

## Bank of Hamilton

Georgetown Branch.

A General Banking Business transacted.

Correspondence Solicited.

### Savings Department.

Interest allowed on sums of ONE DOLLAR and upwards from day of deposit to day of withdrawal. No formalities and no delay in draw ing money.

### Farmers' Business.

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

### Our Collection Department.

Has every facility for making prompt claims.

### Sale Notes.

Handled and money advanced on account at same rates of interest.

### HEAD OFFICE HAMILTON.

Established 1872.

Capital Paid Up - \$2,000,000

Reserve Fund - 1,600,000

Total Assets - 20,000,000

JAMES TURNER, Cashier.

C. L. LAING, AGENT,

Georgetown Branch.

1903  
WALL PAPER  
CHANGE.

CHAS. L. NGELLES  
The Big Wall Paper Man,  
Guelph

Has appointed

A. T. BROWN.  
ACTON.

Agent for all his handsome  
Wall Papers.

Ber A. T. Brown for  
Samples and New Styles.

C HAS. L. NELOS,  
LEADS THE TRADE.

The Acton Free Press  
THURSDAY, MAY 21, 1903.

### BRIEF LOCAL ITEMS.

-Victoria Day—next Monday.—  
-Monday, 25th May, is gazetted a  
public holiday.

-A good many boys will go fishing  
on Victoria Day.

-There will be general visiting and  
receiving of visitors on Victoria Day.

-Esquiring Court of Review will be  
held at Stewartsont, next Tuesday,  
May 26th.

-Mr. William Erskine has purchased  
the drug business of A. Turner,  
Orangeville, and will shortly take  
possession.

-The little ten-months-old son of  
Mr. Wallace Lindy, Nassagawie, was  
buried in Fairview Cemetery on  
Sunday afternoon.

-Grand Chief Fraser, of Toronto,  
officially visited Tannahill Camp, S. O.  
R., last Friday evening.

-Mr. P. S. Kennedy sold a fine bull  
at Mr. Mr. Young's of Ospringe on  
Monday, the 18th Inst.

-Halton Farmers' Institute will  
hold their annual excursion to the  
Model Farm, Guelph, on the 20th June.

-Action Fire Brigade has arranged  
for an excursion to Niagara Falls on  
the 12th June. The fare will be \$1.25.

-A number of the men who went  
to Stratford to take work in the  
railway shops are already back  
again and at work in the tannery.

-Action led the township in the  
number of delegates who attended the  
Convention at Halton Hall, Friday,  
Our Sunday Schools had about fifty  
present.

-The visit of Rev. Dr. McNair, of  
Oakville, to Knox Church had Sunday  
was much enjoyed. His sermons  
were listened to with interest by both  
congregations.

-The vote on the by-law giving aid  
to establish a gasoline engine and  
foundry works at Hornby was almost  
unanimous in its favor, 157 for and 2  
against. Motion carried.

-The household effects of G. H.  
Kaufman, who recently removed here  
from Georgetown, will be sold by  
public auction on Saturday afternoon  
and evening. WILLIAM HENRICKSON,  
Auctioneer.

-Rev. A. Potter of Georgetown,  
occupied the pulpit of the Methodist  
Church on Sunday very acceptably.  
Mr. Potter is a vigorous speaker, and  
a logical reasoner, and his discourses  
were well received.

-His address in the Sunday School,  
though brief, was enjoyed by all.

-The annual meeting of Royal  
Women's Institute will be held at  
Milton on the 2nd June. Any ladies  
of Action who desire to attend will  
please have their names with Mrs.  
A. T. Brown on or before the 20th Inst.

A special meeting of the branch will  
be held in Hill's Hall on Saturday  
evening, May 20th, at eight o'clock. A  
full attendance is urged.

-Wanted—An apprentice to the  
drug business. H. G. HUNTER, Drug  
Gard.

-To Let—These two lots opposite  
Mr. Grindell's, S. S. A. Second.

-Everything new and picturesquely  
sug- gested at Marshall's Jewellery store.

-Now is the time to get your  
clothes, put in good running order.  
I guarantee satisfaction or money re-  
unded. J. T. Marshall, the Jeweler.

GRANIT, MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, GUITAR,  
STORY BOOKS, COUGH AND WOKE  
OFF THE GOLD.

Laxative Broom Quinine Tablets can  
cure acne if you can't pay for it.

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### NEWS OF LOCAL IMPORT.

Specified beauty.  
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fisherman of the season. On Wednesday  
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hands in Henderson's pond, a fine  
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a highly intelligent grasp of the  
immense business in which he holds  
so important a position.

### Will Make Worthy Citizens.

During the past week about thirty  
young Englishmen have arrived in  
town to take employment with Messrs.  
Boardman & Co., and the Action  
Tanning Co. They are intelligent,  
healthy and respectable young men  
who make worthy citizens of this good  
town and should be cordially welcomed.  
There seems to be a tendency on  
the part of some people to give them  
the cold shoulder, alleging that they  
are the cold shoulder, alleging that they  
will take the place of Canadians in the  
tanneries and should be regarded  
as incapable non-citizens. This belief  
is uncircumferent and should be deplored  
by all our residents. The tanneries are  
short of hands. The management is  
prepared to give employment  
to all able-bodied men who apply.  
Their lack of men caused the  
management to look to British arrivals  
for their help.

Mr. C. Cowen spent a day or so  
with friends in Lethbridge during the week.  
His grandfather Mr. Jas. Soper, an  
old man, has recently completed a  
course at Chatham Business College,  
Ontario, and is now engaged in  
teaching school.

### Curves Bick Headache.

Mr. Reid Gillies has invited his  
farm to Mr. Elwin Clegg, who will  
take possession this fall.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs.  
Wallace Lindy, Nassagawie, will be  
present at the funeral of their  
youngest son William Alexander  
Lindy, who died suddenly last  
Wednesday morning.

The Misses Lamb of Guelph, wife  
of Mr. W. Lamb on Friday last,  
Mrs. Nollan, a visiting friend in  
Milton.

### SPYEYDIE.

The Speydie Sunday School was re-  
opened on May 10th with the follow-  
ing staff of officers and teachers:

Associate Superintendent—G. L. Mc-  
Donald; Vice-President—T. A. Arthur;  
Secretaries—Miss M. Martin and  
Hugh Livingston.

Treasurer—Miss F. Moore and A.  
McDonald.

Orphanist—Miss J. Hampden.

Teachers—Miss E. Moore, J.  
Dough, Gertrude Hamphill, S.  
M. Leslie, Mrs. Leslie, and W. J.  
Lamb.

The outlook is very encouraging,  
the attendance the first Sabbath was  
27 and the contribution was liberal.

A number of the officers and teach-  
ers of the Speydie Sunday School  
attended the township convention at  
Burlinfield last Friday. Mr. McKechnie  
took part in the discussion.

### THOUSANDS OF NOTICES.

Recommend Baby's Own Tablets.  
I would not be without them." is a  
very familiar sentence in their letters  
to me. The Tablets get this praise  
simply because no other medicine has  
ever done so much in relieving and  
curing the minor ills of infants and  
young children.

Mr. Levi Perry, Roseway, N. S.,  
says: "I take great pleasure in  
recommending Baby's Own Tablets  
for colic and constipation. I have  
never found anything to equal them  
for these troubles." Besides curing  
colic, constipation, and indigestion,  
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break up colds, expel worms, etc., the  
teeth, sweeten the stomach and  
promote healthy sleep. Guaranteed  
to control neither opium nor  
other harsh drugs. Baby's Own  
Tablets are the best for all druggists  
may be had by writing the Dr. Williams' Medicine  
Co., Brookville, Ont.

### TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take 100 small cubes of Quinine Tablets,  
a tea-spoonful of glycerine, a dash of  
water and a few drops of oil of violets.

Owing to the builders' strike in  
Toronto the demand for lime is much  
lower than usual.

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### REV. MR. MALPHERSON ACCEPTS THE CALL TO TORONTO.

Will be Inducted into Pastorate of  
Chalmers' Church on June 7th.

### REV. A. BLAIR HAGAGAWAY, APPOINTED MODERATOR.

Rev. H. A. Macpherson has accepted  
the call to a wider sphere, and will say  
good-bye to Action in two weeks.

The following members of Knox  
Church, representing respectively the  
Board of Managers and the Congregation,  
were appointed to attend a meeting  
of Guelph Presbytery held in St.  
Andrew's Church, Guelph, at 10:30 a.m.,  
on Tuesday, in relation to the call  
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