BORN

CAMPBELL—At Ballinafad, on Sunday, 11th May, to Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell, a daughter.

Gurney—At Toronto on Sunday, 11th May, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gurney, a son.

DIED.

Long—At Burlington, on Sunday, May 11th, Joshua Long, aged 81 years.

KENNEDY—At Dryden, New Ontario, on Sunday, 4th May, Maggie, daughter of Paul Kennedy, Esq., formerly of Esquesing, aged 15 years.

STOREY—At Bradford, on Friday, 9th May, John H. Storey, formerly of Acton, aged 40 years.

MARRIED.

WILLIAMS—WILLIAMS—At Los Angeles, Cal. on Wednesday, 23rd April, by the Rev. Dr. Williams, formerly of Mt. Forest, father of bridegroom, assisted by Rev. E. Healey, Robert K. Williams, architect, to Annie F., eldest daughter of Berwick G. Williams, Esq., Cloverdale, B.C.

The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, MAY 15, 1902.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Mackenzie-Mann bill for the incorporation of the Canadian Northern Telegraph Company has passed its third reading. Amendments have been made to this measure to fully secure municipal control.

The Bell Telephone bill passed its final stage in the Commons and awaits now only the sanction of the Governor-General to become law. It contains the amendments made by the Senate providing for a control of rates by the Governor-in-Council.

Mr. Marter declares that it was the giving of the first pulp-wood concession in 1895 which settled Mr. Clergue in Sault Ste. Marie and gave the benefit of the millions he controls. The Clergue Syndicate paid $400,000 for the concession, and the company has invested $16,000,000 at the Sault and vicinity.

Earl of Dundonald, the new commander of the military forces in Canada, as successor to General O'Grady Haly, is expected to assume office about the first of July. Lord Dundonald has been service in South Africa, and was one of the first of the relieving force to enter Ladysmith. He is 50 years of age.

The stocks of wheat in Ontario are getting well reduced and domestic mills are having to pay higher prices. Large quantities of wheat are being shipped from the North-West and the railways are busy handling it. It is estimated by Government officials that there are still in Manitoba 18,000,000 bushels of wheat. To ship this before the first of September, would require over 100 cars a day.

The reference in last issue to the plain necessity of adopting to the most general extent possible the metre system in connection with the electric light system has commended itself to all metre users and to ratepayers generally. The question is also forcing itself upon the attention of the members of the Council and the necessity for prompt action is felt. It will be in the truest interests of al concerned to have metres adopted at the earliest possible date.

Sir. Richard Cartwright, has given notice of amendments to the Grain Inspection Act providing that on the written application to the Commissioner by any person residing within 20 miles of the nearest shipping point he may give permission to any one to erect a flat warehouse at such point. The railway company shall be compelled to give a location with siding, on its premises at a rental not greater than the charge of standard elevators. On a written application by ten farmers, resident within twenty miles, the commissioner shall cause the railway company to erect and maintain at such point a loading platform suitable for loading grain from vehicles direct into cars. This amendment will be of great value to the farmers of the Northwest.

The Ontario Liquor License Holders' Protective Association of Ontario has forwarded candidates for the Legislative Assembly a circular containing the following questions, asking for immediate answers: 1. Will you vote and use your influence against the Liquor Act, when voted on—December 4, 1902? 2. If you are elected, and the Liquor Act is carried, will you vote in favor of a bill to postpone the coming into operation of the said Act? 3. If you are elected, and the Liquor Act is carried, will you vote in favor of a bill to repeal the said act? 4. If you are elected, and the Liquor Act is carried, will you support a measure providing for compensation, based on the value of business, said values to be settled by commission? 5. If you are elected, will you oppose any further reduction in the number of licenses, increase in license fees, or lowering of the hours of closing?

GEORGETOWN.

The Free Library is not opened now before 12:30 noon. Readers formerly had a couple hours in the morning.

Mr. W. A. Fraser, who, with his family, has spent the winter at Atlantic City, will return this week to his home in Georgetown.

The post office building is to be veneered with brick which will effect a decided improvement.

The newly-organized Horticultural Society should encourage very materially the cultivation of plants and flowers.

Election matters are growing more fervent. Both candidates are putting up a good fight. The result here will be looked forward to with interest. It is generally felt, however, that few if any of Mr. Harber's friends who supported him in the last contest will go back on him in the present one, considering his splendid record as a member of the Legislature.

Many a man has made the discovery too late that he misjudged his enemy—especially after attempting to lick him and getting beautifully licked himself.

Love doesn't laugh at the smith who repairs automobiles.

Children Cry for CASTORIA.

PEACE TO BE PROCLAIMED.

Next Tuesday, And Preparations are Afoot For General Rejoicing.

CORONATION CEREMONIES WILL CONSEQUENTLY BE MORE JUBILANT.

LOURENZO, May 10. A despatch received here from Delagoa Bay, Portuguese East Africa, says that peace in South Africa is certain to result from the conference of the Boer leaders to be held at Vereeniging, Transvaal, May 15. It is said, the dispatch continues, that peace will be officially proclaimed on May 29. Preparations are afoot for general rejoicings.

After having met the burghers in the field and explained to them the British terms, the Boer leaders were to meet at Vereeniging and reach a final decision on the subject of peace. A despatch from London, dated May 2, said it was officially asserted that after their conference at Vereeniging the Boer leaders would proceed to Pretoria and announce to Lord Kitchener their decision in regard to the peace terms they were prepared to accept.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Acton Now to Have Form II. as well as Entrance Examinations.

The Board of Trustees met in the Council Chamber in regular session at eight o'clock on Monday evening.

Members present: W. R. Kenney, Chairman, Dr. S. A. McKeague, W. H. Denny, Rev. J. K. Godden, M. A., W. H. Demp and Rev. H. A. Macpherson.

The Committee on Finance presented their ninth report and recommended payment of accounts as follows:

Richard Hewer, cleaning Cess Pool Vault	$10 00
A. T. Brown, Chemicals and Disinfectants	5 58
A. J. McKinnon, preparing Deed in triplicate and registering same	5 40
	$21 01

Moved by J. K. Godden, seconded by W. H. Denny, that the report of the Committee on Finance just read be adopted.—Carried.

The matter of holding annually the higher departmental examinations at Acton, as well as the entrance examinations, was discussed.

The instructions and regulations of the Education Department were fully considered, and it was felt by the Board that the holding of such higher examinations in the school here, under the supervision of the Education Department, would be of considerable advantage to candidates residing in Acton and vicinity, and would naturally give Acton School a desirable standing.

Moved by H. A. Macpherson, seconded by Dr. S. A McKeague, that this Board request the Inspector to make arrangements for the holding of examinations for forms I, II and III, at Acton.—Carried.

At the invitation of the Board, Mr. J. S. Deacon, the County Inspector, was present at the meeting. The subject of promotion examinations and matters of interest touching the success of the school were lengthily discussed, and suggestions and counsel given by Mr. Deacon which will no doubt be of value to the school, and materially aid the Board and the Teaching Staff in maintaining the high standing which Acton Public School has so long enjoyed.

Moved by Rev. H. A. Macpherson, seconded by Rev. J. K. Godden, M. A., that the thanks of the School Board be and are hereby extended to Mr. J. S. Deacon, Inspector, for personally visiting the school Board and for his candid and lucid interpretation of matters pertaining to the school.—Carried.

The Board adjourned at 11.20 o'clock.

SERVICES APPRECIATED.

Presentation to Miss Nellie Matthews Who Has Removed to Berlin.

At the close of the prayer meeting in the Methodist church last Thursday evening Miss Nellie Matthews, who has given valuable aid in the service of song the past year or so, was presented with the following address accompanied by a purse of gold. After a few words of kindly reference by the pastor, Mr. H. P. Moore read the following address, and Mr. J. C. Hill, leader of the choir, presented the purse:

DEAR MISS MATTHEWS:

Having learned of the intended departure of your father's family and yourself from our midst, we, in behalf of your many friends in the church, and especially in the choir, take this opportunity of giving expression to our appreciation of the valuable services you have rendered so willingly and regularly in connection with the choir and other departments of the church in the service of song.

It is a common axiom that "A friend in need is a friend indeed" and you have not only succeeded in proving the truth of this, when repeated removals and retirements had decimated the number of our leaders of sacred song, by doing all within your power to fill the vacancy, but your willing, faithful and unselfish services have won our highest esteem and have justly earned sincere and hearty praise from all concerned.

We but echo the sentiment of the Church, the Choir, the Sunday School and the Epworth Leagues, when we say that we are sorry to part with you, but we realize that our loss will be a gain to the church in your new home and we are confident that you will always endeavor to use the talents of song with which our Heavenly Father has so richly endowed you, for His praise and glory.

As a parting token of our friendship and gratitude we beg you to accept this purse in slight recognition of our feelings toward you.

Distance may separate us very materially but nothing can separate us from that common love and faith which we all may have in our Lord Jesus Christ. In saying farewell we unite in the prayer that God's richest blessing may be with you and your father's family, with whom we have been associated for so many years in Christian fellowship.

(Signed)
J. M. HAGAR, M. A., Pastor.
J. C. HILL, Choir Leader.
H. P. MOORE, Supt. S. S.
CLARA E. MOORE, Pres. E. L.
JOHN W. GRAM, Supt. J. L.

Acton, May 8th, 1902.

Miss Matthews, who had just arrived in the church for the weekly choir practice, was taken completely by surprise. She briefly spoke her thanks and expressed heartfelt appreciation for the kindly worded address and the purse which accompanied it.

BALLINAFAD.

Rousing Meeting in the Interests of Hon. J. M. Gibson and Mr. John H. Barber.

A well-attended political meeting was held in the hall here on Monday evening. In addition to the men a large number of ladies were present. Ballinafad being on the boundary between the two constituencies of East Wellington and Halton, it was a joint meeting and Mr. John R. Barber, the Liberal Candidate for Halton, was represented on the platform, though the meeting was originally arranged for Hon. Mr. Gibson. A keen interest was maintained throughout the proceedings. Mr. Donald McLean presided.

The first speaker was Mr. A. J. Mackinnon, Barrister, of Acton, who spoke in Mr. Barber's interests. He showed that Mr. Barber was one of the most successful members of the Legislature. His independence of thought, able business characteristics and wide experience gave him an advantage over many men who were elected to parliament, and his services were consequently of very great value to the county he represents and to the country generally. Mr. Mackinnon ably touched upon the questions of the day, showed that the progressive policy of the Ross Government was worthy of the highest praise and of continued support and discussed with much satisfaction the questions of special interest to the agricultural community, which have been given important consideration and effective legislation by the Ross Government.

Col. Goodwillie, of Georgetown, made a brief address. He combatted the charges of the Conservative Party against the Government, and after showing how unfounded and unreasonable they were, characterized them as captious. He felt confident the people would show at the polls that the cry "It's time for a change" was foolish and carries no weight. The Col. also showed an intelligent grasp of the importance and profit of the pulp agreements.

Major Grant, of Georgetown, said a few words in favor of his old friend Col Gibson. He declared if the Col. was as good a shot in a political campaign as he had known him to be at the butts, where he made the highest record at Bisley ever recorded to a Canadian's credit, he would defeat his opponent at this election with a big score to his credit.

Of course the speech of the evening was delivered by the Attorney-General. At the outset Mr. Gibson refuted a number of personal charges made by his opponent, Mr. Tookey, who is alleged to have stated that he was an intemperate man in the use of intoxicants. "Why" said Mr. Gibson, "I have for a number of years been a total abstainer." A lengthy and interesting history of the effort of the present Government to build up Ontario was given, and the splendid progress of the country, and especially the development of New Ontario was pointed out. The pulpwood concessions were explained in detail and ample evidence was given that the policy of the Government in this respect was of immence advantage to both New and Old Ontario. The timber limits and the log policy—which latter Mr. Whitney claims was his own particular idea Mr. Gibson proved to the intelligent audience, was the policy of the Ontario Government years before Mr. Whitney ever gave utterance to his claims. Mr. Whitney's record in the Legislative Assembly was also held up to the public gaze. His alleged policy was carefully examined and when dissected was shown to have nothing in it. Mr. Whitney's policy in the House had been entirely that of obstruction. He had introduced no new and progressive legislation, but had obstructed such popular and helpful measures as the appointment of a Provincial Road Commissioner, a Superintendent of Neglected Children and various other desirable acts.

Mr. Gibson's eulogy of Hon. G. W. Ross, the premier, was unqualified and manifested the entire confidence in which he is held by his colleagues. In closing he spoke of the value of such a man as John R. Barber to the parliament, and spoke of him as one of the most useful members of the House, a man thoroughly original and independent in his ideas. He corroborated all the complimentary remarks of Mr. Mackinnon respecting Mr. Barber.

The meeting closed with cheers for the candidates, the Ross Government and the King.

LAST ELECTION FIGURES.

Returns in the Barber-Kerns Election in December, 1898.

In view of the approaching election, the official returns of the last vote at a Provincial election in this county, will be interesting. The figures were:

	KERNS.	BARBER.
Acton	160	164
Burlington	156	100
Georgetown	85	219
Oakville	175	160
Milton	140	188
	716	829
Majority for Barber (towns) 113.		
ESQUESING.		
No. 1 Sprnat'n School	68	80
No. 2 Norval	117	91
No. 3 Stewarttown	94	82
No. 4 Dublin	35	103
No. 5 Thompson's Cr.	78	74
No. 6 Glenwilliams	110	86
	499	525
Majority for Barber 26.		
NASSAGAWEYA.		
No. 1 Campbellville	103	107
No. 2 Brookville	101	111
No. 3 Knatchbull	47	124
	251	345
Majority for Barber 94.		
NELSON.		
No. 1 Freeman	62	50
No. 2 Nelson Village	80	61
No. 3 Cumminsville	65	78
No. 4 Lowville	68	55
No. 5 Bell's School	37	37
No. 6 Appleby	116	40
	428	321
Majority for Kerns 95.		
TRAFALGAR.		
No. 1 The Hoyne	97	80
No. 2 Drumquin	127	62
No. 3 Postville	77	101
No. 4 Munn's Cr.	97	77
No. 5 Palermo	68	61
No. 6 Bronte	58	127
	494	530
Majority for Barber 36.		
Majority for Barber (township) 51.		
Total majority for Barber		101
Total vote Barber		2510
Total vote Kerns		2288

The liar is sooner caught than the cripple.

WORDS OF HOPE.

TO ALL WHO SUFFER FROM A RUN DOWN SYSTEM.

Mrs. Harriet A. Farr, Fenwick, Ont. Tells How She Obtained a Cure After Suffering For Two Years.

Thousands throughout this country suffer seriously from general debility the result of impoverished blood and shattered nerves. To all such the story of Mrs. Harriet Farr, widow of the late Rev. Richard Farr, Fenwick, Ont., a lady well known throughout the Niagara district, will point the means of good health. Mrs. Farr says: "For a couple of years prior to 1900 I was a great sufferer from a run down system. My digestion was bad; I had little or no appetite, and was in a very poor state; I suffered from heart palpitation and a feeling of continual exhaustion. Doctors' treatment failed to benefit me and I gradually grew worse until I was unable to do the least work. I then began using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and from the very first I noted an improvement in my condition. The severity of my trouble gradually lessened and by the time I had taken eight boxes I was again enjoying the best of health despite my sixty years. I believe that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills saved my life and would strongly urge all sufferers to give them a trial, believing they will be of great benefit."

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ASHGROVE.

A number from here attended the funeral of Mr. W. McHugh, of Hornby, on Sunday last.

The people of this neighborhood are making preparations for the entertainment of the delegates and visitors to the Sunday School convention to be held here on May 21. An excellent programme has been prepared and a large attendance is looked for.

The district division Sons of Temperance of Halton County will be held in the Division Hall, Hornby, on Friday, June 13th. Sessions will be held at 11 a. m. and 2 p. m. for the transaction of important business. In the evening an open meeting will be held for which an excellent programme is being prepared by the home division in which members from Palermo and Sheridan Divisions will assist. It is expected that two officers of the Grand Division will attend the session and address the evening meeting.

A number of Conservatives from the Grove were present at a largely attended political meeting in the interests of Dr. Nixon at Hornby on Saturday evening last.

"Beef Ring No. 1" started for this season on Wednesday of last week. This is the fourth season for this ring and during the time has given entire satisfaction to all concerned.

Mr. R. Dick has improved the appearance of his house with a coat of paint.

NEWSPAPER MEN FOR PARLIAMENT.

Nine Liberals and Four Conservatives Nominated in Ontario Seats.

That the public confidence in newspaper men as politicians is evident from the fact that of the candidates nominated for the Provincial Legislature, thirteen are engaged in this line of business. In no instance are they opposing each other and all are running on straight party lines. Of the number eight have before been members of the House. The list is as follows:

J. A. Auld, Amherstburg Echo, Lib. S. Essex.

S. Charters, Brampton Conservator, Con., Peel.

H. Clark, Kincardine Review, Con., Centre Bruce.

J. P. Downey, Guelph Herald, Con., S. Wellington.

G. P. Graham, Brockville Recorder, Lib., Brockville.

Jas. Mitchell, Goderich Star, Con., W. Huron.

Andrew Pattullo, Woodstock Sentinel-Review, Lib., N. Oxford.

E. J. B. Pense, Kingston Whig, Lib., Kingston.

H. J. Pettypiece, Forest Free Press, Lib., E. Lambton.

T. H. Preston, Brantford Expositor, Lib., S. Brant.

S. Russell, Deseronto Tribune, Lib., E. Hastings.

C. N. Smith, Sault Ste Marie Express, Lib., N. Algoma.

J. R. Stratton, Peterborough Examiner, Lib., W. Peterborough.

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Dr. Nixon or his representative is invited to attend.

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SCOTT	2 lbs. best fresh evaporated Apricots	2 lbs. dried Peaches
SCOTT	2 packages Swiss Food	2 packages "Force"
SCOTT	2 packages Grape Nuts	3 cans of best fresh Corn
SCOTT	3 cans of best fresh Peas	3 cans of best fresh Tomatoes
SCOTT	3 cans best canned Apples	3 cans best pie Peaches
SCOTT	3 cans Pumpkins	3 cans Pork and Beans
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SCOTT	3 plugs McDonald Tobacco	4 plugs "Hobs" Tobacco.
SCOTT	3 cans Gillett's Lye	15 packages new Seeds.
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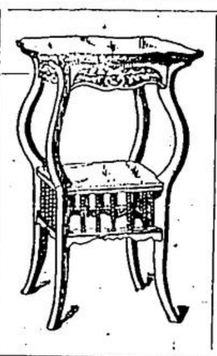

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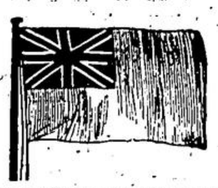

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OMAGH.....Saturday, 17th May
BURLINGTON.....Monday, 19th May
PALERMO.....Tuesday, 20th May
BRONTE..... Wednesday, 21st May
GLENWILLIAMS..Thursday, 22th May
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Court of Revision.
NOTICE is hereby given that the first meeting of the Court of Revision for the Village of Acton will be held in the Town Hall on
MONDAY, June 2nd, 1902.
at 8 p. m., to hear all complaints against the Assessment Roll for 1902.
All persons having business in the said Court are requested to attend at the same time and place.
T. T. MOORE, Clerk.
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