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Georgetown Branch,

A General Banking Business transacted:

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Savings Department.

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

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The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, APRIL 10, 1902

BRIEF LOCAL ITEMS.

March weather this week.—Of course you take in the Toronto Horse Show this week!

—Have you played ping-pong yet?

If not, you've missed a lot of fun.

—A flock of wild geese flew over town on Monday evening in a northerly direction.

—The April flowers have washed the face of Mother Nature and given the grass a refreshingly green tint.

—A meeting of the members and friends of Acton Loyal Legion Club will be held in the Council Chamber next Tuesday evening at 8:30 o'clock.

—Mr. Wm. McGuire, publisher of the Liberal, Tilsonburg, has received the appointment of Postmaster of that town. The Liberal has been purchased by E. K. McLean.

—The Acton Free Press can outlast any local paper looking better than man, which is saying a good deal. It was printed throughout with new type—Milton Champion.

—The Acton Free Press, one of Ontario's brightest and best country weeklies, appeared in a brand new Easter dress. Long may the flag of prosperity continue to wave your way, Bre'r H. P.—Eric Advocate.

—The Review Mercury says: "The Acton Free Press—always clean and neat in its typography—came to hand last week in a condition new out of type. The Free Press still holds a foremost place among the well printed weekly papers of Canada and has our best wishes for continued prosperity—Overdown Herald."

—A couple of mothers residing on Church St., at the foot of Mt. Campbell, got into a fracas last Friday over a quarrel among their children. A case in court was entered, but better thoughts eventually prevailed and the case was settled out of court.

—Mr. George Wills surprised the Free Press on Saturday with a cluster of full-blown, apple blossoms, after surprise had been expressed in volunteering the information that some weeks ago he had taken number of apple boughs into the house and there the blossoms had been secured.

—The attention of our readers is called to the fact that Mr. J. J. Lawson has received the General Agency of the Continental Life Insurance Company of Toronto. The Continental is a progressive company with up-to-date plans of insurance, and as Mr. Lawson is known as a reliable gentleman progressive features would do well to inquire of him what his company have to offer.

—Some of our citizens evidently fail to realize also that it is a violation of law to lay it down to remove sand, gravel, soil, &c. from any street or lane without written permission of the Reeve.

—**WINTER ORDERS FOR SPRING DELIVERY.**

J. H. Hamilton's Electrical Manufacturing Works at Guelph are now taking orders for Granite and Marble Monuments to be set up this spring at reasonable cost. With the splendid new electric and pneumatic machinery this establishment is able to execute fast and better work than heretofore, and in order to keep the machinery running steadily very low prices are being given for work ordered now. Call at the works or drop a card to J. H. Hamilton Guelph.

—**STOP THE COUGH AND WORKS OFF THE COLD.**

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NEWS OF LOCAL IMPORT.

Don't Pass Us Again Mr. Hayes.
Manager Hayes of the G. T. R. went right through town on Tuesday and got off at Guelph to see if they need a new station there. If he wants to find a place to plant a new station he is cordially invited to drop off at Acton. We have a fine one here day.

—**Boatloads of Mr. Macpherson.**

Sgt. John Campbell Perry, of Guelph, who was killed in the disastrous Hart's River engagement in South Africa, on the 3rd of March, was a member of Rev. H. A. Macpherson's Guelph Sunday School Class in Knox Church, Guelph. Mr. Macpherson remembers him well and always regarded him as a special scholar.

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Rod and Gun Club.
A meeting will be held in the Council Chamber on Monday evening, 11th inst, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of organizing a gun and rod club. All are invited, who take an interest in the gun and rod.

Community Service Well Attended

The communion service in Knox Church last Sunday, as is usual with the April communion, was very largely attended. There were 200 communicants present. The preparation sermon preached on Friday by Mr. J. G. Cheyne, of Knox College, was appropriate and much enjoyed by the congregation.

—**Booklets Your \$2 Bill.**

A large number of contributions were received for the distribution of the various congregations in time to be held next Sunday evening in the Methodist Church at 7:30 o'clock. The ministers of the town have been requested to give brief addresses at the meeting, and the choir of the various churches have been asked to make the service interesting. The question of Sabbath Observance will be discussed. Mr. John Cameron, President of the Local Branch, will preside.

—**The Golfers Organized.**

The Acton Golf Club held their annual meeting last Thursday evening and elected the following officers for the coming season: Hon. President, Mr. J. A. McGrail; Vice-President, Mr. H. S. Holmes; Chaplain, Rev. Father Feeney; Captain, Mr. A. J. McPherson; Sec-Treas., Mr. W. Stark. The club will extend and improve their links, and have every prospect of a good season. An effort will be made to form a County League.

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