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ACTON ONTARIO

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BRIEF LOCAL ITEMS

Saw logs are coming in freely now.
Coal is still at a premium in Acton.
St. Valentine's Day parties are now being arranged.
Knox Church anniversary next Sunday.
Rev. Dr. R. P. McKay will preach.
The weather the past week has not shown many indications of an early winter.
The annual congregational meeting of Knox Church will be held this evening at eight o'clock.
The snowfallers are having merry times these days. There is no lack of snow for their recreation.
The Danes of the Empire are arranging for a church party at the town hall on St. Valentine's night, 14th February.
House rents have an upward tendency just now. Acton requires at least twenty-five new houses of modern style with conveniences.
The high winds last week drifted some of the roadways. The rural mail carriers had difficulty in getting over their routes for several days.
The Public Library seems to be growing more and more popular. The demand for books these winter nights is greater than ever before.
Mr. L. B. Shroyer, the new manager of the Merchants Bank, arrived yesterday, and is rapidly getting acquainted with the bank's customers.
A successful social evening in the interest of St. Joseph's Church was held at the home of Mrs. Geo. Mulholland, Dublin, on Monday evening.
Mr. Nelson H. Gordon has leased the new brick house at the corner of Mill and Frederick Streets, now being completed by Mr. Alex. Crawford.
Acton offers great opportunities just now to men of means who will erect new houses. The new factory will require a number early next Spring.
The annual meeting of Halton Fire Insurance Company will be held at the head office, at the Town Hall, Acton, next Monday, 29th inst., at 1:30 o'clock.
The annual meeting of the Presbyterian Church will be held at the head office, at the Town Hall, Acton, next Sunday, in consideration of the anniversary services in Knox Church.

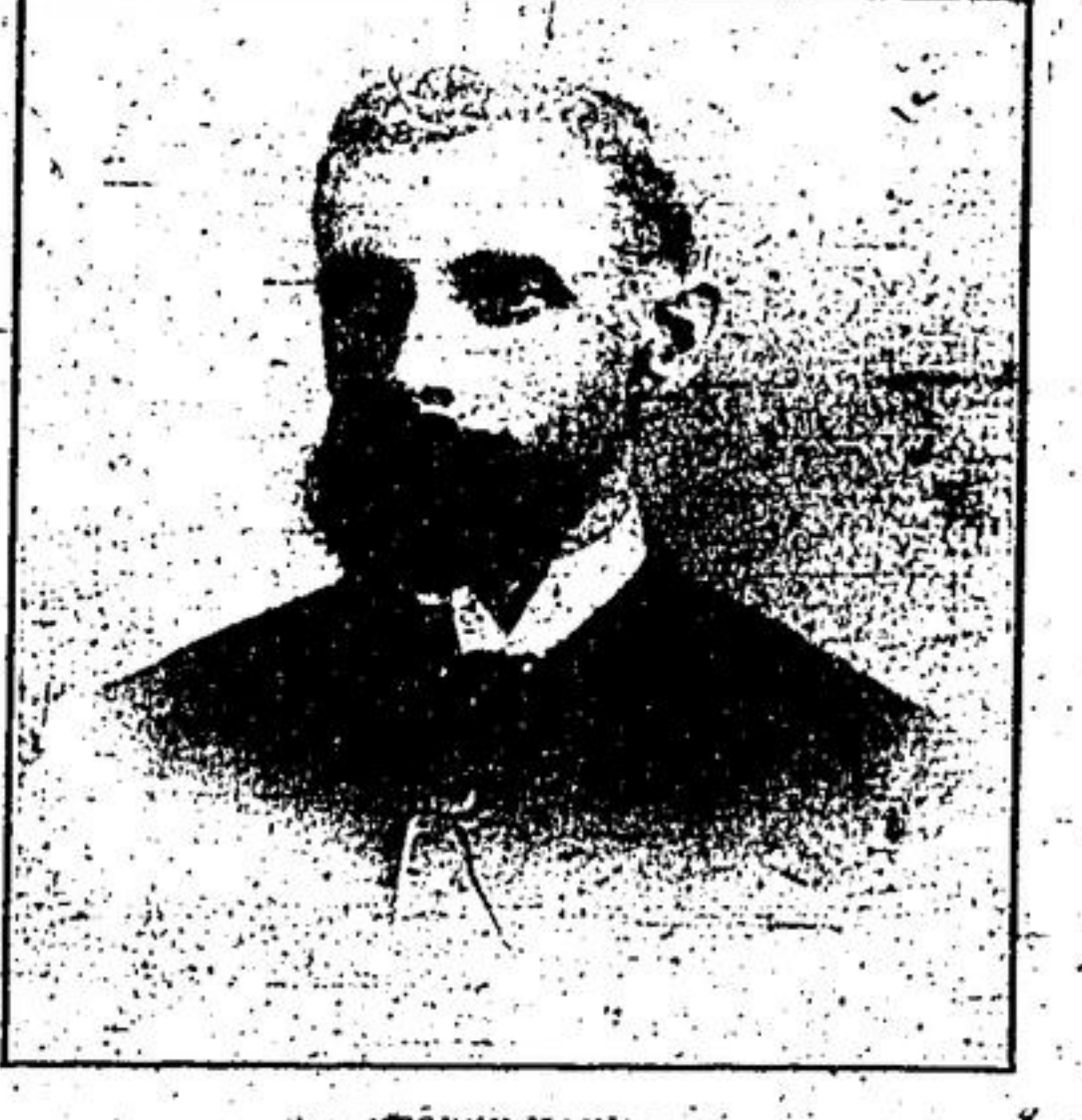
LIMEHOUSE

A very successful annual meeting of the Georgetown and Limehouse Outlets was held in the sixth line church on Monday evening. A splendid programme was supplied by Georgetown's Guild sisters which refreshments were served by the Limehouse young folks. The pleasant proceedings were brought to a close, by singing the National Anthem. There were nearly a hundred present.
A dramatic recital of "Jean Valjean" will be given in the sixth line church next Monday evening. Light refreshments will be served.
A splendid social evening of the Junior Relief was held at the home of Mr. John Harding. Over fourteen dollars was realized to carry on their prize worthy work.
The annual meeting of the Presbyterian Church was held last Wednesday evening. The different reports showed the departments of the church's work to be in a good condition. About 30 members were present.
Several attended the presentation of the colors to the 14th Regt., at Hamilton, on Friday.
A pretty ceremony was performed last Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. J. A. Hamilton, when Catherine MacDonnell was called to the head of the matrimonial altar by Mr. Wm. Morrison. The bridegroom is a returned soldier. He lost his right eye in an engagement. There was also another returned soldier at the wedding, who had lost the use of one of his legs.
Mr. Wm. Gowdy visited his mother in Guelph on Sunday.
Everybody in the village is delighted with the new train service. It is really better for Limehouse than any schedule previously arranged.
Miss Hannah Newton has been spending the past week or so with friends in Berlin.

Mr. James Price, of Esqueville Township, has purchased the 200 acre farm in Trafalgar Township belonging to Mr. John Oatley, being lot number ten in the 5th concession. Sale was made by J. A. Willoughby, Georgetown.

The first step toward self-conquest is self-concentration.
No man who makes use of grace will fall from it.
Figure out which costs men more—their virtues or their vices.
The only way to learn what Christianity is to live it and see.
Keep your character, and your reputation will take care of itself.
Cataract Deafness Cannot Be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure cataract deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Cataract Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a humming sound or impaired hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal state, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by growths, which are an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the tube. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts through the blood on the mucous surface of the tube.
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GEORGE HAVILL
PRESIDENT OF THE ACTON FALL FAIR

NEWS OF LOCAL IMPORT

Box Social at Dufferin School
A box social will be held at Dufferin School, below Speyria, on Friday evening, January 25th. A good programme will be provided. Admission 10 cents. The proceeds for the Canadian Red Cross. Accommodation will be provided for horses.

Knox Anniversary Next Sunday
Anniversary services will be held in Knox Church next Sunday. The preacher for the day will be Rev. R. P. McKay, D. D., the venerable Secretary for Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian Church in Canada. Dr. McKay is one of the prominent preachers of the Church and his anniversary discourses are looked forward to with great anticipation.

Concert by Maple Leaf Quartette
The Intermediate Red Cross Club have engaged the Maple Leaf Quartette, of Galt, to give a concert in the town hall on Friday evening, February 2nd. The Quartette will provide the entire programme, which is to consist of solos, duets, quartets, recitations, readings, etc. Plan of hall open at Brown's Drug Store. Admission 25c. Reserved seats 35c.

Homecoming and Enlarging Cafe
The Grand Hotel is the space devoted to his growing business and to secure larger accommodation has decided to clear out his bar, 10c and 15c stock at cost. When this is disposed of the entire premises will be devoted to ice cream and confectionery. The stock will be remodelled, new furniture and furnishings will be put in and an up-to-date and very attractive confectionery and ice cream parlor will be ready for the spring opening.

Outer Streets Still Unlighted
The trouble at the power house has not been remedied and the streets of Mill and Main are still without electric light. The section of the transformer at the Hydro station controlling the outside services and lights which was burned out, had to be sent to the General Electric Company's works at Schenectady, N. Y., for the repairs necessary. It is expected this will be returned very soon. Citizens will appreciate more than ever our splendid lighting system which is restored to normal condition again.

Fraternal Visit of Young People
On Tuesday evening the members of Knox Young People's Guild paid a friendly visit to the Epworth League of the Methodist Church. Miss Bennett, President of the Epworth League, after welcoming the visitors, called upon Miss Henwick, President of the Guild, to take charge. An excellent programme followed which consisted of solos by Mr. Willoughby and Miss Adams, reading by Miss Betty Lowry, a piano duet by Misses Jean and Margaret Wilson, a couple of violin solos by Alex. Shand, and an excellent topic, "The New Era in Love," which was prepared by Miss Wallace and read by Miss Mary McPherson. At the conclusion of the programme delightful refreshments were served by the members of the Epworth League.

Harry Statham Severely Injured
Last week Harry Statham went to Guelph to work at the Guelph Glove Company's factory. On Wednesday he was the victim of an accident which lay him up for a long time. While a workman, J. Frank, he was taking a narrow load of castings up a hoist to a higher floor when something went wrong with the load and caught the elevator car. Harry attempted to kick a projecting piece back and caught his foot between the floor and the cage. The cable gave way and the car dropped about twenty feet. He had been badly lacerated and bruised. He was then taken to the General Hospital where an operation took place next day, in the effort to save the foot. He suffers a good deal from the injured member but it is making satisfactory progress. Frank had one of his legs dislocated and was painfully bruised.

King's Ordinaries Were Entertained
At the invitation of Rev. and Mrs. Arison, the members of the King's Ordinaries Bible Class assembled at the Methodist Church on Monday and spent a very enjoyable evening. As for was spent in formulating plans for entertainment and mutual improvement at weeknight meetings during the winter and early spring. Social features were then introduced and spiritual and literary numbers of merit were rendered. Rev. Mr. Arison sang a patriotic song, which was followed as an encore by another as good. Mrs. Arison and Mr. Ernest Brown gave a couple of fine piano duets, with splendid skill. A letter to Brigadier John L. Moore, a former president of the class, and now overseas, had been prepared by the pastor, and had inscribed on it signatures and brief greetings from his old friends. A letter of interest received during the day at 1:15 house here was also read. A beautiful lunch was served during the evening. Before closing several favorite hymns were sung by the company. The class was organized by Rev. Mr. Harker in 1900 and had been in continuous existence since, although now containing few of the original members. The members present expressed high appreciation of the warm hospitality shown to them at the paragon. The meeting next Monday evening will be held at the home of Mr. John B. Coleman when Mr. George Murray will give his talk on "Personal Happiness in India," and Mr. Neil Macdonald will sing. All members are requested to be present.

At the Colorado Home
Funeral of Mrs. J. Chester Matthews at Rockvale, Colorado.
The Florence, Col., Journal gives the following interesting particulars of the funeral of the late Mrs. J. Chester Matthews at Rockvale, Colorado:
"The last rites over the remains of the late Mrs. J. Chester Matthews were held at the home of deceased father, Mr. Charles Grant, at Rockvale yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Rev. H. Silkwood, of the Methodist Church, officiating.
The home was thronged with a large circle of devoted friends of the family from all parts of the county and the beautiful casket was banked with a profusion of flowers, contributions of love and respect from friends and neighbors and the church and Sunday School. It was a most impressive service. The young people's choir of the Rockvale Methodist Church rendered a number of beautiful selections and Miss Mary Price, an old schoolmate of the deceased, sang a solo entitled "Remembrance of Childhood."
Rev. Mr. Silkwood, in a comforting address to the bereaved family, spoke of the high type of Christian womanhood of Mrs. Matthews; her optimism; her unselfishness; her patience in suffering; her confidence in prayer and the splendid influence of her life. It was a message filled with hope for the future and a splendid tribute to her past.
The minister read a letter from the church at Acton, Ontario, in which it was stated that the loss of Mrs. Matthews was most keenly felt by the congregation and people in general and it also spoke of the high character of the family in general.
The remains were laid to rest in the peaceful quietude of Lakeside Cemetery at Canon City. It was an automobile funeral and one of the largest ever held in the county."

Nelson's Recovers Halton's Warden
At the County Council organization meeting on Tuesday afternoon Charles Heathcote, Reeve of Nelson, was elected Warden of this county, in Wellington County. George H. Dickson, Reeve of Westborough, was elected. In Paul Reeve was also re-elected. A beautiful lunch was served during the evening. Before closing several favorite hymns were sung by the company. The class was organized by Rev. Mr. Harker in 1900 and had been in continuous existence since, although now containing few of the original members. The members present expressed high appreciation of the warm hospitality shown to them at the paragon. The meeting next Monday evening will be held at the home of Mr. John B. Coleman when Mr. George Murray will give his talk on "Personal Happiness in India," and Mr. Neil Macdonald will sing. All members are requested to be present.

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NEWS TOPICS OF THE WEEK

Important Events Which Have Occurred Here and There

WEDNESDAY.
Italian ships are commencing to trade with America.
Sir Max Aitken in ill and the doctor are afraid of pneumonia.
The London Times and Cross Fund has passed the £6,000,000 mark.
General von Hindenburg in reported ill, suffering from a feverish chill.
The British are advancing towards Jerusalem and may seize the Holy City.
Men on the British farms have been called upon to join the colors forthwith.
Painful damage to the extent of \$15,000 in the village of Athens in Leeds County.
Maximilian Dreyer, organ a popular hero in the United States, died at the age of 80 years.
The Deutschland, the German merchant submarine, has left Bremen on another trip to America.
William Do Morgan, the British novelist who wrote "Joseph Vance" and "Alloy for Short," is dead.
Captain G. W. Baker, a Toronto officer, died from injuries received when his horse fell on him.
Rev. John MacDonnell, a pioneer Western Methodist Minister, died in Calgary after four weeks' illness.
A German submarine has just returned to port with four captives of merchantmen which it torpedoed and sank.

THURSDAY.
The Toronto Local Council of Women stated that 30,000 Canadian women have gone to England since war broke out.
The Hon. Minister of Agriculture and the Hon. Minister of Finance were in the city for the day.
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FRIDAY.
A British firm was awarded a \$1,000,000 contract for the construction of a submarine cable between the Atlantic and the Pacific.
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