

Births, Marriages and Deaths are now carried for the following rates: Births, \$10; Deaths, \$10; Marriages, \$10; per line extra for poems.

GEORGETOWN HERALD DESTROYED LAST THURSDAY

Disastrous Fire Ruins the Presses, Machinery, Type and Printing

NEW OFFICE IS SOON TO OPEN

The fire which destroyed the Georgetown Herald last Thursday morning and gutted the Herald building, destroyed the presses, machinery, type, printing stock and material were either destroyed or dumped into a heterogeneous mass through the flooring to the street level below.

The loss on the printing plant is estimated at \$125,000 and on the building as much more. This morning work is partially covered by contractors but the extent of the damage is heavy.

Mr. R. D. Warren, the former publisher of the Herald, is in charge of the rebuilding. He has secured the printing business and plant Mr. J. M. Moore and Mr. Warren have taken over the Herald. Mr. Warren was editor and publisher of the Herald for ten or twelve years.

The prompt response of the Fire brigade effectively prevented serious damage to adjoining property. Mr. Moore proceeded at once to make arrangements for the publication of the Herald. Next day a very creditable paper was sent out to all subscribers.

General sympathy is felt for the proprietors of the Herald in this serious financial loss and the disturbance of business at a busy time of the year. The Herald is in its fifty-first year of publication and this is its first fire which has disturbed its regular weekly issue in that long period.

MILITARY NEWS

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OAKVILLE

Real estate transfers are brisk here now.

MILTON

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Important Announcement

FRESH FISH

NEWS OF THE DAY

TROUDED LAST THURSDAY

An interesting Epitome of the Events of the Week in Canada

THURSDAY

Harna is organizing for a patriotic campaign to raise \$75,000. Quebec has raised water rates by reducing the cash discount by ten per cent.

FRIDAY

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Two large sailing vessels laden with grain from Australia, are reported to be on their way to the port of Vancouver.

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WEDNESDAY

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SECOND HAND FURNITURE SALE

We are trying to sell out all the Second-Hand Furniture on hand. We have at present:

- SIDEBOARDS
- DRISERS
- DINING ROOM TABLES
- KITCHEN TABLES
- BABY CARRIAGES
- and many other articles.

L. STARKMAN

Mill Street Acton

CHURCHILL

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This Week's Specials

At the Big Store

It will pay you to look this list over, as every one if bought to-day would cost far more than the prices quoted here. Wool, cotton and silk materials are advancing in price every week. New prices are quoted and advised from the wholesale houses show a big advance in prices 1st May—Now is the time to buy in a stock for future use.

- Silk Poplin Dress Goods—In Black, Nigger Brown, Gray, Green and Blue. A Special at \$1.65.
- Black and Navy Serges—All wool, 54 inches wide. Special at \$2.25.
- Cord Velveteens—27 inches wide, in Brown, Blue, Green, suitable for Children's Spring Coats. Special at 75c.
- Black and White Check Coating—40 inches wide, a good weight for spring coating. Special at 75c.
- White Plique—Wide narrow cord. A special at 40c.
- Cotton Vestings—In fancy stripes and spots, at 25c and 30c.
- Indian Heads Suits—At 35c.
- White Voile Waists—We are showing a beautiful range of Voile Waists. All sizes in stock. Special at \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.90, \$2.
- White Gabardine—Double fold at 50c.
- Fine Scotch Ginghams—At 20c.
- Dark Prints—At 25c.
- Light Prints—At 22c.
- Ladies' Vests and Drawers—In Spring weight, short or long sleeves. Special at 50c. each.
- Ladies' Silk Gloves—The Kaiser make, in black and white. Sizes 6, 6 1/2, 7, 7 1/2, and 8. Special at 85c. and \$1.15.

We are showing a big range of Congoleux Art Rugs Linoleums, 2 and 4 yards wide, Floor Oilcloths and Curtain Nets and Scrim.

Conway & McLean

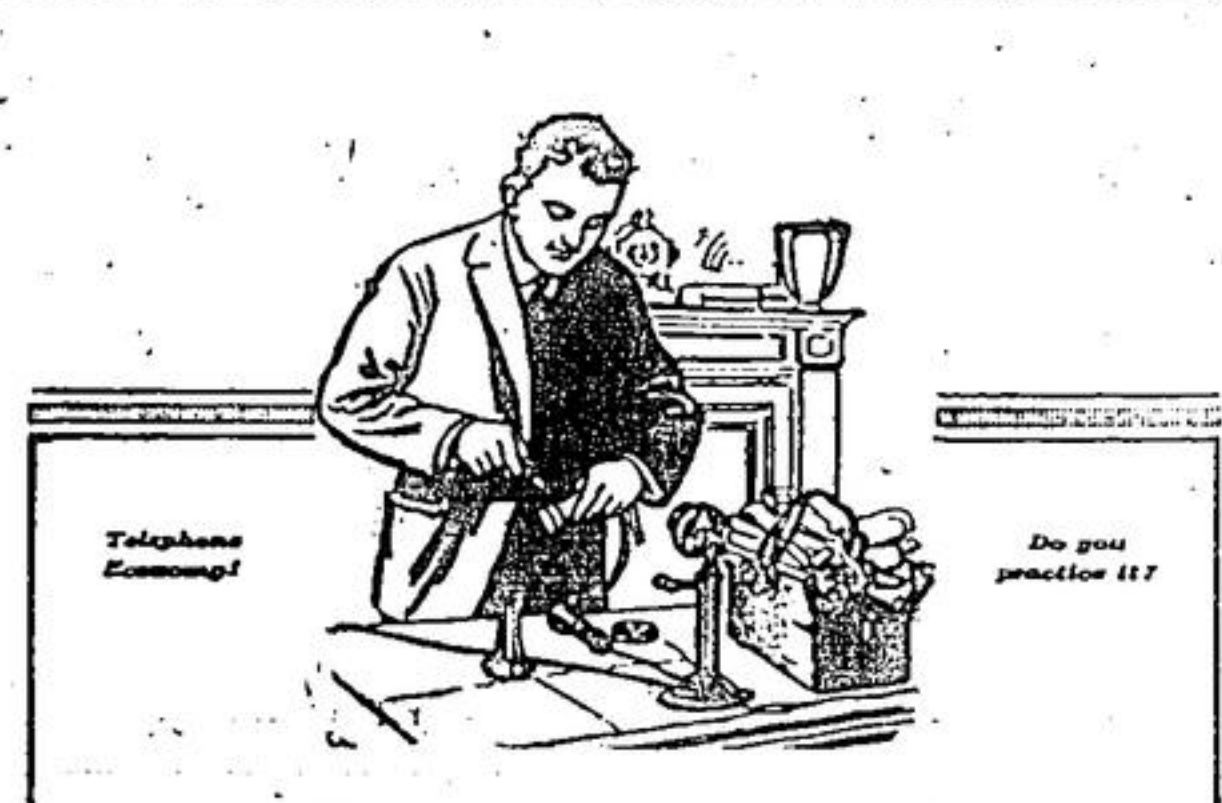
Mill St. WEDELL FOR CASH WE SELL FOR LESS Acton

Sunlight Soap

There is pleasure at every stage in the use of Sunlight. In the washing—the work is greatly lightened. In the ironing—the clothes have such a fresh, sweet air of newness. In the wearing—for the clothes have inherited the exquisite purity of Sunlight itself—and are clean indeed.



A 25,000-guarantee attests the purity of Sunlight Soap. All grocers sell it.



Take Care of Your Telephone!

MANY repairs to telephones are made necessary by careless handling. A telephone instrument has more than a hundred parts and is built like a watch. Rough usage impairs its efficiency. Help us to conserve the supply of telephone material and skilled labor by always handling your telephone carefully to avoid costly breakages and repairs.

The Bell Telephone Co. of Canada

35c. Cash for Eggs

At Patterson's Meat Shop

Going Out of Canned Goods Business

We are selling our entire stock of all kinds of Canned Goods, Pickles and Ketchup at cost. Lay in your supply now as the prices are advancing.

BEEF IS ADVANCING IN PRICE

- The following are a few of our prices:
- Leg of Pork, lb 35c
- Loins of Pork, lb 35c
- Loin Chops, lb 35c
- Shoulder Rump of Pork, lb 30c
- Shoulder Pork Sliced, lb 30c
- Loins of Veal, lb 30c
- Shoulder of Veal, lb 25c
- Veal Stew, lb 25c
- 3 lb Pails of Lard \$1.00
- 5 lb Pails of Lard \$1.65

Our store closes at 8 p. m. Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays.

N. PATTERSON

MAIN STREET ACTON, ONT.

Acton Flour and Feed Store

ROBERT NOBLE, Limited

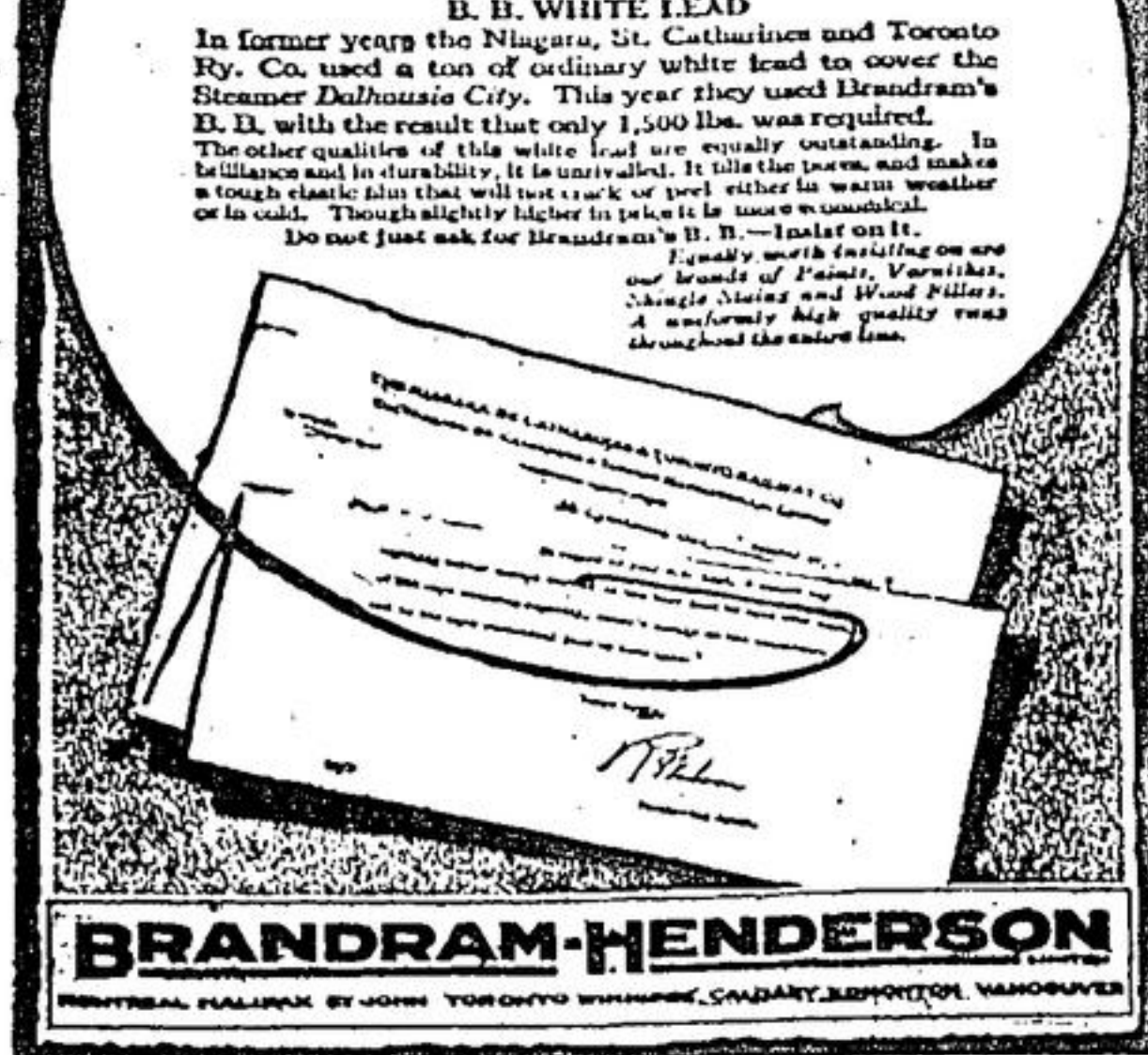
SEEDS SEEDS SEEDS

We have a Full Supply of
RED CLOVER
SWET CLOVER
LUCERNE
A consignment of Learning Seed Corn for ensilage, of choice quality, also one car Marquis Seed Wheat just arrived.

S. J. STAUFFER
FISH DEALER ACTON
PHONE 40 Always Open
MANAGER

Most Economical We ever used.

A coat like the Delmas City provides one of the best results in a moisture-laden atmosphere. The letter reproduced below is conclusive evidence of the superior covering capacity of BRANDRAM'S GENUINE B. B. WHITE LEAD.



BRANDRAM-HENDERSON

FREE PRESS ADS BRING RESULTS

The Methodists are

SUNDAY, MAY 1. 11 a. m. Quarterly Meeting. 2 p. m. Subject: "Walk About Zion".

COME AND WELCOME Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. May Missionary Offering.

MAPLE BYWOP FOR SALE First-class maple syrup, Government standard test. Delivered in gallon cans. Apply to CHESTER PLANK, 42-47 Main Street, Acton.

NOTICE "Notice is hereby given that letters of appointment having been taken out between my wife, Kate Crippa and myself, I will not hold myself responsible for any debts that she may contract from and after this date. W. H. HAYES, 215 PIPPER, Crown's Corner, April 16, 1918 42-2

VALUABLE BUSINESS CORNER FOR SALE The corner lot on Mill and John Streets, next Post Office building, has been put out for rent. The lot is 100 feet wide and 30 feet deep. It is a valuable business corner and is situated in the heart of the city. For particulars apply at FREE PRESS OFFICE, 42-47 Main Street, Acton, Ont.

FOR SALE TO PRINTERS A SNAP! Having installed Linotype we have two job fonts of Clarendon Bold, 8pt. and 12 pt., 26 pounds of each, fancy type, galleys, galleys, galleys, also agency for Nelson's Ice Cream. WILL BELL, AT ONAP.

FOR SALE A complete Ice Cream outfit. Ten sets tables and chairs (new). Four sets chairs, gas tubes, glassware, ice cream dishes, etc. Also agency for Nelson's Ice Cream. WILL BELL, AT ONAP.

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