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A General Banking Business transacted  
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Deposits of \$1 and upwards received  
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## The Action Free Press.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 5, 1899.

## LITTLE LOCAL BRIEFLETS

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

-Electric light next week.

-The new year has commenced with  
very unfavorable weather.

-The "January thaw" has rendered  
the sleighing very indifferent.

-Congratulations! Mayor Nelson,  
Action replace in your preferment.

-Wednesday, 11th Inst., is the date for  
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## THE NEWS AT HOME.

Mostly of a Local Character, and  
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**When They Organize.**  
The members-elect of the Municipal  
Council will meet next Monday at eleven  
o'clock for organization. It is probable  
that the regular meetings of the year will  
commence at that time. The Public School  
Board will meet to organize on Wednesday  
evening, 13th inst., at seven o'clock.

**Action Lodge A. O. U. W.**  
At a meeting of the A. O. U. W. on  
Tuesday, Dec. 29th, 1898, the following  
officers were elected and have been  
installed:

Master Workman—John Williams.  
Past Master Workman—J. H. Mathews.  
Foreman—W. E. Speight.  
Overseer—Ivan Franks.  
Recordar—D. G. Gurney.  
Financier—John McIntosh.  
Recorder—Albert E. Gurney.  
Guide—Frank McMillan.  
Inspector—John Macpherson.  
Comptroller—John Macpherson.  
Rep. to Grand Lodge—J. H. Mathews.

**More Interesting than Any Letter.**

Numbers of copies of the Free Press are  
mailed every week by subscribers to friends  
at a distance. The postage is 2¢ cents a  
year. If mailed regularly, it is worth  
quite a dollar if you count the trouble of  
locking up wrappers and attending to the  
mailing, etc., isn't it? Then perhaps you  
forget the paper until the news is stale.

It costs only a dollar a year to send the  
Free Press regularly from the office of  
publication, and only seventy-five cents if  
you are already a subscriber.

**Travelers Disperse to Distant Points.**

The men who did largely in assuring  
successful and profitable operations to all  
the lime manufacturing concerns are  
now scattered to the four winds. The  
standard of travellers for this Canada Lime  
lets for their various outside fields during  
the week as follows:—W. T. Smith to  
British Columbia; J. C. Brody and A. N.  
Smith to Manitoba and the Northwest;  
A. E. Nicklin to Nova Scotia; T. E. M.  
Second to New Brunswick; and J. A.  
Murray to Prince Edward Island. Messrs.  
W. H. Storey & Son anticipate a large  
trade this season. Orders are already  
received in satisfactory volume.

**Hockey Matches.**

Action Hockey Team played their first  
game at Georgetown last Wednesday even-  
ing, meeting defeat by 8 goals to 6. The  
return match was played here on Monday  
before a good-sized crowd who braved the  
cold weather to participate in the excitement  
of the game. The play was fast and  
timely, and the crowd was greatly interested  
in the outcome.

The happy couple left on the  
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