

NEW WINCEYS, NEW HATS, NEW PRINTS, NEW TWEEDS, NEW BOOTS, SHOES, &C., At CHRISTIE, HENDERSON & CO'S, Acton.

Another Lot of that famous 50c. Tea just to hand.

CHRISTIE, HENDERSON & Co.

LOCAL NEWS.—It shall be glad, at all times, to receive items of local news...

LOCAL MATTERS.

Business is beginning to wake up. Stores full of customers. Large quantities of wheat and barley are coming to market.

The attention of our readers is respectfully directed to the new advertisement of Messrs. Second Bros. They announce the arrival of a large stock of reasonable goods.

Ninety-eight bunches of shingles were manufactured out of one log the other day, at Moore's shingle factory. This is considered something extraordinary.

The prices of wheat have been steadily going down for several weeks, and one dollar is now about the highest figure paid.

Archibald Campbell, Esq., shipped, yesterday, some of his fine stock, comprising the celebrated bull "Lancaster," and a pure bred cow, to Mr. John James, of Kincaidine.

Mr. Robert Little, County School Inspector, has returned from Algonia, having completed his mission of establishing school sections in that District.

Messrs. Christie, Henderson & Co., Acton, respectfully intimate to those interested, that during this and the early part of next week they will deliver, either personally or through the post office, all accounts remaining unsettled, and request that payment of the same will be made as early as possible.

The corner stone of the new Methodist Church in this village will be laid on Wednesday next, the 29th inst., with appropriate ceremonies, by David Fews, Esq., of Brantford.

William Smith, a railway laborer, got outside of two inch fire-water, and went on a "regular old tear." Bill Smith, then around and smashed furniture, stove and things, and created a furious commotion in his household.

The Council met Thursday evening, 16th inst.—all the members present. On motion, a by-law appointing Collectors of Taxes for the current year, was duly read and passed, appointing Stafford Zimmerman to that office.

A very well-contested game was played in Milton on Saturday, between the Kit Deperandums, of Acton, and the Independents, of Milton—resulting in the defeat of the former by a score of 18 to 17.

Milton & Co. this morning kept the heat all the close of the game—the best players of the Acton club not succeeding in making a score.

Asks, Milton, 0; 123456789; 10; 11; 12; 13; 14; 15; 16; 17; 18; 19; 20; 21; 22; 23; 24; 25; 26; 27; 28; 29; 30; 31; 32; 33; 34; 35; 36; 37; 38; 39; 40; 41; 42; 43; 44; 45; 46; 47; 48; 49; 50; 51; 52; 53; 54; 55; 56; 57; 58; 59; 60; 61; 62; 63; 64; 65; 66; 67; 68; 69; 70; 71; 72; 73; 74; 75; 76; 77; 78; 79; 80; 81; 82; 83; 84; 85; 86; 87; 88; 89; 90; 91; 92; 93; 94; 95; 96; 97; 98; 99; 100.

Artisans, Wallace, 4; 3; 2; 1; 0; 1; 2; 3; 4; 5; 6; 7; 8; 9; 10; 11; 12; 13; 14; 15; 16; 17; 18; 19; 20; 21; 22; 23; 24; 25; 26; 27; 28; 29; 30; 31; 32; 33; 34; 35; 36; 37; 38; 39; 40; 41; 42; 43; 44; 45; 46; 47; 48; 49; 50; 51; 52; 53; 54; 55; 56; 57; 58; 59; 60; 61; 62; 63; 64; 65; 66; 67; 68; 69; 70; 71; 72; 73; 74; 75; 76; 77; 78; 79; 80; 81; 82; 83; 84; 85; 86; 87; 88; 89; 90; 91; 92; 93; 94; 95; 96; 97; 98; 99; 100.

Messrs. Second Bros. have just received a nice assortment of Gold and Silver Finger and Wedding Rings, Silver Watches, &c. These goods will be sold from the twelve dollars below jewellers' prices. Call and see them they are cheap.

You can save at least ten to fifteen per cent by buying your Drugs and Dry Goods at the Medical Hall, Acton.

Messrs. Second Bros. desire to call the attention of their customers to the notice which has appeared in the Free Press for some weeks past, advising them that their accounts were not to be paid until the 1st of October.

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Messrs. Second Bros. would respectfully intimate to their friends and customers that they are now making out all accounts, and will be obliged if their friends when visiting the store would ask for their accounts. We will deliver as many as possible through the post office, that being the quickest and best way of rendering them; our customers are so numerous and spread over so wide a territory, that it would not be possible for us to do so.

Quite a number of petty burglaries have lately taken place in the West, and amongst other places, a regular raid has been made this week on the stores of Stratford merchants—amongst these being Mr. J. D. Dewar's, Mr. R. Sutherland's, merchant tailor, &c. Nothing of any great value was secured. But on Tuesday evening a rather more serious theft was committed, Mr. G. A. Mann's horse and harness being taken from the stable, and hitched to a wagon belonging to Mr. H. A. Ivor, and driven away. In the morning no traces of them could be found.

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THAT WONDERFUL MAN JOHN HOGG,

Has pleasure in letting the good people of Acton and the Counties of Halton and Wellington know that he has just returned from the BRITISH AND FOREIGN MARKETS

Where he has made large purchases of STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS,

Which will be along during this month, further notice of which will be given.

WONDERFUL ATTRACTIONS WILL BE OFFERED!

And that Wonderful Man's standing motto "Small Profits and Quick Sales" will be the watchword, which means DEATH TO LONG PRICES AND LONG PROFITS!

An early inspection from old friends and customers is respectfully solicited.

JOHN HOGG, Alma Block, Upper Wyndham Street, Guelph.

DOMINION EMPORIUM G. M. SCOTT

Still Continue Business in Acton. He will endeavor in the future as in the past to do business on the STRICTLY CASH AND ONE PRICE PRINCIPLE.

Believing that to have one price for goods is the only fair and honest way of doing business, besides buying for cash and selling for cash, he will be enabled to Sell at Least 10 Per Cent Cheaper Than if he did business on the long winded credit system.

All parties visiting Acton are respectfully invited to call and inspect the goods and prices before purchasing elsewhere.

Acton, August 23, 1875. E. M. SCOTT.

GREAT CLEARING SALE OF MILN AND BOYS' CLOTHING

NOW GOING ON AT THE ELEPHANT CLOTHING STORE, NO. 31 WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH.

TREMENDOUS BARGAINS Will be given during this Sale, having reduced every article to Cost and Under.

As we are anxious to clear it right out. Call and examine stock, as we consider it a pleasure to show goods.

Guelph, July 15, 1875. WM. RUTHERFORD & CO.

VILLAGE PROPERTY FOR SALE. BONUS to Manufacturers.

THE VILLAGE OF ACTON. The undersigned offers for sale the park lot immediately east of the Railway track, known as Young's survey in the village of Acton, comprising six acres, more or less.

Prepared to grant a bonus to parties establishing any kind of manufacturing business employing ten skilled hands and upwards, and where said business does not conflict with any business already established within the village of Acton.

Acton, July 1, 1875. HENRY T. MOORE, Village Clerk.

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THE POST OFFICE STORE ACTON

Having adopted the READY PAY SYSTEM,

And discount for cash of EIGHT CENTS ON THE DOLLAR,

for three months past, would take this opportunity of stating that the System Has Proved Most Satisfactory.

To my numerous customers and also to myself, I will continue to Sell Goods as Low as any House in the Trade.

Doing a Credit Business, and will give the 8 PER CENT DISCOUNT FOR CASH.

Customers will no doubt avail themselves of the discount. I am fully satisfied of success, and satisfaction to all concerned in the cash and discount system.

Prompt paying monthly customers considered as cash, and will get the discount.

Cash for all Kinds of Produce.

Conveyancer, Issuer of Marriage Licenses, Insurance Agent, Agent Money to Loan, Agent Montreal Tel. Co., Clerk Fourth Div. Court, Com. in Q. B., &c.

JAMES MATTHEWS, Acton, September 1, 1875.

Floor Oil Cloth.

JUST RECEIVED AT McBEAN'S

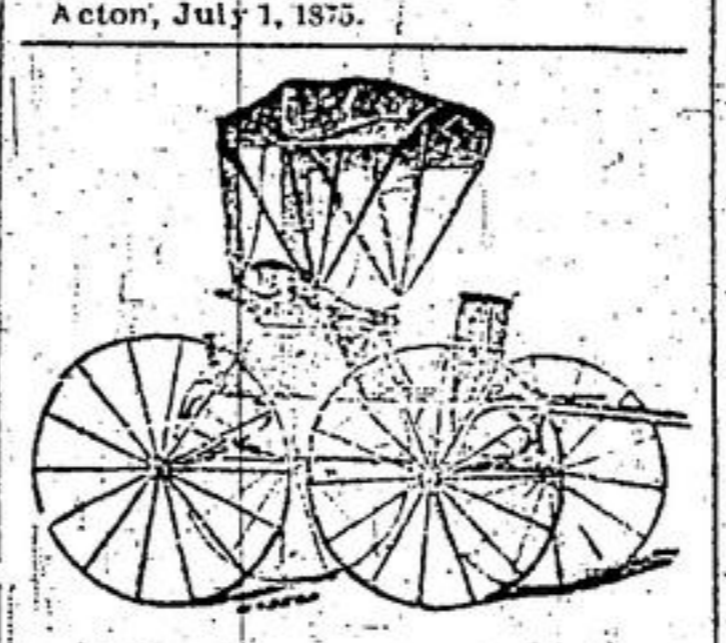
HARDWARE STORE, Scotch Floor Oil Cloth, Horse Pokes, Paris Green (Warranted Pure) Croquet Sets, Refrigerators, Rubber Door Mats, Lawn Mowers, Lawn Scythes, Fly Traps, Garden Tools, Wire Goods of all kinds.

ARTHUR McBEAN, Hardware Merchant, Alma Block, Guelph, Aug. 13, 1875.

JOB PRINTING

PROMPTLY EXECUTED AT THE FREE PRESS OFFICE

Over the Post Office, Mill Street.



WAGON AND CARRIAGE FACTORY.

JAMES HYDEE, Proprietor.

Wagons, Carriages, Sleighs, Cutters, &c.

Kept in stock and made to Order on the Shortest Notice.

Special attention paid to Horse-Shoeing & General Jobbing and satisfaction guaranteed.

Acton, July 1st, 1875.

Wm. Paxton, Clerk.