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The Action Free Press
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BRIEF LOCAL ITEMS

Labor Day, Monday, 7th September.
Send the Free Press to the alcoves.

Georgetown ratepayers will pay 20 mills this year.

Boats of England excursion to Niagara Falls on Saturday.

—Gates raised about \$1,000 for the Hospital Fund.

The last Tuesday half-holiday of the month.

Good morning! Have you renewed your Free Press subscription?

The price of wheat and flour remain about the same this week as last.

Our first contingent of soldier boys to respond to the call to arms is gone.

The local tomato crop is now ripening well and will be quite above the average.

Corn roads will now be popular again for social evening gatherings of the young folks.

\$3,018.91 is the estimated cost of maintenance of Georgetown High School this year.

The rain on Sunday came somewhat unexpectedly, but it was nevertheless welcome.

Very favorable comments are made by drivers over the new Young and Queen Street roadways.

The rains are more frequent now. The root crop and fall pastures are being much benefited.

The grain crop is now nearly all housed and the threshers are at the height of their busy season.

The Toronto Lime Company is erecting an additional draw kiln of latest improved pattern at Dally's Vardon.

The papers are eagerly sought upon arrival of every train from the city these days for the latest war news.

Over 160 men have volunteered for the war in Halifax. Among them Dr. A. W. Nixon M. P. P., Georgetown.

Action Fair not only has a most attractive program of prizes but the fine special list ever offered here.

The Council is continuing to give Church Street a coating of broken stone and have the staves roller consolidate it.

The members of the Daughters of the Empire in Action are Mrs. C. H. Smith, Mrs. Hardinge, Misses Ruby Clark and Florence Holmes.

Osgoode's tax rate has been struck at 20¢ mills, and the Sun says even a break will not let the Council out with a clean sheet for the year.

—Lost—On Saturday a blue colored centrepiece, embroidered in blue and green. Reward will be rewarded by leaving at Mr. P. McLean.

Oakville's Board of Health has given notice to the citizens that water must be boiled before using it, on account of a break in the intake pipe.

Owing to the rather unpropitious weather the attendance at the Baptist Sunday School Picnic in Warren Park on Tuesday was mercifully attended.

Excavations for the new Wonderland Theatre building on the Second property on Mill Street have been made and the stones foundations are now being put in.

—Save of the local volunteers were home last evening. From them we learn that the regiment has received orders to leave for Val Cartier this morning.

—Ontario Government is to spend a thousand dollars in repairs to Oakville harbour. This will go to get rid of the town as rapidly as possible. —News.

The Action crossroad is now graded and turned out from the end of the new Queen Street macadamized section over to the fifth line. It will shortly be macadamized.

Surveyors are at work on the proposed Toronto-Hamilton highway. They reached Oakville last week. It is proposed to raise Aberdeen Bridge about 15 feet to lower the grade.

The running of the electric road through Action has made considerable work for the telephone and electric companies. Higher rates have been put in at all street crossings to take the wire.

Camp Simcoeau, on the "Brockway," has sheltered a many group of young folk the past week. They are enjoying their holidays and incidentally entertaining friends to tea occasionally.

The first eggs we have seen for some time was brought to the Free Press the other day by Mrs. J. H. Denby, Queen Street. It was laid by a Leghorn which weighed four ounces, and measured 5½ inches in circumference.

—Mr. William Frank has brought in the finest sample of oats on the stall exhibited here. They are over six feet in height and the heads are unusually heavy. They were grown by Mr. Wm. Bennett, on Mr. Frank's farm in Nassau.

DEFENSIVE CANNOT BE CURED
by legal action, as they cannot be removed from the body. There is only one way to cure defensive, and that is by constitutional remedies. Defensive is caused by an inflamed condition of the membranes of the nose and throat. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Defensive is the result, and the only way to remove it is to take out and this tube restores to normal condition, bearing will be destroyed for a while cause out of ten are caused by Constitutional Remedies.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Defensive (caused by catarrh) that can be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Head for circulation from W. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure for constipation.

NEWS OF LOCAL IMPORT

Want to Ottawa Monday Evening
Mr. D. Henderson, M.P., left on Monday evening to Ottawa to attend the special session of Parliament. He was accompanied by Mrs. Henderson.

Orders to Local Factories
Berlin and Waterloo have received \$100,000 worth of business in Government orders for regimental equipment. Action Tanning Company has also large orders for army belts and saddle leather.

Business Changes Reported

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Rice, having decided to retire, have disposed of their grocery business to Mr. J. R. Livingstone—a bright young man determined to make the business a continued success.

Opening the Artillery

By the action of the Artillery on Monday the three men in police patrol duty at the armories, who had enlisted for the war, had to be relieved.

These men are now listed by Pro. M. Collier, Peter Lang and Peter Bellford.

Attractively Decorated Store

The most attractively decorated store in honor of the soldiers' departure on Monday was that of Brown Drug Store. The colors of Great Britain, France, Belgium and Russia were gracefully intertwined, surrounding the portraits of the brave boys who were leaving for the war.

Some England Excursions

The Sons of England excursion to Niagara Falls will be held on Saturday, 22nd August. The excursion train will leave Guelph at 10 a.m. to soen at 1 p.m. The fare for the round trip is \$2.25 for adults and \$1.25 for children. Tickets may be secured from G. T. R. agents and members of the Committee.

Hospital Worked for Toronto

On Saturday evening, August 12th, at Broadview Presbyterian Church, Toronto, Miss Alice M. Coleman, daughter of Mrs. Win. Anderson, Peel Street, Action, and Philip H. Revoe, were united in marriage at the Rev. James Scott. The happy couple left later for an extended trip through the Northwest. They will visit Chicago and other points en route. When they return they will reside in Toronto.

The New Registry Office

On account of the financial situation created by the war the leaders for the building of the new registry office were not opened at Tuesday night. The opening was postponed to the 23rd inst., when the Council will meet again. By that time it may be known whether the necessary funds can be raised by the sale of debentures. Whether this can be done the matter will be laid over until next year.—Champion.

Construction Trials at Work Sunday

It is reported that the construction trials of the new electric road was at work last Sunday in conveying supplies over the line. This will not be permitted. It is a distinct violation of the laws of the Dominion.

When the contractors were reconstructing the Beardmore sidings they tried Sunday work but were promptly informed by the authorities that such work was actionable and legal steps would be taken if it were persisted in. It is hoped there will be further instruction of the law in this regard.

Worship Attended by War

The breaking out of the war is effecting business and industries everywhere. In Milton the employees of the screw factory have been cut down to seven hours per day with Saturday off. The brick making plants have a good deal of work ahead of them, but many large ovens have been cancelled and on that account some hands have been discharged, others are not working full time and, in at least one, wages have been reduced. The men have accepted the reduction without complaint, realizing that could not be avoided.—Champion.

The New Government Building

The contractors are laying the hardwood floors and finishing up the wood work of the new Post Office and Court House. The tile flooring has been laid, the plasterers are well advanced with their work and the electricians have all their machinery installed but the putting up of the fixtures; the cut stone steps at the front entrance and cement platforms and steps at side and rear are completed, and the painters are following up the work of the other trades rapidly. The building should be completed and ready for opening to the public by the first of October.

Inaptitude at the Taxmen

About one o'clock on Saturday morning a fire broke out in the stores department of the Action Clothing Company which threatened for a few moments to sweep the building.

The tannery vehicle that had started fire was followed by the sounding of the fire alarm at the town hall. In the meantime strenuous work was very well done by the employees and in less than ten minutes the fire was extinguished. The fire broke the steam engine and hose as far as Church Street, but a messenger notified them that their services were not required.

The fire's origin is unknown.

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PERSONAL AND TRAVEL NOTES

ACTON CONTINGENT ENTRAINED ON MONDAY

All the men enlisted in Halton County are Mobilizing at George- town

EXPECT TO LEAVE FOR QUEBEC TO-DAY

Acton has sent her contingent of brave volunteers to serve where required in the defense of the empire, during the duration of the war.

As the soldiers marched from the armories to the G. T. R. station on Monday afternoon the realities of the situation began to be realized by citizens generally.

The streets were lined with people and good wishes for success and safety were expressed on all sides.

The following men were sworn in on the parole of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police on Saturday afternoon by H. P. Meekin, J. P., their names being as follows:

Cor. Steiner, Hanover, 37 years.

Sgt. Egan, 35 years.

Cpl. Lame, 44 years.

Sgt. Linn, 37 years.

Cpl. F. W. Lane, 29 years.

Sgt. Fred White, 26 years.

Sgt. James Ginn, 19 years.

Cpl. David Bouchard, 19 years.

Sgt. A. Wenzel, 21 years.

Cpl. J. R. Richardson, 20 years.

Sgt. G. Green, 20 years.

Sgt. F. Whiting, 20 years.

Sgt. John Kinnish, 27 years.

Sgt. F. Bourne, 21 years.

Sgt. R. Simpson, 21 years.

Sgt. W. H. Ward, 19 years.

After the swearing in the recruits addressed the men briefly, complimenting them upon their bravery in volunteering at a time when the King was welcoming the services of his over-zealous soldiers, and expressing the confidence that every member of the contingent would give a good account of themselves as men as well as defenders of the empire.

Councillor Brown then photographed the men, and their afternoon drill then proceeded.

On Sunday morning Col.-Sgt. Harwood marched the squad to St. Alan's Church for the church parade. Most of the members attended the Sunday school in the afternoon and in the evening were at the service in York Church.

Mrs. Pearl Moore, of Guelph, has been hollidaying with relatives in Town during the week.

Miss Anna Rogers, of Frelton, is hollidaying at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Johnston.

Rev. Father Feeny, of Dundas, was here on Tuesday renewing the friendship of former days.

Rev. and Mrs. Howard and daughter with Port Eighty this week.