BORN.

MARSHALL—At Everton, on Monday, Feb. 18th, to Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Marshall, Postmaster, a son.

HOVER—In Acton, on Monday, 24th February, to Mr. and Richard N. Hover, a son.

MONTGOMERY—At Almonte, on Saturday, 9th February, to Mr. and Mrs. G. Douglas Montgomery, a daughter.

KENNEDY—In Acton, on Wednesday, 27th February, to Mr. and Mrs. John H. Kennedy, a daughter.

DIED.

KENNEDY—In Turnberry, Huron Co., on Saturday, 16th February, Robert Kennedy, brother of the late Malcolm Kennedy, Acton, aged 65 years.

CAYE—At the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. S. Rice, Willow St., Acton, on Sunday, 24th February, Sarah Young widow of the late William Cain, Chinguacousy, aged 86 years, 4 months.

GREENING—At 142 St. George St., Toronto, on Tuesday, Feb. 19th, Jennie Sharp, wife of Thomas B. Greening, and daughter of William Sharp, formerly of Acton, aged 49 years.

GREEN—At Beardmore Crescent, Acton, on Friday, 22nd February, Mrs. Elizabeth Green, aged 72 years.

WATSON—In Nassagaweya, on Saturday, 23rd February, Jessie May, daughter of Wm. Watson, aged 6 months and 4 days.

MILLER—At her late residence, Maplehurst, Oakville, on Thursday, Feb. 21st, Matilda Dorchester Rimmer, beloved wife of George Miller, Esq., in the 82nd year of her age.

CHAVER—In Brantford, on Saturday, 23rd February, Alex. Graves, late of Georgetown, aged 79 years.

The Acton Free Press

THE PEOPLE'S PRESS.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28th, 1907

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The new Sunday Law passed at last session of the Dominion Parliament, comes into force next Sunday. The United States Sunday papers can not be sold legally in this country, nor will the so-called Sunday World be procurable from news vendors on the Sunday trains. All unnecessary Sunday work is prohibited under severe penalties.

Mr. D. C. Ross, Liberal, was elected by 140 majority in the West Middlesex bye-election for the Provincial House on Wednesday of last week. His opponent was Geo. Stewart. Hon. G. W. Ross, father of the newly-elected member, sat for that constituency for over 30 years, and it was thrown open upon his elevation to the Senate.

The railway statistics blue book for the year ending June 30, 1906, was brought down last week. The development of Canadian railways is demonstrated by the increase of over 800 miles in mileage. In 1905 there were 20,487; in 1906, 21,353. There were 2,931 locomotives built, 1,280 first class cars, 716 second-class, 61,029 cable and box cars, and no less than 61 official cars last year.

Canadian export trade to Japan is steadily growing. During the ten years from 1895 to 1905 exports from this country to Japan grew from $8,000 to over half a million and last year the movement showed great further growth. Until Canada was represented by a practical and business-like exhibition of products at the Osaka Exhibition of 1903, Canadian products were but little known in Japan.

About a year ago Toronto Saturday Night passed into new hands, the old company selling out to a new one, of which Mr. H. Gagnier is the head, and Mr. E. E. Sheppard being succeeded in the editorship by Mr. Joseph T. Clark. As stated by one of our exchanges, the new management has made good, and Saturday Night is in a class by itself in Canada. Any of our readers can get a free sample copy by sending a postal card to the publishers, 26 Adelaide Street West, Toronto.

It is announced that the total immigration coming into Canada during 1906 was 215,015, an increase of over 50 per cent. on the total immigration of 1905, when 144,018 people came in. The rate of increase of 1905 over 1904 was 40 per cent. It is already known that the number of immigrants that intend leaving the British Isles for this country during the coming season is larger than ever before at this time of the year, and it may be expected that the number coming from other countries will show equal growth.

AGAINST THREE-FIFTHS CLAUSE.

Premier Whitney Says the Unfair Clause will not be Changed This Year.

BIGGEST DELEGATION OF THE YEAR.

One of the largest and most representative conventions of residents of the province opposed to the bar rooms of the country, was held last week in Toronto, under the auspices of the Dominion Alliance.

The delegation went en masse to interview the Government to request the repeal of the three-fifths clause in local option contests.

The report of the deputation was delivered verbally by Mr. Joseph Gibson, of Ingersoll, at the afternoon session. He said that the alliance was well received by the representatives of the Government, and that the members might hope for good results. Although it was not at all likely that the three-fifths clause would be repealed this session, there was hope that it would be twelve months hence.

The Legislation Committee brought in a series of resolutions, which were adopted as follows:

1. In favor of abolishing the bar, the treating system, and drinking in clubs.
2. That municipal councils should be obliged to submit to the ratepayers on a 25 per cent. petition, a by-law for the reduction of licenses.
3. That the three-fifths clause is contrary to common justice, and should be repealed.
4. To prohibit the sale of ale and beer by breweries in local option districts.
5. That no license should be granted in or for a house or place of public entertainment.
6. The prohibition of the manufacture and sale of cigarets.

The workers of the province evidently mean business for they contributed $2300.00 during the convention for the publication of literature and other necessary expenses.

Mr. G. F. Marter was re-elected President, and Mr. B. A. Spense succeeds his brother, Mr. F. S. Spence, as Secretary.

—If in any doubt as to the perfect condition of your eyes, consult Miss J. J. Allan on Wednesday, March 6th, at the residence of Mr. T. Perryman, Jr., the Royal Corner.

TERRIBLE WRECK NEAR GUELPH

Three Killed and Forty Injured who Were Passengers on the 2.25 Train Tuesday Afternoon.

MRS. JOHN WALTERS AND MRS. D. MCGREGOR, ACTON, AMONG THE INJURED.

About 2.50 on Tuesday afternoon the G. T. R. express, which calls at Acton at 2.25, was wrecked near Trainor's Cut, two miles east of Guelph, with heart-rending results. Three persons were killed and forty more or less seriously injured.

THE DEAD.

John O'Donoghue, ex-Mayor Stratford.

Charles Rankin, Stratford.

Four-year-old child of H. C. Walker, Peterboro', brother of G. E. Walker, Guelph, ticket agent, G.T.R.

SOMEWHAT INJURED.

Mrs. John Walters, Acton, spine injured.

Mrs. John Doran, Toronto, mother, condition precarious—recovery doubtful.

Thomas Scott, Listowel, three ribs broken, injured internally; not expected to live.

James Ryan, Guelph, left foot badly crushed; amputated in hospital.

Archibald Price, Toronto, hand hurt and ribs broken.

Wm. Anderson, Toronto, G. T. R. car inspector, four ribs broken and forehead hurt.

Adam Klippert, Toronto, right arm broken.

R. L. Cross, Toronto, ribs fractured, cut on head.

Miss Starr, Toronto, car painfully torn.

Richard Polley, Toronto, head injured.

Rev. R. E. Knowles, Presbyterian minister, Galt, shoulder dislocated.

Amongst those who received minor injuries were the following:

Mrs. Donald McGregor, Acton, cut about head and shoulders; not serious.

Miss Gertie Walters, Acton, arm badly bruised.

M. P. Barry, Rockwood, bruised and badly shaken up.

J. R. Anderson, Acton, shoulder bruised.

Mrs. James Lackey, Acton, badly bruised.

Miss Laura Ryder, Acton, face bruised.

Mr. Donald McGregor and the two children were also on the train, but escaped without any injury further than a bad shaking up. Mr. Lackey drove to Guelph for Mrs. Lackey Tuesday evening. The other Acton people returned home yesterday, with the exception of Mrs. Walters and Miss Walters, who are in the hospital. The recital of their experiences in the wreck is harrowing.

Mr. A. C. Chapman, Toronto, was on the train. He returned to his father's home here by the train which came down about nine o'clock. He was badly shaken up and miraculously escaped serious injury.

The train was thrown off the track by a broken rail, and a baggage car, a combination car, two coaches and the parlor car left the track and went down the fifty-foot embankment. Only the engine and tender remained on the track. The cars slid down the embankment and then rolled over before reaching the bottom. In the impact when the cars stopped the seats were wrenched from their places, the cars considerably wrecked, the passengers thrown forcibly forward and the wreckage piled on top of them. The three passenger coaches were strung out in line, not uncoupled, and near by was the combination car turned in such a position as to form the letter L. The baggage car rolled down the bank some distance further on. It was found that the rail broke on the south side of the track, and almost immediately afterward a fish plate at the north rail gave way. The passengers were all thrown promiscuously about in the cars when they landed at the bottom of the decline, and few came out uninjured. There must have been some marvellous escapes, as the mixup and confusion in the wrecked cars was terrible.

The three persons killed were ex-Mayor O'Donoghue, Stratford, who was shot across the car when it was making the rapid descent down the embankment, and landed on his head on the clothes rack above the windows. His neck appeared to have been broken. He was killed instantly. Charles Rankin, also of Stratford, was also instantly killed. A sad feature of his death is the fact that he had been married only a little over a fortnight. The third was a four-year-old child, daughter of H. C. Walker, of Peterboro.

Mr. John O'Donoghue who was ex-Mayor, of Stratford, was a native of Acton, having been born here about 54 years ago. No person was ever more loyal to his birthplace, and no opportunity of visiting Acton and his boyhood's haunts was ever allowed to pass. He was a frequent visitor and generally favored the FREE PRESS with a call. He was always proud of Acton's progress and in conversation with the writer a few weeks ago on the train made helpful suggestions whereby the town will be advantaged if they are adopted. Mr. O'Donoghue was a nephew of Mr. Geo. Mulholland and Mrs. Martin Flynn.

A relief train from Guelph arrived at the scene of the wreck with a corps of doctors, within half an hour, and the dead and injured were removed to the city and given every care and attention.

An investigation into the cause of the wreck will be held.

Col. Wm. Allan Very Low.

For several weeks Col. Allan has been lying very low at his home at Fairview Place. At times it was thought his end was near, but he has rallied and his vigorous constitution has enabled him to recover from each successive attack of weakness. The Colonel is in his ninety-third year.

Entertained Knox Church Choir.

A delightful evening was spent last Wednesday by the members of Knox Church choir at the home of the leader, Mr. A. T. Mann. After the usual weekly choir practise an hour or so was spent in pleasant social intercourse, vocal and instrumental music, etc. Refreshments were served during the evening and Mr. and Mrs. Mann proved themselves most hospitable entertainers.

INVOICES MUST BE PRESENTED.

All Supplies To be Moved Only Upon Definite Order of Committee Chairmen.

INVENTORY OF ELECTRIC SUPPLIES TO BE FURNISHED.

The Council of 1907 is making a stand at the outset of the year's business for the conduct of the corporation affairs upon straightforward business principles. At the meeting on Monday evening it was declared that all invoices of goods supplied for all the departments should be in the hands of the clerk, and not in the custody of the Chairmen of Committees; that a complete inventory of all electric supplies on hand must be furnished at once; and that the ordering of coal for the power house be decided by the Council. Ratepayers will appreciate the manifest effort of the Councillors to keep all matters well in hand, and to have full information respecting Council business accessible to all members, and presented for reference.

Council met in regular session at eight o'clock. Members all present, Reeve in the chair.

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

John Denny, wood	$18 00
Garlock Packing Co., packing	1 25
Acton FREE PRESS, printing and adv.	27 10
Brooks Oil Co., oil	22 00
Hamilton Engine Packing Co., packing	4 00
Can. General Electric Co., supplies	10 08
McClary Mfg. Co., stove	13 75
T. E. Price, Postage, meals, etc.	1 30
H. Grindell, repairs	25 00
Can. Oil Co., oil	21 00
	$158 17

The report was adopted.

A letter from W. H. Bullard, electrician, was read in which he stated that he would collect the electric revenues, in addition to his other duties, if his salary is increased to $700 per annum. The present salary is $650.

Dr. Gray.—Have all the metres been paid for yet?

The Reeve.—No, I understand the late Municipal Officer had not presented the accounts before his year expired.

Coun. Speight.—What did these metres cost? May we have the invoices?

The Reeve.—The invoices for the metres have all been here.

Coun. Speight.—If they have been here I suppose the Clerk will have them on fyle and we may see them to learn the cost of each metre.

The Reeve—We have a contract that will tell the cost of each.

Coun. Speight.—I think we are entitled to examine the invoices and learn from them what was paid for each metre.

Dr. Gray.—Has the electrician furnished the inventory of supplies and report of plant asked for at last meeting?

The Reeve.—I have not received it.

Dr. Gray.—Evidently then no attention has been paid to the matter. There is no doubt the electrician was aware of our request.

The Reeve.—He was present at the meeting when the motion was passed and should know.

Dr. Gray.—Has he simply ignored our request then? I can't see why a reasonable request should not be obeyed by a servant of the corporation.

The Reeve—Perhaps he is waiting for the Clerk to notify him of the Council's action.

The Clerk.—I had no instructions to notify him, but will promptly do so if you advise me.

Moved by Dr. Gray, seconded by C. C. Speight, that the electrician be required to furnish the Council with an inventory of the power house supplies and furnish a report as to the condition of power plant and circuits, the Clerk being hereby instructed to notify the electrician that this information must be in the Clerk's hands by February 27th, 1907.—Carried.

Dr. Gray.—I understand that the owners of metres object to pay the cost of government inspection of new metres.

The Reeve.—Why should there be any objection?

Dr. Gray.—Well, we are supplying current the same as private corporations, and I think that should reasonably be considered a fair charge against the plant. It's only a matter of 75c each, I believe. This should not be charged to consumers, and if any have paid for original inspection I am in favor of refunding the same.

Coun. Speight.—Now, Mr. Reeve, I would like to have this metre business, which seems to have been hanging over for some months, settled up. I would like to know where the invoices are.

The Reeve.—The Clerk must have them all.

Coun. Speight.—The Clerk says he never received them. In my business I keep my invoices on fyle for years and do not depend upon the simple monthly statements. I think the business of this corporation should be transacted on business principles, and all invoices should be placed where they may be referred to.

Dr. Gray suggested in this connection that the chairman of each committee should have a pad of order blanks and that all supplies be secured by a definite order from the chairman of the respective committees. It should also be required that these orders accompany all bills presented for payment. This would be a business method and would avoid all confusion when bills are presented.

Councillors Bell, Williams, and Speight acquiesced in this and the following resolution was passed.

Moved by C. C. Speight, seconded by W. Williams, that 200 copies of an order form to be used by each chairman who requires supplies of any kind, be printed and padded and used hereafter for all local orders.—Carried.

The matter of coal was then introduced and it was asked how the supply in hand was.

The Reeve.—I have just ordered two cars.

Dr. Gray.—I have not heard of the matter being referred to the Council or the Committee.

The Reeve. — My experience has given me a knowledge of coal and I have ordered what I thought was best for us.

Dr. Gray.—You may know all about it, but we want to learn the details of these matters. Why not have the quotations of the dealers here for us to examine and have the Council decide where, when, and at what price to place the orders for coal required. It was stated repeatedly here last year that we were paying more for our coal than the same brand and quality was being delivered for elsewhere in town. I do not want to have that complaint laid against us this year.

The Reeve.—Then I refuse to place any further orders for coal, though I can buy it cheaper than any one else in town.

The by-laws appointing an Assessor and a Municipal Officer were introduced and passed, Messrs. John T. Brown and David Tarawell receiving the appointments.

The matter of the usual by-law for tavern licenses was introduced when the Clerk informed the Council that the Liquor Licence Law of 1906 had fixed the license fee for incorporated villages having a population of 2000 or less at $250. Last year the fee was $130 and the government fee.

It was almost eleven o'clock when the Council adjourned.

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BANNOCKBURN.

Following is the report of Bannockburn School for February:

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Third class.—Rita Cole 81, Tena Henderson 78, Joe Watson 70, Helen Warren 62, Nora Denny 60, Marion Lawson 60, Susie Sprowl 59, Griffin Sprowl 18, Annie Scott 27.

Second class.—Harvey Rath 84, Vina Dobbie 82, Willie Moffat 78, Donald Mann 70, Victor Harding 61, Martin Moffat 62, Edith Rath 55.

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GREENOCK LITERARY SOCIETY.

Thursday evening, 14th inst., the gentlemen of the Greenock Literary Society held their special meeting. The young men were desirous of excelling the ladies in their evening's entertainment and consequently they furnished a very interesting programme. The chair was occupied by Mr. Henry Leslie. The meeting was opened with the chairman's address followed by the singing of "The Maple Leaf Forever" by the audience. The solos by Messrs. R. Near and W. Orman and the selections by the male quartette were all sung with great acceptance and received hearty applause. The Orchestra did their usual good service and contributed much to the evening's entertainment. A recitation was given by Master A. F. Allan. Mr. Geo. Barnes gave several selections from his gramophone which added variety to the programme. Addresses were given by Messrs. Joel W. Leslie, Ed. A. Mann, H. C. Currie and Geo. Pearen.

The subject of debate was, "Resolved that free trade is a better policy for Canada than protection." The speakers on the affirmative were Messrs. R. Near, W. McKeown and H. C. Currie, and on the negative Messrs. Chas. Currie, J. Allan and W. Near. The contestants entered into their subject with much enthusiasm and the discussion showed that thorough preparation had been made. Decision was given in favor of the affirmative. The judges were Messrs. G. Pearen, E. A. Mann and J. H. Leslie. The meeting closed by singing "God Save the King."

On Friday evening last the Everton Literary Society, to the number of upwards of thirty, paid a visit to the Greenock Society, the occasion being a debating contest between representatives of the two societies. There was a large attendance, the commodious school-room being filled to the doors. President Currie, of the Greenock Society, occupied the chair and opened the meeting with an address of welcome to the Everton Society. A good programme was rendered.

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Department of Justice.
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The debate—"Resolved that the Ontario Government was justified in adding the clause to the Ontario School Act containing the regulation of teachers' salaries in rural districts," was keen and interesting. The affirmative was supported by Messrs. W. Currie, H. Leslie and E. J. Pearen, of the Greenock Society, and the negative by Messrs. I. Jackson, Campbell, and Rev. Hearn, of the Everton society. The merits and weaknesses of the Act were well discussed and jokes passed freely. A salutary effect of the debate must necessarily be a more intelligent appreciation of the Act by those present. The judges were Mr. McWilliam from Everton Society Miss McDonald from Greenock Society and Mr. W. Graham of S. S. No. 8, Eramosa. Decision was given in favor of the affirmative. While the judges were concluding their decision the programme was resumed. The critic's report was by Dr. Hore. The doctor's humorous remarks and anecdotes were much enjoyed.

Mr. Alva Stafford, late of Kansas, gave a very encouraging speech.

The meeting closed with the national anthem followed by a brief prayer by Rev. Mr. Hearn. Thursday night, 7th March, will be open night.