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MEDICAL.

J. F. UREN, M.D. C. M.
Office and residence—Corner Mill & Frederick Streets, Acton.

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Acton.

GRADUATE TORONTO UNIVERSITY,
OFFICE—Main Street, third door south of Presbyterian Church, Acton.

D. R. DYDEN,
EYE, EAR, THROAT AND NOSE.
McLean's Block, Douglas St., near P. O., GUELPH.

OFFICE HOURS—10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2 to 6 p.m. SENDS A. N. O. 3 P.M.

VETERINARY SURGEON.

A. LEOPOLD P. HUSBAND, V. S.
Graduate of the Ontario Veterinary College, Ontario.

OFFICE—Wm. Husband's, lot 31, con. 4, Nassagaweya.

Calls day or night promptly attended to.

DENTAL.

L. L. BENNETT, L.D.S., DENTIST,
GROUNTSVILLE, ONTARIO.

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VISITING DAYS—THURSDAY AND FRIDAY.

J. M. BELL, D.D.S., L.D.S., DENTIST,
BRANDVILLE.

HONOR GRADUATE OF TORONTO UNIVERSITY. Work made satisfactory. Prices Moderate.

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DR. G. H. COOLE,
DENTIST,
Cor. College St. and Spadina Ave., Toronto.

Will visit Acton on the first and third Saturday of each month.

OFFICE—Agnes's Hotel.

LEGAL.

M. McLEAN & McLEAN,
Barristers, Solicitors, Notaries, Conveyancers &c. Offices—Town Hall, Acton.

Wm. A. McLean. J. A. McLean.

DOUGLAS & MURRAY,
BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS, NOTARIES, ETC. OFFICE—1000 Queen St. W., Toronto.

JOHN DOUGLAS. A. G. MURRAY.

A. J. MACKINNON,
BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, CONVEYANCER. OFFICE—Mill Street; in Matthews' Block, Uxbridge.

T. G. MATHIESON, & J. B. McLEOD,
BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS, CONVEYANCERS, GEORGETOWN AND MILTON.

Money to loan at lowest rates.

R. J. McNABB,
Clerk, Fourth Division Court County of Halton, Conveyancer, Agent, Fire and Life Assurance (See Estimate) and Agent.

OFFICE—Ferryman's Block, ACTON, ONT.

MISCELLANEOUS.

HENRY GRIST,
Bottler of Patents, for Invention, etc. Prepares Applications for Canadian, American, and foreign Patents. Also for the Registration of Trade Marks. Send for particulars. Thirty-two years experience.

FRANCIS NUNAN,
BOOKBINDER, Guelph, Ontario.

Over Williams' Store.

Accounts Debits of all kinds made to order. Particulars of every description carefully bound. Billings made promptly done.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

H. P. MOORE,
ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Private Office, No. 102, Wellington Street, East, Toronto.

Free Press Office, ACTON.

MONEY.

FARMERS, if you wish to raise your interest on your loans, or on any terms of repayment, call on me. I have a quantity of lending money, and have plenty of funds. I also lend on village property.

W. C. JACKSON,
CONVEYANCER AND MONEY LENDER. OFFICE: Wyndham St., near City Hall, GUELPH.

Wellington Mutual Fire Insurance Company ESTABLISHED 1840

INSURANCE on Cash and Mutual plan. Any communications forwarded to the address of the office, for the purpose of being promptly attended to.

JOHN TAYLOR, Agent, Guelph.

WM. HEMSTREET,
LICENSED AUCTIONEER

For the Counties of Wellington and Halton. Orders left at the Free Press Office, Acton, or at my residence, will be promptly attended to. Fees reduced to \$5.00 FOR FARM SALES.

Also money to loan on the most favorable terms, and at the lowest rates of interest, in sums of \$500 and upwards.

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INCLUDING Books, Pamphlets, Posters, etc. H. P. MOORE, Free Press Office, Acton.

School Supplies

SCRIBBLER, EXERCISE & DRAWING BOOKS.

The Books required in the Collegiate and Public Schools. A full stock at

Day's Bookstore, Guelph.

DAY SELLS CHEAP.

THE WILKINSON PLOUGH CO. LIMITED, TORONTO.

Wilkinson Ploughs

Last longest, work easiest, and draw lightest. Points and Soles LAST TWICE AS LONG. All cast parts have our name and address in full on them. See that you get them. It will pay you.

The strongest and simplest Patent Ensilage Cutter

in the market; guaranteed to cut 20 tons an hour and deliver 400. Full line of Heavy Cutters and Root Pulpers. Roller Bearings. All kinds of Wheelbarrows.

The Wilkinson Plough Company, LIMITED, TORONTO.

The Little Trifles

That help brighten up a room, such as Fancy China, Brics a Brac, etc., are found in great variety in our store.

Wall Papers, Pictures, Mouldings, Frames, Mouldings, and such requisites are leaders with us.

THE PRICE? We think the closest buyer will be pleased with our values.

WATERS BROS., St. George's Square, GUELPH.

John McQueen.

Leave your orders now for your winter's supply. None but the Very Best Scranton Coal

Delivered. I can supply Eggs, Stove and Nut sizes.

The liberal patronage accorded me last season by Mr. Brown's customers, whose business I bought, was much appreciated. I can give even better service this year and solicit a continuance of their orders. Coal delivery to commence in September.

John McQueen.

J. H. Hamilton,

DEALER IN

Marble and Granite, Hamilton's Block

Having on hand a large quantity of Scotch, Norway, Swedish and Russian

GRANITE

And in order to dispose of it to make room for spring stock now purchased I will sell at a reduction of

20 PER CENT.

And will allow all expenses to customers and from our works.

JOHN H. HAMILTON

Main Street PLANING MILLS, ACTON, ONT.

John Cameron, Architect and Contractor.

Manufacturer of Sash Doors Frames Mouldings in all styles

DRESSING, MATCHING, and MOULDING to order on short notice.

Will assort stock on hand at prices to suit the times.

JOHN CAMERON, Proprietor

W. BARBER & BROS. PAPER MAKERS, GEORGETOWN, ONT.

Machine Finished Book Papers

HIGH GRADE WEEKLY NEWS.

The paper used in this journal is from the above mills.

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THE TRADERS' BANK OF CANADA

Authorized Capital—\$1,000,000

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Sums of \$1 and upwards received on deposit and highest current rate of interest paid or compounded half-yearly.

Deposit Receipts issued for large sums deposited.

Advances made to responsible farmers on their own names.

No charge made for collecting Sales Notes if payable in Guelph.

A General Banking Business transacted.

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J. M. BOND & CO. HARDWARE, GUELPH.

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You want something for your stock and you want it cheap. Look at the following prices:—

Sulphur 10 lbs. for 30 cts.

Cattle Salts 8 lbs. for 25 cts.

Saltpetre 10 cts. per pound.

We have also on hand an excellent sheep and cattle wash. One tin does 100 sheep and 50 head of cattle, is easy to use and never fails. Only 50 cts. per tin.

Also, pure imported White Castile Soap, (shell brand), 3 lb. box, 30 cts.

OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT.

J. D. McKEE, CHEMIST, ACTON.

Select Family Reading.

A Doctor's Inheritance.

By ANNA BISHOP.

"Two gentlemen, both past middle age, were seated beside a glowing grate fire, chatting as old friends will, who have had a long separation. The hour was late, nearly midnight, but no sign of weariness was on either face. The room was a library, with well-filled book cases on all sides, a large business-like table in the centre, and deeply cushioned chairs scattered about. One book case, contained only a few volumes, but the other shelves were filled with books, and with marks of service plainly visible.

Dr. Thornton, host and owner of the handsome house in which the room was situated, was a man past forty, with iron-gray hair, strongly marked features, a tall erect figure, and a well-cut suit of clothes, and he looked kindly and sympathetically at the visitor.

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