



Ontario Elections! December 14th, 1911

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The Acton Free Press. THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1911

BRIEF LOCAL ITEMS

Winter's here, evidently to stay. Yes, the lights are running nicely.

The new G. T. R. Station at Guelph will be opened to-day.

The Frank Patton to the end of the year for 10 cents, or to the end of 1912 for \$1.00.

Mr. W. J. Patterson has purchased the main business of Mr. Wm. Scott, Georgetown.

Georgetown High School will hold their annual entertainment on Friday evening, 1st December.

The Free Library now has 308 readers. Those who take out books average about two per month.

Mr. W. H. Wallace, M. A., rector of the Erin and Guelph stage route to Mr. D. McMillan, and moved into Guelph.

Hesseler has organized a company to build a \$5,000 skating and curling rink, to be ready a year from now.

The snow storms interfered seriously with the cutting and filling on the new Beardmore slides during the week.

W. A. Lawrence, Clerk of the Surrogate Court of Halton, has recovered from his serious illness sufficiently to walk out daily.

The letter from "A Citizen" regarding the delinquency of telegraph should have been accompanied by the name of the writer.

The grand bazaar of St. Joseph's Church will be held in the town hall, from Thursday, Nov. 30th to Saturday, Dec. 2nd.

A deputation, representing shareholders of the defunct Farmers Bank, will wait on the members of the Government at Ottawa at noon to-day.

Rev. T. G. Wallace, M. A., rector of St. Paul's Church, Woodstock, formerly of Georgetown, has been called to St. Stephen's Church, Toronto.

The members of the book committee of the Board of Education will go to Toronto to-day to select new books to add to the 3,000 volumes now on the shelves.

Dr. Joe Cullison Eger, of Watford, is one of forty-five candidates who have passed the final examination of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario.

Mr. R. E. Griggs, manager Metropolitan Bank, was called to his home by illness. Mr. H. H. Burling, of Milton, is in present charge.

Williams & Son, Limited, have already moved part of their plant from Irregular in the above factory. They expect to have it all gone by the end of next week and to have it running Dec. 1st - Champion.

Locknow Village Council at its last meeting presented the old town hall to the new Y. M. C. A. to be the headquarters of that organization for as long as the organization desires. It was a magnificent gift and shows in measure the feelings of Locknow and Locknow's council toward the young men of the village. - Sentinel.

Prince Rupert, British Columbia, the Pacific Coast terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, is giving a party, and for a young girl the husband that is now done there is remarkable. During the month of September there were 80 steamers called at the port and 81 departed.

NEWS OF LOCAL IMPORT.

Long Service Kindly Remembered. At the meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church, Erin, last week, Mrs. (Rev.) R. Fowler, who has been the President for twenty-five years, was presented with a complimentary address accompanied with a brass book rack and couple of Browning, Whittier and Wordsworth poems.

Miss Wm High Position. Mr. George Wylie, Passenger Agent of the Illinois Central Railway, Buffalo, N. Y., who was here last week in connection with the burial of the late Percy O. Secord, was a telegraph operator at the G. T. R. Station here forty years ago. He was a popular young fellow in those days, and during his stay here resided with Postmaster Matthews. Mr. Wylie has certainly made good. He occupies a very responsible and lucrative position.

Special Evangelistic Campaign. The communion services in the Methodist Church last Sunday were largely attended. The sermons of Rev. G. D. Draper, pastor, were very effective and appropriate, and a series of special evangelistic services was commenced with the evening service and will be continued each evening for at least three weeks. Earnest addresses are being delivered nightly by the pastor and a full choir under Mr. N. F. Moore, leader, assist in the praise service.

Motor Accident Ends Useful Career. Through the death of Dr. James F. W. How, the eminent Toronto surgeon, who died Sunday afternoon at the residence of Dr. Langstaff, Richmond Hill, not only Toronto, but also the Dominion loses a notable practitioner and scientist, and a progressive public spirited citizen. His death resulted from a motor car accident which occurred on Wednesday morning, while driving to visit a patient at "Cookestown." He was the son of the late Dr. James How, also a notable practitioner of Toronto, and a cousin of Mrs. Thos. T. Moore, Acton.

Returned from the West. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williamson, who went out to Saskatchewan in August, returned last week and spent several days with their friends here. Mr. Williamson was engineer of a threshing outfit in the vicinity of Saskatoon. He says the crops were very good in that section, but the wet weather and frost came before the threshers could get the work well advanced. Fully forty per cent. of the crop remains in stock in the fields unthreshed, and nothing more can be done with it before spring. The spring threshing will make many of the farmers late in getting in their crops.

Sudden Death of John McPherson. On Saturday morning the friends here received the sad news of the sudden death of Mr. John McPherson the day before at his home at Carletonville, Ont. Mr. McPherson was in Acton a few weeks ago attending the funeral of his brother Archibald, and appeared to be in excellent health. Mrs. McPherson and a grown up family of four sons and two daughters survive. He was the son of the late Robert McPherson, Sr., and was well known in Acton. He removed to Michigan thirty years ago, and has prospered in his home there, and enjoyed the high esteem of the community.

A Despicable Accident. At two o'clock on Saturday afternoon Alexander McKendie, who was operating a wringing machine at the Beardmore sole leather tannery, had the misfortune to get his right hand caught between the ponderous rollers. The hand was fearfully crushed and the arm half way to the elbow. Dr. Holmes was called and gave the injured member temporary dressing and took the unfortunate fellow to the General Hospital, Guelph, where an operation was made about four inches below the elbow. Much sympathy is felt here for Mr. McKendie in his terrible loss. He came to Acton from Scotland about eight months ago and has been doing well here, being comfortably settled in a brick cottage on Young Street.

A Former Pastor's Success. It was the great pleasure of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Moore to spend a day or two during the week at the home of Rev. G. W. Barker, and Mrs. Barker, at Woodstock. Mr. Barker is in his third year as pastor of College Avenue Methodist Church in that city and his congregation here have borne fruit. The church is enjoying an era of prosperity which is manifest on all sides, and he and Mrs. Barker live very fully in the affections of the congregation. The Toronto Board is contemplating the erection of a fine new parsonage in the residential section. Mr. Barker has in Woodstock, as he did in Acton, taken a lively interest in the moral welfare of the city and is highly respected for his efforts. They have both a very kindly interest in Acton where they spent four years of happy and useful service, and desired to be remembered to their numerous friends here.

The Methodist S. S. Orchestra. At a meeting of the Orchestra last week Mr. J. C. Hill was elected leader to fill the vacancy caused by the removal of Mr. G. W. Magee to Wingham. Mr. Hill was the first leader of the orchestra and to his ingenuity, care and his capability to surround himself with capable musicians this excellent organization grew in strength in its early days. After conducting it for nearly ten years, Mr. Hill retired from the leadership, still, however, retaining a place as a musician. Mr. Magee succeeded him as leader and with his own personal effort continued the success achieved and from time to time added new players. For years the orchestra has been a most helpful feature of this Sunday School, and the members have taken a foremost place for regularity of attendance and sustained interest as an adult club class. At the meeting above referred to Mr. G. H. Brown was elected assistant leader, Messrs. Hubert Smith and Anson Thurston to the Executive, Mr. J. A. C. Matthews Secretary, Treasurer, and Mr. Earl Brown, Librarian.

Heavy plows and plow repairs, made by hand from W. J. Gordon, the harness snaker, sole agent for this district.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. W. H. Henry, of Toronto, was in town on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. McPherson are visiting friends in Toronto.

Miss Elizabeth Coleman returned home from Cleveland, Ohio, last week.

Mr. Alvin H. Hoad, of Newmarket, is visiting at the home of Mr. John Brown.

Miss Whaley and Miss Henderson, of Toronto, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. W. E. Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Moore spent a day or two at the College Ave. Parsonage, Woodstock, the guests of Rev. and Mrs. Geo. W. Barker, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Hois, of Salem, Oregon, spent a couple of days during the week at the home of Mr. John Brown.

Mrs. Wm. Anderson, Paul St., went to Deckerville, Mich., last week to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. John Henderson.

Mr. Thomas Blacklock, editor and publisher of the Daily Province, Regina, Sask., has been spending a week or two with friends in Nainburg, Ont.

Mr. Blacklock went to the West as a school teacher. The newspaper business attracted him and he has made good in that profession. He is as strong a Conservative as ever.

The County Council Bank Account. The resolution of the County Council passed in September, directing that the good roads account of the county should be transferred from the Metropolitan Bank to the Bank of Hamilton, was rescinded on Tuesday.

The opinion of the majority was that it would be better and more convenient that all moneys should be kept in one bank - Champlain.

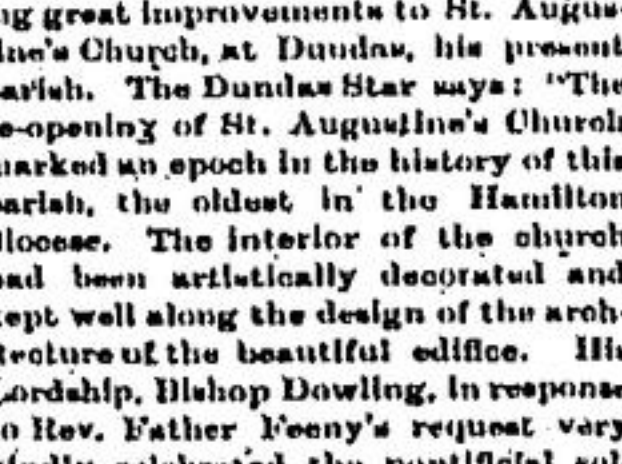
C. N. R. Coming Next Spring. It is likely that active work will begin on several parts of the Canadian Northern programme in Western Ontario as soon as the frost is out of the ground early next year, in the opinion of Sir William Mackenzie, as expressed last week. Sir William also said work would probably commence on the proposed rail extension to Guelph. The route of this new electric road is not definitely known as yet, but it will be a continuation of the Toronto suburban division of the Toronto and York Road, which now terminates little way beyond Weston. It is pretty well understood that this road will run through Acton.

Hydro-Electric for Farmers. During a visit to Oxford County this week the editor had a drive of some twenty miles among the splendid farms of that county in sections where the lines of the Hydro-Electric system traverse. There is quite a movement there on the part of the farmers to secure connection for their farms for lighting residences and barns, and power for the necessary machinery about the barns and outbuildings. The system has been tested, for this purpose on Mr. Prowan's farm about four or five miles south of Ingersoll and is giving entirely satisfactory results. There seems to be a boom in stores for many farmers of the province in the near future.

Funeral of the Late William Rossell. The funeral of the late William S. Rossell took place Monday afternoon at two o'clock from the family residence, 123 Wood Street, Niagara, West Side, Mich., and was largely attended. Rev. Mr. Stark, of the first Presbyterian Church, officiated. The many flowers in the form of wreaths, sprays and appropriate designs testified of the esteem in which the deceased was held, reposed about the casket. Mrs. Rossell and her daughter, Miss Tossie, survive. His brothers are Hiram, of Hamilton, Sask., Kenzie, of Sask., Nathaniel, of Guelph, Ont., and his sisters are Mrs. S. Heals, 21 Prince Street, Chatham, Mrs. J. Simpson, Home for Invalids, London, Mrs. Balthazar, 211 Queen's Avenue, London, Mrs. George Peavy, 3 Hamby St., London and Mrs. G. Harvath, 111 Eliza St., London.

Rev. Father Peasey's Church. Rev. Father Peasey, who was for ten years the esteemed pastor of St. Joseph's Church here, has been making a great improvement in St. Augustine's Church, at Dundas, his present parish. The Dundas Star says: "The re-opening of St. Augustine's Church marked an epoch in the history of this parish, the oldest in the Hamilton diocese. The interior of the church had been artistically decorated and kept well along the design of the architect of the beautiful edifice. His Lordship, Bishop Dowling, on the taste, energy and judgment displayed in the recent improvements to the church and the letter was accompanied by a substantial cheque."

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Mr. R. D. Warren To the Electors

GENTLEMEN: I have accepted the collection of friends to again be a candidate for election to the Ontario Legislature and I am now before you in that behalf. I realize that the office of representative in Parliament is a responsible one - one that calls for conscientious service and some self-sacrifice. I have only to say that if you should favor me with your support, I would in return, if elected, devote myself with energy and faithfulness to promoting the welfare of the Province and County in which we are all so deeply interested.

With best wishes, I am, yours truly, R. D. WARREN. Georgetown, Nov. 15th, 1911.

Pringle Guelph advertisement featuring a Santa Claus illustration and text: 'All Ready for Father and Mother Santa Claus with Everything in the Jewellery Line'.

Stoves and Ranges advertisement: 'This Little Crank In Your Kitchen Saves 20% on Coal'. Features an illustration of a stove and text: 'The Revolver Grate is provided with strong, interlocking teeth that reduce coals to ashes by a single turn. In appearance, in details of finish and design the Chancellor is an ornament as well as a necessity in any kitchen.' Signed R. F. Johnstone, Acton.

The Great Smooth-Tongued TIGER! will perform daily for one week, from FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17th, at Brown's Drug Store - Acton. 'TIGER' will actually cut, without injury, from a ladies' hand, as well as a man's, all kitchen and fruit stains, household, office, ink and factory soil, as well as paint, printers' ink, grease and grime. It is to the hands what a massage is to the face. Be sure and call, as everyone will be presented with a Free Sample Tin, or you can buy a large can for 10c. Follow directions closely. The Tiger Manufacturing Co. Walkerville Ontario.

The RIGHT HOUSE HAMILTON'S FAVORITE SHOPPING PLACE. SEE THE \$25,000 Indian Picture NOW ON EXHIBITION. LAST Wednesday, in a special gallery erected on the Furniture Floor, THE RIGHT HOUSE placed an exhibition, among others, Cooper's celebrated \$25,000 Indian Picture, "The Story of the Evil Spirit." On Wednesday of this week this picture is scheduled to be changed. In its place we shall place on exhibition the large, dramatic picture by the same painter, entitled "The Home Guard." This latter is also an Indian Picture - one which men, women and children will find to be as intensely interesting as a play. Admission is free. An experienced lecturer gives an interesting description of the large picture and of the many smaller paintings which portray Indian life and customs. And on Saturday Next We Shall Bring to a Brilliant Close The Christmas Preparation Sale. This is the greatest pre-holiday merchandise event ever held in the city - a sale of NEW and seasonal merchandise to make room for the rushing Xmas stocks which must be placed on display. Immense savings on things you need for yourself, your home and your children will be possible. Christmas Opening - Including Opening of the Toy Department - Will Probably be Announced on Saturday of This Week. It will also interest the men and women of Acton to know that THE RIGHT HOUSE has opened a circulating library from which at a small fee members may draw the very latest fiction. New books will be continually added. We are starting with about 500. R. R. PARES REFUNDED TEA ROOM IN BASEMENT. Thomas C. Watkins, Limited King and Hughson Sts. HAMILTON, Ont.

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