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Che Acton Free Press.

BRIEF LOCAL ITEMS

-Yesterday was Ash Wednesday. -The Lenten season uponed to-day -Acton certainly wants Hydro-Electric Power.

-The early Spring robin is bei looked for. -Mr. Joseph Gibbourhas purchased the barboring business of W. Parratt. Main Street

-Best are down to 30c., but butter has gone up to ltdr. -The mild weather this weak great

ly reduced the big anow banks. -Guelph's dogs are muzzled again owing to another rabbles scare there -The Orangemen's Ball in the town hall last Friday evening was fairly

well attended. -Yesterday's blizzard was just reminder that Winter has not yet let go its grip entirely.

Rev. Dr. Tovell, of Toronto, will preach at the Methodist anniversary services on Sunday, 3rd March. -The Woodmen Lodge of Acton is preparing for an at home to be held

about the middle of next month. -Baptlet anniversary services next Sanday. Sermons morning and even ing by Rev. Prof. Farmer, of McMaster University:

-Mr. W. Gimson, who fell on the 72nd Year of Wellington Fire Inc. Oc--Plans are under way for the addi-

frost and lack of rain.

meeting on Tuesday evening. R. L. Hemstreet was appointed assessor. W. A. Chapman was re-engaged as thief constable, with the collection of taxes added to his duties and his salary increased to \$50 a month. - Champion

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B. C. : Scattle, Taconia, Wash. ; Portland. Ore. etc., in effect March let to destination the one way settlers' rates should appeal to you. Settlers trains La-Western Canada will leave Toronto 10.20 p.-m. each Tureday during March and April. Bear in mind that the Can- stated, was received : aften Pacific Rallway offers the finest possible equipment and fastest train service. The route is one of the most Mr. Epiron: econic in the world. It is the only line sleepers, also dining care to Winnipeg and Vancouver, with most modern compartment observation library care through the mountains and across Canada on trans-continental trains By travelling C. P. R. you avoid the necessity of changing depote. Dining car service unsurpassed. All equip ment is owned and operated by the C. P. B., affording the highest efficiency. If each a trip is under consideration pely to any C. P. R. agent for full narticulars. Toronto City Office, 16 King Street Bast.

A FAIR CHALLENGE

The following is the copy of a lette town Hookey Club on the date name

Mr. Benham. Manager Georgetown Hockey Club,

CACOUR, ORL. Feb. 19th, 1912.

DEAR SIR; Having tried in vain for the last five weeks to get the Georgetown Wanderere to play us the return game which you owe us, and as you are evidently afraid to give us a date berr. we hereby challenge you to a game on your own los, winners to take the online gate receipts, less the share of the

trigidate if you accept this challenge, Day Yours sincerely.

-W. P. Brown, Manager Anton Hockey Club

CATARRH CANNOT BE CURED with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they sensor confettl and good wishes. The bride's the wine take the many remedies. Highly Out the first is leave in the second second in a second set of the second set of the second second in the second second second in the second sec

NEWS OF LOCAL IMPORT-

St. Patrick's Day-1912 It may surprise the general public to know that Sr. Patrick's Day this year will be observed as a public holi day with an entire coration of luni new, and services in all the churches -It comes on a Sunday.

Winter Meeting Halton Press Aur's Halton Press Association will hole its annual winter meeting at noon to morrow at the Mossop Hotel, Toronto in connection with Cost Congress for Canadian Painters. The members are invited to dine with the President, Mr. J. M. Moore, of the Georgetows

Halton Sunday Behool Council The annual meeting of Halton Hunday School Association Council will be held to-day in the Methodist School room, Milton. Alex. Nuble, Norval, i the President and L. E. Wrinch, Merion, Sectrossurer, Rev. E. W. Halpenny, B. D., and Miss Borth Laine, of Toronto, will deliver address

s both afternoon and evening. Baptist Anniversary Tea The anniversary tea and entertain ment in the Baptist Church under the direction of the choir will be a very enjoyable event. Tea will be served from 6.30 to 8.15, after which the fol lowing galaxy of local entertainers will provide a splendid programme The Methodist Ludies Quartette, the Baptist Male Quartette, Misses Bertle Smith, Kmms Burt, Nellie Williams Margaret Thompson, Mrs. Dr. Holmes,

Misses Lottle and Hazel Mason and

Brampton Grows Under Local Option A despatch in the morning papers on Monday said : "Despite the cry led by the opponents of local option n this town, that the by law is killing trade because the country-ide will not do business in a "dry" town, every Saturday sees a larger number of farmers entering Brampton, and merchants were never more prosperous. The average number of farmers driving late town on Salurdays, one resi dent states, is from five to six hundred an increase of over one hundred dur-

ing the past eighteen months. King's Orderlies Weekly Meeting The King's Orderlies Bible Class is having very enjoyable week-night meetings. Last Wednesday evening again. Rav. C. D. Draper gave a very interesting and instructive talk of a trip to Denver with excursions up Pike's | Guelph, were here on Monday to vote Peak and other notable points in for Hydro-Electric Power. Colorado. Last evening Mr. and Mrs. Sunderland Taylor intertained the members and Mr. Bedoe, of Montreal, gave an entertaining address on "Kxperlences in Algona Mining District." Next Wednesday evening ! Mr.

office one day last week and suffered a of the Wellington Fire Insurance Napanee, the sister of Mrs. Murray Company, Guelph, was held on Wedneeday of last week. The annual retion of a 100 acre farm land, valued at | port showed that this venerable com- | Smith, of Nassagawaya, went to Mono nearly \$10,000, to the acreage of the pany had enjoyed the best year in its Ontario Agricultural College at history. By careful and judicious of Mrs. James Donaghy, mother of the usnegement the Wellington has ladies. carned a most enviable reputation | Misses Kmily and Janie Swanshury Bedlands, Cal., says the weather throughout Canada and the United of Finabury Park, London, arrived on the orange crop suffered seriously from and policy holders gaparally realize a and sister who settled here twelve security in their insurance in the month ago. -Milton Council held an adjourned | Wellington which is very satisfactory. The details of the annual report will impending a few weeks with friends be read with interest.

ods of mining in Colorado.

Free Press Manifestly Appreciated The FREE PRESS subscription department has had very gratifying exparlences the past few weeks. Subscribers are manifesting their confidence in a very practical way. Numbers of subscribers have renewed their If so take advantage of the remark- subsciptions for two or more years, ably low one-way second class colonial and some have sent new subscriptions rates to Nelson, Vancouver : Victoria, for friends slong with their own. of Lake Avenue, terminated on Fri-This has been true not only of local day morning last when he quietly subscribers but of those living at a passed away. April 18th | or if West Canada is your distance, both in Canada and the United States. The climax of this for several months, but was able to very gratifying state of affairs was drive out until about ten days before reached on Saturday evening when his douth, when a general break-down the following letter, with enclosure set in. Mr. Russell was a native of

Ogden, Utali, operating through standard tourist for \$10.00. Please place to my credit on subscription account. Hoping for your continued success and many kind

Yours sincerely ANGUN KENNEDY

. Kennedy's Cale Such evidences of confidence practical kindness are highly appre clated by this journal. Mr. Kennedy is one of Acton's sons who has made good, of whom we are proud. He le brother of Mr. John R. Kennedy, merchant, Mill Street.

MERHOUSE

On Wednesday of last week a ver pratty wedding took place in the Oath olle Church, Georgetown, when Miss Enderby, B. C., and Miss Margaret at MES O'Nelli, GAUFDIEF of James U'Nelli. of Limehouse, was united to marriage to Mr. Edward Farrow, of Hamilton, The caremony was performed by Rev. Father Traynor, of Acton. The bride looked charming in a white velvet dress with white pour trimming and large ploture hat of white beaver. Bbe carried a beautiful bouquet of roses and lily of the valley and was attended ed exceptional ability in the conduct by Miss Alice Farrow sister of the groom. Mr. Kdward Pendfrauest noted as best man. There were a number elder of the Preshyterian Church. of friends and relatives to witness the marriage. After the ceremony the barly the services of Knox Church, guests returned to the home of the rink, Mr. T. Lat, of Milton, to referee, belde, Mr. and Mrs. O'Nelli, where a never accepted any official positions and me player on either team to play dainty | wedding breakfast awaited He was a strong advocate of temperthe has not played at least three them. After all had done ample justice to the good things provided, Father Traylor proposed the health of the bride and groom, which was heartly responded to by all. The presents were numerous and beautiful. The gift of the bride's two brothers was a handsome silver ten service and tray. The

train for points west, amid showers of

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. J. C. Hill, was to Toronto for Mrs. Wilson, of Toronto, is visiting

Mrs. I. G. Matthews visited Toront Mr. Wm. Gurney, of Wingham, w. n town over Sunday.

> Monday with Acted friends. Mrs. H. P. Muore and Mrs. Gray risited friends in thusiph yesterday. Mr. John Williamson, of Burlington, visited ble brother, David last week. Ray, J. Lylnan Cotton, B. A., of foronto, was a guest at Moorecroft. Mr. and Mrs. W. Ganible, George own, visited friends here on Tuneday Mrs. Arthur Smith, of Welland, has been a guest at Fairview Place this

Mrs. R. Algie, of Dunfiville, spen

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williamson, formulo, were with friends here th Mr. E. J. Moore, of Toronto, made

brief visit at Moorcoroft during the Mr. and Mrs. J. H. MacKenzle spent

several days last week with friends at Mr. and Mrs. Murray Homerville left for their home at North Battleford

on Friday. Miss It .. o Lear, of Church Street has been visiting her cousin in Hamil

ton sluon fiaturday. Mrs. Stanbury and Master Douglas of Toronto, were the guests of Mr. and Mesers. D. M. Henderson and Laonard Mrs. A. T. Brown this work. Miss Lone Hayward, who has

> at Battle Creek, Mich., for severnonths returned home last week. Mr. and Mrs. James Bentheps at son "Billy", of Acton, spent Turiday with Georgetown friends. - Herald. Rev. Dr. McTavish, of Toronte, wa the guest of his brother, Mr. A. W. McTavish, while in town this week. Mr. D. A. McDlarmid, of th

Dominon Alliance, was a guest Monreoraft during his stay in town. Miss Annie Wallace returned from the hospital at Guelph on Saturday and le making rapid progress toward

Mr. Lloyd McNell, of the G. T. It. depot, who was off duty through Illness Mesers, R. D. Warren, Georgetown

R. J. Moore, Toronto, and J. T. Kaston, Rev. Geo. W. Barker has received a unanimous invitation to remain the pastor of College Avenue Church,

Woodstock, for a fourth year. Rev. C. D. Draper, Mosers. James Moore, J. P. Scarow and H. P. Moore Chester Matthews will explain meth- attended the County Temperance Conrention at Georgetown on Monday. Mr. William Somerville, of North

The seventy-second annual meeting Battleford, Sask., and Miss Curl, of Somerville, were married yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Carnalian and Mrv. Mills on Monday to attend the funeral

States for safe and honorable dealing February 11th to join their brother

Mr. W. J. McGregor, of Brandon, here. It is twenty-two years since he went to Manitoba but he has returned to visit the scenes of his youth several times. Mr. McGregor has prospered la the West.

THE DEATH OF JOHN RUSSELL Lived Mearly Fifty Years in Krin.

The illoses of the late John Russell, Mr. Russell had been in poor health

Greenock, Lanarkshire, Scotland, He came to Canada with his parents, the February 18th, 1912 late Mr. and Mrs. James Russell, Sr., and they settled on lot two, fifth line. Dear Friend-I enclose bank draft | Rrin. Having grown to manhood's estate he wood and wed Margaret McPherson, daughter of the late John McPherson, of the fifth line, Bequesing, to March, 1907. Their new home was established on lot one, fifth line, Erin, the term now owned by Mr John Barnes. Eight children came to bless the home, but the first four died in infancy. In the spring of 1800 Mr. Russell retired from active farm duties and settled in Acton, A great sorrow came to the family in May of the following year when Mrs. Russell was called to her sternal home. The surviving members of the family are: Dr. John, of New York : Robert, of Medicine Hat, Alta.; William, of character and upright in all his deelings. 256 was a man of strong opinions

was one of whom it could be truthfully said "His word was as good as bis bond." He was a successful man fluencially and was generally known as "Banker John." Mr. Russell show-

of business matters. Mr. Russell was for many years an Ballingfad. He attended most regu-Acton, during his residence here, but ance principles and was a member of the Citizene' Committee which secured Local Option for Acton. He was a life long Liberal but demanded that the representative of this party week ing his suffrage should be a man o

integrity and clean record. The funeral on Monday aftermen was very largely attended. Hev. J. C. Wilson, B. A., conducted the service AUCTION SALE REGISTER

TUESDAY, MARCH 5-Parm Stock and Implements and filelifile, the property of H. R. Wansbrough, let 4. Cob. 7. Brampes, near Crowsons

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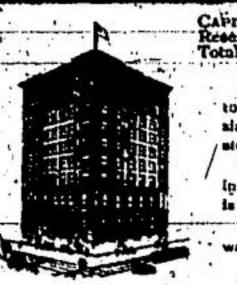
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As for the new Spring Suits, nothing can be said to exaggerate their beauty. We have models at \$22.50 in all wool French Serges, in Navy and Black, very fine appearing Contain semi-fitting style, 25 inches in length, and spleadidly lined. The coltars are very neat and have reveres of self with small breast handkerchief pocket. The skirts have plain one-piece fronts with inverted seams on the side, apron backs and finished with foot pleats allowing freedom in walking. Various grades at special prices.

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