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WANTED. A GOOD pair of farm horses... FOR SERVICE. A WELL BUILT Jersey Bull...

WANTED. SEVEN or eight writers... RUBBER STAMPS. FOR RING RUBBER STAMPS...

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WANTED. MEN and women who can work hard talking...

WANTED. YOUNG men and women, or older ones fitful...

HEREFORD BULL FOR SALE. A PURE BRED Hereford Bull for sale...

FOR SALE. DOUBLE BRICK HOUSE, 34 by 36, seven rooms...

WANTED. TEACHERS and other bright men for vacation...

AGENTS. BOOK business is better than for years past...

MUNICIPALITY OF ACTON. COURT OF REVISION. NOTICE is hereby given that the Court...

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE. In the matter of the west half of Lot number Twenty-one...

NOTICE is hereby given that Michael Kelly, of the Township of Esquesing, in the County of Halton...

Bring your Custom Logs in and Take the Lumber Home with You.

SAYERS' Lumber & Planing Mills, Nassagaweya.

P. SAYERS, Proprietor. His constantly on hand a full line of Lumber...

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HIGHEST PLACE IN THE TEMPLE OF FAME. PAIN'S CELERY COMPOUND THE HOPE OF THE CIVILIZED WORLD.

A MARVELLOUS CURE IN ST. JOHN'S N'FLD. Another Proof that Paine's Celery Compound Cures When the Doctors Fail.

To gain admittance to the Temple of Fame honor, reputation, worth and wondrous achievements must be some of the necessary qualifications. Paine's Celery Compound has gained all of these in its work of life-saving in the world...

We're after Your Wool. Bring your clip to these mills and we think there will be no trouble in arranging a trade satisfactory to yourself.

You Know the Invariable Rule of these Mills: "Full and Honest Weight, Fair and Honorable Inspection."

We ask that you bring us good clean stock. You'd not think of bringing any other kind to these mills. In return we give you best values out of a large assortment of Tweeds, Friezes, Homespun, in single and double widths, Flannels, Blankets, Sheetings, and yarns of our own manufacture.

Our old friends will find a hearty welcome at the mills, and we shall be glad to make the acquaintance of many new ones.

HARRIS & CO., ROCKWOOD WOOLLEN MILLS, ROCKWOOD, ONT.

WE ARE Still To the Front. In the newest and best assorted of DRESS GOODS in all the newest colorings with Trimmings to match.

Colored Organdy Muslins with linings to match. A large variety of Swiss, spot and checked Muslins, colored piques in best washing colors, a very large selection of Crumpe English Prints, A large variety of Salubry Suitings just the thing for ladies' home wrappers. Ribbons, lace curtains and embroideries. An immense stock to choose from.

We have this spring purchased a fine selection of Ladies' White Underwear and are prepared to give you goods at less than the material can be purchased for. Ladies' Blouses that it would do any person good to see. Ladies' Collars and Cuffs, all the latest styles, Gloves, Hosiery, Smallwares, etc.

Fine High-Class TAILORING. We are prepared to show you this spring the largest and best selection of imported Scotch, English and Irish Tweeds, patterns exclusively confined to us. Never was such a large variety of fine suitings, spring overcoatings, trouserings, etc., to select from over shown in Georgetown before. Don't forget that Mr. Millar is at the head of this department, which fact is sufficient guarantee that everything will be satisfactory.

HATS HATS. This spring we have excelled ourselves in securing the best, the newest, in style and shape. They cannot be approached in price. This will be the place to buy your hats if you want the best.

GENTS FURNISHINGS. A full and magnificent stock, comprising fine neckwear, shirts collars, cuffs, gloves, hosiery, underwear, etc. SPRING CLOTHING. Ready-to-wear, for boys, youths and men. We have an immense stock in this department and can suit every person in style, fit and finish at prices that cannot be beaten by any other house, as we buy these goods direct from the manufacturer. It will pay you to inspect our stock before purchasing elsewhere.

GEORGETOWN'S LIVEST STORE, GIBSON, MILLAR & CO., GEORGETOWN. Produce taken in Exchange. Every Day Bargain Day Here.

Potatoes Wanted! Highest price paid in trade for all good potatoes delivered at Symon Bros., Acton. We carry a full line of Hardware, Groceries, Boots & Shoes.

Crockery and Glassware. We have the largest stock in town, and you will be more than convinced of this if you examine it. Fresh assortments constantly arriving. We are bound to lead all competitors in this department and therefore our prices are the lowest possible.

C. F. GOODEVE & CO'S, ACTON. COR. MILL AND MAIN STS., ACTON.

TO-DAY'S WAR NEWS NOT EXCITING.

The Fleets Have Not Come into Conflict—Campaign to be Continued in Cuba. THE WHOLE U.S. FORCE TO ACT THERE.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The official bulletin to-day failed to visit any new information of the movements of the fleets—Barrington's, Sahley's and the Spanish flying squadron, and there is reason to believe that the department itself has received no information on that point.

WASHINGTON, May 18th.—The Government has decided upon an immediate military campaign in Cuba. The President and his advisers are agreed upon pursuing a temporary policy in the war with Spain, and emphasize objections exist against allowing the elusive fleet of the Spanish to figure any longer as a cause for postponing the military occupation of Cuba.

The change in the naval situation, which, in the opinion of the Administration, warrants a radical change in the plan of campaign immediately, is the gathering of nearly the whole naval force of the United States in the vicinity of Cuba since Commodore Schley's squadron sailed for the south, and Admiral Sampson's squadron started westward for Porto Rico, the Administration has reached the conclusion that it will be possible, with the combined naval force, not only to deal with the enemy's fleet completely at the proper time, but amply to protect the transportation of military forces to the island of Cuba.

The Administration will wait until the squadrons of Sampson and Schley and Watson have come together in Cuban waters, and have assumed each position with reference to one another and to approaches to the island as they choose, before ordering the troops to leave the United States. It is evident therefore that the military occupation, although it has been decided on as a measure no longer dependent on the position of Spain's fleet, will not begin within the next few days.

The United States troops will probably not leave the Gulf coast before the end of a week. The Government has no fear that the naval forces will be able to protect the troops during their transportation to the island, and to maintain safe communication for the army with its base of supplies in the United States.

1898 SPRING 1898. MILLINERY. The Newest Designs in Shapes, Shades, Flowers and Trimmings. We have also some nice lines in Prints, Dress Goods, Gloves, Hosiery, Corsets, Neckties, Collars, Cuffs, Lace Curtains, Underwear, Ready-made Clothing, Hats, Caps, &c.

J. C. McBeath ACTON, ONTARIO. Main Street PLANING MILLS, ACTON, ONT.

John Cameron, Architect and Contractor. Manufacturer of Sash Doors Frames Mouldings in all styles.

The Modern Grocer. Being the largest makers of Refrigerators in Canada. We make several lines of Grocers' and Household Refrigerators in design with best principle of dry cool air circulation, best insulation, best electric lighting, and zinc lined. Why buy a home made or poorly made article when you can get an up-to-date Refrigerator for less money? For prices and description send for catalogue.

Knowles, Ham & Nut Co. Limited, Brantford.

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 mill.

PERMANENT PAVEMENTS.

And Electric Light, Occupy the Attention of the Council. INFORMATION SOUGHT RELATIVE TO IMPROVEMENTS.

The Council met in regular session last Monday evening. The matter of permanent improvements is now a live issue at Acton. The question of electric light and permanent walks are being carefully considered as to their merits and cost.

The subject of the introduction of permanent walks was freely discussed at this meeting. A representative of the Guelph Paving Company was present, and at the request of the Council, gave interesting information as to the merits of the system. We understand that the Council generally is in favor of putting down a block of the granite-like pavement this season if arrangements can be satisfactorily made.

The subject of electric lighting was also discussed. The Council met in regular session at eight o'clock; Councillors all present; Reeve Pearson in the chair.

The eighth report of the Finance Committee presented only one account, that of R. J. Burke, for services as consulting electrical engineer, for the amount of \$7.50. This was recommended to be paid on motion by I. Francis and J. A. Murray and then carried.

Moved by Jas. Clark, seconded by I. Francis, that the Clerk be instructed to acknowledge receipt of Messrs. Henderson & Co.'s bill of exchange on the City of Toronto, for the amount of \$25.00. The matter was left over for further consideration.

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MARRIED. Gray-Harron-In Erie, on Wednesday, July 15th, by Rev. Robert Powell, Mr. Frank Gray, son of Frank Gray, Esq., to Miss Harron, all of Erie.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS. British and American papers, including the New York Sun, warmly endorse the proposed Anglo-Saxon alliance.

With Italian taxes at 48 per cent on land rents, 34 per cent on house rents and 25 per cent on all yearly incomes over \$100, the only wonder is that revolution has not broken out long ago.

Honorable gentlemen, who are urging Great Britain to declare a preferential duty in favor of the wheat of this country, might take a day off occasionally and urge the C. P. R. to reduce its freight rates on western Canada's cereals.

At a Cabinet meeting on Saturday the Government decided that if possible the session of Parliament shall close within the next few weeks.

A new resolution just passed by the House of Commons reads: "That on and after July 1st next the salaries of the judges and junior judges of the County Courts of Ontario, other than the Judge of the County Court of York, shall be \$2000 per annum during the first three years of service, and after three years of service each \$2400 per annum."

If there is anything that could make the conquest of Canada easy for Uncle Sam, it is the foolish belief, fostered by so many people, that such a conquest is impossible. The Chinese believed that China was unconquerable, and calmly secure in that belief, they saw her and permit themselves to be defeated by the Japs.

The reluctance among Americans to volunteer for the war must not be attributed to cowardice, for the Yankees are without doubt among the very best fighters in the world. It is one thing, however, to fight for the defence of one's country and another thing to face starvation, malaria and yellow fever in the swamps and jungles of Cuba, for the glory and profit of the politicians and the yellow newspaper.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier has declared that the immunity of those proceeding with civil servants now enjoy should be abolished, and this opinion will be echoed by every honest man in the Dominion.

The practical recognition of the services of the Fire Brigade at the recent January fire by Messrs. Eastman & Co., is in striking contrast to the fault-finding of certain citizens. The members of the brigade appreciate kindly words, and while the obseques which accompanied Messrs. Beardmore & Co's letter is a welcome contribution to the cause, the kind words with reference to the prompt and efficient services rendered are also very gratefully acknowledged.

PROVOCATION THIS MONTH. The Work of the Houses of Commons for the Present Session is Nearly Ended. OTTAWA, May 18.—The last day of the session for private members has past. From Monday last until proclamation every day will be taken up with Governmental business.

OUR NEW GOVERNOR-GENERAL. Lord Jersey the most likely successor to Lord Aberdeen.

The London Daily Mail contends that the Governor-General must be a man of the very first rank. It is perhaps, perhaps, said, "it says, no vice-regally in the Empire can be measured against that of Canada."

The body found near Ansonia has been identified as that of John Storry, a well-known resident of Hamilton, who disappeared last winter.

HEART WEAKNESS.

MUST BE TREATED IN TIME OR ENDS IN CERTAIN DEATH. Some of the Symptoms are Palpitation after Slight Exertion, Borne-tingles, Severe Pain, Dizziness and Fainting Spells—It Can Be Cured.

From the Echo, Pittsfield, Ont. The Echo has read and has published many statements from people who have been cured of various ailments by the timely and judicious use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, but never before have we had such personally convincing proof of their efficacy as in the case of Mrs. George Taylor, wife of Mr. Taylor, who resides in this village.

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