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BORN.

CAMPBELL.—At Hornby, on Sunday, Sept. 5th, 1897, the wife of Mr. J. H. Campbell, of a son.

MARRIED.

WHITEFIELD—LITTLE.—In the Presbyterian church, Georgetown, this afternoon, 8th inst., by Rev. L. Perrin B. A., Mr. J. Whitefield, New York, to Miss Mary Little, daughter of David Little Esq., Esquesing.

DIED.

WIGLEY.—At Brampton, Ont., at 7 a. m. Monday, September 13th, Andrew H. Wigley, aged 69 years.

WOOLVERTON.—At Maplehurst, Grimsby, at midnight, Sunday, 12th of September, Gerald Lochiel, infant son of Lloyd and Sarah Frances Woolverton, aged four days.

HALBD.—In Georgetown, on Wednesday morning, 15th September, 1897, Hattie Isabel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Halbd, Aged 1 months, 27 days.

The Georgetown Herald.

WEDNESDAY EVEG., SEPT. 15, 1897

SOME of the Toronto papers are severe in their criticism of the management of the Industrial Fair, for the alleged failure of the attractions offered. We do not think that the criticism will be sustained by the country generally. The agricultural part of the Fair was certainly a great success, as we believe there never was a better display of live stock, fruits, vegetables and other products of the farm. Then all the departments of art and mechanism were fully up to the average. The grand stand attractions too, with some paltry exceptions, were generally satisfactory.

THE disheartening news comes from Ireland that the crops there are almost a total failure. Potatoes have been destroyed by blight, and oats and hay have been ruined by bad weather. The reports indicate that the blight is not confined to any special section of the country, but prevails over the whole island. From Maryborough, Queen's County this message comes: "In this county there is general unanimity of opinion that since the famine year of 1847 the prospect for the agricultural community was never as bad as to-day. This description does not refer to any particular locality, but to every district in the county. The crop that has suffered most is the potatoes, of which there will be practically none. It is generally believed that before the new year dawns there will be no potatoes fit to eat in the county."

THE old bachelor, who edits the Oakville Star, speaks these canny words in regard to the "good times coming":—

We would advise farmer friends not to go and stand on their heads on the barn tops, or commence banking on these times as a dead certainty. Glorious prosperity may be knocking at our doors seeking entrance. And the latch strings will gladly be pulled, the doors opened quickly and the stranger heartily welcomed. The Star, however, takes a conservative view on this matter and advises caution and prudence in order that every advantage can be taken of better times. Many figure too extensively on the future, and if they imagine it will be all bright they often become reckless and rush into greater obligations which deprive them of benefiting to the full extent. Make hay while the sun shines, and when the rain begins to fall your barns will be filled. The present responsibilities of most people are quite sufficient. See they are not increased.

ONE of the most stubborn labor strikes that this continent has known, is that, still unsettled, in connection with the coal miners of the United States. For some weeks the situation has been serious, but hardly anyone was looking for so horrible an incident in connection with the trouble as that reported from Hazelton, Pa. It was learned that a body of striking miners, about two hundred and fifty, were marching on Hazelton for the purpose of getting the Hazelton miners to join the strike. One hundred and twenty sheriffs went to head them off. They met. The riot act was read. The strikers showed some dissent, and then a volley was fired by the sheriffs. Twenty people were killed and thirty wounded. A charge of murder is now preferred against the sheriffs, who, it is alleged, fired into the crowd without sufficient provocation. It's a pity that the settlement of the labor question (if strikes are conceded to be a movement along that line) is to be brought about by the loss of human life.

THE BIG FAIR NEXT WEEK.

ONLY ONE SHOW IN THE TOWNSHIP THIS YEAR.

Acton Will Not Have One—Entries Now Coming In—Exhibitors are Requested to Send Them in as early as Possible.

Your Editor the prize lists were mailed a week ago, then intending exhibitors have been receiving them with a view to entering, in good time, a list of their articles. It is requested by the secretary that articles, as far as possible, be sent in by Saturday 20th.

This will facilitate matters greatly and will do away with much of the unavoidable hurry and confusion incident to the opening of the Fair.

ACTON FAIR AGAIN.

The city that has been half unfriendly at Acton for a number of years, has been disappointed, the directors having decided that Acton will not be desirable to our Hamilton friends the present. The Acton Free Press, in alluding to the decision, says:

"After nine years of successfully conducting Acton Union Exhibition the directors and directors have decided, for the present year to rest from their labors. Of course it can be easily understood that independent of government grants and municipal aid—except in two instances—those who have had charge of the annual exhibition have required year after year to put united energy, individual effort and careful forethought into the enterprize in order to bring it up to the success and popularity which have characterized each succeeding exhibition. No fair in the province, large or small, has been more popular with exhibitors, and the visitors have invariably been impressed with its uniform excellence. It must be admitted that it has been a somewhat difficult matter to meet all financial obligations upon the independent basis adopted, and it has only been accomplished through the careful supervision of all details on the part of the officers in charge and the liberality of the friends of the society when their aid was needed. A decade of such effort, particularly upon the part of the same persons, without remuneration, surely merits a rest for a year at least and such a course has consequently been decided upon. The society has no liabilities whatever, every claim being honorably discharged. It will not be invidious to say that to John Duff, the late President, George Hynds, the Secretary-Treasurer and T. H. Harding, Chairman of Concert arrangements, assisted by the active directors generally, is due the credit for the success which has marked Acton Union Exhibition during the past ten years."

While some of our readers will wonder how it is that Acton Society ceases to exist, in view of the statement that the fair has been "successfully conducted," we are bound to believe that there is a common impression that two shows are too many for this township.

The record of Fairs in this township has led us to conclude that in future the Esquesing Agricultural Society should open their Fair, as at present, to Esquesing only (except in case of special premiums) and hold the Fair at a point that would be most convenient and central.

In these respects Georgetown fills the bill.

The show of 1897 will be held Thursday and Friday, 23rd and 24th.

WHAT ABOUT OUR BREAD?

Alleged Infraction of the By-law Regulating its Weight—The Evidence Adduced Not Particularly Strong—Decision Reserved—Text of the By-law.

The Reeve and G. H. Kennedy J. P., heard, on Monday evening, evidence on a charge preferred by constable Wilson against Andrew Adams, baker, of selling light bread. The evidence went to show that the constable, under instructions from the Reeve, had called upon all the bread-makers and sellers in town. He visited Mr. Adams' shop, weighed several loaves and found them all right, although the constable hints that he had not liberty to weigh all the loaves before him, which allegation was denied by Mr. Adams and his witnesses.

He then went to Mr. John Ballantine's store, where he found Mr. Adams' bread on sale. He weighed a four-pound loaf and found it about four ounces short. This loaf was produced in court and was found to have lost 2½ ounces more since Saturday.

John Adams, who drives the wagon, testified that the loaf in question was baked Thursday morning, if not earlier, which, of course, would make it very little short, allowing the ounce-a-day shrinkage the By-law approves.

Constable Wilson asked for an adjournment to get counsel and additional witnesses, but the court over-ruled and the case proceeded. The decision will be given on Friday evening, when two charges of assault in connection with the same case will be heard.

This case has awakened a lively interest in bread matters in town and the By-law regulating the weight, &c., will be read with interest. It is as follows:

THE BY-LAW.

(1) That all bread sold or offered for sale in the village of Georgetown of whatever shape or form shall be in loaves of 1 pounds and 2 pounds respectively and all bread sold or offered for sale of any less weight shall be seized and forfeited and disposed of by direction of the Reeve, provided always that nothing in this by-law shall be construed as intended to prevent bakers, or other persons from selling biscuits, crackers, muffins or any other fancy cakes common to the trade.

(2) That it shall be lawful for any constable or other person from time to time under direction of the Reeve, to enter the shops or premises of any person or persons in which bread for sale shall be exposed or kept, and there to inspect and weigh the bread or any part thereof and to seize and take away such bread which shall not be of the proper weight, according to this by-law and to dispose of the same as before provided.

(3) That loaves baked more than twenty-four hours shall not be liable to seizure if delivered more than one hour after, for every twenty-four hours for every 4 pounds and in proportion, but every baker or vendor of such bread must satisfy the Reeve that such bread is baked more than twenty-four hours.

(4) That every vendor of bread shall keep scales and weights suitable for the weighing of bread in a conspicuous place in his or her shop, and every vendor of bread, shall, whenever required by purchaser, weigh the bread offered for sale.

(5) That the baker shall not pay alms or other difference or allowance, may be paid in the shape or form of bread for the offence for sale.

(6) That any baker or vendor of bread who shall disobey, refuse to fulfill or violate any of the provisions of this By-law shall, upon conviction, forfeit and pay the sum of $5 for the first offence, $10 for the second offence and $20 for each subsequent offence.

THE VOTERS' LIST.

Judge Hamilton Holds a Court at Stewarttown and Disposes of a Long List of Appeals.

Judge Hamilton held a Voters' List Court, for the Township of Esquesing, at Stewarttown on Wednesday. There was a great deal of interest taken in the proceedings.

ADDED.

The following names were added to the list:—

Thos Allen, Daniel Barbaree, James Bailey, H T Stannage Boyle, Philip Bristow, Edwin Board, Eli Board, D W Campbell, Cornelius Cunningham, Joseph Chisholm, William Cheyne, William Collier, William Dennis, William H Everson, Harry Fryer, William Gould, Burton Harris, James Hewitt, Richard Holbrow, John Royce, Robert W Logan, Charles Morley, Thomas Mine, Hugh Mills, George Mathewman, William Martin, Richard Marchmont, Henry Marchment, James McCrory, Robert McMenemy, William McMaster, Thomas McMaster, James Norton jr, Lester Rice, John Thomas Rogers, Thomas Robb, Herbert Rollo, Malcolm Sinclair, James Stork, William Slacer, Arthur Slacer, Joseph Scott, Frederick Switzer, Moses Smith, John A Tracey, Dennis Tracey, William Scott, James Shaw, George Walter, John Walden, Richard Wilson, John A Wheeler.

STRUCK OFF.

The following names were struck off the list:

Alex B Chisholm, Joseph Crow, George Caney, Thomas Fleming, Charles Haytor, James Joyce, John Kippen, John McMaster, James E McMillan, Charles H Nixon, Edward Peer, Stephen Rossell, John Switzer, William Stubbs, William J. Sharpe, Arthur Transom, Daniel Townsend, W H Thompson, George Wright, Holt Warren, Peter Mann Jr, Thomas Tayler.

PUBLIC SCHOOL BOARD.

Mr. R. D. Coutts Succeeds Mr. A. H. Gibbard on the Public Library Board.

The regular meeting of the Public School Board was held on Monday evening.

Mr. Langan in the chair.

Members present: Messrs. Scatch, Roe, Warren, Hume and Steel.

The minutes of last meeting having been confirmed, Mr. Hume moved, seconded by Mr. Scatch, that the following accounts be paid:—

Lawson Bros., lumber and repairs	$56 20
P. Godfrey, cleaning chimneys	3 00
W. J. Dundas, white-washing	10 00
Mrs. Trotter, cleaning school	10 00
W. McCartney, cutting grass	1 88
E. Coor, repairs	5 75

—Carried.

Mr. A. H. Gibbard having tendered his resignation as a member of the Public Library Board, it was moved by Mr. Warren, seconded by Mr. Steele, that the resignation be accepted and that Mr. R. D. Coutts be appointed his successor. Carried.

The Board then adjourned until the second Monday in October.

SCOTCH BLOCK.

Mr. Hugh Black has just purchased a latest improved cream separator. Mr. Black does an extensive dairy business and commands the highest price for butter the year round. The separator will be run by steam power.

Mr. Wm. Moore sold, last week, to a gentleman from Indiana nearly a score of his high bred Shropshire-down sheep. At Toronto, last week, Mr. Moore made another purchase of the same class of sheep.

GENERAL NEWS.

A large building occupied by four boot and shoe manufacturers at St. Roch, Quebec, was burned, and the losses are very heavy. About 600 employees are thrown out of work.

Hon. Wm. Harty has authorized the Kingston Whig to deny the reports of his impending retirement. He is rapidly gaining strength, and will soon resume charge of his department of Public Works.

Archbishop Langevin is a patient in St. Boniface Hospital suffering from typhoid fever.

—If you want hats, ties, scarfs, shirts and underwear, latest spring styles, go to Treble's, corner King and James sts., Hamilton.

THE TOWN COUNCIL.

By-law to Increase the Town's Water Property—Also the Height of Awnings—Tenders for a Cemetery Fence.

The Council met last evening.

The Reeve in the chair.

Members present: Messrs. Adams, Barber and McLeod.

Mr. Adams moved, seconded by Mr. Barber, that the following accounts be paid:—

Chapman Music, Chapman [illegible]	[illegible]
H. Crawford [illegible]	[illegible]
Blake waterworks	[illegible]
A. McDonald, No. 4 [illegible]	[illegible]
James Bros., [illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
C. Mitchell, [illegible]	[illegible]
Geo. Thompson, [illegible]	[illegible]
The Herald, [illegible]	[illegible]
Total	[illegible]

The following tenders for cemetery fence were submitted:—

W. J. Dale, 8 bds, 7 feet high, 7c per foot, [illegible]

Jas. Kyle, [illegible] per foot, [illegible]

Brownridge & Alexander, 8 bds, $1.00 per rod, [illegible]

The tenders were left in the hands of the cemetery committee.

Moved by Mr. Barber, seconded by Mr. Adams, that By-law No.—, relating to expropriation of part of east ½ 26, con. 7, Esquesing, for water works purposes be read a first time.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Adams, seconded by Mr. Barber, that the By-law be read a second and third time.

The second and third readings were, in the meantime, deferred.

The Clerk was authorized to prepare a By-law in reference to the height of awnings.

Mr. Barber protested against the waste of water from defective taps, of which, he believed, there were a number in the corporation.

The water-motor question was again discussed. Mr. Barber believed that the motor people were not paying their rates because they had hoped that the Council would grant an abatement on the new schedule. He proposed, at next meeting, to move that the water be sold by meter, the Council to furnish the meters and rent them to water takers.

Mr. Adams and Mr. McLeod objected to investing so large an amount as would be required for meters, say, $900. Mr. Adams thought the uncertainty of some of the takers continuing, would not warrant the investment.

The Reeve submitted a reduced schedule, but the Council adjourned without taking any action.

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The dyeing of cotton rags for the making of carpets, mats and rugs was for a long time a tedious, difficult and unsatisfactory operation owing to the crude and old fashioned dyestuffs that home dyers were obliged to use.

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Hood's Pills

TORONTO MARKETS.

Wheat, new, white	85	90
" goose	70	81
" new red	88	84
Barley	24	27
Peas	15	16
Oats, new	25½	26
Oats, old	27	29
New potatoes per bag	45	50
Cabbage, per doz	15	20
Onions, bag	80	90
Hay, new, per ton	8 00	9 00
" baled, new, per ton	8 25	8 50
" old, per ton	8 00	8 50
Straw, loose, ton	4 00	7 00
Beef, hindquarters, cwt	6 50	7 50
" forequarters, cwt	3 00	4 50
Dressed hogs, light, cwt	7 25	7 50
" " heavy, cwt	6 25	6 50
Spring lambs, each	2 50	3 50
Spring lambs, dressed, lb	07	08
Turkeys, lb	08	09
Spring ducks, pair	50	65
Chickens, pair	40	55
Spring chickens, pair	55	70
Butter, lb. rolls	16	18
Eggs, new-laid, doz	13	15
Apples, per barrel	1 50	2 00

Wanted—Agents for "Queen Victoria Her Reign and Diamond Jubilee." Overflowing with latest and richest pictures. Contains the [illegible] biography of Her Majesty, with [illegible] her remarkable [illegible] Commissions 50 per cent. [illegible] Freights paid. Outfits free. Duty [illegible] Write quick for right and territory. THE DOMINION COMPANY, Dept. 1, 324 Dearborn St., Chicago.

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J. W. KENNEDY asks all his customers to remember that he has removed from the old stand and hopes for a continuance of their patronage in his new place of business.

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If so the only Ready-Made Clothing you can get to fit you perfectly is

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Ladies' Covert Cloth Circular Cases, tailor-made, braid trimmings, colors, green, fawn and navy	5.00
Ladies' Stylish Beaver Cloth Capes trimmings, soutache braid and buttons, colors black, brown, green and navy	6.00
Ladies' Handsome Capes, in black broadcloth, applique of cloth, embroidered with jet, 3-4 length	10.00
Ladies' Stylish Full Ripple Capes, in broadcloth, applique of satin bands, silk lined, special	12.00
Ladies' Jackets in Beaver Cloth, colors fawn, brown, green, tan and black, high storm collar	6.00
Ladies' Jackets in Cheviot Tweed, colors fawn, brown, and navy, reversible plaid lining, double breasted	6.00
Ladies' Jackets in Frieze, colors black, navy and brown, strapped seams and slashed collars	8.00
Ladies' Jackets, in Beaver Cloth, black, navy, brown and green, braid trimmed, high colar	6.50
Ladies' Jackets, in all Wool Durus Cloth, colors black, fawn, green and brown, front trimmed with strap and small pearl buttons, velvet collars	7.50
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Ladies' Alaska Sable Ruffs, 3 heads and 6 tails	7.50
Ladies' Grey Lamb Neck Scarfs, 33 inches long	15.00
Men's Natural Otter Caps wedge shape	12.00
Men's Persian Lamb Caps extra choice quality	7.50
Men's Canadian Beaver Caps, wedge shape	8.00
Boys' and Girls' Grey Lamb Caps well made	2.50
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Men's Beaver Gauntlet Gloves, fine fur	10.00
Men's Canadian Coon Gauntlets Mitts	5.00

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