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**The Acton Free Press. THURSDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1907**

**BRIEF LOCAL ITEMS.**

—Get ready to write 1908.

—Christmas's greatest pleasure is in giving.

—Stable fare on the railways for Christmas.

—Knox Sunday School entertainment on New Year's night.

—Nomination of Reeves and Connors next Monday at noon.

—Christmas here. Christmas trees, Christmas cards on the breeze.

—Good morning! Have you renewed your Fuzx Puzx subscription?

—The Fuzx Puzx wishes you the heartiest kind of a Merry Christmas.

—Homecomings and Christmas parties will be numerous this week.

—How easy it is for a man to think of the right excuse at the wrong time.

—Messrs. M. P. Barry & Co. are still shipping large quantities of turkeys here.

—Timely and impressive Christmas sermons were preached in the various churches last Sunday.

—Pretty little crowd at the concert last Friday evening. Too many functions for the holidays approaching.

—Send the Fuzx Puzx to your friends as a Christmas present. They will prize it for fifty-two weeks of 1908.

—Schools here closed for Christmas vacation on Friday last. Re-opening takes place on Monday, 31st January.

—Milton laid 33,570 feet of cement walks this year at a cost of \$4,700.02—thirteen and one-ninth cents per foot.

—There is an stormy weather.

—That has not been the case here.

—We haven't seen a skater since the cold wave hit.

—Mr. John McFurphy has been engaged as Principal of Normal Public School, and commences his duties the first of January.

—Last—At Churchville on Wednesday evening last, a plain gold ring. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at the Fuzx Puzx office.

—As next year is Leap Year, eligible young bachelors should be very careful of their behavior under the mislabeled of this Christmas.

—The Royal Scots Concert Christmas night will be well worthy of patronage. The Methodist Sunday School Orchestra invite your presence.

—The Sunday school entertainment of St. Alban's in the town hall last Thursday evening was an enjoyable affair. The scholars were especially delighted.

—When Santa comes on 'scouts down through the hole that's in the chimney flue an' hops out here, I bet he'll bring whole lots of toys an' goodies that little girls like best. Don't you?

—The services preparatory to communion will be held in Knox Church on Thursday evening next, and the sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed on Sunday morning.

—The family of J. Dandeno, shoe dealer, had a narrow escape Saturday night, when their home was damaged by fire caused by the upsetting of a lamp. The three children were carried out in their night clothing.

—It is stated that fourteen of the young lady operatives of the Canada Glove Works have been married since May last. Messrs. Storey & Son, will surely have no difficulty in getting plenty of female employees in the future.

—Give of thy love, nor wait to know the worth. Of what thou lovest; and ask no returning. And whosoever thy pathway leads on earth, There thou shalt find the lamp of love-light burning.

—Milton Bible Society raised \$35.00 this year. The officers elected at the meeting last week were: President—R. Gosses. Vice President—B. Dice. Secretary—J. B. Deacon. Treasurer—James Hollings. Executive Committee—Dr. Robertson, J. A. Fraser, G. S. Bower, W. I. Dick and the resident ministers.

**500,000 BUSHELS AT OGDERSHIRE.**

Record shipment of Oats at this Port this season.

Godolph, Dec. 29th.—The season just closed has seen all records for grain receipts at this port broken. At the Godolph Elevator and Transit Company's elevator 5,000,000 bushels were received, a total of 4,411,575 bushels, of which 2,288,300 bushels were wheat. The Western Canada Flour Mills received about 3,000,000 bushels of wheat, making the total receipts for the season 12,000,000 bushels. The elevator has commenced shipping over the new Guelph and Godolph line.

**NEWS OF LOCAL IMPORT.**

**The Dufferin Post Sold.**

The Dufferin Post has been purchased by Mr. Edward James Barragh, for ten years a foreman of the mechanical department, but latterly with the Copeland Chatterton Company at Brampton.

**The Public School Examinations.**

The examinations in the public school on Friday were attended by an unusual number of parents and friends of the scholars. The efforts of the teachers and their pupils were very manifestly appreciated. The various rooms were decorated with Christmas favors. The attendance of those interested in the education of the rising generation of the community made a salutary effect.

**A Mammoth Saw Log.**

One of the largest saw logs seen in Acton for many a day, was landed on the G.T.P. tracks for E. S. Dickson on Saturday. It is an old measure, 110 feet in diameter at the butt, 14 twelve feet long, and contains 1,400 feet, lumber measure. The tree's trunk logs measuring 7,000 feet. It shows 123 growth rings indicating its age at that number of years. The tree was perfectly sound. It will be sent to a saw mill at Guelph to be cut into barrel hoops.

**Boy Killed While Coasting.**

A sad accident occurred at Kingston on Saturday. At 4 o'clock train going north approached the crossing. Kenneth Hughes, aged seven, with two little girls, were crossing the track, the last pulling a small sledge. The wind blowing in a direction which prevented the children hearing the on-coming train. The girls, however, got well across before the train arrived. The boy was over, too, but the engine caught his sled, which he took to, and he was drawn under the wheels and mangled into an unrecognizable shape.

**An Equivocal Wedding.**

On Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 18th, at 5 o'clock, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. J. M. Milne, Mr. Homer E. Dixon, of Acton, and Mrs. A. Dixon, of Kingston, and Miss Laura E. Earl, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Earl, were united in marriage by the Rev. C. T. Bennett, R.A., in the presence of the immediate relatives. The happy couple left on the evening O.P.R. train for Toronto, Hamilton and other points. On their return from their wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Dixon will reside at the groom's home in Kingston.

**Another Free Press Given in Business.**

A few weeks ago the Winnipeg Saturday Post was launched, with very rosy prospects of gratifying success. The company responsible for its advent, the Winnipeg Free Press, are Knox Magee, President; Wm. S. Kennedy, Secretary-Treasurer; and W. J. Sanderson, Advertising Manager. It will be remembered that Mr. Kennedy served his time with the Fuzx Puzx a number of years ago. He is a son of Paul Kennedy, formerly removed to Dryden. Mr. Kennedy is a practical newspaper man and has great faith in the future of the Saturday Post. The Fuzx Puzx wishes its erstwhile employer and his associates abundant success.

**Happy Wedding at Wingham.**

A pretty wedding took place at Wingham at the home of Mrs. Thony Nichol on Wednesday, 18th inst., when Miss Julia Linklater, who has resided in Acton the past three years, was joined in holy wedlock to Mr. Neil McNabb, youngest son of Arch. McNabb, Esq., River Avenue. The ceremony was performed by Rev. P. Pery, Presbyterian minister. The bride was given away by her brother-in-law, Mr. T. Nichol. She presented a charming appearance in her traveling suit of blue Venetian cloth with hat to match. Many pretty wedding gifts were tendered them. The happy pair took a honeymoon tour to Toronto and eastern points. They have returned to Acton and will reside for the present at No. 22, Bower Ave.

**An Opposite View of Milton.**

Mr. Eastman, of Toronto, visited Milton last week, and called on Mayor Anderson. He is a manufacturer, and submitted the following proposition: If the citizens here will subscribe \$25,000, the firm will erect a factory here and employ 300 hands, for the manufacture of hatchets, augers, jack knives, table knives, butter knives, can openers, a new kind of razor strap, screwdrivers, etc., none of these articles being manufactured at present in Canada. The firm have discovered a new process for making steel from iron, which places them at a great advantage in the manufacture of the articles above enumerated. The firm are at present located at Weston, and the business is capitalized at \$120,000. No bonus is asked for, but, as above stated, all that is asked is that the town subscribe for \$25,000 worth of stock.—Reformer.

**Another Teacher Has Resigned.**

With the close of the schools for Christmas holidays Miss Norton, teacher of languages and moderns in the High School Department, handed in her resignation. Miss Norton has a very fine record as a result of her eight or nine years' experience as a teacher. Owing to the death of her father, who resided at Glen Williams, during the year, she resigned the principalship of the school at Metcalfe near Ottawa, to come home and be with her widowed mother. At Metcalfe she had full charge of the continuation classes, and the fact that two of her pupils graduated with honors speaks very highly of her ability as a teacher. Last week Inspector Cowley, who has the supervision of the continuation classes of the province, telegraphed Miss Norton offering her a position at Carp, similar to the one she occupied here, at a salary of \$250, but she felt she could not leave her mother to accept it. Mr. Cowley was well acquainted with Miss Norton's ability as a teacher, having been County Inspector over schools in which she had taught for six or seven years. Her sister, Miss Ida Norton, is principal at Carp at a salary of \$300. Before coming to Acton Miss Norton was offered a position in the school at Kenora, at a salary of \$300. For this position it is to be regretted she did not remain here until the close of the school year at least.

**Will Sell Out Stock, Etc.**

Mr. G. A. Black has arranged for a clearing auction sale of stock and implements, on his farm, lot 26, county of Nassauwagony, on Thursday, 30th January. The stock includes twenty horses. Terms: nine months at six per cent. interest. Sale at one o'clock. James McDonald, auctioneer.

**Hookay Club Re-organized.**

An enthusiastic meeting in the Acton House reading room last Thursday night the Acton Hookay Club was re-organized for the coming season. The following officers were elected: Hon. President—D. B. Mann; President—A. O. Henderson; Vice-President—W. A. Storey; Captain—E. Hydar; Sec. Treas.—N. H. Gordon; Managing Committee—C. O. Henderson, J. Luckey, N. Patterson.

**Married in New York.**

A quiet wedding took place at the Hotel Parkway, New York, on Wednesday, Dec. 11, 1907, when Miss Mamie E. Fowley, eldest daughter of Rev. E. Fowley, of Elm, Ont., was married to Mr. John A. Morton, only son of the late Mr. Andrew Morton and Mrs. Morton, of Leicestershire, England. The ceremony was conducted by the Rev. Wm. H. Richards, D.D. Mr. and Mrs. Morton sailed immediately after the marriage by the Lusitania for their home in England.

**Sudden Death of Duncan Taylor.**

Death came very suddenly to Duncan Taylor, in his room at the Dominion Hotel Monday morning. He had got up and was just finishing dressing himself when he dropped dead, heart trouble being the cause. He had not been in good health for several months, and quit work at the Acton Tanning Co.'s works in the early fall. His physician visited him on Sunday, but his demise was not anticipated so summarily. Duncan Taylor was born in Nassauwagony about seventy years ago. For many years he has been an esteemed resident of Acton. He was of a very quiet disposition and was unmarried. He was a member of Knox Church and a charter member of Travoise Camp, Sons of Scotland. The friends here are awaiting news from relatives in Manitoba before announcing the time for the funeral.

**Getting Christmas Supplies Cheap.**

R.A., a farmer's wife, from Milton, was using particularly ingenious tactics in her shopping operations when caught by Detective Navton on Saturday in Eaton's store. She carried a piece of black cloth and her stockings, two pairs of stockings, two handkerchiefs and several other smaller articles. It was when she was taking the second plum pudding that she was caught.—Globe.

**THE CHRISTMAS VISITORS**

Many Happy Home-Comers and Numerous Visitors Out of Town.

Miss Myrtle Matthews, from Caledon East.

Miss Eva Smith is home from Lowville.

Miss Gertrude Smith, has returned to Toronto.

Miss Maggie Bennett is home from Kettleby.

Miss Florence Holmes is home from Rollway.

Miss Myrtle Watson, from Stayner High School.

Mr. and Mrs. William McNabb are at Greenore.

Miss Jennie Smith is home from Toronto for the holidays.

Mr. Ed. J. Moore is home, from Toronto for Christmas.

Mr. J. N. Taylor is spending the holidays at Whitby.

Mr. Jackson Brown, from Victoria, Unattached, Toronto.

Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Barker and Muriel are at Canoling.

Miss Annie Hudson is holidaying at her home at Rufford.

Miss Willie McCreight is spending Christmas in Toronto.

Miss Babena Clark is home from Jarvis for the holidays.

Miss Eva Pearson is home from Guelph for the holidays.

Mr. D. Turnbull, of Guelph, spent a day or so on his way to town.

Miss Katie McDonald, of Brucefield, visited Acton friends last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gurnsey, of Wingham, are here for Christmas.

Mrs. C. W. Whitlock, of Guelph, on Saturday to visit her son there.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Akles are spending a month with friends at Berlin.

Mr. J. W. Faulkner has removed his family to their new home at Brampton.

Miss Daisy Nicklin is home, from Burlington, and Miss Elsie from Toronto.

Miss Gladys Black, of Guelph, is spending the holidays at her father's home.

Miss Charles Parvia, of Toronto, is spending the holidays with Acton friends.

Mrs. Hannah left Acton last week to visit her daughter, Mrs. Hamilton, at Alliston.

Mr. Arthur E. Moore has arrived home from Edmonton, Alta., for the holidays.

Mr. John Stephenson was taken seriously ill last Friday. He is slowly recovering.

Miss Myrtle McCreight is spending the Christmas holidays with Kincaid friends.

Mrs. Moreland, of Galt, was the guest during the week of her cousin, Mrs. (Dr.) Hays.

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield, of Toronto, are guests of Mr. G. A. Black, at Wyandotte Farm.

Mr. Wm. Neave, who has been attending Christmas Business College, is home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Henderson, M.P., returned from Ottawa on Friday for the Christmas recess.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Statham and children, of Stratford, are holidaying at the old home.

Mr. A. M. Smith left on Monday to spend the holidays with friends in Chicago, Ill., and Toledo, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Brown, of Wingham, arrived on Monday to spend the holidays with Acton friends.

Mrs. Elizabeth Thimble left last Friday for Ingosol where she will spend the winter with her son, Mr. R. N. Thimble.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Erick and daughters arrived yesterday to spend Christmas with relatives at Crowsons Corners.

Mrs. Weaver arrived from Warton last week and will spend the winter at the home of Dr. Reeves Williams, her son-in-law.

Mr. Robert McPherson and Miss Blanche Dille were quietly married at the Queen St. Methodist Parsonage, Toronto, on Tuesday last week.

The Fuzx Puzx joins in many friends in extending congratulations to Mr. John J. O'Connor, of Chicago, who is now in town last week renewing acquaintances in his boyhood's home.

Mr. O'Connor's father and the family lived in a house where the Dominion Hotel now stands fifty years ago.

Mr. J. J. O'Connor is one of the most trusted engineers on the Chicago & Northwestern R.R. and has been in the service of that company continuously for thirty-eight years.

—We direct the attention of our readers to the advertisement of the popular Elliot Business College, Toronto. The opening of the winter term occurs on Jan. 6th, when a large number of new students will be enrolled. This school is under very able management, and has a constantly increasing patronage and is training hundreds of students each year for business positions. The college has an excellent reputation for first-class work.

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Ladies' Gloves at 25c to \$1.25 per pair.

Furs, Truffs, Collars, Muffs and Goggles at \$1.50 to \$12.00.

Shawls, Vestments, Golf Jackets.

Ladies' Silks, \$5.50 to \$6.00.

Ladies' Waterproofs, \$5.00 to \$12.00.

Wool and Silk Waistings, put up in fancy boxes, just the thing for Xmas gifts at \$1.00 to \$5.00.

Waist or Dress Lengths. Select what you wish, and we will provide free of charge fancy boxes for same.

Towels, Rugs, Mats, Comforters, Table Linens and Napkins.

Ladies' Handkerchiefs at 30c, 50c, 100c, 200c, 250c and 500c each.

MEN'S NECKWEAR.

Men's and Boys' Ties at 25c each.

Men's Ties and Silk Handkerchiefs at 50c to 75c each.

Men's Soft Dress Shirts, positively fast colors and best fitting shirte on the market, at \$1.00 each.

Boy's Soft Dress Shirts, fast colors and best fitting, at 50c each.

Men's and Boys' Scarfs, 50c to \$1.50 each.

Men's and Boys' Gloves at 25c to \$1.50 pair.

**Groceries**

New Raisins and Currants, best quality, 3 lbs. for 25c.

New Dates, best quality, at 75c a lb.

New Dates, Pigs, Prunes, Nuts, Canned Goods.

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