

Bank of Hamilton

Georgetown Branch.
A General Banking Business transacted.
Correspondence Solicited.

Savings Department

Interest allowed on sums of ONE, TWO, FIVE and upwards from day to day deposit to day of withdrawal. No formalities and no delays in drawing money.

Farmers' Business

Solicitors. Notes of responsible farmers discounted and money loaned for legitimate business purposes.

Our Collection Department

Has every facility for making prompt returns.

Sale Notes

Handled and money advanced on account of same at low rates of interest.

HEAD OFFICE - HAMILTON

Capital	\$1,500,000
Capital being increased to meet the demands of the business	250,000
Reserve Fund	1,000,000
Total Assets	13,163,000

JAMES FURNIBER, Cashier.

B. FORSAVER, Accountant

Georgetown Branch.

Wedding Presents

No other store in town offers you such a choice selection of wedding gifts.
Our stock is always fresh, new, and novel.
Our prices will please you.

Wedding Rings

Rogers' knives, spoons and forks. Silverware and fancy china.

Fine Watch Repairing a Specialty

GEO. HYND, Acton, Ont. (NEWLY RE-OPENED)

The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1900

LITTLE LOCAL BRIEFLETS

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

Looks like sleighing again.

Good morning! Have you paid your subscription?

Stinky! Stinky! delegates - Acton cordially greets you.

The mercury was down to ten below zero yesterday morning.

Popular session of the Convention tonight and to-morrow night.

The snow showers have been very seldom needed this winter so far.

The mercury hovered about the zero mark at the beginning of the week.

How few "dippy" days have been experienced this winter up to date.

Quarterly Convention services will be held in the Methodist Church next Sunday.

A number of the farmers attended the institute meeting at Brookville on Tuesday.

The new bank has put in electric light and telephone connections during the week.

Acton homes and hearts bid the Sunday School workers assembled here a cordial welcome.

A meeting of the Liberals of Acton will be held in the Council Chamber on Friday evening this week at 8 o'clock.

The Merchants Bank got in a new new Goldie & McCulloch bank safe of the latest improved style, on Saturday. It weighs 6000 pounds.

What is the cold weather saying, sister, the whole day long? "It says 'Keep warm' by the furnace, for 'Till you're 'round strong'."

Always - every other man you meet these days could give "Our Bob" or "Belle" pointers on the way, and tell how he could maneuver things if he were in North Africa.

The following Finance Commissioners for Hamilton have been re-appointed for the present year: - Wm. F. W. Fisher, Burlington; Alex. Waddie, Acton; Henry Robinson, Onondago.

There has been a larger number of names of delegates for the Sunday School Convention than in any year before as a convention in Acton. The attendance will likely be unusually large.

During the winter held these Alex. McKinnis, cash driver, with the 20th Battalion in Helton county, and of course here on Saturday from Ottawa - Guelph.

Rev. A. F. McGregor, Home Mission Secretary of the Congregational Church, who preached at Onondago on Sunday afternoon, occupied the pulpit of Knox Church Sunday evening. He was much enjoyed.

Our well known woman - Oat collars are turned up; mufflers are strictly no longer worn; and as fast and as well as they can, they are being worn and worn.

To THOSE ABOUT TO MARRY. Young men - be old men who intend to marry will be pleased to learn that the new Machine Age is making quite simple by applying to H. P. Moore, lawyer of marriage licenses, at the Free Press Office. Call a few days before the ceremony and give the few days before the ceremony and give the few days before the ceremony and give the few days before the ceremony.

THE NEWS AT HOME.

Mostly of a Local Character, and of your own Interest.

Stock Shipments here in January.

January was a good month for the farmers of this section who had stock to dispose of, and a busy one for Mr. Roberts, Hamilton, driver. During the month he distributed \$2,000 among the farmers for stock delivered at Acton station, and the prospects are good for the coming month.

Hamilton Farmers' Fire Insurance Co.

A large gathering of farmers was present at a meeting of the Hamilton Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company, at the town hall on Saturday afternoon. The report of the year's business was very encouraging and the farmers are well satisfied that they have a satisfactory institution in their company.

The New Street Company Completed.

The newly-arranged electric for the street lights were now completed and the result is highly satisfactory. In respect to the street lights, the company has arranged to have the street lights on extra high. The effect is very noticeable and is remarked by all those who pass the street. The street lights are now in operation and the company is well satisfied with the result.

Winter Temperatures Meeting.

Meetings were held in the Town Hall Tuesday evening last week for the purpose of discussing the winter temperatures meeting. The meetings were of an interesting character, consisting of a talk on "Temperatures" by Mr. J. Parsons Smith, Hamilton, and an address on "Temperatures" by Mr. Miller, in addition, sessions from an excellent collection of photographs and slides of the winter weather. The meetings were fairly well attended.

Mr. J. Parsons Smith.

An old resident of Hamilton, who has been for many years in the county, died at Oakville on Monday in the person of Mr. John Barclay. Mr. Barclay was in the eightieth year of his age. He was a successful merchant and was for many years identified with Oakville's progress. He was an elder in the Presbyterian Church and an active member of the same. He was a brother of the late Registrar Francis Barclay.

Milton Boys' Band for Snow Meeting.

Nine boys between the ages of 13 and 17 were members of the Milton Boys' Band, which was organized for the purpose of playing at the snow meeting. The band was organized by Mr. J. Parsons Smith, Hamilton, and the boys were given a thorough training. The band was very successful in their performance and their playing was much appreciated.

Mr. J. Parsons Smith, of Hamilton.

The big patriotic concert on Tuesday evening was an encouraging success. Mr. D. M. Harrison has been elected chairman of the Public School Board for the year 1900. A \$4,000 shipment of stock was made from the C. P. R. yards here on Monday last by John Featherston, consisting of 375 hogs, a pair of cattle, 20 lambs and 10 calves - Ontario.

The Annual Meeting of the Hamilton Ploughmen's Association.

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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

ELTON.

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COMING AND GOING.

Visitors to and from Acton and Various Other Personal Notes.

The Max Paces invited all the readers to see the new book "Example is Better Than Precept".

It is not what we say, but what Hood's Sarsaparilla does, that tells the story.

Thousands of testimonials are examples of what Hood's has done for others, and what it will do for you.

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