BORN.

BOLTON—In Rockwood, on Sunday, 26th June, to Mr. and Mrs. H. Bolton, a daughter.

MARRIED.

MUNN—WILSON—At the parsonage, Oakville, by Rev. John Kay, on Tuesday, June 21st, Chas. Munn and Miss Lizzie Wilson, both of Sheridan.

ROBINSON—McKAY—At the Presbyterian Church, Oakville, on Wednesday, June 22rd, by the Rev. S. S. Craig, Nelson J. Robinson, of Oakville, to Wilhelmina (Minnie), youngest daughter of Wm. McKay, sen., Middle Road, Township of Trafalgar.

KLOEPFER—BLANCHFIELD—At St. Peter's Church, Oustic, on Wednesday, 22nd June, by Father Kloepfer, Berlin, assisted by Rev. Fathers O'Loane, Guelph, and Feeney, Acton, Mr. Jacob Kloepfer, Guelph, to Teresa, daughter of John Blanchfield, Esq., Oustic.

CHISHOLM—SCOTT—At the residence of the bride's parents, on Wednesday, June, 8th, by the Rev. Dr. King, of Galt, Miss Susan H. Chisholm, only daughter of Thos. Chisholm, Maneswood, to Wm. Scott, of Scarboro township, Co. York, and late of Nassagaweya.

CHADWICK—DICE—At Grace Church, Milton, on Wednesday, 22nd June, by Rev. W. E. White, assisted by Revs. C. A. Seager and H. B. Gwyn, Rev. Frederick Austin Pakenham Chadwick, M.A., rector of Arthur, son of the late Frederick J. Chadwick, of Guelph, to Berta Louise, daughter of Samuel Dice, Esq., Mayor of Milton.

The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, JUNE 30, 1898.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Literature is to be generously distributed by the Canadian hotelmen during the coming few months. But it is only anti-prohibition literature to be distributed in their campaign against the plebiscite. The Executive of the Hotelman's Association meeting at London decided to throw its weight, financial and otherwise, into the contest. The delegates to the convention express themseves as satisfied with the outlook.

The *Correspondencia* of Madrid on Saturday published a report to the effect that the peace conditions suggested by the government of the United States include the possession by the United States of the Island of Porto Rico, the independence of the Island of Cuba, under the protectorate of the United States, the establishment of a naval station for United States warships in the Philippine Islands and the establishment of a coal depot for United States warships in the Canary Islands.

Improvement in the times is becoming weekly more manifest. Even the religious journals are noticing it. Saturday's *Westminster* commences an editorial with the following paragraph: "The signs are multiplying and are becoming more meaningful, so that even the pessimistic are beginning to believe in the predictions of prosperity for Canada. It carried so long that some were becoming discouraged, but now there is a quiet hopefulness pervading the business world. Reports tell of revival in nearly all the industries. The prospects are good for the miner and manufacturer."

In view of the unsettled condition of the money market, in consequence of the American-Spanish war, Hon. Mr. Fielding, Minister of Finance, has decided to postpone the proposed reduction of savings bank interest until the 1st of October. If the state of the money market is then favorable the reduction will take effect on that date, and in that event arrangements will be made to provide a 3 per cent. investment for such of the small depositors as desire to avail themselves of the privilege. For this purpose there will be issued a Dominion three per cent. stock in sums of $25 and multiples thereof. Such stock will be run for a period of 5 years, but will be redeemable to the depositor at any time on one month's notice. This privilege will be confined to such depositors as have $1,000 or less in the savings bank. These arrangements are framed in consequence of the assurance given in Parliament by the minister that an effort would be made to give the small depositors special consideration.

CREWSONS CORNERS.

Statute labor is the order of the day at present.

All schools close on Thursday and teachers and scholars are looking forward to a good rest during vacation.

Mrs. Orr, of Orton, who has been spending some time with friends here, was called home last week to the bedside of her son who is very ill. Her daughter, Mrs. W. Lamb, accompanied her home.

A number from here attended the Brick Church on Sunday to hear Rev. Mr. Kestle's farewell sermon. It is expected that the church here will be opened in a couple of weeks.

On Monday morning while Master Hughie Allen was going to school along the railway track he accidently got the forefinger of both hands badly crushed between two iron rails. Dr. McKeague dressed the wounds which are very painful, but no bones were broken.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Gray spent Sunday with Mrs. Gray's brother in Orton, who is very ill at present.

EVERTON.

The seventh annual excursion of the Eramosa Sunday School Association goes to Toronto and Hanlan's Island, on July 5th. Train leaves Rockwood at 8.30 a. m., going direct to Yonge street wharf where passengers take boats for the island. The fare is very low, being 55 cents for adults and 25 cents for children. Returning the train leaves Toronto at 7 p. m.

Wilbert Robertson, of Oakville, who has been in poor health for some time, has come to our healthy village to recruit. We wish him immediate recovery. His mother came with him. The many relatives and friends are all glad to see them, and have their company for a few weeks.

On Sunday Mr. Wm. Duffield and Mr. and Mrs. Gow and children were at Mr. Hortop's and Mr. James French and Henry, his nephew, had tea with Mr. and Mrs. Benson. James is Mrs. Benson's brother from Guelph township.

Rev. Mr. Baker preached his last sermons as pastor here on Sunday. His many friends and acquaintances gathered with the congregation and the house was filled both morning and evening. The evening discourse was very appropriate. He read part of the 20th of Acts taking for his text the 32nd verse, pleading with all to study God's word and make it the man of their counsel. In closing he commended all to God and the word of His grace.

On Monday evening the ladies gave an excellent tea with ice cream for dessert. During the evening Dr. McCullough read an address and James Black presented a nicely filled purse, on behalf of the congregation, to Rev. and Mrs. Baker, to which Mr. Baker replied. After kind words of appreciation from a member of the brethren "good-bye" was said. They left for Illinois Tuesday morning.

The sad suicide of Frank Simons, whose remains were found at "The Rocks" Tuesday morning, has filled the hearts of all with grief and sympathy for the sorrowing mother and family.

Mr. Robert Blyth, Reeve of Guelph Township, who was injured by an infuriated bull last week, died at the General Hospital last Thursday.

THE CRISIS IN THE WAR.

The Assault Upon Santiago Likely to be Now in Progress.

A U. S. FLEET TO GO TO SPAIN.

SIMONEY, Cuba, via Kingston, Jamaica, June 29.—On the very eve of the great fight which is to take place for the possession of Santiago the three commanders upon whom devolves the leadership of the attacking forces have expressed the utmost confidence in the result. The three are Generals Shafter and Calixto Garcia and Admiral Sampson. The army, under the command of the first two, have driven the Spaniards back until they now rest in the trenches about the city in which they are to make their last stand. Before the entrance to the harbor lie Sampson's grim warships, assuring his half in the coming victory and making the escape of Cervera's squadron impossible. The army, of course, will bear the greater share in the work that is to come, but to the navy remains the glory of lowering the Spanish Admiral's flag. While confident of victory, Garcia declares that the Spaniards will fight desperately. He and Gen. Shafter are campaigning together in the utmost harmony. It was feared that the Cuban leader might decline to co-operate with the American forces unless Shafter formally recognized the Cuban Republic. But when the Generals met, Garcia, with tears in his eyes, took Shafter by the hand and said: "You have come to fight the enemies of my country, and we will serve you without question."

The City of Santiago and the Spanish forces within the fortifications are now virtually at the mercy of the Cuban invaders. This is due to the fact that the city's water supply, aside from that furnished by cisterns, has been cut off, and the situation of the Spaniards rendered more desperate than ever. There have been no rains of much consequence here of late and the water in the city cisterns must be very low if not altogether unfit for drinking purposes. Two hundred feet of the water mains were taken out, carried back and relaid in another direction from the point of supply, and the American army is now securing fresh water in large quantities by this means. It required the entire night to complete the work. Not a man was injured in the undertaking.

WASHINGTON, June 28.—The President has issued a proclamation extending the blockade of Cuba to the southern coast from Cape France to Cape Cruz inclusive, and also blockading San Juan, Porto Rico.

LONDON, June 28—The *St. James' Gazette* this afternoon, commenting upon the prospect of a U. S. fleet attacking the coast of Spain, says:

"The reception of the news evidences a change in public opinion which, at the commencement of the war, thought Europe should notify the United States that the war must be confined to American waters. It is now recognized that the Americans are fully entitled to make war in their own way, and they are indeed driven to retaliate upon Spain in this manner, owing to the tactics Spain has chosen to pursue."

KINGSTON, Jamaica, June 28.—It developed to-day that General Linares personally placed the ambuscade into which the Rough Riders fell on Friday, and he personally led the Spanish in the attack on the American forces. This information was conveyed to General Shafter by a Spanish deserter from Santiago, who surrendered to General Shafter at Sevilla Monday. He said 200 Spaniards were killed and eighty wounded. One hundred and five bodies of the dead and all the wounded were brought into Santiago on Saturday. The United States loss was 11 killed and 80 wounded.

AN EVERTON YOUTH SUICIDES.

Frank Simons, Aged 22 Years, Ends His Life With a Revolver Bullet.

Last Sunday evening Frank Simons, son of the late Robert Simons of Everton, committed suicide by shooting himself in the right temple. The young man lived with his mother a short distance west of Everton, on the 7th line of Eramosa, and was a steady young fellow of robust physique. He had engaged for the summer with Mr. Robt. Talbot, who lives three-quarters of a mile from the village, and worked up to Saturday night. On Sunday he was in the village and between Talbot's and his mother's home. The last seen of him was when he left Mr. Cutting's house about 7 p. m. going towards his own home. He had been visiting the family, especially one of the daughters, for whom it is said he had a very strong regard. It was generally understood that the young lady did not favor his suit.

Mr. Talbot expected him to work on Monday morning, but as he did not come to the farm, concluded that he was at his mother's. Mr. Talbot went over to his mother's in the evening to find out why he had not been over, and both were very much surprised to find that he had not been seen. Their suspicions were at once aroused because of a chance remark he had let fall that he wouldn't be here long. His brother went upstairs to his room and found that his revolver was missing from his trunk. The boys were fond of hunting and had some firearms. It was too late that night to institute a search, but early Tuesday morning a number set out on that mission. After a couple hours had been spent Mr. Talbot and Mr. Robertson, blacksmith, found their worst fears realized by the discovery of Poor Simons' body at what is known as the Rocks, some 200 or 300 yards from the village, and just on the edge of his mother's place. The rocks are thinly covered with a cedar scrub add other growth, and are comparitively open and easily seen from the village.

The body had fallen forward and both hands were under his breast, the right hand grasping a loaded five chambered revolver with one chamber discharged. The shot had entered the right temple. The face was quite discolored, especially around the wound, as the body had been lying there for 36 hours.

The body was taken up to the village an an inquest was held by Coroner MacKinnonin the evening.

The cause of the terrible act appears to have been unrequited love.

The Coleman Planing and Lumber Mills, Burlington, were completely destroyed by fire Tuesday evening of last week. Loss about $16,500, partially covered by insurance.

Because he could not go to a picnic one day last week, Johnnie Powell, a thirteen-year-old orphan's home boy living near Winnipeg, shot and killed Charlie Wheeler, the four-year-old son of his employer, and then committed suicide.

Nineteen editors and members of the Chamber of Deputies charged with having been connected with the recent revolutionary outbreak at Milan, after trial by court-martial, have been sentenced to terms of imprisonment varying from one month to six years.

CHURCH AGAINST PROHIBITION.

Despite a Strong Protest from Bishop Baldwin the Synod of Huron So Declares.

LONDON, June 21.—The Synod of Huron (Anglican) came out against prohibition at their annual meeting. A warm debate was precipitated by the report of the Temperance committee, favoring prohibition, where it could be enforced, but recommending meanwhile the adoption of the Gothenburg system or its equivalent.

The Dean of Huron, Rev. W. T. Hill, Rev. J. C. Farthing, Rev. Canon Dann, Rev. Canon Young and others spoke against prohibition as opposed to personal liberty.

Mr. T. H. Luscombe, barrister of this city, said the speeches of some of the clergy would have greatly pleased the Hotel Men's Convention.

The Bishop of Huron said it was not right to stand and see every facility given for the destruction of thousands of people by strong drink without protest. He would act according to his convictions and give a straight level vote for prohibition.

The prohibition clause of the report was struck out.

MILTON.

Senator McKindsey is residing in town again. The Senator is improved in health since last winter.

Mr. John McGibbon, of Georgetown, has leased the Wallace House. The house is being well repaired. The commissioners have granted Mr. McGibbon a license for the house.

Misses McLean, M. L. White and Bowes have gone to New York. To-morrow the young ladies, with some Hamilton friends, sail for Great Britain, where they will spend a couple of months.

A pretty wedding took place on Wednesday morning of last week at Grace Church, which was tastefully decorated. The bride was Miss Bertha Dice, daughter of Mrs. Dice, Mayor of Milton, and the groom was the Rev. Pakenham Chadwick, of Arthur. Brides proverbially look pretty, but Miss Dice's sweet face and girlish figure, with the usual bridal adornments, was something exceptional. Her costume was a dainty affair of white organdie and Valenciennes lace. Her veil was held by a wreath of orange blossoms and a pearl crescent, the gift of the groom. She was attended by Miss Ambrose, of Hamilton, attired in a lovely dress of pink organdie and a white chiffon hat. Mr. Jack Chadwick, of the Bank of Commerce, Toronto, accompanied the groom. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. E. White, rector, assisted by Rev. C. A. Seager and H. B. Gwyn, friends of the groom. The ushers were Messrs. H. Mawburn, of Hamilton, J. M. Campbell, of Milton, and Clare McGibbon, of Brampton.

OUSTIC.

A pretty wedding followed the merry peeling of the bells at St. Peter's Church, Oustic, last Wednesday morning, 22nd inst., when Mr. Jacob Kloepfer, traveller for Mr. C. Kloepfer, M. P., Guelph, was married to Miss Tessie Blanchfield, daughter of Mr. John Blanchfield, Oustic. A large company of invited guests from near and far filled the church when Miss Gay, presiding at the organ, filled the building with the sweet strains of the wedding march. Leaning on the arm of her father the bride entered the sacred place looking resplendent in a beautiful gown of white duchess satin, trimmed with pearls, real point lace and chiffon. She wore a veil with orange blossoms. She was assisted by Miss Susie Kloepfer, of Mildmay, and Miss Nellie Heffernan, of Everton, who looked lovely in gowns of white organdie over pink silk with picture hats and bouquets of pink roses. Little Miss Kathleen Coghlan, Guelph Township, made a very charming maid of honor. The groom was supported during the trying ordeal by Mr. Jack Blanchfield, brother of the bride. A feature of the marriage service was the music, which was rendered by Misses Gay and Wagner and Messrs. Duignan and Gallaher, members of the choir of the Church of Our Lady, Guelph. The ushers for the occasion were Messrs. W. A. Gay and Greg. Frank. The interesting ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Wm. V. Kloepfer, S.S.R., of Berlin, uncle of the groom, assisted by Rev. Father Feeney, pastor at Oustic and Acton, Rev. Father O'Loane, S. J., Guelph, and Rev. Father Fennessey, C. S. R., of Berlin. Solemn High Mass was sung by Rev. Father Feeney, with Rev. Father Fennessey, deacon, and Rev. Father Kloepfer, subdeacon. At the conclusion of the ceremony the happy gathering re-assembled at the residence of the bride's father, Woodland farm, where all the delicacies man could wish for were found in tempting array for the wedding breakfast. About 100 sat down to the feast. Needless to state, the gifts to the bride and groom were numerous and valuable, and some magnificent.

A BLACKSMITH'S STORY.

He Became So Run Down That Work Was Almost Impossible --- His Whole Body Racked With Pain.

From the Bridgewater Enterprise.

Mr. Austin Fancy is a well known blacksmith living at Baker Settlement, a hamlet about ten miles from Bridgewater, N. S. Mr. Fancy is well known in the locality in which he lives. He is another of the legion whose restoration to health adds to the popularity of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Mr. Fancy related his story of illness and renewed health to a reporter of the *Enterprise* as follows; "—During the last winter, owing, I suppose, to overwork and impure blood, I became much reduced in flesh, and had severe pains in the muscles all over my body. I felt tired all the time, had no appetite, and often felt so low spirited that I wished myself in another world. Some of the time necessity compelled me to undertake a little work in my blacksmith shop, but I was not fit for it and after doing the job, would have to lie down, indeed, I often felt like fainting. I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and after using six boxes I felt a decided relief. The pains began to abate and I felt as though life was not all dreariness. By the time I had used six boxes I was well as ever and able to do a day's work at the forge without fatigue, and those who know anything about a blacksmith's work, will know what this means. Those who are not well, will make no mistake in looking for health through the medium of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

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NO RIDING ON SIDEWALKS

Nor Riding or Driving at an Immoderate Speed on the Streets.

A BLOCK OF PERMANENT PAVEMENT.

Monday evening's session of the Council was somewhat more extended than usual and a couple of items of important legislation characterized it.

A specially prepared by-law to regulate vehicles on sidewalks and the driving or riding on highways or public bridges was introduced and passed. The provisions of the by-law effect all citizens who ride or drive and they should be acquainted with the various clauses. It prohibits the use of all sidewalks, pathways or foot-paths used by or set apart for the use of pedestrians, by any person using, drawing, hauling, or propelling any carriage, wagon, bicycle, sleigh or other vehicle—excepting baby carriages and hand carts propelled at a moderate rate of speed. It also provides a penalty for immoderate driving or riding on any street or highway within the municipality. The penalty shall not exceed $10 and costs, at the discretion of the convicting magistrate.

A very important matter inaugurated was the permission given to the Committee on Streets and Walks to contract for a sample block of permanent pavement to be laid on Mill Street, between John and Elgin Streets. After due consideration the Council decided at present to provide for the laying of such walks out of the regular funds of the current year, having no recourse to frontage tax. The purpose is to commence at this block and if satisfactory to extend the permanent pavement along the principal streets, instead of relaying them with plank. Existing walks will be temporarily repaired with plank taken from the parts to be laid with the cement walks, but it is expected these will shortly be laid uniformly with the permanent walks.

Council met in regular session on Monday evening.

Reeve Pearson in the chair and members all in their places.

The tenth report of the Finance Committee, recommending payment of the following accounts, was presented as follows:

Grant to Public Library	$ 52 75
D. Mills 3¾ yards gravel	3 75
J. B. Pearson, paint, &c for library	7 57
W. H. Walker, painting etc., in library	6 05
W. H. Walker, painting in town hall	3 50
G. Havill, repairing street lamps	2 45
D. Mills, ploughing in cemetery	1 00
Symon Bros., chimney	45
	$91 52

Moved by J. A. Murray, seconded by I. Francis, that the tenth report of the Finance Committee as read be adopted.—Carried.

The following tenders for grass in the park were opened and read:

W. P. Campbell agreed to build 66 feet of Sidewalk on Church street in front of his lot to the estimated value of $8.50
Edward Dynes, cash $5.50
James Matthews, cash $5.00
Stephen Rozell, cash $3.25

Moved by J. A. Murray, seconded by I. Francis, that the tender of W. P. Campbell to the value of $8.50 for hay on Public Park be accepted, as per his tender.—Carried.

The By-law governing vehicles on the sidewalks, having, perhaps, special reference to bicycles, was presented.

Moved by John Clarke, seconded by J. A. Murray that leave be granted to introduce the by-law for the purpose of regulating vehicles on sidewalks and the driving or riding on highways or public bridges and that said by-law be now read a first time.—Carried.

The by-law was read the required number of times, consided in committee of the whole, and passed.

Mr. John Warren addressed the Council again requesting that a portion of his farm, situated within the limits of the corporation, be exempted from taxation for fire purposes, on the same grounds as the farm properties already exempted.

The Council discussed the matter with Mr. Warren. It was the opinion of the the Council that the statute governing this matter did not apply to Mr. Warren's property, but members requested that inasmuch as he feels he has a grievance, that he lay the matter before the County Judge for his decision in the matter.

Moved by J. A. Murray, seconded by I. Francis, that a permanent pavement, 276 feet long, 6 feet wide, be laid on Mill Street from John to Elgin street, according to the specifications in use by the city of Guelph for the construction of such walks, and that the cost of same be met from the appropriation to the Streets and Walks Committee for the current year.—Carried.

A letter from John Cameron, contractor, asking permission to remove and enlarge the house at the corner of Mill and Willow streets to the rear of the lot, stating that the provisions of the fire limits by-law would be complied with, by roughcasting the house when removed and rebuilt was read.

Moved by John Clarke, seconded by J. A. Murray, that the Clerk be instructed to acknowledge receipt of Mr. John Cameron's letter of 27th inst., and to inform him that the by-law for fire protection will not allow any roughcast dwelling to be erected within the limits, and this Council is unable to grant the request. See section two of the by-law.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 10.30 o'clock.

TORONTO INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION.

The Prize List for the Toronto Industrial Exhibition, which is to be held this year from the 29th of August to the 10th of September, has been issued, a copy of which we have received. The exhibition is to be formally opened by the Governor General and the Countess of Aberdeen on Tuesday, the 30th August, and this will probably be their last official public act in the Dominion previous to their departure from our shores. The exhibition this year promises to be more interesting than usual on account of great Britain and France each sending large exhibits.

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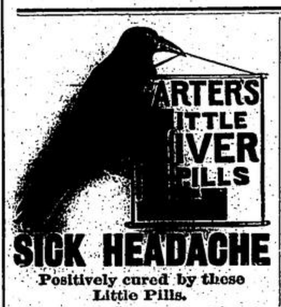

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NOTICE is hereby given that the above named William H. Adams has made an assignment to me for the benefit of his Creditors. A meeting of Creditors will be held at my office in the said Village of Acton on Monday, the 11th day of July, at 2 o'clock, p. m., for the appointment of Inspectors and giving directions for the disposition of the estate. Creditors are required to file their claims with me, duly proven on or before said date.

R. J. McNABB,
Assignee.

Dated this 28th day of June, 1898.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the Statute in that behalf that Creditors and others having claims against the estate of William Hyslop Storey, late of the Village of Acton, in the county of Halton, deceased, who died on or about the sixth day of March, 1898, are required on or before the 20th day of August, 1898, to send by post prepaid or to deliver to the undersigned, one of the executors of the last will and testament of the said deceased, their names, addresses, and description and full particulars of their claims, and of the securities (if any) held by them and that the executors will after the said 20th day of August, 1898, proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto and having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice and that the said executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person whose claim he shall not have notice of at the time of such distribution. Dated at Acton the 20th day of June, 1898.

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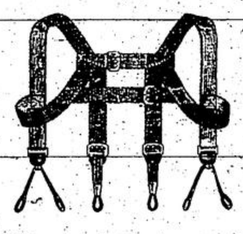

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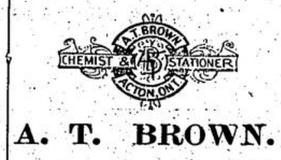

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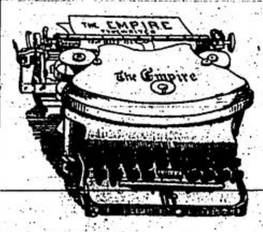

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