

## The Acton Free Press

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### SUMMER'S TREASURES

The glad time of harvesting has come, but come again, The glorious sun, the fragrant winds, The soft and healing rains. The fruits on field and hill, And we, have grateful children, Are free to take our fill.

The rare time of sowing, Has come, but come again, There's balm for every saddened heart, And eyes that weary go. The call of the green pasture, And the peaceful growing field, The early hint of morning, All a blooming yield. —A.H. Thorpe.

### TWENTY YEARS AGO

From the issue of the Free Press of Thursday, July 17, 1901

Mrs. McLean's residence, situated in residence and lots on Willow Street. The weeds have been cut on the streets throughout town and a tidy appearance now prevails.

The farmers are in the midst of their buying and will have the fall wheel on their hands...

Ex-Councillors J. E. Corrie and W. M. Young were voted for electric light. They will both put in metres.

Chairman Flockham has in contemplation a sidewalk on Main Street from the top of McLennan's hill to Parkview Avenue. All visitors to Parkview Country will appreciate this proposal. Hopes are high for success.

Orange decorations to-morrow.

Action Beaver Baseball Club will run a booth at the park-to-morrow with a view to buying new suits.

The workmen are busy at work on the extensive improvements to Mr. Abram Hunter's residence on Church Street.

The candidates who wrote at the recent examination, examination, have been advised of the results. Some are happy and some are sad. Those who passed here were: Ethel Coleman, Jean McQueen, Myrtle Matthews, Bebe Innes, Helen Johnson, Lydia Grindell, Edna Day, Alice Horley, Oscar Brown, Hattie Lashy.

During the electric storm last night, several houses were burnt out and over 100 lamps burned out.

Two of the street circuits were broken out. Numerous telephone wires were down with improvements in progress at A. T. Brown's drug store, the telephone exchange will also be materially changed and improved.

There are many systems in favour with electric light houses here. Eleven metres are now installed or contracted for and the number is growing weekly. All thoughtful engineers are in agreement that the system is confirmed that the adoption of the metre is the only fair system for all concerned.

### IN OTHER WORDS

The most truthful of us do not say exactly what we mean; there are phrases which must be taken in a purely symbolic sense, although we use them often as to be unconscious of this. Thus—

"Two or three" always means three and usually "least three" or "three and upwards."

"Two or two" never means two by accident.

"In a minute" averages anywhere from five to fifteen minutes.

"Oh, I beg your pardon" (in case of a mistake) means "I am sorry."

"I am too poor to ask you to have my pardon for getting in the way."

"That reminds me of a story," means "Now will you keep quiet while I tell my story."

"While I do not wish to appear critical" means "But I am going to have my say, anyhow."

"Of course, you are simply devoured with curiosity."

"My conduct calls for no apology and needs no explanation" in the usual intonation for an explanation, or apology.

"No one could possibly have misinterpreted my meaning" is what we hope, when it is evident that someone has mistaken it.

**ROTHSCHILD'S GOLDEN RULES**

The following maxims were found in the desk of Baron Rothschild, the banker, shortly after his death in 1912:

—Carefully examine every detail of your business.

Be prompt in everything.

Take time to consider, but decide quickly.

Don't go forward.

Hear trouble patiently.

Be brave in the struggles of life.

Never tell falsehoods.

Make no useless acquaintances.

Never appear smugger than you are.

Pay your debts promptly.

Don't be afraid to speak up.

Don't rock on chance.

Never be discouraged.

Be polite to everybody.

There is no poisonous ingredient in Holloway's Corn Remover, and it can be used without danger or injury.

**MAKED SHADOW AUDIBLE**

A curious thing about the midget shadow is that its electric sound-tivity varies with exposure to light.

Prof. Alexander Graham Bell has found that the shadow is in connection with the telephone, can be made to give out an audible sound by exposing it to interrupted light.

With the midget shadow, if frequent enough and sufficiently regular, they will produce a musical note, which "ear" he describes as "latent at birth."

Don't expect others to read your mind, when you don't know what you want.

Don't tell people about the "claw" work you did years ago; do some of it now.

**UNNECESSARY**

"I haven't any sympathy for the man who beats his wife," said a passenger in the corner of the 5:15.

"Well," said another, "I think, under all the law, you can beat him up if his wife doesn't need sympathy."

Worms feed upon the vitality of children and smother their lives. A simple and effective remedy is Mother Graves' Worm Destroyer.

### THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

FOR SUNDAY, JULY 10, 1921

**HAIR, THE PHARISEE**—Acta 7: 52-8: 3; 22; 3: 4; 26: 4, 6, 9, 10.

**Golden Text**—"Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners; of whom I myself am one." (1 Tim. 1: 15).

**Lesson Commands**

7: 54.—Stephen was a Greek-speaking Jew who had been converted to Christ. He was a young man of a strict, devout character, who often spoke in the presence of the young men of his day. In chapter 7 he defends his cause as a disciple of Christ. This defense won the hypocritical Jews.

Verse 55.—As a man filled with the spirit of God he had vision of the Christ.

Verse 56.—Had his persecutors not been unkind they could have seen evidences of Stephen's goodness.

Verse 57.—None is so deaf as he who will not hear; none so blind as he who will not see. The persecutors were crazy with the mint spirit.

Verse 58.—While there was much excitement among the persecutors, they nevertheless carried out the law. Realizing this, the decision was reached by the Provincial Government of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta that if the Canadian Pacific Railway would provide the service, a special inter-provincial train on weed control would be established and sent out. The Railway Company accepted the plan and on the morning of December 24 the special train consisting of two lecture cars, one car for display of implements of eradication, growing weeds, etc., and "Mobile Biting Car" opened up at Domition City, Manitoba. After a tour of six weeks—two weeks to each province to conclude in the winter when the first frost in March.

8: 2.—Stephen continued in his fiery course of persecution. A born leader, he became the chief destroyer.

8: 3.—We have already mentioned Stephen's course of persecution, but the facts here stated, but they were unknown to the majority of the crowd, being a persecutor he had been a persecutor to his former and associate persecutors to know that he once thought as they think.

Verse 59.—Stephen died glorifying the name it had been his delight to honor his life; no knowledge may of the place where he died.

8: 4.—Stephen was buried in a hole he had dug for himself.

He knew of his own intent and his educational training. No Pharisee had been more strict than he.

8: 5.—Later, in his defense before Asaph, Peter, the general of the army, he knew his intent and his educational training. No Pharisee had been more strict than he.

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