MARRIED.

CAMPBELL—COVENTRY—At the residence of the Bride's parents, Kanilla, Assa., on Wednesday, 10th July, by Rev. A. Robson, Mr. W. T. Campbell to Miss Maggie Coventry, daughter of David Coventry.

DIED.

PRICE—In Esquesing, on Thursday July 25th, 1901, Thomas Price, aged 76 years.

LAIDLAW—At Manswood, on Thursday, July 18th, Elizabeth Laidlaw, sister of James Laidlaw, in her 70th year.

The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, AUGUST 1st, 1901.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

There are at present three vacancies in the Senate and nine in the House of Commons. In the Senate there is one vacancy in Ontario, another in Quebec and a third in Nova Scotia. In the Commons three in Ontario, one in New Brunswick and one in Manitoba.

The Acton FREE PRESS, Milton *Champion* and Oakville *Star*, respectively, have recently entered upon another year of publication. These three papers are a credit to the towns in which they are published, and also the county. We wish the editor of each of the three herein mentioned journals continued success and prosperity. They certainly deserve it.—Burlington *Gazette*.

At the annual meeting of the Grand Lodge, of the Orange Order, in Toronto last week the proposed change in the constitution to exclude hotel-keepers from membership produced a spirited argument, but the resolution was defeated by a vote of 90 to 37. A notice of motion was immediately given that the matter would be brought up at the next meeting of the Grand Lodge.

It is very evident that if the Curfew by-law is to be given any further consideration by the council, the supporters of the curfew must bring new evidence to bear upon the members, and perhaps repeat their eloquence at a future meeting. There is, no doubt that ample evidence can be secured from the eighty municipalities of the province where the curfew by-law is in force, to prove its value as an aid to the moral welfare of the rising generation. The onus now rests upon those desiring the by-law enacted here to provide such evidence.

The council is considering the advisability of adopting the plan in vogue in many municipalities of allowing a discount of five per cent to all ratepayers who pay their taxes promptly on the dates fixed for their payment. This has been found to work satisfactorily in numbers of municipalities throughout the province. It encourages prompt payment and ensures the receipt of taxes at a much earlier date than otherwise and consequently reduces the aggregate of interest being paid for the temporary loans necessary to provide for current expenditure. The plan is worthy of a trial by our authorities.

The statement will be good news to ratepayers, and reflects very creditably upon the present council, that there is every probability that Acton's rate of taxation for the present year will not be increased. It was pretty generally conceded among the members of the council up to the last meeting, that in view of the necessarily increased expenditure for the new brick stack at the power house, the increased sum required by the Board of Trustees and other unforeseen expenditures that the rate of 1901 would be at least 22 or 23 mills. It was shown however, at the meeting on Monday evening, that the Committee on Finance, having gone carefully into details in the estimates for the year, were able to announce that with a continuance of the economy which has characterized the expenditures thus far during the year, coupled with the increase of the assessment to $314,000, a rate of 20 mills, the same as last year, would be sufficient to cover all outlay for the year. The rate will be struck at the next meeting.

The Burlington *Gazette* is advocating permanent pavements for that town. The *Gazette* shows that in addition to the cement walks being much superior to plank, the cost, when the lifetime of the walk is considered, is much less. According to the *Gazette's* investigations, plank walks at the present high price of lumber, cost seven cents per square foot. The lifetime of a wooden walk is seven years, after which the cost of repairs will equal the expenditure for the renewal of the walk. The best cement walks are being laid at from 10 to 12 cents per square foot and they are expected, where properly put down, to last at least a quarter of a century. Our Burlington contemporary advocates the systematic renewal of plank walks with cement out of current expenditure. Acton tried this plan for three years but eventually found it would take 40 or 50 years to replace the plank walks with cement. We now have the local improvement by-law in force and the prospects are that in two or three years all the walks on the principal streets will be laid with permanent pavements.

The Montreal *Star* is publishing a series of articles on New Ontario by Mr. F. H. Clergue, which gives evidence of the importance of that extensive section of our province and manifest the loyal interest of this enterprising manufacturer and prospector. Mr. Clergue shows that New Ontario is about three times as big as Old Ontario, that it has immense areas of fertile lands, rich mines, valuable timber and a favorable climate. He goes on to illustrate how Canadians may learn three great lessons from the story of the wonderful industrial evolution at Sault Ste. Marie. The first lesson is that Canada is rich in natural resources and what American capitalists are doing at Sault Ste. Marie Canadian capitalists may do in other sections of the country. Vast areas of New Ontario still remain almost untouched by the hand of man; Quebec probably offers almost if not fully as great opportunities for enterprise; American capitalists are already discovering the riches of Nova Scotia, and New Brunswick has stores of wealth undreamed of by most of its inhabitants. The second lesson is that there is more more money to be made by converting Canadian raw material into finished products than by sending them to the United States and other countries in crude forms. The third lesson is that it is bad policy to buy in foreign countries anything that can be profitably made at home. If Mr. Clergue's policy of never going outside Canada for anything that can be obtained in the country had been followed in the development of Canada from the earliest times, this country would be twice as wealthy and twice as populous as it is to-day. The *Star* says: The example Mr. F. H. Clergue sets in utilizing Canadian raw materials should be generally imitated.

A 20 MILL RATE.

Will In All Probability be Possible for the Present Year.

BRICK CHIMNEY FOR POWER HOUSE.

At the regular meeting of the Council on Monday evening the Committee on Finance in the course of conversation volunteered the information that after going carefully into the estimated receipts and expenditures for the year they would be able to recommend that a rate of twenty mills be struck. This was very agreeable news to the members as it was previously thought a 22 or 23 mill rate would be necessary. The Chairman of the Committee on Streets and Walks demurred a little on the ground that the amount being allowed his committee in the estimates was inadequate, but when it was shown that 12,000 or 14,000 feet of permanent pavements were likely to be laid on the local improvement plan, and his committee was consequently having much more than the usual sum expended for improvements of the streets, he good-naturedly acquiesced and agreed to do his best under the circumstances.

An interrogation by Councillor Jeans respecting the payments on account of the electric lighting plant this year, brought out very satisfactory information. Chairman Henderson replied that up to the present date the receipts this year have been $1646, for current, supplies, etc., and that the payments, less salary and debenture, were $1266 57. The Committee had bright hopes, he stated, that the total receipts for the year, and expenditures, including salary and annual payment on debentures, would balance. The introduction of the meter system, and the constantly increasing number of users of light both tend to increase the revenue, and the prospects for the future are certainly assuring. It is but fair to state in this connection that in above figures there is no credit given in the revenues for street lighting. If then, the plant's revenues from its patrons pays all claims, the corporation is having the streets lighted free of cost—an estimated saving to the municipality by owning its own plant and franchises of $660 per annum.

Council met on Monday evening in regular session. Members all present, the Reeve in the chair.

The Committee on Finance presented their twelfth report and recommended payment of the following accounts:

H. W. Chisholm & Co., coal	$65 01
United Electric Co., repairs	27 00
E. Kingsbury, teaming	12 00
Canadian General Electric Co. supplies	10 00
George Worden, work on streets	6 25
H. P. Moore, printing	5 50
George Campbell, work on street	3 00
H. J. McNabb, typewriting, etc.	3 55
John Wirsching, express re chimney	3 50
Alfred Soper, work on street	3 15
Hart & Riddell, stationery	2 77
A. T. Brown, supplies	2 30
Thos. Brunt, work on street	1 50
Stephen Russell, work on street	40
	$190 67

Moved by H. Swackhamer, seconded by H. Jeans, that the report of the Committee on Finance, just read, be adopted.—Carried.

The clerk read a communication from the Board of Public School Trustees asking the Council to provide by taxation the sum of two thousand dollars for school purposes for the current year.

Moved by Jno. A. Henderson, seconded by H. Swackhamer, that R. D. Graham be and is hereby appointed inspector of pavement works to be constructed as local improvements in this corporation for the year 1901.—Carried.

The matter of the erection of a new brick chimney was again considered and it was reported by the committee that a suitable chimney, first-class in every respect, could be built for a much less figure than was estimated at last meeting.

Moved by Geo. Hynds, seconded by John A. Henderson, that the Council hereby accepts the offer of C. H. Daudo, of Galt, for the building of a new brick chimney at the power house.—Carried.

COUNCILLOR HENDERSON—What about this Curfew By-law? I have promised to bring the matter up every night until it is either passed on or the matter is dropped.

REEVE WILLIAMS stated that he was in Dundalk last week and he was instructed there that the Curfew By-law had died a natural death. The discussion here ended.

Moved by George Hynds that the Council do now adjourn.

Council adjourned at a quarter to ten.

Lord Salisbury, in his speech in the House of Lords last week in support of the finance bill, declared that the tendency to extravagance is increasing. Great Britain had no choice, he said; it had to protect itself. For years public opinion was in favor of a pacific policy, but now that state of opinion has passed away. "The tide has turned," he exclaimed, "and who am I and who are we that we should attempt to stem the tide? If the tide has turned we shall have to go with it. We are in the presence of forces far greater than we can wield."

A rumor to the effect that visitors to the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo are called upon to pay an admittance fee to each of the exhibit buildings after paying to pass through the gates, appears to have gained some circulation in certain quarters. It is entirely unfounded. The fact is that the visitor after paying the gate fee, has the privilege of going through all of the dozens of exhibit buildings absolutely free of expense. The prices of admission are: For adults, 50 cents, for persons under fourteen years of age, 25 cents. The exposition proper does not include the Midway, which is a collection of amusement enterprises conducted by private companies. To these attractions small admittance fees, ranging from 10 cents to 25 cents are charged.

GEORGETOWN.

The funeral of the late Thomas Price, of Esquesing, was caught in the heavy rain storm on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Erwin will remove this week to Hafnia, where Mr. Erwin has secured a good position.

The Choir of the Methodist Church will picnic to-day at Stanley Park. It is intended as a farewell outing with Mrs. John Erwin, who leaves on Saturday for her new home at Hafnia. Mrs. Erwin has been a faithful and valued member of the choir for many years and her removal is genuinely regretted.

Not much danger of scarcity of water in the waterworks this season. The reservoir is overflowing.

The Lord's Day Alliance complains that there is considerable sale of cigars and cigarettes here on Sunday.

Van Allen & Co., have brought the merchant tailoring business and stock of goods from Mr. J. E. Bellels.

Matters are not definitely settled yet respecting the proposal for the removal of Arnold's Glove Works from Acton here.

PLACES THE DUKE WILL VISIT.

Ottawa, July 29.—The revised program for the Duke of Cornwall and York's visit gives the dates of stay at different points as follows: Quebec, September 16th to 18th; Montreal, 18th to 20th; Ottawa, 20th to 24th; Winnipeg, 26; Vancouver, Oct. 1st; Victoria, 2; Toronto, 10th to 12th; Niagara Falls, 13th; Hamilton, 14th; Kingston and Thousand Isles, 15th; St. John, 17th; Halifax, 19th.

READY TO HANDLE WHEAT.

Mann & McKenzie's Canadian Northern R. R., to be in operation 15th October.

Mr. D. D. Mann, of Mackenzie, and Mann, stated in Toronto on Monday that the Canadian Northern would be completed from Port Arthur to Winnipeg by Oct. 15th, and they expect to handle ten or twelve million bushels of wheat from the Prairie Province to Port Arthur this fall and winter.—The bulk of it will get out before navigation closes, and big elevators are being erected to store that portion which arrives too late to be shipped out this fall.

THE BUFFALO BIG FREE MIDWAY INCREASES IN POPULARITY.

The merry Big Free Midway in Buffalo, New York, is the magnet that is attracting thousands of pleasure seekers who come again and again, finding out at each visit something new and interesting. This Midway has become a resort for people who seek innocent amusement, and its prices are within the reach of all. The performances are presented on a scale of magnificence never before attempted at street fairs and midways. The attendance has averaged 17,500 since the opening six weeks ago. Among the most notable of the one hundred concessions are Streets of Cairo, Idols of Art, White Top Palm Garden, German Village, Captive Balloon, Beer's Wild West and Indian Congress, Sing Sing Prison, Heaven and Hell and Trained Animal Exhibition. So much has been said and printed about street fairs that it would seem to the casual observer that very little remained to be told, but there is always something new coming up. That street fairs are beneficial is no longer questioned. Their many and great advantages are now commended.

ESQUESING TOWNSHIP COUNCIL.

Long List of Accounts For Repairs to Roads and Bridges.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment, the Reeve in the chair. Members all present. Communications were received from John Graham, Glenwilliams, Dr. Lowry, Guelph, Wm. Panton, County Clerk and others. The following accounts were ordered to be paid:

Jonathan Smith, for cutting brush, making ditches and gravelling road opposite lot 9, 2nd line	$21 00
Also repairing bridge opposite lot 11, 2nd line	4 00
J. G. Mitchell, for repairing road scraper	1 40
T. Cunningham, for 25 days operating road machine	37 50
Repairing bridge on 6th line, lot 1	1 00
William Brownridge, 23 days operating road machine	23 00
Oil	50
John Lindsay, 4½ days filling gravel	4 50
Walter Ball, 1½ days filling gravel	1 50
William Everson, 1 day filling gravel	1 00
Jas. E. Campbell, fixing bridge, lot 31, 7th line	1 00
H. K. Biddell for 304 feet 3-inch plank for his road division	5 76
Richard Shortill, 42 yards gravel furnished to the Municipality	4 60
George C. Campbell, for repairing bridge on lot 27, 5th line	2 00
Wm. McGregor, supplying 140 yards gravel to Pathmasters, 9th line, lot 23	10 40
Duncan McArthur, hauling 520 yards gravel on 1st concession, lots 15 and 16	43 30
Also opening gravel pit	1 00
George Douglas, 200 yards gravel	50 00
Peter Gibbons, spreading gravel 1st con	4 00
Duncan McArthur, hauling 19 yards gravel, 2nd line, lot 21	3 74
Gravelling lot 21, 2nd line	50
G. McArthur, furnishing gravel	1 50
Alex. Sinclair, grading lot 26, 9th line also cleaning out culvert	11 00
William Mullin, grading road, lot 25 and 26, 2nd con	15 00
Samuel McClure, gravelling lot 22, 10th line	4 50
Also 18 yards gravel	1 50
Angus Ferguson, building culvert, Glenwilliams	4 00
Angus Ferguson, repairing washout Hand Hill, Glenwilliams	2 50
John Appelby, rebuilding Thompson's bridge	24 50
James C. Cook, cleaning ditch, 8th line, lot, lot 29	2 00
A. Dobbie, repairing road machine, and repairing small road scraper for Jno. Lindsay	3 50
Jas. E. Campbell, 37 yards gravel, supplied to Archie McKachren for his road division, Erin paying like amount	3 70
James E. Campbell for putting on 374 yards gravel at 35c per yard on town line, Erin paying like sum	9 37
Manassah Campbell, for 2½ days spreading gravel at $1.25, Erin paying one half	1 50
Manassah Campbell, for two days filling gravel in Levi Cole's road division	2 00
Adolphus Hills, 2 days filling gravel	2 00
Chris Price for 57 yards gravel for Levi Cole's road division	5 70
Guelph General Hospital, board and attendance for John Melipaddan from 1st Sept., 1900, to 3rd June	121 50
George Mills for working road machine 16 days at $1.50 per day, and ½ day for man and team	25 50
Alex. Cross, one day filling gravel in Jacob Halter's road division	1 00
Wm. Kickley, 2 days	2 00
Allan Deveraux, 2 days	2 00
Vernon Swackhammer, 2 days	2 00
Mark Given, 3 days filling gravel	3 00
Malcolm Given, 1 day	1 00
Edward Erwin, 1 day	1 00
Fred Erwin 2 days	2 00
Horace Bingham, spreading gravel 8th line	1 25
John Bingham, opening gravel pit 8th line	2 00
John Bingham, Assessor, equalizing Union School section	6 00
William Brownridge burying sheep	50

Moved by Mr. Campbell, seconded by Mr. Cook, that leave be granted to introduce a by-law to authorize the Trustees of S. S. No. 8 to borrow the sum of $750 for the purpose of repairing their School House and that is be read the first time.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Graham, seconded by Mr. Campbell, that the by-law authorizing the Trustees of S. S. No. 8 to borrow the sum of $750 for the purpose of repairing their school house be read the second and third times and passed.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Graham, seconded by Mr. McGibbon, that the sum of $2.00 be paid to William D. Johnston, being two thirds value of one lamb killed by dogs, the owners of which are unknown.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Cook, seconded by Mr. McGibbon that this Council do now adjourn to meet on Monday, the 12th of August next.—Carried.

Two things trouble my faith; the animality of most men, the intelligence among beasts.

Children Cry for
CASTORIA.

$500,000 TO GENERAL ROBERTS.

His Majesty King Edward Recommends that Parliament Give Him Half a Million.

London, July 29.—In the House of Lords to-day, Lord Salisbury, the Premier, read a message from King Edward, to the effect that in consideration of the eminent services of Field Marshall Lord Roberts in South Africa. His Majesty recommended that Parliament grant him the sum of £100,000 ($500,000.)

ROCKWOOD.

Mr. John Duffield, Erampsa, who some twelve weeks ago fell 26 feet from the roof of a barn, and sustained a severe shock, is now able to sit up for a little while at St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph. He is able to walk a little by leaning on the side of the wall, but he cannot use crutches.

Rev. W. H. Garnham, B. A., B. D., will preside at his first communion service in the Methodist Church next Sunday morning. The services in the other churches of circuit are withdrawn for the day.

SPORT, TRAVEL, FICTION.

The August *Canadian Magazine*, in keeping with the season, is devoted to sport, travel and fiction. Nonie Powell writes of the birthplace of Napoleon, and the relics and mementos of him stored in Ajaccio, Corsica. B. Turner describes a record trip up the Matterhorn made at the close of last year's Alpine season. W. A. R. Kerr gives a history of "Golf in Canada," showing that the game was played in Montreal as early as 1824. These three articles are profusely illustrated, the latter being accompanied by eighteen photographs. C. W. Nash writes of "The Bass of Ontario," his article being embellished with three excellent drawings. There is a fine collection of short stories in addition to the two serials now running in the Magazine. A. T. Hunter makes some pungent criticisms of our militia camps, while John A. Cooper gives utterance to some observations on the progress of the Maritime Provinces.

CLARK WALLACE GRAND MASTER

Of the Orange Order of British North America for the Fifteenth Time.

Toronto, July 29.—Hon. N. Clark Wallace, M. P., of Woodbridge, is once more Grand Sovereign of the Grand Loyal Orange Lodge of British North America. He was opposed for the chief office by A. J. Armstrong, Deputy Grand Sovereign, who hails from St. John, N. B.

The elections resulted as follows:

Grand Master—N. Clarke Wallace, Woodbridge.

Deputy Grand Master—Dr. T. S. Sproule, Markdale.

Grand Chaplain—Rev. William Walsh, Brampton.

Grand Secretary—William Luckhart, Alliston.

Grand Treasurer—W. J. Parkhill, Midland.

Grand Lecturer—William Cook, Meaford.

Grand Director of Ceremonies—R. H. Watson, Toronto.

Deputy Grand Secretary—William Murray, Dauphin, Manitoba.

Deputy Grand Treasurer—Lieut.-Col. J. H. Scott, Kincardine.

Grand Auditor—J. H. Delamere and W. H. Stewart.

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From the Review, Windsor, Ont.

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50c Moreen Skirtings for 25c.
7c Muslins for 3½c.
$1.25 Quilts for 98c.
11/4 Blankets for 90c pr.
10/4 Blankets for 78c pr.
Men's Fine Straw Hats for 10c each.
18-in. All-over-Laces for 15c a yd.
25c Laces for 15c.
15 and 20c Laces for 10c
$ Shirt Waists for 65c.
45 and 50c Silks for 25c.
25c Pongee Silks for 18c.
33c Table Linens for 21c
40 and 45c Table Linens for 33c.
Men's $9 and $10 Suits for $6.50.
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THE undersigned, having settled in Grand Rapids, Mich., desires to sell his house and lot on Lake Avenue. The house is a very comfortable roughcast, six-roomed one, with hard and soft water, good garden, in excellent location, and in good condition. Terms reasonable and made known upon application to Gurney Bros., Acton.

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NEIL GILLIES,
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DWELLING AND LOTS FOR SALE.

THE dwelling and lots on Willow Street, Acton, belonging to the estate of the late David Maloney are offered for sale. The property is situated in the heart of the business section of Acton; the dwelling is a comfortable seven roomed two-story roughcast, and there are a number of fruit trees on the premises. Parties desiring to purchase will receive full particulars by addressing

MRS. D. MALONEY,
Markdale P. O.

July 9th, 1901.

IN THE SURROGATE COURT OF THE COUNTY OF HALTON.

In the matter of the Guardianship of the Infant children of Hugh Reid, Deceased.

APPLICATION will be made to the Surrogate Court of the County of Halton before the Judge in Chambers at the Court House in the town of Milton, after the expiration of twenty days from the first publication hereof on behalf of Sarah Davidson, of the township of Esquesing in the County of Halton, mother of the said infant children for an order appointing the said Sarah Davidson guardian of James Henry Reid and William Jeremiah Reid, infant children of the said Hugh Reid, deceased.

SARAH DAVIDSON.
By W. A. McLean, her solicitor.

Dated at Acton this 17th day of July, A. D. 1901.

Notice to Creditors.

In the Matter of W. J. Lee, of Acton, in the County of Halton, Dry Goods Merchant.

TAKE notice that the said W. J. Lee has made an assignment to me for the benefit of his creditors pursuant to Chap. 147 R. S. O. 1897 and amending acts. All persons having claims against the said Estate of the said W. J. Lee, are required to file with me particulars of their said claims duly proved by Affidavit, on or before the 20th day of August, 1901.

And take notice that I will after the said 20th day of August, 1901, proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate, having regard only to the claims of which I shall then have notice.

W. D. STRICKLAND, Assignee,
54 Wellington St. West, Toronto.

CURRY, GIBSWICH & KYLE,
7 King Street West, Toronto.
Assignee's Solicitors.

Dated this 11th day of July, A. D. 1901.

AUCTION SALE OF TIMBER BERTHS.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to authority of Orders in Council, the Red and White Pines Timber in the following townships in the DISTRICT OF ALGOMA, namely:—The Townships of GRAHAM (part), DAWSON, LEVACK, JAMES ADDAMSCHY, CURRIE, GILMOUR, WHITNEY, CURTIS and RUTHERFORD (part), and certain areas between the Pigeon River and the Arrow River waters in the District of THUNDER BAY, will be offered for sale by Public Auction at the Parliament Buildings in the city of Toronto, on TUESDAY, the SEVENTEENTH day of SEPTEMBER next, at the hour of ONE o'clock in the afternoon.

At the same time and place certain forfeited and abandoned Berths in the Townships of DUNNY, BARNSDOWNE and LITTLEWOOD, in the District of HALIBURTON and County of VICTORIA, will be offered for sale, the purchasers of these latter Berths to have the right to cut all kinds of timber.

Blasts containing terms and conditions of Sale and information as to Areas and Lots and Concessions comprised in each berth will be furnished on application, either personal or by letter, to the Department of Crown Lands, Toronto, or the Crown Timber Agencies at OTTAWA, SAULT STE. MARIE and PORT ARTHUR.

M. J. DAVIN,
Commissioner Crown Lands.

Department of Crown Lands,
Toronto, June 1, 1901.

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