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Drew—At Georgetown, on Monday, April 19th, to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Drew, a daughter.
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DIED.
Died—At 121 North Main Street, on Monday, April 19th, at 10:30 a.m., of pneumonia, Mrs. W. H. Brown, wife of W. H. Brown, formerly of Acton, aged 67 years.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 22, 1909

EDITORIAL NOTES

Legislation will be passed at the present session of the House of Commons making the simple possession of indecent pictures a criminal offence. The law has been rather lax in this matter, and as a result a considerable traffic in lewd and obscene pictures, mostly in the form of picture post cards, has grown up. The House of Commons is quite justified in taking drastic steps to stamp out this nefarious trade.

The plan proposed by the representative Committee of Citizens at their meeting on Monday evening, to submit the question of the advisability of arranging for a vote on Local Option in Acton next January to a mass meeting of citizens for their decision, must commend itself to the judgment of all fair-minded people. If a mass meeting of citizens decides that it is in the best interests of the community to take the legal means provided to banish the bare and get out of partnership with the liquor business, then such steps should be taken as will put into effect the will of the people. If such a meeting says it is not opportune to engage in such an enterprise at the present time, all interested should be put in possession of such information. Let the people speak. The Citizens' Committee will provide the opportunity.

The Saturday Evening Post this week will contain an interesting article on "Canada and Reciprocity" by Mr. D. D. Mann. In the article Mr. Mann expresses himself very fully on this subject. His general conclusion is that the very existence of this institution is endangered, and both public and private morality have greatly suffered. But the horizon is not all black. There are rifts in the clouds which assure us that God is with His people, and His day will be preserved. Many nations have amended advanced legislation; and in many states there have been organized National Lord's Day Alliances, as well as other Lord's Day defense associations; the Church of God has kept pace with the rising tide for the preservation of the Lord's Day.

In Knox Church last Sunday evening Rev. J. C. Wilson, D. D., preached an impressive sermon on the subject of the Lord's Day, from the text: "The Sabbath was made for man and not man for the Sabbath." The Jewish Sabbath, with its name as our Sabbath, in its functions, but both are the same in spirit. The social side of our nature sanctions a day of rest in seven. Long before Moses wrote the law of the Sabbath on the tablets of stone, God had written it on man's heart. Quotations were given from Gladstone, McAulay, John Bright and other eminent men declaring the benefit to the nation, man and to the world of the Sabbath. Religion sanctions the Lord's Day. It is to be a day of gladness and of gloom. A day in which we commemorate not the old creation, but the new creation in Jesus Christ. A day when we show that we are not merely mechanics and merchants and farmers, but that we are men. The old French epiphany, "Horn a man and died a grocer," is too true for many of us. In closing he made a strong appeal for men to endeavor to get the true spirit and idea of the day. When we are seized of these there will be no difficulty about properly observing the Sabbath.

BROKE JAIL AT MILTON
Wm. Murray, Toronto, who stole tobacco from a G. T. H. Car at Georgetown.

GAINED LIBERTY LAST WEEK
William Murray of Toronto, sentenced to eighteen months for breaking into a G. T. H. freight car at Georgetown and stealing five saddle bags, went down into a vault of a disused closet in one of the yards at the County Jail at Milton, last Thursday, and got upon the other side into another yard, thence through an open gate into the wood yard, and finally over a high board fence on to a back street by the aid of the door of an out-house, which he wrenched off and stood against the fence.

Before going he broke into a room where the prisoners' clothing was stored, put on the suit of Milton Orser, the counterfeiter, in one of the pockets of which \$7 had been left, and left his person suit by the fence. He wore a cap of his own. Scouts and messengers were immediately sent out in all directions, but the fugitive has not yet been recaptured.

LADIES, WHY NOT PRESERVE YOUR YOUTH AND BEAUTY?
Parisian Sage, the quick acting hair restorer, is now for sale in Acton at the drug store of A. T. Brown and is sold with a rigid guarantee at 50 cents a bottle.
Parisian Sage has an immense sale, and here are the reasons:
It is safe and harmless.
It kills dandruff in two weeks, by killing the dandruff germ.
It stops falling hair.
It promptly stops itching of the scalp.
It makes the hair soft and luxuriant.
It gives life and beauty to the hair.
It is not sticky or greasy.
It is the dearest perfumed hair tonic made.
It is the best, the most pleasant and invigorating hair dressing made.
Fights off the druggist who offers you a substitute, he is unworthy of your confidence.

Tea grown at an elevation of 8,000 feet and upward, whose soft and effusive perfume to give that delightful fragrance and delicious flavor, is used in "Salada," its purity and strength make it much more economical than other teas, because it goes farther.

THIS IS LORD'S DAY WEEK

And it is being observed by the Churches Throughout the World

SKIRMISHES IN KNOW AND METHODIST CHURCHES

The Christian peoples throughout the world, with great unanimity, observe Lord's Day Week—the week beginning with the first Lord's Day after Easter—as a special season for private prayer and public intercession, private meditation and public address—in behalf of the preservation of the Lord's Day.

The importance of such a week of prayer is apparent to every lover of humanity. The individual receives benefit from this institution. In every part of his being—physical, intellectual, moral, and spiritual—the family profits in the strengthening of the ties of kinship, the developing of the purest affection, and the bestowing of religious influences. The Church gains in every way, for as has been so truly said by Voltaire, "If the Lord's Day were abolished, the Church would be immediately in danger of extinction and ruin." To the nation the Lord's Day is necessary that it may enjoy industrial, commercial, economic, and political prosperity.

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Nov. G. W. Barker preached a very able and helpful sermon in the Methodist Church on Sunday morning from Gen. 2: 24, and Exodus 20: 8-11, the substance of which was being the commandment "Remember the Sabbath Day to keep it holy." In the setting apart of this day God calls attention to himself and protests us in the history of the great cities. He established the Sabbath Day as one of the fundamental things of his creation, and upon which our civilization and humanity rest. It is written by God's finger upon the tables of stone hearts. One day in seven is given wherein we shall stop and give our attention to spiritual matters. It is God's great institution for enabling man's nature. It is one of the great assets of the Christian world. The Sabbath is given to us first for rest, not for laziness, nor lounging, but for rest from our week-day labors. Six days with God's blessing is much better than seven without it. It means rest for you and for me and for every other person as well. It is given for mental stimulus, to call us back from the monotonous grind of our week-day work. It is given for spiritual uplift. Sunday is the great day when we have the special opportunity of thinking upon God and of meeting in the sanctuary. The Lord's Day Act of Canada was referred to as a bulwark of safety, and much credit for its enactment was given to the Lord's Day Alliance. Referring to the energy of the General Secretary of the Alliance, he said: "The Church should feel thankful pride in the fact that it supplied a man of such influence and attainments."

NOT ENTITLED TO TWO SEATS
Can a passenger hold a seat in a railway carriage by putting his hand baggage in it? The New York courts have held that he cannot, and they are right. The passenger in the case in question put his grip and other things in a first-class coach and then went out to the "smoker" to enjoy a cigar. When he came back, he found another man in his seat. A row followed, and then a lawyer said: "The court held with the man who 'jumped the claim.'" The Mitchell Advocate says: "Now the courts should deal vigorously with the passenger of either sex who tries to take up four seats with a few garments, a suit case and his or her own person."

WILL LOCAL OPTION BE AN ISSUE

A Representative Committee of Citizens Decides to Submit Question to a Mass Meeting

OF THE ELECTIONS OF ACTON

Following the recent temperance campaign in the churches here representatives were appointed from the various congregations last Monday as a committee to consider the question of submitting a Local Option By-Law at the next municipal election.

This committee met for organization and discussion in the Baptist Church on Monday evening. The representatives in attendance were as follows:
Presbyterians—Rev. J. C. Wilson, H. A. John Cameron, Hugh Wallace and J. H. Reed.
Methodists—Rev. G. W. Barker, J. E. Coleman, A. T. Brown and H. P. Moore.
Baptists—J. L. Warren, H. Gindoff and W. J. Chapman.
St. Alban's Church of England—Rev. R. F. Kelleman, D. A., and Fred Nuttley.
Rev. J. C. Wilson, D. D., was elected Chairman, and H. P. Moore, Secretary.
All present expressed themselves as desirability of submitting a Local Option By-Law—and concluded that an action be taken by "split and corner" methods, but that every step should be free and above board.
To this end the following resolution was submitted and carried unanimously:
Moved by Rev. G. W. Barker, seconded by J. H. Reed, that this meeting representing the various churches in town, take steps at the earliest possible date, to call a citizens' meeting to discuss the desirability of submitting a local option by-law to the electors at the next municipal election, and that we secure one of the best speakers obtainable, preferably from one of the Local Option districts, to address the mass meeting to be called.
It was decided to invite every elector in Acton to attend the proposed mass meeting, where the citizens will decide whether or not to take a vote to banish the bare.
Committees were appointed to secure the speaker for the evening, to send out invitations to citizens, to secure the town hall and to act as voters.
In order to make the meeting in all respects an interesting one it was decided to have a union choir and Rev. R. F. Kelleman and G. W. Barker, and Messrs. J. E. Coleman and W. J. Chapman were appointed a Musical Committee to arrange for the choir.
It is expected the mass meeting will be held within two or three weeks.

STOMACH DISTRESS

And all misery from indigestion Vanishes Five Minutes

Every family here ought to keep some Diapypsin in the house, as any one of you may have an attack of indigestion or stomach trouble at any time, day or night.
This harmless preparation will digest anything you eat and overcome a sour stomach five minutes afterwards.
If your meals don't tempt you, or if you feel a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is a sign of indigestion.
Ask your Pharmacist for a 50-cent case of Papo's Diapypsin and take one tripartite after supper to-night. There will be no more slings, no belching, undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, nausea, Debilitating Headaches, Dizziness or intestinal griping.
Papo's Diapypsin is a certain cure for all stomach misery, because it will take hold of your food and digest it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there.
Actual, prompt relief for all your stomach misery is your Pharmacist's, waiting for you.
These large 50-cent cases contain more than sufficient to cure a case of Dyspepsia or Indigestion.

WOMAN DROWNED IN PILKINGTON

Elora, April 19.—During a fit of temporary insanity, Mrs. Geo. Keller, of the Township of Pilkington, near Delhi, wandered from her home on Saturday. A futile search for her was made until Sunday, when it was found that she had been drowned in a creek which runs through the Keller farm. She leaves a husband and family of five, the youngest being about ten years of age.

A HYDRO-ELECTRIC CONFERENCE

Delinquents Must Pay Up Immediately for Their Electric Current and Supplies

DEPOTIVE DRAINAGE TO BE REMEDIED

Council met on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. All members present; the Mayor in the chair.
The Finance Committee presented their eighth report, and recommended payment of the following accounts:
Canadian General Electric Co., supplies, \$10 71
G. T. F., duty on coal, \$21 23
The report was adopted.
The electrician handed the Council a list of names of persons who have been owing for electric current, meters, and supplies, etc.; \$348 34.
Council instructed the clerk to notify these delinquents to settle up immediately.
The clerk reported that representatives of Hampton, Milton and Georgetown were to meet at Hampton on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock to discuss the Hydro-Electric Power question, and that Acton had been requested to send a representative.
The Mayor was instructed to attend to the Council's interests.
Councillor Bell, Chairman of Streets and Works Committee, spoke of the poor drainage on some of our streets, especially at the corners of Mill and Frederick, Mill and Elgin, and on Church Street, between Frederick and Elgin Streets, and showed how this could be remedied.
Councillor Bell will see that these defects are remedied during the season.
Council adjourned before 10 o'clock.

\$100 REWARD, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one street in Acton which is free from the plague, and that is, the street leading from one of the Local Option districts, to address the mass meeting to be called.
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Any intelligent person can make some easy money and not interfere with other business.

Particulars free. Prof. Marten, 291 Carolina St., Havana, N. Y.
Messrs. Louie and F. Rieve Alexander, of Bishop Strachan's College, Toronto, spent the Easter vacation at their home, Nassagaweya.



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Mill will start April 21st. Can cut any building materials needed in hemlock or pine on short notice.
Large stock of Shingles for sale this year, cut from first growth cedar.

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Nassagaweya P. O.

The hard work of bread-making should be done in the flour mill—not in the kitchen.
When it is necessary for you to make bread by main strength, the miller hasn't done his part. His flour is not fine enough.
Royal Household Flour
is made from hard Spring wheat—which is capable of finer grinding than any other wheat—and milled by a process that insures the finest, and most nutritious of flours. Get enough to try from your grocer.
Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., Limited, Montreal.



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Acton Goderich

A Gentleman said to us
Some time ago: "Why don't you let customers run accounts, like the other stores do?" Here are the reasons we gave him: "Did it ever occur to you that the merchant who sells on credit as a rule has not the ready cash to pay for the goods he buys, consequently he loses his discounts, and thus his goods cost him more. Then, on top of his regular profit, he has to add a certain percentage for bad debts. Take the case of a customer who runs an account of \$700.00 and never pays it. The merchant is compelled to keep his prices up, and thus his good cash customers help pay for goods that the poor-payer customer got. We sell for cash only, and thus we are able to buy at the closest cash prices, and if any snaps are to be had the firm with the cash gets them." Then, having no losses through poor-payer customers, we are not compelled to add a big profit to our goods to make up for bad debts."

This gentleman is now one of our staunchest customers, and here is what he said the other day: "Lots of stores boast that time-worn phrase, 'Small profits and quick returns,' but you are one of the few who really practice it."

Lace Curtains
We have a big range of these to choose from, at 50c per pair up to \$1.00 pair Nottingham Lace Curtains, beautiful design, close woven, priced to go quickly at 98c.

Rugs
Tapestry Rugs, all sizes and qualities.
Our \$10.00 Rug is a dandy. It will pay you to see it.

Carpets
Let us figure on the carpeting of that room. You will be surprised and delighted at the little cost, not mentioning the good qualities of our Carpets.

Millinery Department
Our millinery workroom is one of the busiest spots in Acton these days. Our milliner aims to please and satisfy every customer, no matter how trifling her wants, and that she is succeeding, the big rush of business is best evidence.

Big Ladies' Belt Special
The result of a fortunate purchase for the two stores.
Saturday we place on sale six dozen Ladies' Leather Belts, in tan, navy and green, neat gilt buckle, fancy scroll design, very neat styles, worth 35c and 50c, Saturday 25c.

Grocery Department
Granulated Sugar, 21 lbs. for \$1.00
Comfort Soap, 7 bars for 25c
Canned Corn, 4 cans 25c
Klenzine Ammonia, per pt. 7c

Highest Prices for BUTTER and EGGS
Acton's New Store Your \$ goes a long way here

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The following information may interest those desirous of opening a Savings Bank Account for the first time

1. An account may be opened with the deposit of a single Dollar; and, while you may deposit as much more as you wish, an opening deposit of One Dollar is sufficient.
2. Further deposits of any sum—One Dollar or more—may be made at any time, either regularly or irregularly, as money is available.
3. Remittances may be made from amount of deposit, to relatives or friends abroad; and the BANK OF HAMILTON will make such remittances for you whenever desired.
4. Money can be withdrawn in person from Savings Accounts, whenever desired—either in whole or in part.
5. Savings Accounts may be opened with THE BANK OF HAMILTON by one person in trust for another. Parents may open accounts for their children, such accounts being subject to withdrawal only under the signature of the parent.
6. Accounts may be opened, and deposits made, by miners or married women in their own names, and fully under their own control, repayable to them on their order, without regard to parent, guardian or husband.
7. Accounts may be opened, payable to either of two, (husband and wife, for instance) or more persons, or the survivor.
8. All dealings between THE BANK OF HAMILTON and its depositors are strictly confidential, and no information—not even the existence of an account—is given to any person.

Your Savings Account is invited by THE BANK OF HAMILTON, and any additional information that may be desired can be obtained by a simple enquiry for the manager.

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WANTED
I have a dozen cherry trees, in bloom, for sale. Apply to W. H. BROWN & SONS, Limited.

PROPERTY FOR SALE
A number of farms and town property for sale. Apply to W. H. BROWN & SONS, Limited.

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One pair heavy, shaggy, stout, young and sound, and in good shape for spring work. Apply to W. H. BROWN & SONS, Limited.

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I have first-class Hatched Eggs, at reasonable prices. Apply to W. H. BROWN & SONS, Limited.

FOR SALE
Six horses, prices ranging from \$25 to \$125. Also some good land, horses, and sundries. Apply to W. H. BROWN & SONS, Limited.

HOUSE WANTED FOR RENT
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A house and lot for sale, near the station. Apply to W. H. BROWN & SONS, Limited.

CHEAP SUMMER WOOD
I have a large quantity of cheap summer wood for sale. Apply to W. H. BROWN & SONS, Limited.

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