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### The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31, 1900

#### EDITORIAL NOTES

In last week's issue of the Hamilton Free Press, the roll of names of those who have made their mark in the history of the town, and an appeal to the citizens to support the county to prepare themselves for like achievements in the future.

The appointment of Hamilton over the American route was demonstrated when a letter posted in London on the 8th, coming by the Canadian route was delivered in Montreal seven days later, while one coming by the American route took eleven days for the journey.

The public debt of Canada was \$2,000,000 less at the end of September, or first half of present fiscal year, than it was at the end of March, 1900, end of last fiscal year. Interest charges are only slightly increased since last year, while the public debt is less than in 1900. Total revenue for six months is \$4,520,297 greater than for same period last year. Canada is certainly going some.

It looks as if Hamilton County is about to have Local Option in every municipality except the county town. Consents are to take place next January in Acton, Georgetown, Esqueping, Oakville and Nelson, with very bright prospects of success in every one of these places. The bars have already been banished from Newmarket, and Trafalgar townships, Erin and Chinguacousy, adjoining townships, are under Local Option and various expectations are at the coming elections. Hamilton is also engaged in a campaign.

Referring to the proposed application of the maximum American tariff to Canadian goods, the New York Journal of Commerce advises the Washington Government that the capacity of Canada to inflict injury on the United States trade is greater than the capacity of the United States to inflict injury on Canadian trade. This is obvious from the fact that the Dominion now spends two dollars in the Republic for every dollar which the Americans spend here. Moreover, Canada possesses raw materials of which the United States manufacturing industries stand much in need.

#### NASBAQAWA

Anniversary services will be held in the Methodist Church next Sunday evening at seven o'clock. Mr. H. P. Moore, editor Acton Free Press will preach and Ebenezer Choir will lead the services of song.

On Monday morning the anniversary meeting will be held. There will be a splendid programme and addresses by Rev. A. Blair, B. A., and Rev. Mr. Archer.

Miss Margaret Hinchey, who has been in Toronto for some time, came home a few weeks ago owing to a serious trouble which had appeared in her neck. She went to Guelph General Hospital last week for treatment and was operated on. She failed to rally from the operation and died on Tuesday afternoon. She was a highly esteemed young lady and her somewhat sudden death is greatly regretted.

#### A DOOR TO MOTHERS

When children are injured! Children are always sustaining cuts, bruises, burns, etc., and in the present contract ringworm, scald diseases, and similar skin troubles at school. Mothers will find Zan-Buk without equal for these accidents and diseases.

Mr. Thomas Allen, 125 Water St., St. Mary's (Ont.) says: "My daughter Mildred, 4 years old, was severely burned by falling on a hot flat iron. She was burned on the head, neck and on the thigh, very badly. I at once applied some Zan-Buk, which eased the pain, and in the course of a few days the wounds were thoroughly healed."

Mr. George Abridge, 13 Louise St., St. Mary's (Ont.) says: "My son Herbert, six years old, stepped on a broken glass bottle, which cut very deeply into his big toe. The cut was so deep that I sent for a doctor and had the foot properly dressed. The doctor leaving a lotion to be applied daily. Under this treatment, however, the wound seemed to get no better, but on the contrary inflammation set in. A kindly neighbor then recommended Zan-Buk. We obtained a supply, and after a few applications the child seemed to rest better, and the pain was very much reduced. In a few days, under the Zan-Buk treatment, the wound assumed a better appearance, and from that time the healing was very rapid. Inflammation and soreness were finally completely banished, and in ten days from the first application of Zan-Buk, we took the bandages from the foot. I feel sure that but for Zan-Buk the child would have had a very bad time, and might have had to sacrifice the toe."

Not only for cuts, burns, bruises, etc., is Zan-Buk effective, but also for various skin diseases, such as eczema, ringworm, ulcers, chancres, etc., and for all skin troubles, such as itching, pimples, freckles, etc., and for all skin injuries and diseases. Druggists and stores everywhere sell Zan-Buk. Box or post free for price from Zan-Buk Co., Toronto; 10 boxes for \$1.25. You are warned against harmful imitations sometimes represented to be "just as good."

## FORGET-ME-NOT



Please, Mr. and Mrs. Electors of Acton! Vote for Local Option, so that my papa will not come home drunk any more, and that he will love me and my mother and brothers and sisters all the time, as he does when he is sober. He loves me all, but he can't get any more open bars now when he has his wages in his pocket. Please don't forget me.

#### AFTER BOWLING ALLEY LICENSE

Dr. A. J. Hore, Medical Health Officer, has issued a license to the Acton Bowling Alley, under the name of the Acton Bowling Club.

#### DR. HOLMES' MEDICAL HEALTH OFFICER

Council met on Monday evening in regular session. Members present: H. Swackhamer, Reeve; Geo. Hynde, Alex. Bell, J. H. Denny and Jan. Easton.

The Committee on Finance presented their twenty-first report and recommended payment of accounts as follows:

Dr. A. J. Hore, Medical Health Officer	\$ 10 04
Torrance & Wheeler, freight, etc.	10 80
George Soper, brooms	70
W. A. Stewart, printing	5 81
Pittsburg & Buffalo Coal Co.	27 04
G. T. R. freight on coal	51 61
Wm. Robertson, electric light	5 00
Registry Office, registering	4 20
W. A. Stewart, repairs	1 83
J. H. Robertson, streets & walks	1 83
Mr. W. A. Stewart, teaming	0 37
John Anderson, streets	0 50

Total \$113 11

The report was adopted. A letter from Messrs. Boardman & Co., was read stating that certain parties have been dumping rubbish, causing an annoyance to the property, inasmuch as this fills in the pond, whereas their title gives them the land to high water mark, and requesting the Council to prosecute their rights to the limit.

The Council instructed the Municipal Officer to see that there was no further dumping of rubbish in the Park. Messrs. Tadlean & Collins, of Guelph, waited upon the Council to ask that a license be granted for a bowling alley. When interrogated they said the alley they put in at Georgetown was favorably regarded by all the people there.

The members of the Council all expressed themselves favorable to granting a license, the rate to be the same as in Georgetown—\$25 for first bed, \$15 for second, and \$10 for each subsequent bed.

Dr. Hore sent in his resignation as Medical Health Officer. Moved by J. Easton, seconded by J. H. Denny, that the resignation of Dr. Hore, Medical Health Officer, be accepted, and that Dr. H. E. Holmes be appointed to fill the vacancy for the balance of the term.—Carried.

Mr. P. J. Gibbons applied for refund of \$1.00 dog tax, his dog having been poisoned shortly after the assessment last spring. The refund was ordered.

The Secretary of the Free Library Board notified the Council of the vacancy on the Board caused by the removal of Rev. G. W. Barker. Moved by A. Bell, seconded by Geo. Hynde, that Rev. J. Cooper Antill, D. D., be and is hereby appointed one of the Council's representatives on the Free Library Board, for the unexpired term of Rev. G. W. Barker.—Carried.

**BEAUTIFUL SKIN MAKES THE PLAINEST FACE IRRESISTIBLY ATTRACTIVE**  
Any woman can have beautiful and luxuriant hair by using Parisian Sage, the great hair tonic and dandruff cure. Parisian Sage is the favorite Hair Tonic of refined people, and since its introduction it has met with wonderful success.

If you want beautiful, lustrous hair that will be the envy of your friends, go to the drug store of A. T. Brown and get a bottle of Parisian Sage to-day and use it for week.

If at the end of a week you are not satisfied that Parisian Sage is the most delightful and refreshing Hair Tonic you ever used, take it back and get your money.

Parisian Sage is guaranteed to cure dandruff, and stop falling hair. It costs only 50 cents a bottle at A. T. Brown's or by express, charge prepaid from Gileux Mfg. Co., Port Erie, Ont.

**NORVAL**  
The anniversary services of the Methodist Church on Monday and Tuesday evening were very full of interest and devotion. Rev. G. J. A. Brown, of Guelph, preached eloquent sermons at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. to large congregations.

## SUNLIGHT SOAP

The finest fabric is not so delicate as the Sunlight Soap. When other soaps have injured your linens and faded and soiled your things, remember the word Sunlight.



#### LIFEHOUSE

The members of the Board of Directors of the Toronto Life House, spent Tuesday here making an inspection of the works. They expressed satisfaction with the improvements effected by Mr. Govey, the manager, during the past year. Mrs. Govey entertained the members of the Board to dinner.

Mr. Frederick Meredith died here on Friday after a brief illness from typhoid fever. He was in his thirtieth year. He leaves a wife who has the sympathy of the community in her sudden bereavement. Mr. Meredith was an employee of the Toronto Life Co., and was an esteemed resident. The funeral on Sunday afternoon to the cemetery on the sixth line was largely attended. Rev. Mr. Cameron preached after the interment a very impressive discourse.

Mr. Albert Meredith had the misfortune to lose two colts from the pasture field last Saturday night. They must have strayed some distance for no news of their whereabouts has yet been obtained. The two animals are valued at \$100.

#### IS YOUR FAMILY READING WORTH WHILE?

So much of current reading is merely entertaining at best that the question naturally arises, is it worth while? Your sons and daughters are bound to read something. They hunger for stories which take them into the other half of the world—the world of adventure, of valor, of fortune making. The problem is to give them such reading without putting into their hands the literature that is either silly or demoralizing. The Youth's Companion believes that a periodical can be made entertaining and yet "worth while," and The Companion is conducted on that theory. And that is the reason why more than half a million families read it. The paper is safe, but not dull. Its tales of adventure illustrate the advantages of fortitude and self-reliance. Its stories of character by stress on the truth that right comes in the end.

Every new Canadian subscriber will find it of special advantage to send at once the \$2.00 for the new 1000 Volume. Not only does he get the beautiful "Yearbook" Calendar for 1901, illustrated in thirteen colors and gold, but all the issues of The Companion for the remaining weeks of 1900 from the time the subscription is received. Complete Binding, 100 vols., \$2.00. New Subscriptions Received at this Office.

**THE YOUTH COMPANION**  
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**ROCKWOOD**  
The meeting of the District Women's Missionary Society in the Methodist Church last Thursday was largely attended. The programme was one of special interest to members of the W. M. S. The delegates were hospitably entertained at the parlour.

Rockwood is to be favored with another convention next week. The annual Winter School of Guelph District will be held in the Methodist Church on Tuesday and Wednesday, commencing on Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. The programme of topics will embrace Bible study, missionary efforts, ways of working, etc. The leading ministers of the district will take part and the outside speakers will be Mrs. (Dr.) F. C. Stephenson, Toronto, and Rev. Mr. Morgan, missionary from West China.

An item on the programme of the Winter School here next week is "ramble over the rocks." The visitors will enjoy this inspection of our natural attractions.

The death last Thursday of Mr. Hugh Black, postmaster, brought universal sorrow to this community. Since his boyhood Mr. Black was a resident of this vicinity. He was a man of sterling character, kind, genial, always ready to help a good cause or a person in need. He was the head of a most delightful home where home life was ideal. He was a godly man, for years at the head of his denomination in Ontario—the Disciples Church—always ready to help a good cause or a person in need. He was the head of a most delightful home where home life was ideal. He was a godly man, for years at the head of his denomination in Ontario—the Disciples Church—always ready to help a good cause or a person in need.

## BANK OF HAMILTON

The Opening and Maintaining of a Savings Bank Account is a duty that everyone owes, both to themselves and to those dependent on them.

Your Savings Account Solicited.

GEORGETOWN BRANCH  
W. N. McKAY, Agent

## THE WHITE HOUSE GUELPH ONT.

### SALE OF Ladies' Fur Coats

WE are going out of Ladies' Fur Coats, and have our full stock on hand. Commencing Friday morning we will sell any Fur Coat in stock at exactly half-price.

We have a special line of Satin-Lined Astrachan Coats at \$35.00, made by the best fur coat maker in Canada. These will be \$17.50 Friday and Saturday while they last.

### New Bargain System

For some time we will put on bargains daily; advertising only the hour of the Special Sale.

The items will be lines of goods used every day by every household.

The prices will be such that those who do not participate will have cause for regret.

Out of town customers can find out the hour of sale by applying to any of the salespeople any morning.

The hours for Saturday will be 8.30 and 11 a. m., and 7 o'clock p. m.

## JAMES RAMSEY

### FOUR-9 INCH PIES WILL BAKE TO PERFECTION IN AN IMPERIAL OXFORD RANGE

Bake Days—what's more disheartening than an unevenly baked oven? You prepare the cake and the pie with great care—and then the oven burns or only half cooks them—not so with the "Imperial Oxford." The small illustration above shows a dividing strip along top of oven extending down side and along bottom follows the little screws and you will see that the fire heat must travel equally over every part of the oven—this guarantees an even baking heat.

Any Gurney-Oxford dealer can show you features that have made this range the best by actual test. Don't fail to see this range before buying.

**PERFECTION IN AN IMPERIAL OXFORD RANGE**

R. F. JOHNSTONE  
Mill Street Acton, Ontario

## SPECIAL

For Friday Night and Saturday Only

Men's \$4 Slaters Shoes for \$3.25  
Men's \$5 Slaters Shoes for \$4.25

As our contract with the Slaters Shoe Co. is expiring we must get rid of all Slaters Shoes now in stock at once, hence this great reduction in price.

### DARE YOU EAT HEARTILY?

Or is Every One Most Followed Diarrhoea?

It is certain we are that "Little Digesters" will cure indigestion every time—no matter how long it has been. We will give you your money back without a word if they fail.

You can enjoy a good, hearty meal of wholesome food three times a day, if you take a "Little Digester" each meal.

Read how "Little Digesters" cured Mr. Thedy.

"For two years I suffered with indigestion, and obtained no relief from anything I took, including several prescriptions from prominent physicians. Every meal was followed by acute pain until I feared to eat, consequently became run down for lack of nourishment. "Little Digesters" were recommended to me by a friend and I tried them with remarkable results, two boxes completely curing me. It is three months since I took any, and I have not suffered a pain since."

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### Need Room and Money

What do YOU need?

If you have the latter or good credit you can make some money right now, and make it fast. The reduction knife will go right to the hilt in the IMPLEMENT and BUGGY lines as well as many other lines.

We must have the room for Stoves, Cutters, Melotte Separators and Harness.

SUNLIGHT COAL OIL—Single gallon 18c; 5 gallon lots 17c per gallon, cash.

M.H. St. G. A. BLACK Acton, Ont.

### For Chaps

Savoderm Soap

roughness, and irritation of the skin so prevalent in the winter months

should be used daily. It will prevent the hands from becoming dry and cracked, and he who has it that painful condition already exists.

For sale by  
A. T. BROWN, Mill St., ACTON

### Geo. Stovel - Mill St.

RUBBERS

Others have advanced in price this year but early buying enables us to keep them at the same price. Better buy them now as the next shipment will be dearer.

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**Acton Advertisements**  
SALESMAN

**STRAY CATTLE**  
STRAYED from the farm of Mr. John Smith, on the 23rd inst., a pair of black and white cows, one of which is a yearling, and one a calf, both of which are branded with the letter 'S' on their sides. Any information leading to their recovery will be rewarded.

**NOTICE**  
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: It has been reported to the Board of the Acton Free Press that certain persons have been circulating false reports regarding the financial condition of the paper. The Board hereby declares that the paper is in a sound financial condition, and that no such reports are true.

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