

Bank of Hamilton Georgetown Branch.

General Banking Business transacted.
Correspondence solicited.

Savings Department.

Interest allowed on sums of ONE DOLLAR and upwards, and on sums of deposit of day or withdrawal. No formalities and no delay in drawing money.

Farmers' Business

Sold. 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 sales at low rates of interest.

Travelers are notified that the Bank of Hamilton and its Branches issue Circular Notes of the Province. Use of these notes will be accepted without charge or trouble in any part of the world.

HEAD OFFICE — HAMILTON

Established 1872.
Capital Paid Up — \$1,703,212
Reserve Fund — \$1,234,110
Total Assets — \$14,827,357

JAMES TURNBULL, Cashier.

B. FORSYTHE, AGENT, Georgetown Branch

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AHEAD.

1901

PAPER HANGINGS

Stock now complete and without doubt the finest ever put on the market. Two sets of Wall Paper are represented by our sample books.

J. B. McKEE, Agent.

Will take your order and the prices will astonish you.

We will also

pay 25% discount for good design.

CHAS'L. NELLES,
GUELPH.

The Acton Free Press.

TUESDAY, MAY 16th, 1901.

LITTLE LOCAL BRIEFLETS

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

The street sprinkler is on its rounds again and the dust is annihilated.

Milton band is giving free open air concerts already in the county town.

The carpenters have their bands full these days with new buildings and repairs.

Engaging Court of Revision will be held at Stewartsontown next Monday at 10 o'clock.

Several of our citizens who have electric lights installed are putting in meters.

The machinery in the Canada Glove Works was closed down on Monday for repairs to the engine.

Snow and hall accompanied the thunderstorms last Sunday afternoon and cooler weather followed.

By a vote of 18 to 8 the village of Drayton has decided to loan the Drayton Shoe Company \$10,000.

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MILITIA CAMP NEXT MONTH.

The camp at Niagara will open on June 11th, and break up on the 23rd. The following corps will be there:—Garrison Guards, 1st Battalion, Royal Canadian Dragoons, 2nd Dragoons, 20th, 27th, 28th, 44th, 77th and 111th Regiments; 4th Infantry Brigade; 12th, 13th, 34th, 55th and 56th Regiments. Recruits are wanted. New uniforms will be served out.

Mr. GLAD MAKES ANOTHER PURCHASE.

Mr. P. G. Glad, the new miller, is evidently well satisfied with his investment in the Action Flour Mills, for he has purchased the fine property of Mr. John Harvey at the corner of Millfield and Park Avenue, and will erect thereon a fine brick residence. Mr. Glad is shipping brick and lumber from his old home at Midway and building operations are likely shortly to commence.

Moors, Mr. Glad's old employer, and John Agnew, Esq., chairman of the Board of Education, met last Wednesday evening in the Council Chamber.

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The Court of Revision will meet tomorrow evening at 7 p.m.

After a somewhat protracted illness, Mr. Wm. Scott, one of Milton's oldest and most respected citizens, passed away yesterday morning, aged 75 years. —Former.

Miss J. E. Whitworth of Errol, daughter of Rev. Wm. Whitworth, former member of the graduating class of the Dartmouth Training School, Toronto, this year.

Wood has been received by Action friends to the effect that Mrs. Thomas Cook, of Grand Rapids, Mich., who was very ill during the winter, is slowly regaining her health. She sends kind regards to all Action friends.

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LOCAL BRIEFLETS.

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—The Intercollegiate Association will be held in the new election to the Legislature Assembly.

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