MARRIED.

ARNOLD-MAUDSON—On Thanksgiving Day, Oct' 15th, 1903, at the rectory, 10 Trinity Square' Toronto, by Rev. John Pearson, M. A., B. T. Arnold to Maiville B. Maudson, both of Georgetown.

DIED.

McDOWELL—At Limehouse, on Thursday, October 15th, 1903, Samuel McDowell, aged 56 years.

GRAHAM—In Esquesing, on Friday, October 16th 1903, Albert Graham, aged 34 years.

LINDSAY—In Esquesing, on Wednesday, October 14th, 1903, Marjory Christina, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Lindsay, aged 9 months.

NELSON—In Esquesing, on Wednesday, October 14th, 1903, Abraham Nelson, aged 90 years.

NICKLIN—In Nassagaweya, on Monday, 26th October, 1903, Margaret Lasby, widow of the late Benjamin W. Nicklin, in her 65th year.

DROPP—At Brampton, on Saturday, 24th Oct., 1903, Jemima M. Todd, wife of Sheriff Brodsly, in her 65th year.

WILLIAMS—At Dundalk, on Thursday, 22nd Oct., 1903, Mary A. Keenan, widow of the late John Williams, Nassagaweya, in her 80th year.

The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1903.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The production of coal in the colonies of Great Britain in 1901 is stated to have been: Canada, 5,500,000 tons; Australia, 6,581,000 tons; New Zealand, 1,228,000 tons.

Judge Hughes of Elgin County, Judge William Elliot of Middlesex, Judge O'Brien of Prescott and Russel, Judge Deacon of Renfrew, and Judge Woods of Kent County will be retired under the new act limiting the age.

Mr. James Reddan, British Chief of the Foreign Office, and an expert in the Venezuelan arbitration, declares that after a most careful study of the discussion on the Alaska boundary he is of the opinion that Canada should not give way on the question nor accept the compromise decision.

A Toronto despatch says: "We don't object to working eleven hours daily for six days, but we have serious objections to laboring three to eleven hours every Sunday." Thus said an official of the local branch of the International Bartenders' Union on Monday. "It is not a question of higher wages, as we consider the bartenders in Toronto are well paid, but a request for rest on the Lord's Day," remarked the speaker. If the proprietors refuse to grant their request the members say they will submit their argument to the rank and file of organized labor, and temperance workers. They say they are bound to receive the support of the latter body.

Canadians resent Lord Alverstone's lofty refusal to recognize the formal and specific charge made by his two British colleagues, the Canadian Commissioners. Sir Louis Jetto and Mr. A. B. Aylesworth are "impartial jurists of repute" in a sense in which such words do not apply to the United States politicians who served with them on the Alaska Commission. They are also gentlemen of distinct ability and of unimpeachable integrity of character. Their charge, deliberately made, is that Lord Alverstone broke faith, and, in disregard of his judgment that the Canadian contention as to the islands in Portland Canal "was absolutely unanswerable," signed an award not based on judicial grounds. Canadians cannot do otherwise, at this moment, than accept the solemn statement of the Canadian commissioners, especially as the British commissioner refuses to dispute or deny it.—Globe.

PARLIAMENT PROROGUED ON SATURDAY.

The Longest Session of the House of Commons in Canada's History is Ended.

OTTAWA, Oct. 24—Parliament prorogued to-day with the customary ceremonies. The speech from the throne dwelt upon the important and epoch-making legislation passed during the session.

GEORGETOWN.

Mr. John R. Barber, M. P. P., who was taken suddenly ill last week has entirely recovered.

Rev. S. E. Marshall, B. D., of Guelph, preached eloquent anniversary sermons in the Methodist Church on Sunday.

Mr. John Gibson has retired from the firm of Gibson & Miller, merchants.

Rev. T. G. Wallace, M. A., of St. George's Church, is going to St. Jude's Church, Oakville, not to Toronto, as previously reported.

The next horse fair will be held on Friday, 13th November.

At the monthly meeting of the Ministerial Association on Monday Rev. D. Dick, of Acton, gave a carefully prepared paper on "Church Union." An interesting discussion followed.

Anniversary services at Ashgrove Church will be held on Sunday, November 1st. Rev. W. H. Spence, Toronto, will be the preacher.

CREWSONS CORNERS.

Mr. Sunderland Taylor, of Acton, occupied the pulpit here on Sunday. The quarterly service of the Rockwood circuit will be held in Siloam next Sunday, consequently there will be no service here.

Mr. Robert Gibbons' auction sale on Friday last passed off very successfully. Mr. and Mrs. Gibbons will shortly move to Acton. They have been good citizens and will be greatly missed in this community.

Mr. John Crowson, Sr., who has been undergoing treatment for a cancer of the ear, has about recovered and all traces of the cancerous affection are gone.

Mr. Geo. Cann, of Monticello, East Luther, is visiting friends here and at Rockwood. Mr. Cann's many friends are pleased to see him.

Mrs. Brown, of Missouri, is visiting friends in her old home at present.

Miss Rosa Haw, of Buffalo, spent a day or so last week at Mr. Jas. Gamble's.

The many friends of Mrs. B. W. Nicklin will hear with deep regret of her death, which occurred on Monday night at the home of her brother, Mr. O. Lasby, of Nassagaweya, after but a few weeks' illness. Her funeral takes place on Thursday afternoon from Mr. Lasby's home to Fairview Cemetery, Acton.

AN ELOQUENT, HELPFUL ADDRESS

Was That of Rev. W. W. Weeks, of Toronto, at the Annual Meeting of the Bible Society.

"HOLD FAST AND HOLD FORTH THE BIBLE."

The fifty-second annual meeting of Acton Branch of the Upper Canada Bible Society was held in the Disciple's Church on Monday evening. At eight o'clock Mr. W. A. Worden, the President, took the chair, and associated with him on the platform were Revs. D. Dick, A. E. Smith, B. D., J. G. Brown, B. A., J. C. Wilson, B. A., and W. W. Weeks, of Toronto, the speaker of the evening.

After the reading of the scriptures and prayer, the Secretary-Treasurer, Mr. A. T. Brown, presented the annual report. $20.35 was raised during the year and forwarded to the general treasurer. The officers of the past year were re-elected.

The address of Rev. Mr. Weeks was not an orthodox Bible Society address, but it was a powerful appeal to hold fast and hold forth the word of God, and pointed out in a succession of eloquent and convincing and inspiring thoughts, the relation of the child of God to the Holy Scriptures. The Book and the Blood; the gospel and the atonement were the themes which ran through the address. Christians were exhorted, 1, to hold fast the Word of God in the grip of an absolutely unyielding faith; 2, to hold it fast in a reverent study of it, and 3, to hold it fast in a loyal obedience. Then to hold it forth, 1, to bring men back to the old place of conviction of sin, 2, justification by the blood of Christ in a simple salvation.

Some of the masterly thoughts of the address were these:

No child of God has any right to enter into any destructive criticism of the Bible.

Jesus Christ declared it to be the word of God and it will be fulfilled.

Either Jesus Christ found no errors in the law and the prophets, or else He considered them too trivial to be mentioned.

It is not great thinkers the Church needs to-day, but great believers.

The word of God is a revelation not a discovery.

Dowie, that monstrous fake, and Mrs. Eddy, with her abominable fads, catch pious people, not because of their piety, but because they do not know the Bible.

In the simpler truths you find the key to the profoundest things of the scriptures.

The best translation is the translation into a human life, because that is the Bible the people of the world study. The convincing power is in the Bible lived.

Gambling with the devil are those doing who wait for salvation until they reach the next world.

What the vowels are to the alphabet, so is the blood of Christ to the Gospel.

It is not less of culture that is wanted, but more of consecration to the one aim of holding fast and holding forth the Word of God.

At the close of the address a very cordial vote of thanks to Mr. Weeks was moved by Rev. A. E. Smith, B. D., and seconded by H. P. Moore, and warmly supported by Rev. J. C. Wilson, B. A., Rev. D. Dick, and Rev. J. G. Brown, B. A.

BY-ELECTIONS BROKE EVEN.

Smith, Liberal, Elected for Sault Ste. Marie, and Mahaffy, Conservative, for Muskoka.

The by-elections which were held on Tuesday in Sault Ste. Marie and Muskoka did not lessen nor increase the Government majority. In the former riding, C. N. Smith, editor of the Express, defeated Mr. Miscampbell, who was unseated last spring, by a majority of 129. In Muskoka, Dr. Hunt, the Government candidate, was defeated by Mr. A. A. Mahaffy, by a majority of 178.

GREATEST THING IN MAPS

While the whole country has been calling for a new up-to-date map of Canada and all the Provinces, showing projected Transcontinental Railways together with Alaskan boundary and the lines claimed by both countries, it has been left to the publishers of that great national newspaper, the Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal, to give the world what it has been looking for. These maps, it will surprise the country to hear, are printed on fine paper beautifully engraved, every boundary actually traced, being at once the finest map of Canada yet produced. It is timely and of inestimable value. We understand no copies will be sold under $2.50 each, but each yearly subscriber of the Family Herald and Weekly Star will receive the great map together with the autumn premium pictures. New subscribers and renewals will get the map as soon as they are out of the engravers' hands, but every one will be served exactly in the order in which they subscribe or renew. The Government of Canada will have the use of a set of these Family Herald Maps.

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The new subscriber for 1904 will receive all the issues of The Companion for the remaining weeks of 1903 free from the time of subscription; also The Companion Calendar for 1904, litographed in twelve colors and gold.

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A MOTHER IN ISRAEL GONE.

Death of Mrs. John Williams, Mother of ex-Reeve Williams, at Dundalk.

Peacefully indeed there fell asleep last Thursday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. Z. Nixon, Dundalk, at the ripe old age of eighty eight years, Mary A. Keenan, widow of the late John Williams, Nassagaweya, and mother of ex-Reeve John Williams, Acton. The remains were brought to Acton the same evening accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Nixon, Mrs. W. J. Morrow, Miss Lizzie Williams and Mr. Carole. Interment was made on Saturday afternoon at Ebenezer Cemetery, Nassagaweya, after an impressive memorial service conducted in the Church where for many years the deceased had enjoyed sweet fellowship with the earlier settlers in the Methodist community of Nassagaweya. The service was conducted by Rev. A. E. Smith, B. D., Acton, assisted by Rev. E. L. Flagg, B. D., pastor of the Church. Messrs. Thomas Easton, John Hubland, Thos. T. Moore, H. P. Moore, Duncan Taylor and Arch. McPherson bore the remains to the tomb.

Mrs. Williams was born at Lisbon, Ireland, on the 10th June, 1816, and came to Canada with her father, the late Dennis Keenen, who was then a British soldier. Securing his discharge he came to Halton, and settled on the farm at present occupied by Mr. Gilbert Cremmore, and here Mrs. Williams was married to her late husband in her twenty-third year. The newly-wedded pair then bought what was a bush farm, lot 28, Con. 4, near Knatchbull, now owned by Mr. James Wood. Here they settled and lived happily together until the 15th January, 1869, when Mr. Williams died very suddenly from heart trouble, induced by rheumatism contracted in performing the heavy work of a pioneer in clearing his land. Five sons and seven daughters were born to this couple of Halton pioneers—of whom the following five sons and five daughters survive Mrs. Geo. Solar, of Wawanosh, William, at Waters, Mich., John at Acton, Mrs. F. Z. Nixon and Mrs. W. J. Morrow, of Dundalk; Richard of Gladstone, Man., Joseph of Jackson, Mich., Lizzie and Mrs. E. Tawse of Guelph, and Joshua, on the Pacific Coast.

After the death of her husband Mrs. Williams lived for seven years at Rockwood, was for a couple of years with her son, John, and the last seventeen with her daughter, Mrs. Nixon, Dundalk.

She was a woman of wonderful mental and physical powers, and retained her faculties almost up to her death. Her needlework and knitting were admired everywhere. She was also a splendid penman and her children will always prize the letters she wrote them. While in Nassagaweya she was a friend to everybody in her circle of acquaintance, and a friend indeed in time of trouble. She was a Christian of the most uncompromising character, and her life gave manifestation of this in all her experiences.

The following testimony is paid to her life and character by Rev. Mr. Wellwood, of Dundalk, her pastor at the time of her bidding adieu to the friends and scenes of earth.

"I can testify that I have never known a more beautiful Christian character. She has been fading away very gradually for some months, but, like the autumn leaves, she faded into greater beauty and splendor. She faded into sweeter beauty of spirit and splendor of experience. It was a benediction to enter her room, and observe her patient, cheery and trustful spirit. Her faith was continually triumphant and she seemed to be living in Heaven's border land. Her knowledge of the Scriptures was marvelous. Sometimes when I started to read a passage of Scripture she would recite it through correctly. She revelled in our Methodist hymns, often trying to sing them. When she could not sing them she would recite them. She selected the text and hymns for her funeral several weeks ago."

She was a good woman. Her children rise up and call her blessed.

ESQUESING TOWNSHIP COUNCIL.

List of Accounts Passed.—Next Meeting on Monday, 23rd November.

At the meeting of the Township Council last week the following accounts were passed: Alex. Joe, for grading hill, lot 10, Town Line, $10.00, Nassagaweya paying a like sum; also Robertson Bros. for 22 yds. gravel supplied to John A. Black, pathmaster, on Town Line, $1.10, Nassagaweya paying a like sum; also George Douglas for 38 yds. gravel supplied to Henry Sayers, pathmaster, on side road 15 and 16, $3.80; also for 1 day with two men and team grading hill on lot 18, 2nd Line, $4.00; A. Dobbie, for grading on side road 22 and 23, $2.50, also planking bridge on same, $2; James Brown, for gravelling on lot 13, Town Line, $3.50, Chinguacousy paying a like sum; Thomas Weir, repairs to road machine, 2 rods and 4 heavy washers, for bridge and new doubletree for machine, $11.50; J. A. Tracy, telephone, 10 cts., ink, 35 cts.; James Martin, for furnishing cedar and repairing bridge on cross-road between lots 15 and 16, Con. 1, $4.75; P. Sayers & Son, 384 feet of 3 in. elm, 10 feet long, $4.60, cedar post, $1.00, supplied to James Stark, pathmaster; The Halton Conservator, printing, $10.00; Robert F. Reid, for repairing road, lots 15 and 16, Con. 9, $8.25; John N. McPherson, for building new culvert, $8.00; Lawson Bros., plank for Credit bridge, $6.60, spikes and repairing race bridge, 35 cts.; John A. Appelbe, for repairing bridge, lot 13, 9th Line, $30.58; Hugh Cunningham, for building culvert, lot 10 and 11, Con. 10, $10.50; spikes 90 cts., ditching and putting in tile culvert on cemetery hill, Norval, $12.00, tile 90 cts., lumber, 15 cts.; J. Bingham, for building stone culvert, lot 13, 10th Con., $35.00.

Council then adjourned to meet on Monday, 23rd November.

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500 PLANTS OPEN THIS WEEK.

Four Mills are to Resume Operations at once.

SAULT STE MARIE, Ont., Oct. 26.—J. S. Fackenthall, who was left in charge of the Consolidated Companies' industries taken over by Speyer & Co., announces that during the week operations will be commenced in the ground wood pulp mill, veneer mill and charcoal plant. These industries will employ in the neighborhood of 400 men, exclusive of those getting out raw material.

ROCKWOOD.

A very interesting lecture on the Lord's Day Alliance and its work was given on Monday at the annual meeting of the local alliance by Rev. Mr. Horne, of Elora. There was a good attendance of members and others interested in the work. As far as returns have been made about $28 has been collected for Alliance funds.

A branch of the Merchants Bank of Canada has been opened above Grieve's grocery under the management of Mr. A. H. Devitt, of the Acton branch. The bank will be opened three days a week (Monday, Wednesday and Friday) for the usual banking hours, and it will be a great convenience to business men generally.

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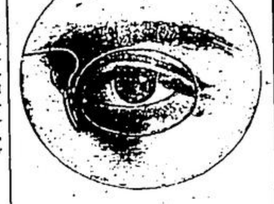

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CARD OF THANKS.

THE undersigned desires, in behalf of herself and friends, to extend her most sincere thanks to the neighbors and citizens generally for the very practical sympathy manifested during her recent sudden and heavy bereavement. The kind words and helpful deeds of so many were all fully appreciated.

MRS. W. MORRISH.

Acton, Oct. 26th, 1903.

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NOTICE.

TAKE notice that application has this day been made to me by Clancy and Hopkins, of the Village of Acton, for leave to transfer their tavern license to Albert Inglehart, and that the application will be considered on or about the

29th Day of October next.

THOMAS A. REYNOLDS,
Acton, Oct. 6th, 1903. License Inspector

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IN THE DISTRICT OF NIPISSING—the Townships of Hutton, Croskman, Parkin, Aylmer, Maclaean, McCarthy, Merrick, Mulock (part of), French (part of), Stewart, Lockhart (part of), Garrow (part of), Osborne (part of), Hammell and Phelps (part of).

IN THE DISTRICT OF ALGOMA—Berths Nos. 193 and all the townships of Kitchener and Roberts, and block "W" near Dumping Lake.

IN THE RAINY RIVER DISTRICT—Berths G12, G21, G22, G23 and G26, and the following Berths with the rights to cut and remove the pine, spruce, tamarac, cedar and poplar: G1, G6, G17, G18, G24, G25, G35, G37, G38, G39, G55, G56, G57, G58, G40, G41, G42, G43, Berths Nos. 61, 62, 63 and 64, will be offered for sale by Public Auction at the Parliament Buildings, in the City of Toronto, on WEDNESDAY, the NINTH day of DECEMBER, 1903, at the hour of ONE o'clock in the afternoon.

Sheets containing terms and conditions of Sale and information as to Areas and Lots and Concessions comprised in each Berth will be furnished on application, either personal or by letter, to the Department of Crown Lands, Toronto, or the Crown Timber Agencies at Ottawa, Sault Ste. Marie, Port Arthur, Mat Portage and Fort Frances.

E. J. DAVIS,
Commissioner Crown Lands.

DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Toronto, July 25th, 1903.

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