann, of East Luther, spent a few days this week at Mr. Geo. Cann's.

Mrs. O'Brien, of Bay City, Mich., is visiting friends here.

### MILTON.

Mr. Harry Henderson, eldest son of Mr. T. Henderson, has been appointed Route Agent of the Dominion Express Co., with headquarters at St. John, N. B.

Rev. and Mrs. Mahaffy left this week for a month's vacation.

The band gave an enjoyable open air concert on Court House Square last Friday evening.

Thomas Lowe, of Nelson, was sentenced last week by Judge Hamilton to one year in Central Prison and to receive thirty lashes for criminal assault upon a little nine year old girl.

Grace Church Sunday School held their annual excursion to the Beach last Thursday.

A lawn Social was held at T. W. Beaty's 5th line, near Omagh, on Tuesday evening, in aid of Christ Church.

### LIMEHOUSE.

On account of the absence of Rev. L. Perrin, B. A., the pulpit of the Presbyterian Church was filled by Rev. Mr. Forbes, of the Churchill Congregational Church. He preached a fine sermon. Text; Luke 12 chap., 27 verse.

Mr. Ed. Gowdy, of Guelph, spent Saturday with friends here.

The raspberries are beginning to ripen and are a fair crop.

Mr. John R. Lindsay is the first to commence the wheat harvest in this vicinity. He finished haying on Saturday and commenced cutting his wheat on Tuesday.

The small fruit crop was never more abundant nor of better quality than this year.

Rev. Wm. Bryers has always been noted for not allowing any appointment to go by default owing to bad weather. He drove to Limehouse Sunday evening through the rain, was drenched to the skin, and found an empty church upon arrival. His son and daughter who were with him were also victims of the showers.

### NASSAGEWAYA.

Mr. John Anderson, thresher, of Knatchbull is busy fitting up his machine with the rope driving attachments to replace the old belt drive from the engine.

The weather the last week has been rather catchy for haying.

Owing to the rain on the 13th inst., the jubilee festival of the Ebenezer Church was not the success that it would otherwise have been. Nevertheless, the social on Thursday evening was a grand success which partly makes up for the deficiency at the first gathering.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan A. Kingsbury are visiting relatives and friends here.

It is with regret that we learn of the death of the Rev. John Hough, formerly pastor of the Nassagaweya circuit. Although dead, his memory and preaching live in the hearts of the people, for we know that his labors were not in vain in the Lord. He has entered into his reward with the welcome "Well done good and faithful servant, enter thou into the joy of thy Lord." We extend our sympathy to the bereaved family.

### ERIN.

Mr. John Justice of this place lost a very valuable cow last Sunday through the effects of a dose of poison. It is supposed that some malicious person or persons placed poison in the field where the cow was pasturing.

A serious accident happened to Mrs. Smith of Credit Forks while going to a pic-nic in Stanley Park on Monday afternoon. It seems while on the way to the pic-nic the rig in which several were riding collapsed with the result that Mrs. Smith had her arm broken.

A miraculous escape from instant death was that of Charles Gillet, of Hillsburg, while assisting Mr. D. McGillivary in repairing a well at Mr. Thos. Keeler's, on the 6th line, one day last week. They had completed planking the well which is 60 feet deep, and had nailed steps within 8 feet of the top, when Gillet overlooked the nailing of one end of a step and placed a plank upon it to continue the work when it gave way and he fell to the bottom of the well, but fortunately for him however, he struck a step descending that somewhat broke the fall. He landed on one foot which is so bruised that it will be some time before Mr. Gillet is able to use it, but has otherwise recovered from the shock.

### ROCKWOOD.

Rev. D. Strachan, of Hespeler, has received a call from Brockville. At a congregational meeting at Hespeler it was decided to increase his salary and use every effort to have him remain.

Dr. Livingstone and his father were thrown from their buggy the other day by their horse bolting. Very little damage was done but Mr. Livingstone was badly shaken up.

The Ladies of St. John's Church held a lawn social at Mr. R. Hamilton's on Friday night. It was well attended. The people from the village were taken over in the carioles and by boat.

Mr. N. Strachan, Guelph, is visiting at the manse at present. He is suffering with a sprained ankle.

The reports of the Entrance and Leaving examinations reached here last week. The school here as well as the pupils from the surrounding schools made a good showing.

Mr. J. O'Connor has returned home from Worchester, Mass., where he was attending college for the past year.

Rosie Padmore swallowed a pin which lodged in her throat the other day and she had to be taken to Guelph to have it removed.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Gardinor, of Acton were in the village last Sunday.

Mrs. A. Smith, Acton, spent last week with friends in Rockwood.

Mr. R. J. Edminston, of Acton, preached on the Rockwood circuit to appreciative congregations on Sunday last. The pastor was absent on account of the death of his mother.

Miss Williamson, daughter of Rev. Dr. Williamson, of Mt. Forest, was a guest at Methodist parsonage, for a few days last week.

## COMING AND GOING.

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.

Mrs. Dr. Uren visited friends in Toronto the past week.

Mr. Chas. Ryan Jr., of Toronto, was in town on Saturday.

Mrs. James McLam visited friends in Toronto last week.

Mrs. R. Craine and children are at the old home with Miss Kennedy.

Mr J. Norris, of the G. T. R., visited friends in Waterloo this week.

Miss Small, of Fergus, was the guest of Miss Ettie Laird the past wek.

Miss Thomas, of Gloversville, N. Y., is visiting Acton friends this week.

Miss Jean Beattie, of Guelph, is the guest of her brother, Mr. D. Beattie.

Mrs. Rev. Wm. Bryers and Miss Nettie visited friends in Toronto last week.

Mrs. Briggs Nicklin, of Toronto, is a guest at the home of E. Nicklin, Esq.

Mr. Will Waldron, of Guelph, is a guest at the home of ex-Councillor Francis.

Rev. J. E. Howell, M. A., of Waterloo, was in town a few hours on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. James Moore and Miss Pearl, of Guelph, are holidaying in town.

Mrs. Allan Mann spent a few days during the week with relatives in Toronto.

Mr. J. S. Willson, managing editor of *The Globe* will leave for Europe this week.

Mr. Jos. McKeague, of Winnipeg, is the guest of his brother, Dr. S. A. McKeague.

Miss Ella Snyder and Mrs. R. Allan attended the convention at Toronto last week.

Miss Gaviller, of Bentou, has been a guest at St. Alban's parsonage the past week.

Miss Jennie Matthews, who has been in Toronto the past month, has returned home.

Mr. George Harwood, of Acton, visited at Wm. Haddon's over the 12th.—Brampton *Banner*.

Rev. J. H. McArthur, B. D., of Norval, late of Japan, made Acton friends a short visit on Tuesday.

Miss Haney, of St. Catherines, Missouri, spent a few days at the home of Mr. John Warren last week.

Mrs. P. C. Maddock and children, of Toronto, are guests at the home of Postmaster Matthews.

Miss McGregor, of Milwaukee, Wis., is in town for summer vacation, the guest of Mrs. H. S. Holmes.

Miss Maggie Kennedy returned home from Toronto on Tuesday, not much improved in health.

Master Walter Johnson, typo at the *Globe* Office, Toronto, is spending a few days with Acton friends.

Rev. Byron Laing, who has been travelling in the States the past two years, is home for a brief vacation.

Mr. J. W. Edy, the editor of the St. Mary's *Journal* has been ordered by his physician to give up work.

Mr. Gordon Wilson and Mr. Charles Spaulding, of Dundas, were guests at the home of Mr. James Clark this week.

Mr. Morley Bryers, of the General Superintendent's office of New Haven, Conn., is home for a couple of weeks vacation.

Mrs. J. C. Bartle, and Miss Elsie, of Niagara Falls, are in town and will spend a month at the home of Rev. Wm. Bryers.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Cook and their little son, of Grand Rapids, Mich., made their Acton friends a short visit this week.

Rev. H. A. Macpherson, attended the Presbytery meeting at Guelph on Tuesday, and then went over to Galt for a short visit.

Rev. A. J. Holmes, of Algonac, Mich., spent a few days this week with Acton relatives, after attending the great Epworth League Convention.

Rev. Jos. Edgo, of Goderich, has been invited to the pastorate of Wellington St. Church, London, next year. The invitation has been accepted.

Mr. W. W. Buchanan, of Hamilton, has resigned the offices of General Manager of the Royal Templars of Temperance and editor of *The Templar*.

Mr. A. E. Matthews, of Chicago, son of Postmaster Matthews, is at present in the coal fields of West Virginia and Kentucky buying and shipping coal to Chicago.

Miss Frazer, of Altoona, Penn., who was over as a delegate to the International Epworth League Convention at Toronto, is a guest this week at the home of her uncle, ex-Warden Warren.

Mr. Sidney W. Smith, of Cleveland, who has been in California the past month, arrived here yesterday to spend a week or so at the old home. Mrs. Smith and son have been here for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Storey and Mrs. Jennie B. Cameron returned from their trip to Iowa yesterday morning. The trip was very enjoyable, except for the hot spell which prevailed during the week of extreme heat here.

The vacancy caused in the General Sunday School and Epworth League Board of the Methodist Church (Canada), by the death of the late W. G. Smith, Guelph, has been filled by the appointment of Mr. T. H. Preston, of the Brantford *Expositor*.

D. Henderson, Esq., the able and popular M. P. for Halton, was in town this morning. He says the divisions which existed in the Conservative party during the last few months of their time in office have been healed, but there are very strong indications of similar troubles affecting the Grit party.—Brampton *Conservator*.

The aged mother of Mr. C. W. Young, of the Cornwall *Freeholder*, died on Sunday night after a long illness. The remains were interred at the Georgetown cemetery yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Young was the widow of the late James Young who surveyed that part of Acton west of the Grand Trunk Railway, and whose name the leading street there bears.

W. H. Storey and wife and Mrs. Jennie Cameron, of Acton Ont, and Miss Anna Payne and Dr. Jessie D. Payne and wife and two sons spent Sunday with Dr. W. R. Nugent. Mr. Storey is proprietor of one of the largest glove manufactories in Ontario, and is visiting a few weeks with relatives and friends in Iowa. Dr. Payne is local surgeon for the Iowa Central Railway Company.—Oskaloosa, Iowa, *Journal*.

—If you wish to secure a first class loan of money at low interest, call on or write to W. C. Jackson, Guelph.

—Fruit culture is more profitable to the farmer now than his other crops. Brown Bros. Co., the most extensive nursery house in Canada, have a vacancy in this section. Write them at Brown's Nurseries P. O. Ontario, for their terms.

## MESSAGE FROM THE QUEEN.

Her Majesty Gives Utterance to Her Feelings For the Universal and Loyal Attachment of Her Subjects.

LONDON, July 16.—A special supplement to the *Gazette* publishes the following letter from the Queen, dated, Windsor, July 15th:—

"I have frequently expressed my personal feelings to my people, and though on this memorable occasion there have been many official expressions of my deep sense of the unbounding loyalty evinced, I cannot rest satisfied without personally giving utterance to these sentiments. It is difficult for me on this occasion to say how truly touched and grateful I am for the spontaneous and universal outburst of loyal attachment and real affection experienced on the completion of the sixtieth year of my reign.

"During my progress through London on 22nd June this great enthusiasm was shown in the most striking manner, and can never be effaced from my heart. It is indeed gratifying, after so many years of labor and anxiety for the good of my beloved country, to find that my exertions have been appreciated throughout my vast Empire. In weal and woe I have ever had the true sympathy of all my people which has been warmly reciprocated by myself.

It has given me unbounded pleasure to see so many of my subjects from all parts of the world assembled here, and to find them joining in acclamations of royal devotion to myself; and I wish to thank them all from the depth of my grateful heart.

I shall ever pray God to bless them, and to enable me still to discharge my duties for their welfare as long as life lasts."

## COREA MUST BE INDEPENDENT.

LONDON, July 20.—In the House of Commons, speaking for the Government Mr. G. N. Curzon made a statement on the Foreign Office vote, with reference to Corea, during which, after making light of the British trade interests there, he said; our main interest is to see the independence of Corea maintained and that she be not territorily or administratively joined to Russia, and that her harbors be not made the operations which might disturb the balance of power in the East, or give any power maritime control of the eastern seas. If any such attempt be made it will be for us to protect our own interests."

*Good Prospects for the "Ethel Group."*

In a note to the editor, Mr. J. Fyfe, of the Ethel Group Gold Mining Co., writes from Rossland, B. C., during the week:—"Our properties are fully coming up to our expectations. We have two shifts of men, working night and day. Some of our men came in a week ago with samples from the 42 foot lead in No. 2 shaft. We have had it assayed and it yielded $81.60 in gold. We have no doubt one of the best properties in the mining district, and will be heard from in the near future."

Mr. M. K. Dickenson, ex-M. P. for Russell, died Sunday morning. He was seventy-five years of age.

Rev. Dr. Chiniquy, who is now 88 years of age, has just returned to Montreal from a trip through Europe. He is in good health.

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