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The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, APRIL 11th 1901.

LITTLE LOCAL BRIEFLETS

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

All hats have been off to the ban the past week.

The farmers are itching to get at their spring seeding.

The fall wheat in this section has wintered very satisfactorily.

Toronto's rate of taxation this year is likely to be over twenty million.

Nelson township's liquor license fee has been raised from \$120 to \$200.

Hamilton has thirty-two census enumerators at work throughout the county.

The Donald Fire Engine Co. of Brantford, is about to remove to London.

London's rate of taxation for the present year has been struck at 25 mills on the dollar.

Grading operations have commenced. Mr. Walter, of Fairview Ave., takes the bus for being first at the garden.

The editor of the Free Press is under obligation to Mr. Chas. McLean for his kindness in sharing the copy of a two-column clipping from the paper at Midland.

At a meeting of the H. B. teacher and session of Knox Church held last evening Mr. Geo. Hynds was unanimously chosen as Superintendent of the H. B. in place of Mr. McLean who recently removed to Manitoba.

St. Thomas is being swept by a wave of reform. The Chief of Police has instructed his men, says the Times, to arrest every person whom they find using profane language on the street and the order will be strictly enforced.

From the report of the Exeter Examination College Institution we learn that out of 42 pupils who wrote in Form III Miss Daisy Nickles stood third and Miss Selah, fourth. This is highly creditable to these studious young ladies.

The solo, "Christ is risen today," by Mr. E. J. Moore, who was home from Albert College for Easter, in the Methodist Church last Sunday, was much appreciated by the congregation.

Arthur Trevelyan and wife by Miss Anglin, a fellow-student of Mr. Moore's at Albert College.

Mr. Joseph Agnew wishes the Free Press to say that he once shop between the Dominion Hotel and the Campbell House for a dark room for developing amateur photographs; that the persons who were in the premises on Sunday evening, 21st ult., when it was raided by the women, were not there on Sunday.

It is noted that the women who were in the premises on Sunday evening, 21st ult., when it was raided by the women, were not there on Sunday.

Waters - Boy for delivery wagon. Must be accustomed to farm work (good wages paid). Apply at once at Free Press office.

Those who contemplate purchasing momentary or work of any description for their country plots should order direct from the old reliable Guelph and nearby dealer J. H. Hamilton, Guelph, Ont. All expenses allowed to purchasers. All work and material warranted. Competition added.

TO THOSE ABOUT TO MARRY

Young men or old men who intend to marry will be pleased to learn that the new Marriage Act is made quite simple by the provisions of the new Marriage Act.

By the Hon. J. F. Macdonald, Minister of Justice, Ottawa, Ontario. Call a few days before the ceremony and have the matter explained. Private office. All business strictly private and confidential. At residence in evening.

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Take Laxative. Remove Gallstones. All Gallstones removed. It is the only cure.

THE NEWS AT HOME.

Mostly of a Local Character, and every item interesting.

Good Friday and Easter.

The weather during the Easter holidays, though not so warm as it often is at this season of the year, was for the most part bright and pleasant.

An unusually large number of visitors were in town on Good Friday and the day was spent in family reunions and social pleasures.

Easter Monday was bright and pleasant. The attendance at the churches was larger than on the previous day, and the services were to the spirit of the season.

The special Easter music by the various choirs was much enjoyed.

Highly Creditable as an Amateur Artist.

The April number of the Amateur Artist, of Chicago, the leading trade journal of the world in the printing and book publishing business, contains a beautiful half-ton engraving of a basket of playful cats and kittens, entitled, "Curiosity," the photo of which was taken by Mr. T. Brown, Acton.

The honor to Mr. Brown for this excellent subject is all the greater when it is known that he sent the photo to the Amateur Artist by request, the editor having said in the collection of friends in Chicago, Acton has several very skillful amateur photo artists.

Old Neighbor Social.

A friend in Gloversville, N. Y., sends the Free Press a copy of the Leader of that town in which the following announcement appears: "This evening the Men's Praying Band of the Fremont Street M. E. Church give their 'Old Rubber' Soiree."

A literary programme will be rendered. The remainder of the evening will be spent in having a good time socially. Hot maple sugar on snow will be served to all wishing it at ten cents a plate. Admission price, one or more pairs of old rubbers, but those who think more of snow than of rubbers may be permitted on the payment of a silver dime.

Requesting Fair - Acton, Oct. 3 and 4.

President Wilson of the Young Men's Agricultural Society, who is now in town and in conversation with the Free Press, expressed the opinion that a very successful exhibition will be held here next fall. He has confidence that the local directors and the citizens of Acton will do their part satisfactorily and he believes that even greater interest will be manifested by exhibitors and directors throughout the township and beyond its limits.

Mr. Wilson says there was but one dissenting voice on the board of directors when the question of coming to Acton with the show this year was under discussion.

Frank Burgess Dies in the Hospital.

Mr. Frank Burgess, painter, went to St. Joseph's Hospital about three months ago, and died there on Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. Burgess was left with a family of four small children, three daughters and one son. His lot is a difficult one, but she is a woman of energy and with the assistance of her kind-hearted relatives will be able to give her will not be difficult to keep her family together.

Official Visit of A. F. and A. M.

The brethren of Walker Lodge A. F. and A. M. were favored with a very interesting official visit last week from H. W. M. Barrell, D. D. G. M., of the Eight Masonic District, Hamilton.

He was accompanied by V. W. Davis, Grand Reg. of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Canada, and Bro. Mackenzie and Hildal, Hamilton; Newman, of Credit Lodge, Georgetown; Gormall, of Waverly Lodge, Guelph; and others.

An important session of the Lodge was held at which several resolutions were passed, after which a banquet was held at the Campbell House. The evening was most enjoyably spent, the visiting brethren congratulating P. M. Frick, W. M. Mackintosh and the members of Walker Lodge upon their very manifest prosperity and constant increase of membership.

Brother Nelson a New Property Owner.

Mr. Nelson, the butcher, has just closed with W. H. Henry, the agent for Mr. P. Kelly, of Buffalo, formerly of Acton, for the purchase of the store on Mill street, at present occupied by Garney & Co. Mr. Nelson will take possession as soon as Garney & Co. remove to their new premises in the Western block. He intends to keep the store and improve the premises and will go more largely into the meat business, doing considerable pork packing and lard business. Mr. Nelson has evidently learned the secret of successful business successfully in his line. During the past twelve months four other butchers have sold out or discontinued business here, but he has been for seven years in the stand on Main Street.

A Nightly Successful Sale.

The sale of highland and grade stock, implements, etc., held by Mr. Wallace Leach on the 2nd last, was very successful. Nearly everything put up brought big prices, and the figures at which the stock was sold were knocked down very gratifyingly. The aggregate amount of the sale was about \$1,800.

The most of the purchases were as follows: Dairy horses, by T. E. Robinson, Hamilton, for \$120; Mare, by J. G. Cunningham, Napanee, for \$125; Mare, by John McNabb, Brantford, for \$125; Dairy horse, by T. E. Robinson, for \$150; Dairy horse, by T. E. Robinson, for \$175; Mare, by J. W. Warren, sold two young bulls at the sale. Paildromas, for \$41, and Oloro, for \$25. A two-year-old bull \$20. His grade cows sold for \$45.

Formerly a Prodigal - Shattered at Others.

The Grand Trunk Railway has already sent out a man to see that the agents at the stations are put in order for the spring. The lawns at Parkdale, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Galt and other points, will receive special attention this year, as passengers are showing their appreciation of the company's efforts in making their surroundings more beautiful. This is very wise, but if the G. T. R. management would provide comfortable quarters for their passengers in some neglected places, they would be more likely to appreciate the lawns and the flowers. At Acton, for instance, with its annual revenue of over \$50,000 here, the accommodations are of the most inadequate, unsatisfactory character, both for passengers and stock. The waiting room is a disgrace to the place of Acton's importance. The ladies have perhaps the greatest reason to suffer. One evening last week when the train was late and a rain was falling, ladies were obliged to wait there in a crowded room with a man smoking. The men could hardly be blamed for they had no other place to go, but imagine the discomfort of the ladies. Surely the G. T. R. will soon realize the absolute necessity for a new depot and provide it.

COMING AND GOING.

Visitors to and from Acton and Various Other Personal Notes.

The Free Press invites all its readers to contribute to the collection for the Free Press.

Among the numerous Good Friday and Easter visitors to friends in town were: Mr. Ernest Hamilton from Elmira.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Matthews, Brantford.

Miss Annie Turkin was home from Berlin.

Mr. Chas. H. and Arthur H. Moore from Toronto.

Miss Ada Francis was home from Toronto.

Miss Mary Frost is home from Toronto for a few days.

Mr. Murray McDonald came home from Berlin on Friday.

Miss Helen Symon is home from Southampton for vacation.

Miss Minnie Holmes came home from Norval for vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. James Symon, of Guelph, visited Acton friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Symon, of Guelph, visited Acton friends.

Rev. J. K. Godden, M. A., visited friends in Toronto this week.

Mr. Wm. of Port Hope, spent Easter with friends in town.

Master Percy Nickles, of Hespeler, visited Acton relatives.

Mr. Frank Matthews has been home from Berlin for Easter.

Miss Eliza McQueen is home from the Normal School, Toronto.

Mr. Geo. Walter spent a few days in Toronto during the week.

Mr. James Gordon, of Rockwood, visited friends in Acton this week.

Miss Hillis, of Berlin, was the guest of her parents in town.

Miss Naomi Handing, of Stratford, spent a few days with Miss Ida Day.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kenney jr. spent Easter with friends in Toronto.

Mr. Jas. Frithbrook and Master Arthur were guests at Sunderland Villa.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Brunt jr. and daughter were here from Toronto.

Mr. Geo. Campbell visited a few days last week with his sister in Delhi.

Mr. H. W. Cameron, of Owen Sound, visited at Fairview Place this week.

Misses Marie and Beatie Hutchinson, of Berlin, were guests of Acton friends.

Miss Ida Barry, of Newmarket, spent her Easter holidays with her parents here.

Miss Margaret Howes, teacher, is spending the week at her home in Trafalgar.

Misses Daisy and Edith Nickles are home from the Guelph Collegiate Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. McKeen, of Berlin, were guests at Mr. Thomas Cameron's this week.

Mr. W. T. Hinchey went to Hanover on Saturday to visit his sons and daughter there.

Mr. Samuel Young, of Guelph, was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. T. E. M. Beard.

Mr. J. Savage, of Toronto, was a guest at the home of Mr. James Moore over Easter.

Mr. D. Henderson, M. A., came up from the Capital Thursday and remained over Easter.

Miss Mabel Williamson, of Berlin, is the guest of Miss Miss Walker, Bowser Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. T. Moore and Miss May spent the holidays with relatives in Toronto.

Mr. Charles McLain went to Midland on Good Friday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Klein.

Mr. (Dr.) McKague spent the holiday at the home of Rev. J. W. Rea, Toronto.

Miss Margaret Ramsay and Miss Yielding, of Hamilton, are guests at the home of Dr. Kelly.

Master Ernest and Edwin Perryman, of Toronto, visited their grand parents during the holidays.

Misses May and Eliza Gaudin were up from Toronto to spend Easter at their parents' home.

Misses Briggs and McNeil, of St. Mary's, visited over Easter at the home of Mr. Geo. Parsons.

Miss Flynn and her friend Miss Bohannon, of Berlin, spent Easter at the home of Mr. Thos. Perryman, Jr., and Master Edwin were up from Toronto on Monday visiting his father's home.

Mr. W. E. Smith, of Eramosa, visited Acton friends on Tuesday.

Mr. B. J. Moore came home from Albert College, Belleville, Thursday evening and spent the week at his parents' home.

Mr. Anson Smith, of Guelph, visited at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Storey during the week.

Miss Nellie Allen, teacher, is spending the Easter holidays at her home in Sudbury and with friends in Toronto.

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Mr. Charles Johnston, who was reported very ill last week, took a turn for the better on Sunday and is rapidly recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Laing arrived here on Saturday from Omaha, Neb. They will spend some time with the Misses Laing.

Mrs. Frank Burgess was in Guelph last week visiting her husband at St. Joseph's Hospital.

Miss Hawthorne is home again from St. Joseph's Hospital. She is feeling much better as a result of the course of treatment received there.

Miss Grace Hauger arrived home from the College of Donnelly College, Hamilton, Thursday to spend a week or so at the Methodist parsonage.

Mrs. Arab Campbell returned from Guelph last week. She is considerably improved in health and able to do her work. Her many friends are glad to see her home again.

Mr. J. W. Owen, who is suffering from a severe attack of appendicitis, is slightly improved. Dr. W. F. Cayo, his son, who suffers from the same disease, is also recovering.

At Mulhewell, in Perth County, on Saturday Mrs. J. J. Owen, mother of Principal Owen of Knox College, Toronto, at the advanced age of 97, years died. Mrs. Owen was of nearly outstanding stock and was born in Galloway, Scotland, August 1805. She has been a resident of Canada since 1847.

Dyspepsia

From foreign words meaning bad food, has come rather to signify indigestion; for the most common cause of the disease is a predisposing want of vigor and tone in that organ.

No disease makes life more miserable. It suffers certainly do not lie to eat; they sometimes wonder if they should eat at all.

W. A. Sugent, Belleville, Ont., was greatly troubled with it for years; and Peter H. Chase, San Diego, who was so afflicted with it that he was nervous, sleepless, and actually sick most of the time, obtained no relief from medicines professionally prescribed until he got Hood's.

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