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The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, APRIL 22, 1912

BRIEF LOCAL ITEMS

Next Wednesday will be May day.

Well, this is really more like spring.

Have Hynds attended a meeting of the County Council on Monday.

Now the lawn and meadow areas are beginning to put on a becoming verdure.

Don't you go trout fishing before next Wednesday or the game warden will get you.

Mr. A. G. Clarridge took first prize on his roadster mare at Hillsburg last Friday.

Mr. Neil Patterson has improved his property by fencing in the yard on Mill Street.

"Wind" wrote a little play in school the other day. "Is air when it gets in a hurry."

Mr. Neil Marshall, a well known citizen of Geolph, died suddenly at Portman on Friday.

Hearing the sweet pitter patter of the April rain drops being memories of the pretty May flowers to follow.

Two million men were freed \$10.00 and come each last week, for being drunk while on the prohibited list.

Officer John Harvey has improved his residence on Lake Avenue by the addition of a neat veranda and balcony.

The latest addition to our population is a colony of Macedonians, who came to town last week to work in the tannery.

A meeting of Acton Tennis Club will be held in the Casino, on Wednesday evening at eight o'clock for the election of officers and other business.

The Equipping Co-operative Shipping Association has applied for incorporation, with a capital of \$10,000. Streetcar Station will be shipping point.

Mr. Thomas Brunt, Jr., Toronto, was knocked off his bicycle and run over by an automobile on Friday.

While no bones were broken his injuries are very painful, for being drunk while on the prohibited list.

Eight men and boys were up before the magistrate in Que'p on Monday for bicycling on the pavement. Similar offences in Acton will land offenders in court soon of these five days.

We are sure that all join us in wishing them a happy and prosperous voyage down the stream of life together.—Hertsey Star.

Acton Ad Club

Mr. Adam F. Smith, Secretary of Toronto Ad Club, visited Acton last Friday and organized Acton Ad Club.

The officers elected are: President—E. A. McLean; Vice-President—H. M. Henderson; Secretary—Thomas D. P. Moore; Directors—W. A. Storey and A. T. Brown. Some of the purposes of this modern organization are to develop the science and art of advertising; to mutually assist buyers of advertising; to furnish to members from time to time important and useful information in bulletins and by other means; to expose fraudulent schemes and their perpetrators; and to endeavor to harmonize conflicting interests. Acton Ad Club is affiliated with the Associated Advertising Clubs of America and will be represented at the convention at Dallas, Texas, next month.

Wedded at Swan Lake

The home of Mrs. Alf Flack was, on Tuesday, April 9th, the scene of a pretty home wedding when her sister, Miss Mary McDermid, was married to Mr. W. A. Lawson. The marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. O. Balston. The bride, who was unattended, wore a very pretty frock of biscuit-colored mousseline with green and white ribbon and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. Beautiful blooms of the same flower were also used to decorate the table. After the young couple had received the congratulations of their friends, a delectable breakfast was served, and Mr. and Mrs. Lawson left on the east bound train for Qu'Appelle, Sask. The bride, on leaving, carried a very large gift with a blue marquisette blouse-ave white silk and a tuxedo (tan) of similar with a willow plume. Quite a number gathered at the station to see them off and to wish them all happiness and prosperity in their future life together. Only immediate friends and relatives were present at the ceremony, amongst whom were Mr. and Mrs. McLean, and Mr. and Mrs. Neil McDermid, of Stephentown, and Mrs. J. B. Flynn and the Misses Palmer, of Tupper. Mr. Lawson spent his honeymoon days in Acton and his busy friends here wish him every congratulation.

NEWS OF LOCAL IMPORT.

The Assessment Roll of 1912

Assessor Harvey has completed the work on the assessment and the new roll for 1912, which being comprehensive is also a work of art. It is most legible, clean and well-arranged. The total assessment is \$421,345, over \$200,000 more than last year. There are 471 children of school age in town. The deaths last year numbered 20 and the deaths 23. There are 61 dogs in town.

Acton in Qu'Appelle Football League

At a meeting of the Qu'Appelle Football Association Monday evening two representatives appeared from Acton and asked for admittance into the league. This was granted, and the league now consists of four teams: Taylor-Forbes, Sons of England, Pagan-Harvey and Acton. A meeting will be held on Friday night, when a schedule will be drawn up. The match will be played by Falling Link.

While filling a tree in his bush one day last week, Mr. Hugh McDougal, of Erin, had a narrow escape. A branch limb from another tree fell and struck him on the head of the head of his head.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Storey, of Erin, who have a daughter, Mrs. M. S. Cory, reside at Erin, Ont.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Rebecca Arthur left this week for Regina, Sask.

Mr. Thomas Veen left on Monday on a trip to the west.

Miss Mary Smith, Toronto, is a guest at "Falling Link."

Mrs. John McPherson, of Carletonville, Mich., visited Acton friends.

Mr. Halston Brown is home from Victoria University, Toronto.

Mrs. A. T. Brown spent a day or two this week with friends in Toronto.

Mrs. Geo. Dill and Master Eugene McPherson visited T. with friends.

Mr. W. E. Fuchs and daughter, of Geolph, visited Acton friends this week.

Miss Minnie Hunt, of Toronto, attended the funeral of Mrs. Vincent on Tuesday.

Mrs. Josie Gram, of Toronto, was here this week attending the funeral of Mrs. George Vincent.

Mr. T. H. Muller has passed his examination in the Science Course at Queen's University, Kingston.

The Champion says that Rev. Mr. Hauck has improved somewhat since the operation in Buffalo Hospital.

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