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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1914

BRIEF LOCAL ITEMS

It's all over but the cheering. -Vote early and have the duty over. -Milton's tax rate has been struck at 25 mills on the dollar. -The new fall wheat and the pasture fields are looking well. -Anniversary services will be held to Ashgrove Methodist Church on Oct. 8th. -The heavy frost on Thursday night scorched the unshaded corn very badly. -"Whirl" wins to-day? Both parties claim the victory. The ballot boxes will tell. -The date of Thanksgiving Day has been fixed by the government for Monday, Oct. 13th. -Now men will keep cool today. Remember we will have to live together after the elections are over. -In the base ball match between Milton and Acton on Saturday the visitors won in a score of 7 to 0. -You can have an automobile for today, if you can elect. Kiltier party will be proud to motor you to the pool. -There have been more politics talked to the minute the past week than will last to the hour the next five years. -Mr. James Hamshaw has purchased the 50-acre farm of Howard Price on the Acton cross road. -Georgetown Health. -General Symonds will be felt for Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Macklin in the death on Tuesday of their dear little five-month-old babe. -Lak every selector will his vote. Matters will look very optimistic, if you can, but don't. Some people have been paid to refrain from voting. -Mr. James Price will sell his stock and implements, at his farm, lot 2d, con. 8, Georgetown, on Tuesday, 29th Oct. -H. J. Hoop, Auctioneer. -Wm. McIntyre, Grand Valley, who was at Home Wood Sanitarium, Guilford, for treatment for nervous break down was found drowned in the river on Monday. -Mr. H. T. Caldwell, who has purchased the G. A. Black business, has been here the past week taking stock. He expects to move to town and get settled here within a couple of weeks. -On Tuesday morning of last week C. S. Osmond, of Trafalgar, near Milton, found one of his hifers, a fine animal, lying dead in a field. It had evidently been struck by lightning during the previous night's storm. -Rev. J. C. Wilson, H. A., has been enjoying a couple of weeks of well-earned holidays and the pulpit of Cook Church has been very acceptably supplied by Rev. J. G. Greaser, retired minister of Guilford. -The morning misadventures seem to have given up Milton as a field for prospecting, having found our citizens more interested in politics than in polygamy. The elder went to Toronto last Friday and his four assistants left earlier. -Milton Champion. -The Oakville Fair directors will run a special train from Georgetown on Friday, Sept. 25th, calling at all stations along the line. Tickets will be sold at single fare. This will enable the people to go to Oakville Fair and return by rail the same evening. -NASSAWAYVA The Voters' List of Revision for this township will be held by Judge Gorham at Campbellville next Tuesday, 23rd inst. at 10:30 o'clock. -Detectives are at work on the outrage to Walter and George Smith through which his motor car was wrecked a week ago last Saturday night. -Nassawayva Fall Fair on Tuesday, 10th October, will be worthy the attention of the general public. -Mr. A. A. McMillan, of the Trades Bank, Burlington, an old Nassawayva boy, son of Governor McMillan, of Milton, has been transferred to Toronto. -Mr. Robert Aklin, of Louville, was a welcome guest at the old home this week. -There is more Catholicism in this section of the county than all counties put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be the only one. The instructions to clergy are to preach a local disease and prevent it. -The following friends from a distance were present at Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Williams, Mrs. Williams Sr., Miss Williams, Mrs. George Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Sharpe, Miss Wilson, Mr. G. Spauld, Mr. E. Madden, Brampton; Mr. and Mrs. Moore and Mr. E. Allison, Guilford; Mr. and Mrs. and Miss Mackin, Acton; Mr. Fred Williams, Hamilton; Mr. McLaughlin, Otterville; Dr. Hollis, Detroit; Miss Jansen, Milton; Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Davis, Mitchell; Mr. King and Miss Sherwood, Nassawayva; Mr. and Mrs. W. Gowdy, Lunenburg.

NEWS OF LOCAL IMPORT.

Palatal Kick on the Knee Mr. G. A. Black sustained a very painful kick from a horse on the knee one day last week which temporarily disabled him. He was able to be about yesterday with a fair degree of comfort, but is still very lame. -Barn Burned Near Milton During the heavy thunderstorm Monday night, lightning struck Mr. John McLeod's barn, near Milton, setting it on fire, and with the season's crops and implements, it was burned to the ground. There was some loss of money, but the loss, nevertheless, will be quite heavy. -Reformer. -The County Fair at Milton: The officers and directors have made special efforts to ensure an unusually good fair at Milton next Tuesday and Wednesday. Numerous attractive shows have been featured and the entries for the horse and cattle classes are already far in advance of average years. This means much for Milton has always a good showing of horses. The Fall Fair at Milton on Wednesday promises to be a great attraction. -The Proposed Boys' Brigade Mr. Fred Nutley, who is receiving enlistments for the proposed Boys' Brigade, has received the names of twenty-six boys over fourteen. He will organize the Brigade next Wednesday evening at the Drill Hall in the Park, and will be assisted by Sgt. Harwood and Manager Walker. Mr. Nutley should make a good drill sergeant for the boys. -The British Army showing twelve years of faithful service and was honorably discharged. -Smith Trophy Goes to Georgetown The finals for the Smith trophy were held on Thursday afternoon. The contest was between the Georgetown rink: F. J. Barber, skip, David McGuire, W. N. McKay and W. A. Campbell and Acton rink: Wm. McLeod, skip, Mayor Thibault, R. Elliott, Alex. Young and L. Suggat. The game was very evenly contested up to the sixth end when Georgetown succeeded in landing a five-end, and Acton failed to avert the disadvantage. The score at the close was 18 to 13. This splendid trophy which has graced Acton Club House the past two years is now the chief attraction in Georgetown. -Robert Walker's Family Day Next Monday will be Family Day in Methodist Church and Sunday School. Commemorative services in honor of the illustrious founder of the modern organized Sunday School will be held. In the morning Rev. Mr. Draper will preach a special sermon to parents and Sunday School workers. At the Sunday School service at 2:30 the following will be responsible and musical service, with addresses on "Why Robert Walker addressed a Sunday School," and "Robert Walker: the man and his work," and special hymns and orchestral numbers will be held. The evening service will be in charge of the King's Oratorio Bible Class. There will be a men's choir of 15 voices and the pastor and members of the class will conduct the entire service. -Good Roads Being Extended It was very gratifying news to all who are driving between Acton and Nassawayva that the good roads system will be extended clear to the western boundary of Requeuing township—the town line between the two townships. The section from Acton to the cross road is almost completed, and work has been commenced on the cross road from the first line westward. This will give another first-class main road to and from Acton and will be a great contrast over the very indifferent roadway which has prevailed for thirty years or more. The decision to complete the good road to the town line was arrived at last week when Reeve Hynda put the matter very strongly to Reeve Thompson, of Requeuing, and was endorsed in his proposition by Commissioner Wilson, who is also anxious that the road system should be extended to the township boundaries. -A Pretty Home Wedding A very pretty home wedding was celebrated at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Holmer, Bowser, on Thursday last. The bride was Miss Annie Williams, daughter of Mr. Frank Williams, son of Mr. Geo. L. Williams, of Hampton. The ceremony was performed under an arch of flowers and white chrysanthemums, Rev. J. C. Wilson, H. A., pastor of the church, officiating. The bride couple were unattended. The wedding march was played by Miss Holmer. The bride looked exceedingly sweet in a gown of duchesse satin, unadorned and cool pearls. She wore a veil and carried a bouquet of bridal roses and lily of the valley. During the signing of the register, Miss Minnie Holmes, cousin of the bride, sang with excellent effect "Because." After the customary congratulations the guests to the number of forty sat down to an elaborate dinner prepared by the bride. Brief congratulatory speeches followed, after which the bride donned her travelling suit of cadet blue serge and beaver hat to catch the train for the city. The bride and groom were the recipients of many handsome gifts, among which were a valuable silver tea service, a cheque for a very substantial sum from the father of the groom, and other beautiful and costly presents. The groom's present to the bride was a set of black lynx fur. The following friends from a distance were present: Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Williams, Mrs. Williams Sr., Miss Williams, Mrs. George Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Sharpe, Miss Wilson, Mr. G. Spauld, Mr. E. Madden, Brampton; Mr. and Mrs. Moore and Mr. E. 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"Mother, I thought you were going to try Red Rose Tea?" "Well, I was, but I just forgot - I'll go and phone for some right now!"



NEVER HOLD IN DUBIA

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Aklin was home from Guilford for a day or so. -Mr. Hiram Swackhammer was home over the week-end. -Miss Josie Simpson spent Sunday with friends in Guilford. -Mrs. N. R. Lindsay, of Toronto, visited friends here this week. -Mr. James Stringer, of Terra Cotta, visited Acton friends this week. -Mr. Harold Nicklin is visiting at the Methodist Parsonage, Dryden. -Mr. and Mrs. James Matthews spent a day or so last week at Orillia. -Mr. F. H. Storey returned on Tuesday from a business trip to Chicago. -Mrs. John Miller, of Barrie, visited her daughter, Mrs. Ed. Taylor, this week. -Mr. James Brown, of Los Angeles, Cal., is spending a few weeks in town again. -Mr. Alex. Rankin, of West Toronto, visited friends here over the week-end. -Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McFarlane, of Harper's Corner, visited Acton friends last week. -Miss Katie Smith left on Monday for Stronach where she has been engaged as a teacher. -Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Jones, of Toronto, were guests at Moorecroft on Friday and Saturday. -Mr. W. H. Grant, of the Canadian Northern Railway, Toronto, was in town last Thursday. -Miss Bertha Smith was in Toronto yesterday attending the wedding of her sister, Miss Nora. -Mr. Fred Plank returned to Red Deer, Alta., via Chicago, leaving Acton on Monday. His brother, Othello, accompanied him. -Mrs. Masters and Miss Masters, of Bluevale, who were guests at the home of Principal Stewart for a couple weeks, returned home on Tuesday. -The evening service will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Nelson, Main Street, last week. -Mr. W. H. Gurney, of Wingham, who has just returned from a trip through Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, spent a couple of days during the week with friends here. -Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McCallum and babe, who have been between the two cities since last week, returned to Acton City, Mich., returned to Mr. Nicklin's home on Monday. -Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Salmond returned from their honeymoon tour to the Niagara early last week. They left for their home in Calgary on Saturday, travelling by boat from Sarnia to Port Arthur. -Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCreger, of Georgetown, were guests at the home of their second daughter, Sadie G., to Mr. C. Edward Ruddle, of Hamilton. The marriage will take place the latter part of the month. -The following friends from a distance attended the funeral of the late Mrs. William Carroll last Thursday: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carroll and children, Mr. Walter Carroll, Toronto; Mrs. Wm. Jones, Gloversville, N. Y.; Mrs. Geo. Russell, the Misses Dale, Mrs. C. J. Smith, Toronto; Mrs. Robert Tuvel and Mrs. R. H. Wood, Guilford; Miss Greenwood, Norval; and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Howden, Milton. -Requeuing Fall Fair: Oct. 4th and 5th The Board of Directors of the Requeuing Agricultural Society already have their plans well-matured for making the Fall Fair this year, at Williams, one of the best success. The fair will be held under the auspices. The district high school will receive special attention and among other features will contain a scholarship as well as a special prize valued at \$25.00 for the best specimen of hand writing exhibited. The list of special prizes is published in this issue. A copy of the complete list of prizes may be had at Frank Piquot's office. -A Missionary Campaign A missionary campaign covering three or four weeks is being conducted in all the Methodist Churches of the Guilford District. Last Sunday all the ministers of the District exchanged pulpits and missions was the theme in each church. Next Sunday the past local specimen of hand writing exhibited. The list of special prizes is published in this issue. A copy of the complete list of prizes may be had at Frank Piquot's office. -A Missionary Campaign A missionary campaign covering three or four weeks is being conducted in all the Methodist Churches of the Guilford District. Last Sunday all the ministers of the District exchanged pulpits and missions was the theme in each church. Next Sunday the past local specimen of hand writing exhibited. The list of special prizes is published in this issue. A copy of the complete list of prizes may be had at Frank Piquot's office.

St. Joseph's Church Bazaar Rev. Father Traynor has arranged for a bazaar to be held in the town hall from Thursday, November 20th, to Saturday, December 2nd, in aid of the parochial improvement fund of St. Joseph's parish. Twenty-two attractive prizes have been donated by friends and business men for the drawing contest on the last evening of the bazaar. Extensive improvements are being planned for the church building. With Father Traynor's executive ability and enthusiasm behind the effort it is assured of a successful termination. -Oakville's Big Fair Since A. N. Foster, of the Star, was elected president of the Oakville Fair half a dozen years ago it has grown by leaps and bounds. This year shows every indication of surpassing all previous shows. Numerous special events are advertised and the 28th and 29th September, 1914, promise to be the best latter days for Oakville. A special trade will be given from Georgetown on Friday leaving at 6:30, so that visitors from Acton may connect by the regular nine o'clock train. Returning the train will leave Oakville at 6 p. m. -A Potlatch for Other Places Lions Inspector Beckett made the largest haul of the season when he seized sixteen cases of lager beer and three gallons of whiskey at the Central Hotel, Owen Sound. The liquor was piled up against the wall in the back yard, empty barrels, kegs, cases and rubbish giving it an appearance of neglect that had hitherto caused the inspector to overlook it. In its innocent, dilapidated and exposed condition had led the safety of the society, and while the interior of the hotel building was thoroughly searched several times each week, an attention had been paid to the back yard heretofore.

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Esqueuing Fall Fair At Georgetown, Oct. 4th and 5th. LIST OF SPECIAL PRIZES. HORSES, CATTLE, SHEEP, POULTRY, DAIRY, MISCELLANEOUS. WM. CLAVE, President; J. A. TRACY, Secretary.