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The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6th 1900.

LITTLE LOCAL BRIEFLETS

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

—Oysters R in season again.

—The dog day season is now well over

—Enjoyable moonlight nights this week.

—The mercury crept up to 90° again on Sunday.

—The first instalment of taxes is due next Saturday.

—Holiday visiting is pretty well over for the present summer.

—Labor Day visitors to and from town were unusually numerous.

—Your next holiday will be Friday, 5th October—Exhibition day in Acton.

—The bricklayers are pretty well up on the second story of the Warren Block.

—Monday forenoon's showers cooled the atmosphere, and advanced vegetation.

—Street Commissioner Williams is having a number of splendid new stone crossings laid.

—The heavy winds on Sunday brought down thousands of bushels of apples in this vicinity.

—Now that Toronto Exhibition is over the county and township fairs will have their innings.

—The cheap fares to Toronto end to-morrow. All tickets are good to return up to Sept. 10.

—The Judge's Court of Revision for Esquesing will be held at Stewarttown on Wednesday, 19th inst, at 10 o'clock a.m.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Education will be held next Wednesday evening, 12th inst, at eight o'clock.

—The Ontario Agricultural College will open on Sept. 14th. So far everything points to a most successful year. Already more students have enrolled than the college residence will accommodate.

—Lightning struck the residence of Mr. C. W. Anderson, banker, at Oakville, splitting the tower open and doing damage to the extent of $200 or $300, on Monday. No person in the house was injured.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jeans entertained Acton Cornet Band at their pretty home on Park Avenue, last Thursday evening It is needless to say the band boys enjoyed themselves thoroughly and appreciated the hospitality extended very fully.

—The venerable Rev. John Mills, of Guelph, preached excellent sermons in the Methodist Church last Sunday, in the absence of the pastor at St. Thomas. His subject in the morning was the Prodigal Son and the evening the Liberty of the Christian.

—A team of horses attached to a steel drill became frightened at Grindell's machine shop on Saturday and ran at terrific speed up Mill Street and out to the third line where they were caught by a farmer coming into town. They belonged to Mr. Robert Watson, fourth line. Considerable damage was done to the steel drill.

—Mr. Hugh S. McDonald sowed a small plot of fall wheat on the farm of Mr. Robert Sprowl yesterday, with grain which he grew in 1899 while working the Darling farm near Milton. It is of the Dethi variety and that year yielded 45 bushels to the acre.

—For first class cash and doors leave your order at Brown's planing mill, Acton.

—Those who contemplate purchasing mouumental or work of any discription for their cemetery plots should order direct from the old reliable granite and marble dealer J. M. Hamilton, Guelph, Ont. All expenses allowed to purchasers. All work and material warranted, competition defied.

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THE NEWS AT HOME.

Mostly of a Local Character, and every Item Interesting.

Beware of Straits Settlement Coins.

Straits Settlement coins are being circulated in many points in Canada, usually the fifty-cent pieces, and our readers should be on the lookout for them. The half-dollar piece of the Straits Settlement is only worth about thirty cents, intrinsically, and the banks refuse to accept it at all. It is said that this money is brought to Canada by the Chinese.

Acton's Electric Power is Adequate.

The following from the Brampton *Conservator* shows the kind of service sometimes given in a town when the electric plant has a private owner: "The electric light failed in the stores last Friday. There wasn't enough water in the Credit to drive the wheel that drives the dynamo. There are about five street lights out of business, but three weeks ago or so there were twice as many."

A Missionary Address.

Rev. F. A. Cassidy M. A., pastor of Norfolk Street Methodist Church, Guelph, will deliver an address on Missions in the Methodist Church on Thursday evening, 13th inst, under the auspices of the Women's Missionary Society. Rev. Mr. Cassidy is a returned missionary from Japan and his address will consequently have a wealth of interesting personal experience and no doubt valuable and interesting information.

Fall Term at the Public School.

The public school re-opened on Tuesday morning with the following staff in their places: T. T. Moore, Principal; Miss C. McPhail, 2nd Department; Miss E. Jean McPhail, B. A., 3rd Department; Miss Tena Currie, 4th Department, and Miss E. H. McQueen, 5th Department. There was a good attendance of scholars, though the Toronto exhibition has kept a number from being enrolled this week. Quite a few new scholars have been enrolled in the fifth department.

McCormac Wins at Toronto Exhibition.

McCormac's success last fall has been repeated at Toronto Exhibition, and his owner, Mr. G. C. Clark, is very proud of the result last Friday. The *Globe* reports the event as follows: "There was only one event to-day on the exhibition track, the stallion trot. It was a great fight between McCormac, Clark, Acton, and Brunhilde, Johnston, Campbellford, for the money. The purse was $300. Each captured two heats, and McCormac won out by a head in the final heat."

St. Alban's Church Harvest Festival.

The annual Harvest Festival Services will be held in St. Alban's Church next Sunday, 9th inst., at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m. The church will be decorated as usual and the services will be very bright with some special music. A prominent feature of the services will be the sermons by Rev. F. W. Kennedy, L. T., home on furlough this summer from Japan. He will give most interesting accounts of his life and work in Japan for the past six years. The offertory will be devoted towards improving the church's finances.

The Exhibition Here—4th and 5th Oct.

President Joyce and the directors of Esquesing Agricultural Society held a meeting in the Council chamber on Saturday afternoon to advance the arrangements for the exhibition to be held in Acton on Thursday and Friday, 4th and 5th October. A keen interest was manifested and the prospects are very bright indeed for a successful fair. The list of specials is unusually large and embraces upwards of forty attractive prizes, covering numerous classes. There will be a big concert on the second evening of the fair. Exceptionally favorable railway rates have been secured and allow tickets to be purchased to Acton from any point on the afternoon of the 3rd Oct., and on all trains on the 4th and 5th, good to return on the 6th at single fare.

The Game Laws.

The Provincial Game Warden is issuing notices for the information of the public containing an abstract of the Ontario game laws. For the first time for many years moose, reindeer and caribou may be killed between the 1st and 15th of November, both days inclusive. Another opportunity to hunt these stately animals will not be given sportsmen until 1903, as the open season is restricted to a period of fifteen days every third year. Only one of each variety may be taken by any one person in one season, and no cow moose or either of these animals under the age of one year can be killed. Partridge, quail, woodcock and snipe may not be bought and sold before 1905. English or Mongolian pheasants, prairie fowl, wild turkey, beaver and otter may not be killed before 1905.

An Appreciated Acton Souvenir.

When the stump of the big willow, which had grown for nearly half a century at the corner of Mill and Willow Streets was being removed a few weeks ago, the Secretary of the Old Pupils Re-union Committee conceived the idea of securing a section of it and having souvenirs prepared and sent to each of the old pupils. This was done and last week 183 pieces of the old willow, dressed 7 x 2 inches and quarter inch thick, were posted to the old boys and girls. The following was very legibly printed upon the face in black and red:

AN ACTON SOUVENIR.

This is a cutting from the stump of the big willow tree, planted by the late William Steele on his property, corner Mill and Willow Streets, in the spring of 1853. It gave the street its name. It was quite sound; measured 16 ft. 9 in. in circumference, and was cut down to make room for the new Merchants Bank building, now in course of erection. It was from this stump that Tom Kennedy, Registrar, of Parry Sound, one of the old pupils, made his famous "stump speech" during the Old Pupils' Re-union, July 12-14, 1900.

The souvenir is evidently much appreciated and acknowledgements are being received by the Secretary from "Old boys and girls" every mail. One writes: "It will always remind me of the pleasant time we had at the re-union and of the sweet days spent in Acton in early life." Another says: "I thank you more than I can tell for the nice little "willow" memento. I shall always keep it, as every time I look at it there comes to my mind memories of the past, some pleasant, some not so good. This additional proof of thoughtfulness in our behalf all will appreciate." Still another living in a United States city, says: "Often, during my early boyhood have the widespread boughs of this dear old willow sheltered me from a passing rain storm. I have skirted and finished many keenly-contested footraces directly under its shadow. I have fought boyish duels, made whistles and played them, played peg-top, marbles, and almost everything in the small boy's catalogue—except "hooky"—under this same old willow. I shall preserve the souvenir sacredly and express thanks for your thoughtfulness." Many kindly verbal expressions of the souvenir have been given by local Old Pupils.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box.

A BRIEF SESSION.

The Municipal Legislators Finish in Half an Hour Monday Evening.

Council met on Monday evening in regular bi-weekly session.

Members all present. Reeve Pearson occupied the chair.

The Committee on Finance presented their report and recommended payment of accounts as follows:

A. Bell, lumber	$57 05
H. S. Holmes, freight, etc.	40 91
J. H. Pearson, supplies, park, town hall, M. L. and lit. and W.	87 70
Henry Grindell, supplies, etc.	90 65
Acton FREE PRESS, printing and advertising	9 65
W. Mallis, boiler purge, etc.	4 10
Henderson & Co., supplies	9 05
N. Forbes, repairing boiler wall	1 00
	$190 43

Moved by J. Williams, seconded by Robt. Wallace, that the fifteenth report of the Committee on Finance just read be adopted.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 8 30.

BALLINAFAD.

Farmers are busy getting ready for seeding. Some have already done some sowing.

The shower of rain on Monday was much needed as the ground was very dry.

Ballinafad Civic holiday this month. Date will appear later.

Miss Ada Johnston, of Acton, spent a few days last week with Miss E. Cook.

Miss Edith Gartley of Georgetown spent last week with her sister Mrs. W. W. Cook.

Mr. Anderson, of Michigan, spent a few days with his sister, Mrs. George Campbell.

Mrs. C. Thompson is visiting friends in Toronto.

Quite a number from here are taking in the exhibition in Toronto this week.

Mrs. Alex. Campbell is recovering from her recent illness. Mrs. Yemen also is recovering.

Miss Belle Collier, of Erin, is visiting her grandparents here, Mr. and Mrs. W. Collier, sr.

EVERTON.

The Disciples are having successful evangelistic services. Four converts were received last week. Meetings are announced for every night in the week except Saturday. Mr. J. H. Dodd's solos are much appreciated. He continues to lead the song service and is very helpful in the services.

Service will be held in the Methodist Church next Sunday morning at eleven o'clock. Sunday School at ten.

Miss Annie Oakes, of Toronto, is spending a few weeks' holidays with her sister, Mrs. John Ewert.

Miss Dewar, of Paisley, who has been visiting with relatives here for some time, purposes going to Milton before returning home.

Mr. Jas. Black, of Chatham, Mrs. Sinclair and son and the Misses Black, are visiting at Mr. Hugh Black's old home and with other relatives here. Mr. Henry Black, of Detroit, is home for a week's holidays.

Mr. A. Vennels, of Peterborough, arrived on Saturday to spend a few days with Mr. Benson's family.

Messrs. Robert and David Darling, of Milton, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Joyce.

The dedication services of the new Methodist Church and the sacred concert on the Monday evening following were a success. The whole indebtedness of the new church has been provided for by subscription. Everybody admires the beautiful building. May the Lord grant His presence and blessing in the same.

Mrs. Jas. Hamilton returned home on Wednesday after assisting in the singing at the church opening and a few days' visit with Mrs. Forestar and Mrs. Jas. Black.

Mrs. Robertson, of Oakville, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Simpson, of Trafalgar, returned home on Friday after attending the dedication services.

Miss Esther Abbott, of Detroit, is the village at present.

Among those attending the Toronto Fair are Mr. Benson and George, Chas. Horton, John Smallhorn, Mrs. Smallhorn and Mrs. Marshall.

SOME OBSERVATIONS.

"Like master, like man." A letter which "Observer" was privileged to read the other day, received by a local business man from a former employee, expresses great satisfaction at having learned here in the initial stages of a business career, not only good business habits, but also principles of honesty and abstinence from hurtful indulgences. This satisfaction is—the greater as there is no exclusion from congenial society. This, while a very encouraging fact, is one very suggestive, inasmuch as even careful home training is often marred by influences in business establishments. No youth can spend three or four years in any employ without being moulded very largely therein for weal or woe. Not only habits of business are formed, but also thoughts and principles are being inoculated.

This now well-known writer, Sheldon, is often criticised, and the statement made with an assumption of wisdom that his ideas are visionary and impracticable, that business men cannot walk "In His Steps" in the manner Sheldon suggests. But it is not unlikely that in many cases no serious attempt is made beyond what will be politic, or at least to run much risk of financial loss. It might be a surprise to many of us how true most of his ideals might seem to be if we reached out to and attained those we already accept as correct. By the way, Sheldon is announced to be as near here as Guelph early in October.

OBSERVER.

LOCAL BRIEFLETS.

—Owing to the very small docket the September sitting of the Fourth Division Court was cancelled by Judge Hamilton.

—Mr. Wm. Gurney sr., has rented a farm near Milnoa and will remove thereto next spring. He will do seeding and fall plowing this fall.

—Do you contemplate having a sale this fall? Get your sale bills at the FREE PRESS, you will secure attractive posters, good paper and correct composition.

—An apple of the St. Lawrence variety from the 70th drop off a tree in the orchard of John Leslie, Glenwilliams, was left at the FREE PRESS office yesterday morning.

—Rev. W. G. Clark, B. D., of Brampton, will deliver his popular lecture "Thorns" in connection with Knox Church anniversary service on Monday evening, 17th inst.

—Tampering with electric light wires or apparatus is dangerous and costly. A boy's father last week paid into court between $4 and $5 for the "fun" the lad had at Knox Church driving shade in cutting out a piece of the copper wire connected with one of the shed lamps.

COMING AND GOING.

Visitors to and From Acton and Various Other Personal Notes.

The FREE PRESS invites all its readers to contribute to this column. If you or your friends are going away on a holiday trip or if you have friends visiting you drop a card to the FREE PRESS.

Miss Jessie Nicklin visited Toronto friends this week.

Miss Clara Ramshaw visited friends in Toronto this week.

Major Nelson, of Guelph, visited Acton friends on Labor Day.

Miss Lizzie Martin is home from Johnstown N Y, on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jeans spent labor day with Toronto friends.

Miss Myrtle Dills visited friends in Waterloo during the week.

Mrs. R. Home and children, of Toronto, are guests of Acton friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gehtlee visited friends in Toronto this week.

Mr. Bert Mason, of Meadowvale, visited his father's home here this week.

Mr. W. Forest and son, of Milton, visited Acton friends on Monday.

Mrs. Thos. Brunt and Miss Leavens visited friends in Toronto this week.

Miss Sarah McPhail, of New York, was the guest of her sister the past week.

Miss Ella Anderson, of Bracebridge, is a guest at the home of Mr. Wm. Gurney.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hyde and children left for the North West last week.

Mr. John McKee spent Monday and Tuesday in Toronto and St. Catharines.

Councillor Clark and Master Johnnie, went to Richmond Hill for a day last week.

Mr. Wilford, jr., of Blyth, was a guest this week at the home of Mr. J. E. Corry.

Mr. Fennel Smyth has secured a position as Junior in the Merchants Bank, Hanover.

Messrs. Charles and Arthur Moore, of Toronto, spent a couple of days here this week.

Rev. and Mrs. Hagar and Mrs. Hamsher, spent a couple of days in Toronto last week.

Mrs. G. F. Thurston and Miss Edith Thomas visited Toronto friends during the week.

Miss Jennie Grant arrived from Gore Bay on Monday and is visiting Acton friend.

Mrs. Arch. McNabb left on Monday morning to visit her daughter at Madawaska.

Miss Goodeve returned from her trip to the Northwest and Chicago on Tuesday morning.

Miss Annie Stephenson spent a few days this week with friends at Dundas and Hamilton.

Mr. Teddy Lucas, Sr., of Johnstown, N. Y., was in town renewing acquaintances yesterday.

Mrs. Ross, of Cincinnati, and her little daughter, are visiting her brother, Mr. Thos. Lee.

Mr. John J. Kelly and his son Master John Kelly, of Toronto, visited friends here last week.

Mr. Herb. Swinerton, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Berlin, was a guest at Moorecroft on Monday.

Mrs. R. Scott and babe, returned on Saturday after spending three weeks with her sister in Galt.

Editor Warren, of the *Herald*, Georgetown, was in town on Tuesday and called on the FREE PRESS.

Mr. Wm. Watkins returned on Saturday to resume his duties in one of Toronto's big law offices.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Matthews left last week to spend a time at the home of their daughter in Toronto.

Mrs. J. Campbell and son Donald, of Seattle, Wash., are visiting at her sister's, Mrs. H. MacDougall.

Mr. Walter Ziegler and Miss Ziller, of Berlin, were guests at the home of Mr. W. Walker, last week.

Col. Goodwillie and Major Grant, of Georgetown, were in town on Tuesday and called on Col. W. Allan.

W. McLeod Esq., of Georgetown, was in town on Monday and called upon Col. Allan and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Agnew and children visited friends in Mrs. Agnew's old home at Stouffville this week.

Mr. J. Fyfe left on Saturday for Montreal and will commence his regular autumn business trip to the Pacific from that point.

Mr. Gordon Henderson, of the Bank of Hamilton, Hamilton, visited at the home of his father D. Henderson M. P. this week.

Mr. Charles Mackenzie, ex-M. P. P., a brother of Hon. Alex. Mackenzie, died at the family residence, Springbank, Barrie, on Monday.

Mr. F. Melitz, electrician, spent a couple of days this week at Preston his former home. Mr. Dayfoot, ran the dynamo during his absence.

Dr. and Mrs. F. J. R. Forster made Acton friends a brief visit on Saturday while en route to Palmerston on their honeymoon tour.

Mrs. McQueen and Master Will returned to Hamilton on Monday afternoon after spending a month at the home of Mr. John Cook and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jenner, of Johnstown, N. Y., arrived at the home of Principal T. T. Moore on Saturday evening, and will spend a few weeks here.

Miss Clark has returned after a few weeks holidays and has resumed her classes in music here. She will be in town every Friday and Saturday.

Mr. W. T. Smyth, son and daughter, arrived here from Muskoka on Monday morning having enjoyed a very pleasant visit on their farm and with friends there.

Mr. George Osburn, who has been at Sault Ste. Marie, the past six months or so, made Acton friends a brief visit this week. He was called to Toronto to attend the funeral of his sister.

Mrs. Holmes and daughters, Miss Laird and Mr. Ryder, of Acton, with Messrs. Grossman and Taylor, of New York, spent Sunday in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Inman.—*Milton Reformer.*

GUELPH CENTRAL FAIR

To Be Held Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 25th, 26th and 27th.

This well-known and popular exhibition promises to be more attractive this year than for many years in the past.

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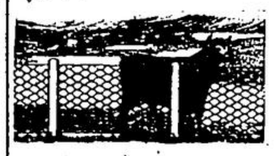

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