

Bank of Hamilton

HEAD OFFICE
Hamilton 1072.
Capital Paid Up - \$2,000,000
Reserve Fund - \$1,700,000
Total Assets - \$2,050,000

Hon. William Gibbs, President.

JAMES THOMAS,
Vice President and General Manager.

Georgetown Branch

A General Banking Business transacted.

Correspondence Sought.

Savings Department.

Interest allowed on sum of ONE DOLLAR per month from day of deposit until withdrawal. No formalities and no delays in drawing money.

Farmers' Business

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

Our Collection Department

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Safe Notes

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The Action Free Press

THURSDAY, JULY 10, 1903.

BRIEF LOCAL ITEMS.

The wheat harvest will be on in a few days.

Saturday evening's showers were refreshing.

Report of promotion examination on first page.

An interesting letter from Rev. R. J. Edwards appears on first page.

The Voter List for 1903 for Acton was completed and posted last Friday.

Milton is getting a new G. T. B. station. Acton has had hopes in that direction.

Mrs. Frank McIntosh and Ed Ryders are placing a series of lectures with the Orillia team.

The farmers report that they never saw hay go in so better condition than the present crop.

The pavement company have contracted to commence laying new pavements here on the 1st August.

The ordinance of baptism was administered to two children in the Methodist Church last Sunday morning.

Mr. John McQueen of Guelph, was in town on Tuesday. He had been starting a new hayloader for Mr. F. Lindsey.

After an entire week of weather with the mercury in the nineties, the cool and pleasant temperature of Sunday was very grateful.

Knox Church Sunday School on excursion to Devil's Park next Tuesday is being seriously looked forward to by the members of the school.

The Royal Brahma Workshops are turning out large quantities of their excellent products. After may well encourage this industry.

The Dominion Exhibition at Toronto, Aug. 27 to Sept. 12, will really be on a colossal scale. The exhibits will run in value to many millions of dollars.

In Father Foeny's absence Father O'Leary, of Guelph, conducted the funeral service of the late Mrs. John Dunn at St. Joseph's Church and at the grave.

Mr. Geo. Nurse sold 7 head of export cattle, weighing over 1,000 pounds each, to Dr. W. Holmes of Acton, for the handsome sum of \$900 on Monday.

—Emin Advocate.

Rev. A. E. Smith, B.D., will preach a sermon next Sunday evening on "The Manly Sports." This will be especially interesting to the young men of the community.

County Crown Attorney writes to the local magistrates: "It is anticipated that by the united and determined efforts of the Justices and Comptrollers the 'tramp nuisance' may be quickly stamped out of this County. The Attorney General recommends that the full penalty be imposed in these cases."

Everything new and picturesque will be found at Marshall's Jewellery store.

Household furniture for sale, bed-room suites and carpets. T. E. M. Karsner, Beaver Ave.

—21 lbs. Rape seed for 40¢ at Thorpe's Seed Store, Guelph.

Now is the time to get your time pieces, put in good running order, I guarantee satisfaction or money refunded. A. T. Marshall, the Jeweller.

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NEWS OF LOCAL IMPORT.

Improvements at the Tannery. Mr. N. F. Fife, contractor, has finished the best for the new 100 h.p. engine for the Acton Tanning Co. The new engine has arrived and is now being put into position. A new beach house 30x112 will shortly be erected between the present beach house and the bark sheds. The new houses will be equipped with new patent automatic devices for emptying them of spent bark.

Services by Rev. E. C. Harper, B. A. E. C. Harper, B. A., of Knox Church, last Sabbath was greeted by two large congregations. His sermons were marked by earnestness and sound Biblical exhortation. Rev. Mr. Blair, Moderator of Session, conducted the weekly prayer meeting service on Tuesday evening.

Has Taught for 46 Years in Halton. Mr. George H. Husband, principal of the Oakville Public School, has handed in his resignation to the Board of Education, but as the Board has not held a meeting since, the matter has not been decided. Mr. Husband has taught school for upwards of 40 years in Halton County; 28 of which have been spent in Oakville. It is Mr. Husband's intention to retire from the profession and take a well-earned rest—Oakville New Era.

Methodist Sunday School Picnic.

Arrangements have been made for the Methodist Sunday School picnic to be held in Warren's grove on Thursday, Aug. 10th. Strong committees have been appointed to make arrangements calculated to afford a very enjoyable afternoon to the scholars, teachers and parents. The School will assemble at the schoolroom at one o'clock and will march in procession with flags and banners, probably headed by Acton Cornell Band, to the picnic grounds.

Death Anniversary in Guelph. At the request of the Royal City Clerks' and Salmon's Asn., the merchants of Guelph have agreed to close their stores every Thursday afternoon at 12:30 during July and August, and all persons visiting Guelph as well as those living in the city, are requested to do all shopping before that hour on those days. This half holiday has been secured at considerable expense and hard work on the part of the Asn., and the holiday was obtained only on the Asn.'s promising to do all in its power to advertise the same and help the merchants keep their agreement. We want you to do your part.

W. H. Storay & Son, Ltd.

The 10th anniversary of the incorporation of this important industry, under the new organization, was held in the office of the company yesterday. The following directors were elected for the year: W. A. Storay, W. J. Chapman, D. D. Christie, John Firthbrook, H. P. Moore and A. E. Niclark. At a subsequent meeting of the directors, the officers of the company were elected as follows:

W. A. Storay, President; W. J. Chapman, Vice-President; W. Stark, Secretary-Treasurer. Many matters of detail relative to operation of the business were discussed. It was also decided to engage the services of a chartered accountant to make a quarterly audit of the books and accounts of the business.

Death of Luther Lyman.

For many years Luther Lyman was a familiar figure on Action streets.

Some ten years ago the death of his wife, he removed to Toronto, and has resided with his daughter, Mrs. J. C. Walker, at 102 Gould St. For several years his health has been failing and he peacefully passed away on Sunday morning. The remains were brought to Acton on Tuesday afternoon and laid to rest at the side of his life partner in Fairview Cemetery, Rev. A. E. Smith officiating. Friends from distance who attended were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Walker and daughter, Toronto, Mr. William Lyman, Santa Fe, Geo. A. Ramsden, Georgetown. Mr. Lyman had visited Acton on the 21st July, 1902. He was eighty years of age.

The Second Golf Tee.

After the successfully ending on the golf links, the members of Acton Golf Club, and their friends were invited to the pretty home of Mr. H. B. Holmes, Beaver Ave., last Thursday evening, and spent a social hour together. The affair was perfect in all its appointments and the cordial hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Holmes and family thoroughly enjoyed. The tables were spread on the lawn and the table decorations of ropes of marigolds and fairy candles lent a daintiness and charm to the refection spread. Chinese lanterns also cast their pretty glow over the premises.

The programme of music, song and story was also one of genuine merit. The weather of the evening was the denotation of the stamp. The denominations will be the same as at present, with the addition probably of a four-cent stamp.

The North West's Marvellous Growth.

The rapid growth of the Canadian Northwest is a current topic throughout the Dominion. News of expansion comes week after week from many districts. A letter received by

Mr. H. W. Storay, President of the North West's Marvellous Growth, from Mr. H. S. McPherson, G. T. B. in British Columbia, states that it is recognized as the most active amongst the pastoral sections in the West. Twenty new members were initiated last quarter. On Thursday evening D. G. G. McLeod, assisted by Brothers Smith and Roper of Milton and by local Past Grand, installed the officers for the current term as follows:

J. P. G. W. Williams.

N. G. H. Bamford.

V. G. F. McIntosh.

R. S. R. V. McIntosh.

F. S. S. Oram.

Treas.-J. L. Williams.

Chap.-Rev. D. Dick.

W. Thos. Husk.

C. Lawrence Williams.

O. G. Wm. Hall.

L. G. Chas. McLean.

R. S. N. G. Chas. Gamble.

R. S. V. G. Robt. McPherson.

R. S. V. G. W. Somerville.

R. S. S. Roy McIntosh.

T. S. S. Jas. K. Smith.

Acton James McLean and F. Melchior.

At the conclusion of the business the D. G. G. congratulated the Lodge upon its progress and present activity. The brethren, then adjourned to Miss Miller's ice cream parlor, where a very enjoyable luncheon was served and the members of the three lodges made merry for an hour or so.

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Don't Write on Newspapers.

The practice of writing on news papers and packages to be sent through the mails has become so common that the post office department is sending out inspectors in an effort to put a stop to it. Post-masters have been instructed to open all packages not sealed and if there is any writing to report the same to the department. The law provides a fine as high as fifty dollars for this offence.

Missions Unpublished.

Courtesy Attorney Mathewson went to Guelph yesterday to take charge of the property of Mr. George H. Husband, who preached in Knox Church last Sabbath was greeted by two large congregations. His sermons were marked by earnestness and sound Biblical exhortation. Rev. Mr. Blair, Moderator of Session, conducted the service. The law provides a fine as high as fifty dollars for this offence.

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