

## Bank of Hamilton Georgetown Branch.

A General Banking Business  
transacted.

Correspondence Solicited.

Savins Department.

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

Farmers' Business.

Solicited. Notes of responsible farmers discounted and money loaned for legitimate business in purpose.

Our Collection Department.

Has every facility for making prompt returns.

Sale Notes.

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

Travellers are notified that the Bank of Hamilton has the Provincial Bank Circum Notes and the Provincial Bank of Canada Limited, which can be cashed without charge or trouble in any part of the world.

HEAD OFFICE — HAMILTON  
Established 1872.

Capital Paid Up — \$1,995,750

Reserve Fund — \$500,000

Total Assets — 17,071,759

JAMES TURNOOL, Cashier.

B. FORSAYETH, Agent,

Georgetown Branch.

CHAS. L. NELLES

The Big Bookstore, Guelph.

Christmas, 1901.

Prize Books  
Libraries  
Flea Gift Books  
Bibles, Books, Etc.

Yancy Goods  
Flea Sis' one."

For the pleasure of  
the people is  
Canada and it will  
pay you to do  
your shopping at

CHAS. L. NELLES,  
GUELPH.

The Acton Free Press.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1901.

LITTLE LOCAL BRIEFLETS

Which Caught the Eyes or Earned  
Free Press Reporters this week.

The snow showers had a busy time  
on Tuesday morning.

Several of our citizens went to Milton  
on Tuesday to act on the grand and patriotic  
juries.

Municipal nominations this year take  
place on Monday, Dec. 30th; with elections  
on Monday, Jan. 6th.

Mr. Alex. Weller's son has thoroughly  
repaired the Durban bell "Wallace Walker" to Mr.  
Scott the draper. He weighs 12,000 pounds.

Moore, Symes & Campbell have kind-  
ly remembered the Fazza Press with copies  
of their Sis' Maries paper.

The School Board asks for tenders for  
the two wood furnaces which have just  
been replaced by the steam heating apparatus.

Rev. Mr. Gillett addressed, Eric  
Church Sunday School last Sunday after-  
noon in an interesting address on  
"Hannity."

If all snow is cleared off over the north-  
ern strips of the peninsula, there will be  
no danger of the walks being flooded when  
it comes.

Mr. Alex. McKinnon, 4th Lips, Eric,  
sold his head of Aberdeen-Augus cattle  
from his herd last week to an American  
breeder for \$700—Eric Advocate.

Mr. George Clark was in town on  
Tuesday and had the remains of his wife  
Frank interred at Fairview Cemetery,  
and removed to the family plot in the  
graveyard at Ballincay.

In the absence of Rev. Mr. Godden,  
who was called to Caledonia on Friday  
owing to the illness of Mrs. Godden, the  
services in St. Albin's Church were con-  
ducted last Sunday by Mr. Clark, a student  
from Trinity College, Toronto.

Action Flour Mills have been closed  
the past week, owing to the change in  
management. This is the first time there  
was no activity about the premises for  
more than half a century. They will soon  
be in operation again, however.

Mr. Wm. Martin has disposed of his  
barbering business to Mr. Harry K. Lee  
of Clinton. The barbershop was well  
doing his eight or nine years in Action,  
owns a comfortable residence on Bowes  
Avenue, and our citizens will regret his re-  
moval which takes place early in the new  
year. Mr. Lee is no stranger in Action,  
having resided several years here.

WANTED—Experienced lady glove  
maker. Good wages to good people.  
Apply to Preston Gloves Co., Preston.

WINTER ORDERS FOR SPRING  
DELIVERY.

J. H. Hamilton's Electrical Monumental  
Works at Guelph are now taking orders for  
Granite and Marble Monuments to be set  
up in the spring, at reduced prices. With  
the splendid new electric power and  
machinery the establishment is able to  
execute far more and better work than  
heretofore, and in order to keep the  
workshop running all winter very low  
rates are being given for work ordered  
now. Call at the works or drop a card to  
J. H. Hamilton, Guelph.

A MILLION FOR HORSES.

The sum the Imperial Government  
has paid to the Farmers in  
Canada.

The Ontario Government has been in-  
formed that Col. Dent has purchased in  
Guelph for the British Army 7,687 horses,  
and besides that he has instructions to  
acquire 500 more in the colonies which  
is now being fulfilled. The horses will  
realize almost \$1,000,000 for Canadian  
dealers. Most of which comes to Ontario,  
because there are few and small horses  
brought in from the west.

Leave your orders early.

W. STAN,  
At Pannabecker's.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take a tablet of Bruno Quinine Tablets. All  
druggists refer to this if it fails to cure.  
P. W. Grove's signature on each box.

## THE NEWS AT HOME.

Mostly of a Local Character, and  
every item interesting.

The Coming Christmas Entertainments.

The several Sunday Schools engaged in  
preparations for Christmas entertainments  
are making rapid progress and the indica-  
tions are that each will contribute a very  
memorable and enjoyable entertainment to  
the Yuletide festivities.

Lighting for Christmas.

It looks very much as if present we if these  
would be good lighting for Christmas.  
About 6 o'clock or seven fall on Monday  
night and the lights and entire have  
since been running freely. It will seem  
quite like old-fashioned times to have  
Christmas lighting with the merry sing-  
ing bells a glingling.

A Former Resident Splashed Tales.

At the lecture-recital given by Mr. W.  
D. Martin, the big pupille at Guelph,  
Winter & Leamington's recital hall, to Hamil-  
ton, the Hamilton Times speaks in very complimentary terms of Miss Beatty's efforts.

The Provincial Winter Fair.

The big Winter Fair, at present in pro-  
gress in Guelph, is an unprecedented  
success. The exhibits are quite brilliant  
both in extent and in character. The  
stockmen of the Dominion, and many  
from the United States are in attendance,  
and Guelph is crowded with visitors.  
Attendance had a large quota of  
farmers and citizens in attendance.

The Guelph Business Gold.

The executors of the estate of the late  
J. H. Pearson, have disposed of the hard-  
ware, wine and crockery business, which  
was carried on so successfully for twenty  
years by the late Rev. Mr. Pearson, to Mr.  
William Johnston, furniture dealer. Mr.  
Johnston takes possession next week and  
will conduct his furniture and undertaking  
business in connection with the hardware  
business.

Annual Meeting, Huron Prohibition Assn.

The annual meeting of Huron Prohibi-  
tion Association will be held in the Royal  
Temple Hall, Guelph, on Tuesday, Dec.  
17th, at 10 o'clock, for the purpose of  
electing officers and other business. A pub-  
lic meeting will be held in the town hall  
the same evening to be addressed by Prof.  
J. A. Nichols and others. All friends of  
prohibition throughout the country are  
invited to attend.

Trooper Malloy To-morrow Evening.

In accordance with the request of a  
large number of citizens, Trooper Malloy,  
the blind soldier hero of South Africa,  
made his second appearance in Action to  
attend the annual meeting of the Huron  
Prohibition Association.

The selected young speaker will give an address  
of unusual interest, touching many points  
not referred to in his first lecture. The  
chats and interesting character of his  
numerous delineations will be appreciated by  
everyone who hears him. Trooper Malloy  
had a most successful tour. At St. Catharines  
over 800 people gathered to hear  
him to his stirring recital. Go and hear  
him to-morrow evening.

The Board adjourned at 9 o'clock.

MILTON.

The Court of General Sessions made  
a quiet stir about town on Tuesday.

Judge Gorham has arrived in town and  
will soon feel quite home here. He is  
being extended a cordial welcome by our  
citizens.

A few of our citizens attended the Old  
Boys Club and "At Home" in Toronto  
last Friday evening.

Interesting Sunday School anniversary  
services will be held in the Mall Wesley  
Church next Sunday. On Monday evening  
there will be an entertainment and supper.  
It is the forty-first anniversary  
of the school.

The concert of Kelly and Mally  
will doubtless be a most enjoyable  
affair.

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effect tomorrow. The stores close at  
seven o'clock each evening except Saturday.

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