PRANE -In Massageways, on Halanday, 'August ted, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Prant, a son. COLLETY-At Eglington, on Wadnasday, July 20th, to Mr. and Mrn. Horman Collett, a non-August, to Mr. and Mrs. H. Brant Husehham or. a pop-Armand Wanner-At 1361 Balburat Street, Tornata on Wednesday, 6th Angust, to Mr. and Mrs M. Warme a daughter.

MeGill-&t Healt Ste. Merie, Out such July, to Mr. and Ma Vancouver, B. C., a squ.

DIED. McLean-At Georgetown, or Wednesday, August 6th, William McLeod, aged 74 years. McGittle-Al Henlt bio. Marie. Out , on Tuesda. Mtb July. the infant sen of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McGill, Vansouver. Banpuneou-On Hunday, August 2rd, at the sidence of his oon, Mr. J. H. Handston, A\_ to bie with year. Parishene, "Brightedde" Guelgis, Angel Indoved wife of R. F. Maddank, Rey. day, July Mth. Jane, wife of Jumes Hume, of

Masse, Steatherly, on Heinrichy, July With. Marry Campbell, younger set of Ser. W. M. Marry Campbell, younger set of Ser. W. M.

## The Acton Free Press

TRURSDAY, AUGUST 7, 1913 BOITONEAL HOTES

GOVERNMENT STATISTICS show that so far in the present flecal year total Canadian trade is about 10 per cent. about of last year. During the month of June aggregate foreign trade was \$93,800 852, an increase over June, 1912 of \$7,043,267, or 8 per cent. For three months ended June 30th, the total trade of all sorts was \$358,130,779, an Increase of \$20,918,075, or R.8 per cent.

"Wrrst a clearing financial sky, the promise of abundant crops, and better rallway facilities to move those crops, Canada need not be pessimistic," declared Sir Donald Mann, on his arrival at Winnipeg after a western tour of inenection. "Crops in Alberta, Saskatchawan and Manitoba are looking magnificent. Railways this fall will be much better able to handle grain than last year."

WORD comes from Ottawa tha among the Government measures be submitted to the Dominion Parlia ment pert session will be a Redistribu tion Bill, necessitated by the late census. We are told the lower provinces stand to loss a few seats and Ontario likewise, while the West will gain correspondingly. Both Toronto and Montreal will be entitled to more members some people think Toronto will get two more representatives.

ONE of the greatest projects luitiat ed by Sir James | Whitney for the development of the province was commenced this week, by the passage of an order-in-council appointing Churles A. Magrath, C. R., William A. Mo-Lean, C. R., and A. M. Rankin mem bere of the new public roads and highways commission: These commissioners will investigate and study all matters relating to the construction and maintenance of public roads and highways. An initial expenditure of \$10,000,000 is proposed.

THE MISCARRIAGE of the scheme for the proposed abos factory will have the effect of uniting our business men and leading citizens into closer relation. ship for po-operation for the betterment of Acton's business interests. Dwing to the rapidly increasing land values and the consequent enhance ment of rentals and taxation sumerous factories in Toronto are looking out for eitles in towns adjacent to the city where they may remove their busicases. Acton is admirably situated for these and an alert Oitisens' Committee or Board of Trade will be on the qui vive to secure any such as may

## OBITUARY

MRS. STEPHEN MATTERWS After an illness of nearly a year Mrs. Stephen Matthewe departed this life at St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph, on the 30th July. She was a patient ouf farer, a Ohristian believer, and her great sorrow in bidding adieu to the affairs of this life was in parting with her sorrowing husband and children She was the daughter of the late Stephen Coon and was born at Orewson's Corners fifty years ago. She was married to her husband twenty-four years ago last May. Five children survive, Jessie, Carey and Clarence in Acton, Florence in Stratford, and Mrs. R. Hawes in Portland, Oregon. Mrs. Matthews was a member of the Baptist Church. The funeral was held last Friday to the family burying ground at the fifth line, Requesing. The service was conducted by Rev. Howarth, and her three brothers, Willam, Heman and Isalah and three cousins, Enoch Wissell, John P. Worden and T. P. Martin were the pall

## ROCHWOOD

The Hydro-Electric system was

on Monday.

Mrs. Strange, widow of the late birthday last Saturday. A humber of friends and neighbors call to extend or counsel. congratulations. Mrs. Strange to Rockwood's oldest resident, and has When it has been completed the The following are approximately lived in the village for 75 years. She County Council will have a haste for the losses and 'Insurance: 'Steele & came bere as a bride of fifteen years, equalisation arrived at by the actual | Foster carried \$15,000 stock of which Among the gueste who called during consideration of the rolls, not by ar part was saved; their insurance is the day, was Mr. John Ramsay, who rangement or compromise. All the about \$11,000. J. A. Stevens, boots was the first male child to be born in assessors, too, may be expected to and shoes, had approximately \$4.500 these parts, and it is most interesting | work on a uniform plan, that of assess- worth of goods, some of which were to listen to these two nonagenarians ing all property at its approximate saved; insurance \$2,000. S. Riddler, indulging in reminiscences of the sarly | cash value. This will be well worth | Queen's Hotel, had \$1,000 on the condays when this village was named all the time and money expended." "Brotherstown," so named by the first pettlers who were a party of Friends who came, saw the wonderful possibilities of the place and settled here. It was the late "Squire" Strange, who died about ely years ago at the age of 97 years, who changed the name to

Bookwood. MASSAGAWEYA

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Storey have returned home after spending a few days with friends in Detroit. Mr. Joseph McLaughlin, of Guelph. ment Sunday with his parents here.

On Saturday evening, August 2nd, spent the week-end with Mr. D. M. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Frank were presouted with a son. Mr. William Bell, who her been !! tross liver tropolic furname time, went to Guelph Rospital this week, He is in a critical openition.

tion-Miss Howie Appleinted CURRENT REPRESENTATE VEAR

Three are busy days for the Board I Education. With the attention required in placing contracts for the led and extended beating system, new school furniture, blackboards, etc., the resignations of spembers of the teaching staff and advertising and considering applications for the vacancies, meetings are frequent and time and attention are almost constantly being demanded at meetings and out of

moothly And getting into/shape for the re-opening the first of next month the resignation of Miss Humphries, who has done such excellent work as Principal Stewart's assistant in the Continuation School, was received, to

the general regret of the floard. A few days later Miss Robertson, who had been re-engaged for another year, wrote that a vacancy having occurred to ber own home school, and being offered the position, she meighed her Acton engagement to scoopt. Advertisements were inserted in the

daily papers and in response thirty seven qualified applicants sent in requests for the position. For the other positions the number of applicants were less numerous. Miss Mabel F. Howle, of Toronto.

has been engaged as assistant in the Coutlingston School. She holds a permanent first-class certificate and

has been secured. For the Public School vacancies Miss Veda McPherson, of Kincardine, has been secured, and at a meeting on Fritoo, and Miss Gladye Wilson, Hamilton, were chosen. Acceptances have not, however, been received from the

At the mosting on Friday evening the Committee on Finance presented their eleventh report and recommend ed payment of accounts as follows: 

Mail Printing Co., advertising for teachers ...... 3 84 The Committee also presented the

estimates of receipts and expenditures for the year as follows: Legislative Grant to Continuation School...... 8554.03 County Grant, to Continuation School ..... Legislative Grant to Public

Oontinuation School Free .... Beardmore & Co., non-resi-Amount required to be levied by municipal amount 4,000.00 EXPENDITURES

Sapplies ..... Contingencies ...... The estimates were adopted and the Secretary instructed to requisition the Municipal Council for the som of

Repaire . .....

Interest on borrowed money

S4,600.

HIGHER ASSESSMENTS LIKELY

The Board then adjourned.

THE EQUALIZATION APPEAL The enquiry by Judge Elliott Into he assessments of the towns and townships of the County was resumed or

Tuesday. Respecting the investigations of las week the Champion saver "Deputy Judge Elliott began the equalization of the esessement of the Halton municipalities on Monday, in accordance with the appeal of Nassagawaya against the figures adopted by the County Council.

All the members of the Council except Reeve Smith, of Burlington, were

Oakville had not only Roove Poster as a representative, but W. A. Ohisholm; barrister, as sounsel. Crown Attorney Dick was counsel for the appollants. All the clerks and all the special work on hand, having been still. subposesed by the appellants, the clerks to produce the assessment roll

bow they did their figuring. Nassagawaya and Acton were conmade until next Tuesday on account of appointments this week which would

The work is being done thoroughly, fice.

BALLINAPAD Mr. and Mrs. R. McKnery, Galt

spent the week-end with Mr. D. Me Ma Faruell. Toronto, spent a few days with his brother, Postmaster Miss Robinson, Grand Valley, is

Boy, W. Malean is spending this week with Priobde at Orangeville.
Mrs. George Dampbell and her nines.
Mis. July Kerr visited G. C. Campbell at Maples From last week.

MISS HUMPHRIES HAS RESIGNED THE BASE BALL TOURNAMENT

ere and Seniore Played BASE BALL LOVERS PLEASED

The Civic Holiday base ball matches arranged for by several of the leading local base ball enthusiasts, were parked success from the standpoint of

Two Toronto teams, Wychwood and Dentral Neighborhand, were arranged to play against the local teams. game in the morning, called for was farted nearly on time. It was played on a very close margin and two until the fifth innings when Wychwood bearily, placing them a nouple of runs in the lead, this lead was not long maintained, the acton team rallying again and defeat ing Wychword by a final score of 10-6 The game at times was somewhat axiting, even breaking forth into rather violent fistig disputs over an alleged misplay. Both batteries work-

The game in the afternoon, at two clock, while not exciting the same aterest by close scoring, was keenly followed by the spectators. Waddell pitched this game until the fifth nings. In this Innings, while betting, he was accidently hit on the bead by s pitched ball, which rendered him capable of continuing the game in the pitching box. Mac Smith pitched the final innings, delivering excellent ball. Auton won by score of 8-1.

Reidently the effort of the games was a little too much for the dignation: "It is true I am younger, local team, as the third and last game resulted in a complete walk-off for High School assistant's certifi- Wychwood. Apparently the ball cate. She has had five years' expert | sermed bound to lay someone out. A eace in teaching, two of which were drive direct from one batter, hit Baxin Teeswater Continuation School. ter, the Acton pitcher, on the back of Her testimonials are of a very high the head. He gamely finished pitchcharacter and the Board feels that in ing through to the ninth lanings. The the injured brothers bowing me out the appointment of Miss Howie a very game, however, was early irretralvably | with looks of thunder."-London Stand worthy successor to Miss Humphries flost, the score in the ninth innings and. E-51 fe uniboate

Both teams, on account of the hotels being reticent about accommodating them, were served with meals in the day evening Miss Amy Jardine, Mil- Methodist Church by the ladies of the

> THE SHOE FACTORY PROJECT the Proposal Made Last Week MR. DUNFORD HAS RETURNED

> > TO STRATFORD

The proposition to establish a factory or the manufacture exclusively of elk hose, made by Mr. W. C. Dugford, of Stratford, and later of Milton, will not be entertained by the authorities for

The Citizens' Committee found, after making careful suguiries at Stratford and Milton, that there were difficulties n the way. Misunderstandings had arisen between the Milton Shoe Company and Mr. Dunford, who had engaged with them last spring, and both Dunford and members of the company allege non-fulfillment agreements entered late. The com-135.00 pany dialms the orders for the \$35,000 worth of alk shoes shown at the meet ing of the Council here are their property. Dunford, on the other hand, disputes the right of the Milton Shoe Company to use the name of the Dunford Rik Shoe under which all the

> ordere were taken. Under the circumstances the Olthens Committee felt that they could not recommend the Council to proceed with the negotiations or take any steps toward submitting the By-law to authorise the issue of debentures. This outcome is much regretted here, as the proposition was very

Mr. Dunford has returned to Stratford and will fill his orders from the

favorably entertained by electors of

\$50,000 FIRE AT ERIN VILLAGE

Bootlon Wiped Out Bunday Moraing FIRE STARTED IN BOTEL SHED

tory of Rrin Village, occurred at an early hour Sunday morning. A great entirely wiped out. The blaze started In the rear of the Queen's Hotel in an When discovered the fire had gained

such beadway that it looked for a time as though most of the buildings around were doomed. The men of the place turned out as a bucket brigade, and put up a spleadid fight for their little town, and by dist of hard work the flames were finally brought to a stand-

Apart from the efforts of the men with buckets, the only other fire fightof 1912 and the assessors to explain or was a gasoline oughe, which did great service, and helped to save many of the buildings which were threatensidered on Monday and Nelson, George ed. For a time it looked as though town and part of Kequesing, on Tues | several other places would go. That day, after which an adjournment was need of a modern fire-fighting equipment was very clearly seen.

The Anglican Church was on fire prevent the attendance of the Judge several times, but hard work on the part of the fire fighters saved the edi-

tents of the hotel. The building is owned by Mr. McDonald, of Toronto. Blackwood & Homer, who also suffered to some extent, had no locurance,

Most girls are fond of a good. pay good money for it.

by local applications, as they cannot reach the wishing her either, Mrs. W. McKnery.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McMillan and Manter John, Norvel, spent a day last
week with Mr. R. Kerr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McLean, Toronto,
ment the week-and with Mr. D. MoFruite of Maxica.

Mexico is the fruit peradice. Fruits sever theurd of his the handreds of pillions who live in the temperate tones grow there in profusion, and Acapulco, on the Pacific slope, is persales the garden apot of it all. It is soled for the great quantity of inlirenous varieties which grow sponaperualy. With the exception of some indifferent cultivation of coccenuts and benenes everything also grows wild

Of the fruits known in the United States this district alone produces besans, orangos, plucapples, mangoes, imes and lemons. And here are a law more of other varieties pover sees bove the border line: Toronjas, a speon of grapefruit, the aguacate, pe ays, guaysho, chico, zapote, mamey, lama, anopo, granada, calmita, cartaens, meson, wamuche, liceme, tama dado, nanche, bulcon, kracos, almendra (almond), ciruela (plum), and un doubtedly many others.

But so indifferent are the natives to their possibilities that nothing is exported except the lime and its prodncts. - Exchange. Made Two Fees With One Blotch.

Scutari in Albania is needlessly conrused with its namesake on the Bospoalways spelled and pronounced Skodra, except in western Europe. Edward Lear, the painter who invented "Limericks," had a quaint adventure here. He had made a drawing of his host in Brodra costume when a younger brother of the model came in and wanted to be sketched. Lear for tack of paper was obliged to make a smaller portrait of him on the same page. Thereupon the younger exclaimed in a fury of in-Why do you act so insultingly?" Before the amaned artist could apologise to win my esteem by a compliment "I had made two enemies by one sketch.

How to Got Ruge Cleaned. Rhe told the agent for the vacuum cleaner that she really did intend to buy one, but could not deckle which to choose. It was at this time that auother agent, for another vacuum cleaner, rame around the corner of the porth side home. An argument ensued.

"This closuer, is nickel plated; it is light and compact, the rubber is the best vulcanised"-"My machine, lady," interrupted the second agent, "Is the lightest and most durable machine on the market.

reappeared with a Fug.

"We shall see now which is the bet ter." she said. Ton minutes later the excused berself again and entered the bouse with a spotless rug. Two agents shook hands and awore they would "uever tell"-Indianapolla Nows 4

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E STANCEMAN.

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Brupeles Matteres And Parce CARD OF THANKS

Tolk thanks of Mrs. Alaxander Rassphaw is a hereby publicly given to the executive and members of the Acton Ledge of the Scene of Seathand for their fraternal hindress and sympathy at the funeral of her hashand, the late Alexander Hamshaw, and for the prompt payment of the amount of the policy for which the deseated yes impared.

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N w house, well situated, electric lighted, all N marriy papered. Three bedresses, hath-rooms and hall upstairs. Furlessy disable seems littehes, hall and pastry and summer Ettehes. Head dry celler with seemed theor, shekers with three pastry and sink in hitches. Apply for terms to

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MUNICIPALITY OF THE VILLAGE OF ACTON ATOTION is hereby given that I have trans

milited or delivered to the persons man-tioned in Hea. 8 of the Ontario Veters' Liet Act, the espice required by said Section to be us transmitted or delivered of the list, made person ant to said Act, of all persons appearing by the heat revised Assessment Reli of the said maniel-pality, to be estitled to rate in the said manielpality, to be entitled to rate in the unid municipality at elections for members of the Legislative Assembly and at Municipal Elections; and that the mill flat was first peaked up at my office at the Town Hall, Acton, on the lith day of July 1913, and remains there for inspection.

And I besselvy call upon all voters to take bemadicion proceedings to have any arress or contested corrested according to law.

Dated this lith day of July, 1913.

A. J. MACKINNOM.

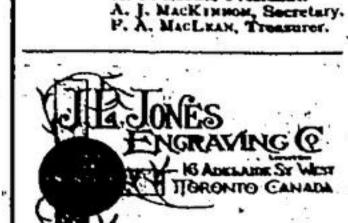
Acton Board of Trade BURINESS MEN'S MIRITISS

A meeting of all business men and citizens' interested in Acton's progress will be held in the Council Chamber TO NIGHT

Chair taken at 8.15.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 7th for the purpose of re-organizing Acton Board of Trade, electing officers and appointing committees to consider matters of interest to Acton's progress. If you are interested in Acton con

H. P. Moone, President.



EXECUTORS **AUCTION SALE** Valuable City, Town and Farm

The undersigned has received instructions from the Executors of the estate of the late Puter Sayers to sell by Public Auction, subject to receive hid, in the Winter Pair Building, Guelph, on BATURDAY, AUGUST 16th, 1913 

PAROME III—Valuable EX nore farm, being lot M, son, 6, in the town-hip of Manageways. Upon the premiess is erroted a large bank barm and heg yes. There are 120 corn cleared, and the balance timber land. It is well watered by

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PARCEL V—This is a brick beliefing, mitable for meablice whop or blackmatch abone. It is absented on the corner of Port Avenue and Mill Rt. is the village of Asten. This is very destrible property, in an establish state of paperty, in an establish state of paperty, in an establish state of paperty, and at

TERMS-Ton per coul, of purchase t