

The Acton Free Press.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

Hilton's Good Roads scheme will require the expenditure of about \$200,000, extended over ten years or more. The Government approves of the plan of roads designated and will contribute one-third the cost, each year.

The Acton Free Press has been thirty-two years of age and is enjoying perfect health. No wonder the editor being talk of as a prospective member of parliament—Georgetown, Her said. That's! The suggestion as to whether parliament is, however, extremely visionary.

Returns to the Trade and Commerce department at Ottawa show the total number of cars of Western grain inspected for the last month ending June 30th to be 70,194 as compared with 61,024 for this same period last year. Of this quantity 50,572 cars were wheat, 2,892 oats, 1,862 barley and 872 hay.

C.P.R. reports from nearly all sections of the West speak very encouragingly of crop conditions. In some sections there is a reported need of rain but generally there has been a fair average of warm showers and the grain is shooting up rapidly. Here and there it is reported to be twenty inches high. In such places it is felt that all four of a poor crop is passed.

KINDLY PRAISE WILL TO VAUTHFUL FELLOW WORKERS.

The Baptist Congregation say Good-bye to Mrs. John Warren Jr., Miss Warren and Ex-Councillor Warren.

A social gathering was held in the Baptist Church on Monday evening last for the purpose of saying farewell to Mrs. John Warren Sr., Miss Warren, and Mr. J. M. Warren, who are moving to Toronto this week. The system in which they are held by the congregation, in which for so many years they have been among the most active members, and the deep regret at their departure was strongly evidenced throughout the evening.

The meeting opened with a short programme music and recitations. The rendering of "The Dais Song" by six young ladies dressed in white and with daisies was especially可爱。

The pastor, Rev. H. C. Prior, then called Mrs. Warren and Miss Warren and Mr. John M. Warren to the platform. Bouquets of flowers were gracefully presented to the ladies by little Hilda Tucker. The following address was read by Mr. L. Warden and was accompanied with the presentation to Mrs. Warren of a beautiful fern-jardine, and to Miss Warren of a crescent-shaped brooch studded with diamonds.

DEAR MOTHER.—It is with feelings of profound regret that we, the members of the Baptist Congregation, in Acton, have learned of your intended departure from our midst. We cannot allow this occasion to pass without expressing to you the very high esteem in which we hold you, and our warm appreciation of the long, constant, and invaluable service that you have rendered to the church.

Among the homes of the congregation no home has been marked for the past quarter of a century by a freer or more enjoyable hospitality than has the Warren home. Its abounding kindness has given many a glow to the heart of every pastor, and brought cheer to not a few Christian workers. It is only the acknowledgment of a general recognized fact to say that in the long history of an Acton church no family has ever had stronger, more helpful influence, in furthering the interest and work of the congregation than has the Warren family.

In saying farewell to you, Mrs. and Miss Warren, we recognize the loss we are sustaining by your removal. Your constant cheerfulness of spirit has been contagious. Your earnest, consistent lives have been an inspiration. Your unwavering loyalty to the church its principles and its services, both in its times of depression and in its times of prosperity, have often stimulated many of us to longer effort. To enumerate the various spheres of church life in which you have served would be unnecessary, for there are few if any departments of the church to the success of which you have not contributed. We could simply mention the services of Miss Warren in the Mission Circle, the Young People's Society, the Sunday School and the church choir.

We assure you of the warmest love of all. As a slight token of that love we ask, Mrs. Warren, to accept this fern-jardine, and you, Miss Warren this pearl corsage.

That many bright, happy, and useful years may yet be granted to each of you, that the benediction of the Master may rest upon you, and that through you that same benediction may rest upon many others, is the sincere and heartfelt prayer of every member of the congregation.

On behalf of the congregation,

H. G. Palmer, pastor.
Jas. McLean.

In a few heartfelt words Miss Warren replied, thanking the friends and assuring them of the continued interest of her mother and herself in the work of the church they both so deeply love.

Miss Graham then, on behalf of the choir, of which Mr. Warren has for many years been a faithful and most valued member, read a complimentary address.

Mr. Warren replied in a humorous vein, assuring the audience that no place could be found over so like Acton. Short addresses were then given by the pastor, Moses McIntosh, Chapman, and Warden, after which the ladies of the church passed refreshments and some time was spent in social intercourse. The singing of "Blest is he that blinds" fittingly brought the gathering to a close.

In the removal of Mrs. Warren the community has one of its oldest and most highly esteemed families. All our citizens will heartily join with the Baptist Congregation in expressing their deep regret and sincere best wishes for every blessing and the longest and easiest attend them in their new home.

500 FEET OF NEW FIRE HOSE

Ordered for the Fire Brigade from the Canadian Rubber Co. of Montreal.

PAVEMENT IN COOK'S SURVEY.

Council met in regular session on Monday evening. Members present.

The first business was as usual the passage of the bi-weekly report of the committee on Finance. It was as follows:

A. C. Martin, supplier.....	\$18.00
T. P. Martin, work on streets.....	22.00
Canadian Oil Co., oil.....	31.00
John Harvey, express and cartage.....	0.92
J. Cornwell, supplies.....	48
C. W. Kelly, tuning piano.....	2.00
J. McIntosh, constable.....	1.00
R. Wilson, do.....	1.00
B. M. McDonald, do.....	1.00

\$87.10

The report was adopted.

The first petition for payment with the bounds of Cook's Survey was presented by A. Chok, F. Turner, O. Boston and A. Gipps. It asked for payment on the north side of Church-street from Main street westward.

Municipal Clerk Moore certified that the petition was sufficiently signed.

Moved by T. Gray, seconded by A. Bell, that the petition of A. Cook and others be granted.—Carried.

The request of Nordmeyer & Co. for the privilege of taking water from the pond covered by the Corporation water privileges was considered.

Moved by T. Gray, seconded by A. Bell, that the Council in behalf of the petition presented by Nordmeyer & Co. and the Acton Tanning Co., grant, as far as known:

W. T. Hamilton, of firm of Hamilton and Long.

Frank Smith, manager of the Brewster Company, and formerly of Canadian Express Company.

John Mullin, Hill street.

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Willis Tamlin, aged 11, son of Dr. C. S. Tamlin, 51 Oxford Street.

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APPALING DISASTER IN LONDON

Two Buildings Collapsed, Carrying the Innates Down with the Falling Walls.

GOLD IN IT AS WELL AS OIL.

The Crewson Canners Oil Well Project Lands New Hope to the Company.

A VEIN OF GOLD IS STRUCK.

Crewson Canners is in a quiver of excitement now over a new feature developed in connection with the well being drilled for oil by the Crewson Canners Oil and Gas Co. The company retain full confidence that they will find oil, but they have come upon another mineral which they believe is gold, with indications that it is plentifully deposited at a depth of about 150 feet.

The Free Press correspondent, writing yesterday morning, gives particulars as follows:

The work at the oil well is progressing favorably. By night they will go down 250 feet and the indications are good for oil. The drill has just passed through 50 feet of soap stone and is now in the second fine stone.

At a depth of 150 feet, a string of five feet with a valve of 2½ inches running through it was discovered. This was sent in the hands of an expert analyst and it is found to be a very heavy metal, the eyes of the mineral world will be turned, and on the oil fields, but the gold fields, of Crewson Canners.

It is definitely known that at least eight persons were killed, whilst at least eight are still buried in the ruins, and even if they are still living, it will be several hours before they can be rescued.

The following is the list of dead so far as known:

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GEORGETOWN.

Of the fifty-one candidates who presented themselves at the entrance examination in Georgetown, the following were successful. The names are given in alphabetical order:

George Cleave, borrows; Marvin Kennedy, honours; Martha Jernyn, honours; Marvel Foster; Webster Fraser; Shatto Buck; Cyril Barber; Jean Mountain; Isabel Leslie; Oliva Kennedy; Bertha Neville; Goo Cooke; Willis Ross; Hatch Cook; Frank Bates; Eddie Owens; Margaret Cole; Emma Price; Robert Starrett; Jeannine Lawson; Gordon Mullin; Norman Thompson; Osborne Calligan; Will Owens; Kathleen Jernyn; Clinton Robson; Raymond Graham; Hazel Lyons; Edith Scott; Gladys Graham; Alex Mountain; Myrtle Leslie; Fred Sharp; Kenneth Bracken; Cameron Wiggins.

LOCAL NEWS.

The Glorious Twelfth.

The members of Acton Lodge I.O.O.F. turned out sixty strong last Friday morning and headed by Acton Citizens Band, took the morning train for Georgetown to participate in the demonstration there. They that acquitted themselves with credit and impressed the judges with their fine appearance, numbers and marching is evidenced by the fact that they were successful in winning the silver cup in the competition. Acton congratulates the boys of the mines and works under the U.C.C. This is a wonderful place under excellent management. President Turner is a man of great ability, sterling qualities and "White" right through. I would like to send you a lengthy account of this place sometime.

A. L. Purvin.

THE BIG CLEIGHTON MINE.

Mr. Duran.

Dear Sir.—I notice your last issue of the "Prairie Press," mentioned of the "Cleighton" as the largest nickel mine in the world. You will know it belongs to the Canadian Copper Co., whose headquarters are at Copper Cliff. I am sending you a folder to give you an idea of the mines and works under the U.C.C. This is a wonderful place for many and grievous ills.

It is rumored that a farmer living in the vicinity of Aberfoyle is alleged to have forged the name of Mr. Wm. Jarvis, of near Corwbin, and also of another farmer in that neighborhood, to notes amounting in value to about \$250. Mr. Jarvis is a well-to-do and respected farmer, and consequently his notes, or at least those that were supposed to be his, were quite promptly received by four banks in Guelph.

THE RURAL TELEPHONE.

Huron County is waking up to advantages of the rural telephone. There are now nine rural lines six miles south of Huron and twelve miles north.

A number of farmers have telephones in their houses, and the subscribers are multiplying rapidly. In some cases these lines are owned by the farmers themselves, who pay \$5 per year for connection with the Bell Company's switch-board in the town. One man has secured telephone rights in three townships, and his scheme will obtain in a sound, undiluted state a remedy for many and grievous ills.

It is argued by the rural subscribers aids more sociability to farm life, since neighbors may converse with one another without travelling the width of a number of farms. This lack of social intercourse has been blamed for a good deal of the discontent with agricultural life, and the telephone will not be without its results in this regard.—Globe.

SUMMER ALIMENTS.

Can Bee Banished by Dr. William's Pink Pills for Pale People?

In summer your blood gets thin and tired, worn out, dull, your nerves are irritable, your whole system is out of gear. There is just one medicine can banish this summer feeling. Just one medicine that will give you strength and vim to endure the fag of even the hottest days—Dr. William's Pink Pills. They help thousand. Perhaps you have already told them they help helped them. They're the medicine that puts pure, rich red blood that everyone longs for—good health—they never fail to do that. Mrs. L. A. Carrasco, the popular stewardess of the Jacques Cartier Club, Montreal, Que., says: "For two years I was a constant sufferer from general debility. The least work fatigued me and sometimes I could not work at all. I could not raise my hand above my head without feeling pain in all my muscles. I was very weak and sometimes became so dizzy that I would fall unless I could lean against something for support." While in this condition he was advised to try Dr. William's Pink Pills. I did so and by the time I had taken ten pills I was in perfect health and now able to look after all my duties without the least fatigue. When I began taking the pills I was a great sufferer—today I feel as if I never was ill—thanks to Dr. William's Pink Pills."

Dr. William's Pink Pills strike right at the root of anaemia, debility, rheumatism, indigestion, the secret ill of women and growing girls, etc., when they make new blood—they do just that one thing, but they do it well—good blood always brings good health.

With all medicine doctors by mouth at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.00 from the Dr. William's Medicine Co., Brantville, Ont.

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